



# Buckland School Newsletter



Buckland School is committed to providing quality education that engages all students fully in a wide range of learning experiences that will assist them in preparing for the challenges of the future.

## Week 5 Term 4

14 November 2022

Dear Parents and Community Members  
Tena Koutou

- ◆ A special welcome to Flo our new student and her family. We hope your association with the school and the school community will be a rewarding and enjoyable one.
- ◆ **School Values:** Respect—Kia u, Responsibility—Kia mau Resilience—Kia manawanui.
- ◆ **North Group Athletics Sports—** Good Luck to all who will represent us at the North Group Athletic sports this Thursday.
- ◆ **Senior Playground —** Children are thoroughly enjoying our new playground. Shade sails will be erected this week and the flying fox should also be finished by the end of the week.
- ◆ **Board Survey—** Thank you to all who completed the Board survey on Localized Curriculum. The results will be analysed shortly and will be included in next year's strategic plan.
- ◆ **School Swimming Pool—**this is now open and is being used during lunchtimes. Please ensure children have **rash shirts** as the wearing of these is school policy. If you have any that your children no longer fit and that you would like to donate to the school please hand them in to the office. Our supply has become depleted. Class swimming will begin in Week 7.
- ◆ **Year 5 Camp Adair camp—**Our Year 5s are off on camp Monday—Wednesday this week. Have a great time Year 5s!
- ◆ **Sanitarium Weetbix Kids Tryathlon—**This is taking place again this year. See details on: [try.weetbix.co.nz](http://try.weetbix.co.nz). Events throughout NZ. South Auckland—30th Nov.
- ◆ **Travelwise course—**Our Prefects and Mrs Fletcher attended the Travelwise course in Auckland last Tuesday and accepted a further certificate for the school's efforts in keeping children safe on the roads. Thanks to parents who are being good role models. (We do however have a small number of parents who continue not to use the crossing and

who are parking over our neighbours' driveways.)

- ◆ **Orders and payment for PTA Sausage Sizzle on Friday 25 November** can be given to class teachers this Friday and next Monday 21 November. This will allow the PTA to ensure they have enough sausages and bread for children. **Sausages—\$2.00 each.** If anyone would like to help cook and distribute these please phone Stephanie on 021 845 631.

## Thank you to:

- ◆ Parents who attended the camp meeting last week.
- ◆ Class representatives who attended the school council meeting last week.
- ◆ Our senior students who began their training as next year's Road Patrollers.

## Congratulations to:

- ◆ To our ex student Rocel Katuin who won the 2022 Gemma Anderson Cup—Proxime Accessit at the Pukekohe High School Prizegiving.

*Kind Regards*  
*Mavis Glasgow*  
*Principal*



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## Events for This Week

- Mon 14 —Wed 16 Nov—Year 5 Camp Adair camp. We are aiming to be back at school by 3 p.m. on Wednesday.
- Tues 15 Nov—Breakfast Club
- Wed 16 Nov—Bible in Schools & Values
- Wed 16 Nov—Seasons Group
- Thurs 17 Nov —Jump Jam
- Thurs 17 Nov—North Group Athletics
- Fri 18 Nov—School Assembly—2.30pm. All Welcome

## Events for Next Week

- Mon 21 Nov—Year 0—2 EOTC activities throughout the week.
- Tues 22 Nov & Fri 25 Nov —Breakfast Club (on back library deck.)
- Tues 22 Nov—Yr0-2 Mt William climb
- Wed 23 Nov—Final Bible in Schools/ Values sessions
- Wed 23 Nov—Board Meeting—6 p.m. in Board room. All Welcome.
- Wed 23 Nov—Yr 7 & 8 Technology
- Wed 23 Nov—Seasons Group
- Thurs 24 Nov—Jump Jam
- Thurs 24 Nov—Yr 0-2 Team Assembly 9a.m.
- Thurs 24 Nov—Yr 0-2 Wheels Day
- Fri 25 Nov—PTA Sausage Sizzle (see note earlier in newsletter)
- Fri 25 Nov—Yr 0-2 Pool Party 1.00-2.30p.m.








# the STAR of CHRISTMAS

**Be in to win!**

The opportunity to professionally record a Christmas song with Nathan King

**The grand prize**  
 Professionally record a Christmas song with Nathan King, return flights to Auckland for two (if you live outside of Auckland), hotel accommodation for one night and a studio tour.

**To enter**  
 Must be under 13 years old. Email yourself singing a Christmas carol to [christmas@newstalkzb.co.nz](mailto:christmas@newstalkzb.co.nz) before entries close 12 December.

Listen to Newstalk ZB on Christmas morning at 6am to find out if you've won!

Newstalk ZB



# GIRLS GOT GAME PARK TOUR

@basketbalnz



**2PM - 4PM**  
Weather dependent

**12TH NOVEMBER**  
@ PATUMAHOE RECREATION RESERVE

**26TH NOVEMBER**  
@ PUKEKOHE INTERMEDIATE

**27TH NOVEMBER**  
@ LOCATION TO BE CONFIRMED

Bring the whānau down and get your mum, daughter, sister, and nana on the court!



# GIRLS GOT GAME

Open to girls of all abilities, whether it's their first time picking up a basketball or they've been bouncing a ball since they were born. The main purpose is to bring girls together to learn, grow and play some basketball.

**TERM 4 RUNS FOR EIGHT WEEKS, STARTING MONDAY, OCTOBER 17**

**FREE FOR GIRLS AGED 8-15**  
5-6PM

Register at [franklinbasketball.org.nz/our-programmes](http://franklinbasketball.org.nz/our-programmes)  
 Franklin Pool and Leisure Centre | 29 Franklin Road, Pukekohe

## Community Notices



**Artz on Show School Holiday Performing Arts Workshop**


This is a fun yet educational week for students aged 5 – 15 years.

Students participate in a range of performing arts and specialised classes, for an eventful week!

19 - 23 December 2022, 9am – 4pm daily  
 Held at Raye Freedman Arts Centre, Epsom Girls Grammar School

View our website; [www.artzshow.co.nz](http://www.artzshow.co.nz)  
 or contact Hayley on either [artz@artzshow.co.nz](mailto:artz@artzshow.co.nz) or 09 294 7129

**ARTZONSHOW**



**NZ Warbirds at Ardmore**  
 Presents

# WARBIRDS ON PARADE

**Sunday 04 December 2022**  
**9:00am to 4:00pm Ardmore Airport**  
 (Hamlin Road entrance only)

Commemorating Pearl Harbor with flying displays at 10:30am | 12:30pm | 2:30pm  
 On show: Stunt Aircraft / Military Vehicles / A Mock Attack / Merchandise  
 Food and Refreshments and so much more...

Online tickets\*: Adults \$30.00 / School Age \$7.00 / Under 5's Free / Family Pass\*\* \$65.00  
 Gate Sales: Adults \$35.00 / School Age \$10.00 / Under 5's Free  
 \*a full refund will be available if the event is cancelled in advance due to weather, please see our T&C's  
 \*\* Family pass: 2 adults + 3 children - only available online  
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