



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 10 Term 2

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Monday 26 June 2023

Dear Parents and Community Members
Kia Ora

- ◆ **School Values for the Term:** Respect, Resilience, Responsibility
- ◆ Another term over! Many thanks to all who have been involved in supporting school events and helping with transport etc.
- ◆ **Welcome to:** Inuthi in Titipounamu and her family.
- ◆ **Year 3 & 4 Lakewood Lodge Camp**—We hope students, parents and staff have a wonderful two days.
- ◆ **Illnesses**—Thank you to parents who are being considerate of others by keeping sick children at home and for informing the school of absences.
- ◆ **Farewell** to the Burgess family who are leaving us this week. We wish you all the best.
- ◆ **Term 2 Board Newsletter**—this is attached to your email.
- ◆ **School Reports**—these will be coming home with your eldest child later this week.
- ◆ **Ag Day Chickens**—A reminder for families who ordered chickens that they will be arriving on Friday and can be collected from the office from approximately 12 noon onwards. Please bring a **small** box to take them home in. A care sheet is on the school website under Agricultural Day—Animal Information. A further email reminder will be sent out later in the week.

Thank you to:

- ◆ Parents and whanau and other students and staff who joined us for the school speech evening, Titipounamu poetry recital and the Yr 3 & 4 speech afternoon last week.
- ◆ Mrs Twomey who judged our senior speech evening.
- ◆ Parents who are assisting at the Yr 3 & 4 camp this week.

Community Notices

Agricultural Day Lambs Available
White face ram lambs free and black face ewe and ram lambs \$20 each available after 20 July contact James 021 343507.

Congratulations to:

- ◆ All students: Holly S, Indeanna, Flynn O, Layla, Myka, Ellie B, Emily C, Isaac, Ayla B, Oli, Connor, Zac and Delphi who presented their speeches admirably during the Yrs 5—8 School Speech Competition. A special congratulations to Isaac who won the Yr 5 & 6 section, Zac who won the Yr 7 & 8 section and Connor who won the Impromptu speech section. Good Luck to Isaac and Zac who will represent the school this week at the Franklin events.



- ◆ All Year 3 & 4 students who presented their speeches on Friday.
- ◆ To Titipounamu students who presented their nursery rhymes and poems to a packed audience of parents and whanau members on Thursday.
- ◆ To Oliver in Karearea who won the Most Improved Boy and 9 Years & Under Boys Champion at the Fulton Amateur Swim Awards.



Events for This Week

Final week of Term 2

- ⇒ Mon 26 & Tues 27 June—Year 3 & 4 Camp—Lakewood Lodge
- ⇒ Tues 27 & Fri 30 June—Breakfast Club
- ⇒ Wed 28 June —Launchpad/Values programmes
- ⇒ Wed 28 June—Franklin Yr 6 & below speech evening
- ⇒ Thurs 29 June—Franklin Yr 7 & 8 Speech evening
- ⇒ Thurs 29 June—Jump Jam
- ⇒ Thurs 29 June—School Council Casual dress day for Westpac Helicopter. If you can, wear something red and/or yellow in support of this great cause.
- ⇒ Fri 30 June—Ag Day chickens to be collected by parents
- ⇒ Fri 30 June—Final day of Term 2

Events for Next 2 Weeks

- ⇒ School Assembly—2.30p.m. All Welcome

Rest from school routines. Enjoy your family time.

Prior Notices—

- ⇒ Term 3 starts on Monday 17 July.
- ⇒ PTA Meeting—Monday 17 July at 6.30 p.m.

Kind Regards

Mavis Glasgow, Principal

**SCHOOL COUNCIL
CASUAL DRESS DAY
THURSDAY 29 JUNE
GOLD COIN DONATION
TO SUPPORT THE
WESTPAC RESCUE
HELICOPTER
WEAR SOMETHING YELLOW
OR RED IF YOU HAVE IT**



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FROM THE PTA

Agricultural Day Grocery Raffle tickets will be coming home with the eldest child in each family this week. The raffle is one of our biggest fundraisers. The money raised from the raffle goes towards many activities and projects enjoyed by the students. Each ticket sells for \$2. If you require more books to sell please contact the school office.

Once you have sold your tickets please return the ticket stubs and money to the locked drawer in the school office **by Friday 1 September**. If you wish to pay online, details can be found on the note with the raffle tickets—please ensure you use the PTA account number and return the stubs to the locked drawer in the office.

A huge thank you to our raffle sponsors—please support their businesses where you can

Henderson Ave Automotive

Kitchen Inspirations

Pukekohe Carriers

Sunset Spaces

Kanda Homes

Ray White (Sheree Brock)

Community Notices

The Flash Bang Science Club are offering After school Children's Science classes in Term 3 for students aged 6-12 years on Wednesday's, Course A (4.00-5.30pm) or Thursday's, Course A (Home school 1.00pm – 2.30pm) in Pukekohe. For more information or to book please email:

admin@flashbangscienceclub.co.nz or check out our website: www.flashbangscienceclub.co.nz