



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 4 Term 3 2023

7 August 2023

Dear Parents and Community Members
Tena Koutou

- ◆ **School Values for the Term:** Respect, Resilience, Responsibility
- ◆ **We Welcome** our new students Mia, Bonnie & Paige and their families. We hope your association with the school and the school community will be a happy and rewarding one.
- ◆ **Netball Events Last Week**—Our teams played really well last week and we were very proud of the way they exhibited great team work by supporting each other and playing fair.
- ◆ **Lockdown Exercise**—You will be pleased to hear that the children responded positively to the practice and were congratulated by our facilitator on their actions. As per the letter sent out early last week parents and caregivers should have received an email, website and app notification. A post evacuation letter was also sent on Friday afternoon. If you did not receive this please let the office know.
- ◆ **Cross Country Next Week—Tuesday 8 August.** 11.30a.m. Yr 0—2 starting with Yr 0 children. 1.15p.m.—Yr 3—8. **Note change of times for order of races**—Yr 3, Yr 7 & 8, Yr 4, Yr 5, Yr 6. If you can join us to cheer on children, you are most welcome.

- ◆ **Open Morning for Parents and Whanau next Tuesday 15 August 9 a.m.—12.00 noon.** The staff invite parents and family members to come along and view children working in their normal classroom learning programmes. Please feel free to join staff for morning tea in the staffroom.

- ◆ **Agricultural Day Animal Entries**—Entries of calves, lambs, goats and chickens closes on Wednesday next week. Entry forms can be found on the school website under Agricultural Day and are available from the office foyer. The leading courses for calves, lambs and goats are also on the website.

Thank You to:

- ◆ Parents who assisted us with transport and support at the netball events. Thanks also to Mrs Wymer

who assisted with coaching the Yr 5 & 6 teams.

- ◆ Mrs Adams, Mrs Robertson, Charley (Yr 7) and ex pupils Jorja and Anika who assisted with umpiring.
- ◆ Whanau who joined us for school assembly.
- ◆ Families who have already sold and returned the PTA Grocery raffle books. If you are unable to sell these please return them to school as we have a list of families who would like more books.

Good Luck to:

- ◆ All our students who will take part in our school cross country events.

Our very **resilient** Yr 5 & 6 teams who played through the rain! Our parent supporters showed great resilience and commitment too!



*Have a Wonderful week.
Kindest Regards
Mavis Glasgow (Principal)*

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Events for This Week

- ⇒ Tues 8 & Fri 11 Aug—Breakfast Club
- ⇒ Tues 8 Aug—School Cross Country events. (See approx. times earlier in this newsletter)
- ⇒ Wed 9 Aug—Launchpad/Values programme.
- ⇒ Thurs 10 Aug — Jump Jam
- ⇒ Thurs 10 Aug—School Council meeting.
- ⇒ Fri 11 Aug—Team assemblies: Yr 3 & 4 at 2.30p.m. in Hall. Yr 1 & 2 2.30p.m. in Titipounamu.

Events for Next Week

- ⇒ Mon 14 Aug—PTA Meeting—6.30 p.m.
- ⇒ Tues 15 & Fri 18 Aug—Breakfast Club
- ⇒ Tues 15 Aug—Open Morning for parents & whanau.
- ⇒ Wed 16 Aug—Year 7 & 8 Technology—Pukekohe Intermediate. Bus leaves at 8.45a.m.
- ⇒ Wed 16 Aug—North Group Cross Country—selected children (a note will come home this week).
- ⇒ Wed 16 Aug—Launchpad/Values programme.
- ⇒ Wed 16 Aug—Ag Day Animal entries close
- ⇒ Wed 16 Aug—Board Meeting at 6 p.m.
- ⇒ Thurs 17 Aug — Jump Jam (weather permitting)
- ⇒ Fri 18 Aug—School Assembly—2.30p.m.

Community Notices

Lost at Year 3/4 Camp—boys grey Abercrombie hoodie. Please return to the school office.

From the PTA

PTA Meeting on next Monday 14 August at 6.30pm. In the staffroom. All welcome. We still require two superb helpers – one for tent set up and layout of the stalls on the Friday before Ag Day.

And a parent to help with the seedling stall – bagging produce, prices and overall eagerness to help this stall succeed.

Message the PTA if you can help bucklandschoolpta@outlook.com or contact Julie 021 522 106



BOOKS, GAMES, PUZZLES WANTED!

We need good quality books (kids, adult, fiction & non-fiction) & games (board games/family games) to sell at the Ag Day book stall.

Please feel free to drop at the School office or message Louise 021 1147 133 to sort a collection point.



Community Notices

Are you in Year 3 or 4 and want to play netball?

Buckland Netball Club are taking registrations for Year 3 & 4 players who wish to play netball in Term 4. Games are on a Friday evening at Pukekohe Netball Centre starting on 27 October. For more information and to register, go to the Buckland Netball Club website:

<https://www.sporty.co.nz/bucklandnetball>



CALF CLUB / AG DAY GOAT KIDS

- Huge range available - \$100 per kid
- Breeds: British Alpine, Toggenburg, Saanen and Sable
- Place your order now, letting us know how many you want and your preferred colour!
- Pick up Ramarama

Contact Sally anytime ph: 021 755 144



HEALTH & WELL-BEING POP UP
Tuesday 1st August 7pm
Karaka Community Events Centre
372 Blackbridge Rd, Karaka

Access Bars Kinesiology
Bio magnetics Chiropractic therapy
Bowen Therapy Hypnotherapy
Reflexology Aromatherapy
Reiki and more

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Natural Remedies
EFT-tapping
Massage

find us at: t.me/karakacommunityhub
Koha appreciated to cover hall hire

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Piano/Keyboard Lessons

Carol Baker has a couple of spaces available for children wishing to learn Keyboard/Piano here at school on Mondays during term time. For more information please either email, txt or phone musiccarol2022@gmail.com mobile 0274541718.



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