

# 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 2024 www.buckland.school.nz

Monday 11 November 2024 Dear Parents and Community Members Tena Koutou

- ◆ **School Values:** Respect—Kia u, Responsibility—Kia mau Resilience—Kia manawanui.
- ◆ Board Community Survey—Have Your Say! After two weeks of this survey being open we have only 14 responses! A low response does not give your Board a fair reflection of our community views to base their future decisions on. The survey is live until 15 November. I have put the link in the email again for those who haven't yet responded. A draw will be held for a \$50 grocery voucher for those who complete the survey. If you want to remain anonymous and you complete the survey please email the office at admin@buckland.school.nz saying you have completed this and wish to go into the draw.
- ◆ School Athletics Day—Thank you to all who supported children at the events last Tuesday 5 November. It was great to see so many family members cheering children on. Good luck to older students who have been selected to represent us at the North Group event this Wednesday at Navigation Homes stadium. Notes came home last week with children selected outlining what was required. A bus will be taken but parents are welcome to attend.
- ◆ Year 5 Camp Adair—20—22 November. Camp meeting tonight in Weka room at 5.30p.m. If you are attending please try to attend.
- **Staff Vacancy**—The Board have approved the funding of an extra teacher for our Year 7 & 8 class for next year. We have an advertisement in the Education Gazette that closes this Friday, 15 November. If you know of someone who is looking for a position in this area of the school please ask them to apply.
- Final Launchpad—This Wednesday is our final Launchpad and Values groups. We thank our teachers for their input into our students. If you can send along some flowers on Wednesday we will put them together in bouquets as gifts for them from the children.

#### **Congratulations to:**

 All students who participated enthusiastically in the athletics sports. We were very proud of your efforts.

#### Thank you to:

• All whanau who attended team assemblies last week.

#### **Events for This Week**

Mon 11 Nov—Yr 0—2 Gymnastics sessions

Mon 11 Nov—Camp Adair Parent meeting—5.30p.m.

Tues 12 Nov—Smash cricket lessons for Yr 0—4 (Takahe)

Wed 13 Nov—Final Launchpad & Values groups for the year

Wed 13 Nov—North Group Athletics (selected Yr 4—8 students who meet qualifying standards)

Wed 13 Nov—Board meeting—6 p.m.

Thurs 14 Nov—Jump Jam & Fitness Circuit

Thurs 14 Nov—Smash Cricket—Yr 3 & 4 Tui—Yr 8

Thurs 14 Nov—Sushi Lunches

Fri 15 Nov—School Assembly—2.30p.m. All Welcome

#### **Events for Next Week**

Mon 18 Nov—Yr 0—2 Gymnastics sessions

Tues 19 Nov—Ngaati Tamaoho/CMS day—selected students

Tues 19 Nov—Smash Cricket lessons—Yr 0—4 Takahe

Wed 20—22 Nov—Year 5 Camp Adair

Wed 20 Nov—Yr 7 & 8 Technology at Pukekohe Intermediate

Thurs 21 Nov—Franklin Zone Athletics

Thurs 21 Nov—Smash Cricket (Yr 3—8)

Thurs 21 Nov—Sushi Lunches

Fri 22 Nov—Yr 0—2 & Year 3 & 4 Team Assembly 2.30p.m.

## **School Athletics**















### **Community Notices**







