

BIRKDALE**NORTHschool**

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Newsletter

Term 2 No.7

Principal's voice:

Kia Ora, Bonjour, Talofa, greetings to all,

Book week - A great success

Well what an exciting week we had last week! The finalé was our character parade with lots of our children coming dressed up! Throughout the week the children enjoyed having the chance to hear other teachers read with them, have a visit from the author Matt Elliott - thank you again Matt, make bookmarks, write their own books and lots more.

**Another week of our Read-a-thon to go**

Thank you for encouraging your children to read each day for our Read-a-thon which continues this week. The children are excited which is exactly what we want!

Please send your reading log back on Friday (7th June). The teacher will record the number of minutes read at school and on **Monday (10th June)** the log will be returned to you along with the sponsor forms if you don't already have them.

The **11th - 20th June** is the time frame to collect in the sponsor money and return to school.

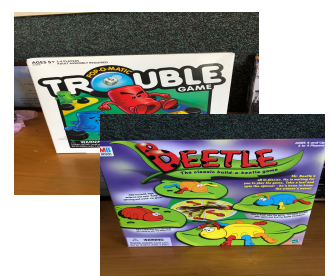
All money needs to be in by 21st June.

We have some great incentives to help our children get money in on time and keep on reading.

Our sponsors - I would like to thank **The Warehouse** and **Paper Plus** from **Glenfield Mall** for supporting our Read-A-Thon. The Warehouse donated \$50 worth of goods and Paperplus have kindly donated two \$20 book vouchers. I would also like to thank **Ricoh New Zealand** who have donated a smart bracelet, an outdoor waterproof bluetooth speaker as well as a drink bottle and a hot drinks cup.

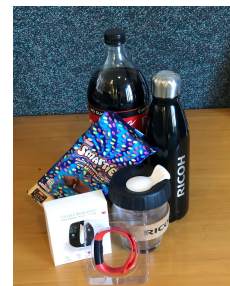


We have book vouchers for the senior and junior child that has read the most minutes. We have a class game for the junior and senior class who has read the most combined minutes. (based on the class percentage)





We have a movie pack with DVD's, fizzy drinks, lollies and the wireless speaker as a family prize for the family in the school that has read the most combined total of minutes. Our last little incentive is a pack made up of some fizzy, chocolate, drink bottle and hot drinks cup and the smart bracelet . (Might need to do some exercise after eating the chocolate!) For every child who gets their sponsor money in on time their name will go into a draw to win this prize.



The teacher Strike

It was such an amazing turn out on Queen street last Wednesday with Teachers, Principals and many parents with their children also. I hope the Government will start to listen to the crisis we are in and respond appropriately. Thank you for all the support we have received from the Birkdale North Whanau.



Have you voted for the Board of Trustees yet?

By now you should have had your voting papers in the post from the Returning Officer. If you have not received them please contact the Returning officer immediately as all votes need to be in the ballot box by Friday (7th June) at noon:

returningofficer@eduplus.co.nz

Please take the time to read through all the candidates statements and make your choice. This is your board and It is important that all our school community have their voice.

School Policies

We are in the process of moving all our policies onto an online policy and procedures service for schools called Schooldocs. Mrs Wrightson and myself have been working on setting the system up and we have now submitted it to Schooldocs. The process from their side will take approx 5 weeks to complete. I am confident by term three we will have Schooldocs available on our website for you. Meantime if you would like to look at our policies at present we have hard copies available for you to view in the office

Green Certificate winners

We had no green certificates as we had our character parade instead of assemblies on Friday. Back to normal this week though!

Cake Stall

A big thank you to all those who are supporting the Cake Stall fundraiser, the people who are making items, manning the stall and buying the end product. What a great effort by all. The Cake stall will continue to run every Friday at 3pm until the end of term 2. Funds raised to date \$440

Nga mihi Nui

Jan.

Public Health Nurses are available on 09 486 8996. Alternatively call Healthline on 0800 611 116 or visit www.health.govt.nz. The Public Health Nurses are able to help with providing things like nit treatment, action plans for students that have medical conditions and other general health queries.

School Dental service contact phone: 09 444 6160.

Hearing & Vision Technicians will be at BNS as part of the Hearing and Vision Screening Programme on 14 August from 9.30am. Children eligible to be tested include new entrants who have not had a B4 School Hearing & Vision test at Pre-school, children who need rescreening or were absent from previous testing and new children to the school who have not been tested in New Zealand.

The Walking School bus is up and running this term again. If you have any queries or need further information, please contact Mrs Singh.

Samoas for sale: don't forget to order your Samosa to support the trip to New Caledonia. Detailed information below.

Upcoming Events

Term Dates 2019:

Term 2	29 April - 5 July
Term 3	22 July - 27 September
Term 4	14 October - 13 December

Public Holidays:

3 June	Queens Birthday
28 October	Labour Day

Whats on:

6 June	Rippa Rugby Primary Schools Tournament game 1 of 3
7 June	BOT Election votes due in by 12pm today
10 June	Photo Ilfe - Rooms 1 and 2 Wairau Valley Special school photos
13 June	Science in a van visit
13 June	BOT Elections votes count
14 June	New Board Elected takes office
20 June	Football (Soccer) Tournament Shepherds Park
17-30 June	Keeping Ourselves Safe week
27 June	BOT monthly meeting 6.30pm
3 July	Mid Year Reports home today
5 July	Term 2 ends - school finishes at 3pm
14 Aug	Vision & Hearing testing

Junior Assembly every Friday Term time 11.30am

Senior Assembly every Friday Term time 12.15pm

Whole School Student Administration Assembly every Monday Term Time 9.00am to 9.30am

Samosas for sale

Fundraiser for school trip to New Caledonia

10 SAMOSAS FOR \$20

MADE FRESH TO ORDER



Ideal for lunches, snacks dinner
and parties

Butter Chicken
Lamb
Vegetable

Product Ingredients and heating
instructions

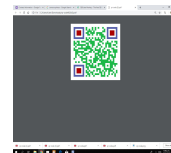


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HOW TO ORDER:

1. Online order form: (Preferred method)

<https://goo.gl/forms/d24qbYJfe5stow4p2>



Order now for delivery this month.

Thank you for supporting this fundraiser

**Other ways to support this fundraiser- email the flyer and the link to your friends,
family and work colleagues**

Many Thanks

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