

# Boulcott School



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## Newsletter No. 11 – Wednesday, 16 August 2017

Greetings Parents and Caregivers,

Thank you for supporting last week's 3-Way Conferences to share student learning and progress. If the days and times were not convenient for you, please do not hesitate to contact the school office, or your child's teacher to make an alternative appointment.

We continue to welcome new students and their families to Boulcott School. It is wonderful to have you join us at Boulcott:

Year 1: Jamieson and Toby.

Year 6: Mishaal.



We are grateful to our 2017 Year 6, Road Patrol Team: Austin, Jemma, Dylan, Maz, Phoenix, Haley, Olivia, Rishma, Lochy, Charlie, Johnny M, Frankie, Judah, Skye, Cairo, Koby, Johnny B, Emery, Ellie, Brooklyn, Martin, Sienna, Ruby, Ella, Zara, Henry, Rilshan, Eamon, Jorja, Michael, Thomas, Paige, Zion, Abby, Isabella, Harry B and Iosefo.

We also extend a huge thank you to the parents who have supported, and who continue to support our students every morning on Boulcott Street. Our teams are out there in all weathers. We ask you to co-operate with our Road Patrol team to help keep everyone safe:

- **Stop** if a school patrol sign is extended, regardless of which side of the road it is on
- **Slow down** around school and be prepared to stop at our school crossing
- Keep plenty of **space** between you and cars in front

Recently we have had a few near misses in Boulcott Street during our most congested times. In order to support everyone's safety we ask that you:

- Park appropriately in designated car parks
- Respect residents' driveways and yellow lines
- Take extreme care when reversing

We have recently received Ms Andrea Rodley's resignation. We are grateful for all that Andrea has contributed to the classes she has taught, and our wider school community in the time she has been with us here at Boulcott. We will farewell Andrea on Friday, 1 September.

### **In-Zone Enrolments**

If you have a child you wish to start at Boulcott during 2018 we ask you to pre-enrol them now. This is particularly so for any child turning 5 during Terms 1 and 2, whether they live in zone or whether they already have a sibling attending Boulcott School. We are holding a ballot for out of zone applications on Friday, 10 November and need to know accurately the number of places we can offer to families wishing to start their children's education with us. Thank you.

### **Sore Throats Matter, 'A healthy Hutt Valley for all'**

A message from the Te Awakairangi Health Network:

"A sore throat is pain or discomfort in your throat. It feels worse when you swallow. There may be swelling and redness (inflammation) at the back of your throat. You may also have a fever, chills and a headache. Sore throats can be caused by a virus or bacteria. If your sore throat is caused by the Strep A bacteria and not treated then it could cause rheumatic fever and damage your heart.

If you have a sore throat you must get your sore throat checked by a health professional, a doctor, a nurse or a pharmacist. This is free if you are aged between 4 years and 19 years and are of Maori or Pacific Island ethnicity.

To help stop the sore throat bugs from spreading everyone is asked to:

- Cover your mouth and nose when coughing or sneezing
- Wash your hands with soap and water after coughing or sneezing
- Not to share water bottles, or drinking cups"

There are many pharmacies in the Hutt Valley that offer sore throat free clinics.

### **Recognition Awards (CHEER)**

Congratulations to recipients of our school-wide 'CHEER' awards from our last school assembly. A student at Boulcott School who earns a 'CHEER' from the school community will have been displaying one or more of the following values: Confidence, Honesty, Enthusiasm, Excellence, and Respect.

Congratulations to Junior Syndicate: Brody Burton, Sofia Smith, Rashid Sherifdeen, Alice Clements, Clare Song, Isabelle Hunger, Tamati Khalil-Matenga, Ella Wilson, Alex Patau-Singh, Malachi Peacock, Dakota Lauina.

Congratulations to Middle Syndicate: Abbie Kemp, Dharmik Patel, Finley Hunter, Moneka Ganesan, Toby Schulz, Ashleigh Bellve, Damien Connan, Kijiana Tuatoko, James Oldfield, Wairangi Maniapoto, Molly Banks, Jet Leuluai.

Congratulations to Senior Syndicate: Jorja Kemp, Lochy Werohia-Praat, Kobe Tetevano, Eloise Lohead, Haley Young, Abigail Parker, Gabi Coetzee, Hopoate Manu.

Congratulations to Abigail, Alex, Damien and Moneka, whose names were drawn out to have fish and chips with the Principal later in the term.

### **Transport Audit**

This week we have been helped by Sherie Wright, from the Hutt City Council, to conduct our second transport audit, where all the students look at how they travel between home and school. A super sized map of the Boulcott area and nearby suburbs were set up in the library. The children showed how they travel to and from school by using various coloured dots placed on the location of their home on the map. Everyone had a great time discussing the "benefits and distractions" of walking to school and how we can help save the planet by getting to school under our own power.



### Bake Sale - Monday, 21 August



**Monday, 21 August, next week**, students in Rooms 3 and 4 will be holding a "Bake Sale".

Baking will be sold for morning tea on Monday, 21 August. A portion of the funds raised will be donated to Kids Can, an organisation that supports disadvantaged Kiwi kids. The other portion of the funds raised will go towards reducing the cost of the 2019 Year 5-6 Boulcott camp.

Thank you for supporting the "Bake Sale" that Rooms 1 and 2 organised for the same purpose last term. We will be organising two 'Bake Sales' every year from now on with the Senior team. We will split money fundraised between subsidising the next Boulcott School Camp and donating to a charity each year.



### Term 3 Netball Tournament

Congratulations to the Boulcott Roses and Boulcott Starfish who participated in the Lower Hutt Primary School Sports Association Netball Tournament yesterday. Both teams showed the CHEER values, positive sportsmanship, and had fun playing other local Year 1 and 2 teams. A big thank you to parents for their support on the day.

#### Boulcott Starfish

Olive, Maddison, Hannah, Ameenah and Charlee



#### Boulcott Roses

Malachi, Kelsey, Dakota and Indie

### Boulcott Book Week and Character Parade

Boulcott School's Book Week starts Monday, 28 August. During this week a 'Book Bug' will visit classrooms and teachers will participate in a reading rotation where different classrooms will be read to by someone other than their classroom teacher. Our school Librarian, Tania Blucher will be supporting our student librarians to create a literary quiz and has organised for Authors, Mona Williams and Juliette MacIver to meet with our Boulcott students.



We will finish with a **character parade on Friday, 1 September**. We encourage everyone to come dressed up as their favourite book character on Friday when we will meet in our school hall to celebrate the week and share our costumes at 9:40am.

"The More that you read, the more things you will know. The more that you learn, the more places you'll go." Dr Seuss

## Home and School

Calendar Art orders welcome until Friday, 18 August. Orders can be paid by either cash or internet banking to the **Home and School** bank account ASB 12 3478 0056621-00.



Samples of the recently created art from Damien Rm 13, Ruby Rm 3 and Hugo Rm 5.

Everyone is looking forward to our School Disco, Friday, 8 September. Please email [homeschool@boulcott.school.nz](mailto:homeschool@boulcott.school.nz) if you are able to help in any way.

Entertainment Books – Thank you to those who have purchased an Entertainment Book for 2017/18. We have made a profit of \$936 so far. The book or the digital version can still be purchased through school for a few more weeks. You can order online and pay by credit card at <https://www.entertainmentbook.co.nz/orderbooks/10412m4> or contact Tracey Joe, phone 567-5388 or email [homeschool@boulcott.school.nz](mailto:homeschool@boulcott.school.nz), if paying via internet please ensure it goes into the **Home and School** bank account – ASB 12 3478 0056621 00. Thank you for your ongoing support.

Advanced Notice: Boulcott's Quiz Night will be held on Saturday, 28 October. Put this in your diaries now and encourage your friends to make up a table!

## Munchwraps

The Greenie Group would like to remind you that we are selling Munchwraps for \$10. Munchwraps are fun, small, affordable wraps that you wrap your sandwich in. Munchwraps replace gladwrap and help us save our planet. Pick up your order form at the office and buy them now!!  
Thanks from the Greenie Group.

## Order Friday Lunches Online from Pita Pit

Lunches from Pita Pit can be ordered using Lunchonline every Friday. This is an online service where parents/caregivers set up their own account, order lunch and pay online. The lunch is then delivered to school in time for the lunch break.

To view the menu or to set up an account go to [www.lunchonline.co.nz](http://www.lunchonline.co.nz).

1. Register an account
2. Add member/s including your child's name, school and classroom
3. Make a forward payment so you have funds in your account before you order
4. Select your lunch and place an order

## Thai Lunch Orders

Our Thai lunches, which are available on Wednesdays each week, have increased in price from \$5 to \$6. The increase in price is due to the school now using recyclable lunch containers rather than polystyrene. The recyclable containers can be ripped up and added to our compost, which is used on our school gardens. Thank you Greenie Group for investigating and initiating this project.

## Hutt Intermediate School Enrolments

Enrolments are now open and all Year 6 students should have received a Prospectus and Enrolment form. Enrolments close for all out of zone students on **Friday, 1 September 2017**. Please return your completed form along with a copy of your child's birth certificate/passport and proof of your residential address to Hutt Intermediate, 7 Kauri Street, Lower Hutt.



### Term Dates

Term 3: Monday 24 July – Friday 29 September (10 weeks)

Term 4: Monday 16 October – Friday 15 December (9 weeks)

2018 Term dates will be confirmed soon.

### Coming Events

Week of 14 Aug:	Maths Week
Mon 21 Aug:	Year 5-6 Bake Sale (Camp 2019 and Kids Can)
Thurs 24 Aug:	Central Zone Basketball
Fri 25 Aug	School Assembly (2:10pm)
Week of 28 Aug:	Boulcott Book Week
Fri 8 Sept:	Home & School Disco
Fri 8 Sept (pp Fri 15 Sept):	Boulcott Jump Rope Event, School Assembly (2:10pm)
Mon 18 Sept	BOT meeting 7pm staffroom
Weds 20 Sept:	ArtSplash
Thurs 21 Sept:	DanceSplash
Sat 23 Sept:	Boulcott School hall being used as a General Election polling station
Week of 25 Sept:	School photos
Weds 27 Sept	Central Zone Hockey
Fri 29 Sept:	School Assembly (2:10pm) End of Term 3 (3pm)

Thank you for your continued support.

Kind regards,

Veronica Sawers

**Acting Principal**

### COMMUNITY NOTICES

**SportZone After School Football** – For Year 1-4 children. A weekly 1 hour football session from 3:15pm to 4:15pm at Eastern Hutt School on Wednesdays or Rata Street School on Thursdays. Cost \$35 per term per player. To register go to [www.SportZone.org.nz](http://www.SportZone.org.nz).

**Suzuki Piano Lessons** – In Suzuki piano lessons we learn our pieces first through listening and singing. Skills are built one step at a time at the child's own pace. Parents are guided on how to support their child in their home practice. For more information, please contact Ingrid on 577 0885 or [ikpalmer@yahoo.com](mailto:ikpalmer@yahoo.com).

**For Sale** – St Orans College uniform, excellent condition, details on the school community notice board. Please contact Michelle on 027 656 2191 for more information.

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