



The
Boulcott



Wednesday 19 May 2021
Term 2 Week 3

Broadcast

Stand tall, fly high, together. Kia tū kaha, kia maia, kia rere ki te ao.



Kia ora koutou Boulcott whānau,

What a great day at Boulcott today! It has been an active day across the school as our Year 3-6 students competed in our annual Cross Country in the morning, then the whole school took part in our first action-packed Fun Run! Bubbles, cargo nets, water guns, mud and colour made the run even more exciting for all! Congratulations to everyone who took part and ran their best races today. A special congratulations to all our top runners from Years 4 to 6, who have been selected to compete in the Central Zone Cross Country event in a couple of weeks time. If your child was selected, keep an eye out for information regarding this next event in the next couple of days.

A huge thank you also to everyone in the community who has sponsored a child/ren for their races today. The final total has not been finalised yet, but it is looking like a healthy amount of money raised by our Home and School Team.

Our first assembly of Term 2 was jam-packed with excitement last week. It was wonderful to see and hear the sharing of learning from our Year 5 and 6 students; reflecting on their time at Camp Makahika. We also celebrated our first 'big pour' of all the new CHEER tokens that have been earned by our tamariki over the first two weeks of the term. All the tokens that contributed to the House points were then collected together into one container. Once the container is full, a whole school reward is earned! Our student council are currently finalising what this whole school reward will be... we'll keep you posted with updates! You can check our progress by visiting the school foyer, where all the earned CHEER tokens are on display. Keep up the great work everyone!! Ka mau te wehi!

Another exciting announcement from our assembly last week was the launch of our brand new Syndicate names! These new names were chosen by the tamariki in each syndicate after completing a mini-inquiry on New Zealand native trees. The trees/plants represent the different layers of the NZ bush/forest and also have strong connections to our House birds! Our new Syndicate names are on the following page, along with a whakatauki that has been suggested by Matua Whaitiri to guide us. We can see further opportunity to learn more about these native trees as the year progresses.



Junior Syndicate - Years 1 and 2

Hutia te rito o te harakeke, kei hea te komako e ko?

If the centre of the harakeke dies/is removed, where will the bellbird sing?

This highlights the importance of family and nurturing the young.



Middle Syndicate - Years 3 and 4

Te ura o te Kōwhai

Admiring the glow/shine of the kowhai

This highlights the value of patience and opportunity



Senior Syndicate - Years 5 and 6

E tu Kahikatea, Hei whakapae ururoa

Standing strong and tall, together!

This highlights the importance of resilience.



NATIONAL YOUNG LEADERS DAY

I had the pleasure of escorting our 8 House Captains to Porirua last week for the National Young Leaders Day. This is always an awesome day for our young leaders to listen to inspirational stories from everyday kiwis that have achieved great things in their lives. The theme for this year was focused on being 'Stronger Together' - how you gain strength from others around you. There were some powerful messages from the speakers, who talked about key people in their lives that supported them on their journey. I was incredibly impressed with our House Captains enthusiasm and confidence on the day!

BULLY FREE WEEK

We endeavour to make our school environment bully free every week but this is the week we can really focus on learning about what bullying is and ways we can continue to prevent it occurring at our kura.

This coming Friday we are having a 'Colour Day' to highlight the importance of inclusion and celebrating difference. We are encouraging EVERYONE to dress in their most colourful gear on **Friday, 21 May!**



KIDS LITERATURE QUIZ

Well done to our Year 6 students who represented Boulcott School at the annual Kids Lit Quiz last week. Frances, Charlee, Zoe and Regan competed against many other schools across the region to answer a series of complex literature questions - overall 71/100 questions correct!! Tino pai rawa atu!



YUMMY STICKERS

It's time to collect Yummy stickers! Shop at your local New World, Pak'n Save, or participating Four Square stores. Purchase Yummy apples, either bags with cut-out labels or individual apples with Yummy stickers. One cut-out label is worth

10 Yummy stickers! Place the Yummy stickers on sticker collection sheets (available from your classroom teacher) and bring them into school.

Our Yummy stickers will then be converted into a winning share of the \$200,000 sports prize pool from DG Sport.

We have until the end of Term 3, so let's get munching!

SCHOOL HOODIES

Back by popular demand and to help raise funds for our Kapa haka group, the Boulcott Whanau Group are selling Hoodies. These are good quality hoodies, navy blue, with the Boulcott School logo, surrounded by a Maori Crest. On the back of the hoodie your child's surname will be printed in their House group colour. Closing date for orders is **Thursday, 27 May** for delivery in June.

If you would like to order a hoodie click on the link

<https://forms.gle/5rPsUWp39Lpu1FYZA> to complete the google form.



Hoodies will be available to try on this **Friday, 21 May** after school in the Library. Any inquiries please email p.dewes003@gmail.com.



SPORT @ BOULCOTT

Cross Country - Congratulations to our Year 3-6 students, who participated in the Cross Country today. If your child placed in the top ten in Years 4-6, then please check your emails over the next few days, for a google form to complete for the Central Zone Cross Country, which takes place in a couple of weeks.



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Our Awesome Saints

On Tuesday, the amazing Saints basketballers Tohi and Taane came to give our Kahikatea team basketball training. They were extremely tall, so tall it seemed like they could touch the sky. Some drills were: weaving the ball in between your legs, relay races and one big game at the end.

Here is what Harper had to say about the whole thing:
"I am so excited and my rating out of ten is one million!"
I think the whole thing was so cool and I hope they come back next year.
Thank you Tohi and Taane for coming and teaching us those awesome skills.



Frances

Wheels day!

Recently at Boulcott the kids have all been enjoying a new activity - wheels day. Each syndicate is allocated a day; Monday for Kahikatea, Wednesday for Kōwhai and Friday for Harakeke. On your day you can bring in roller skates/blades, skate boards, scooters and for Harakeke, bikes. If you bring wheels in on your day you are allowed to ride on them at morning tea and lunchtime in the Harakeke Court.

Wheels Day takes place every week, and is organised by the student councilors. The process took many meetings, discussions and debates. The student councilors are now proud to present it, in all its Wheels Day glory.

So helmets on, grab your wheels, and get wheeling!

Zoe

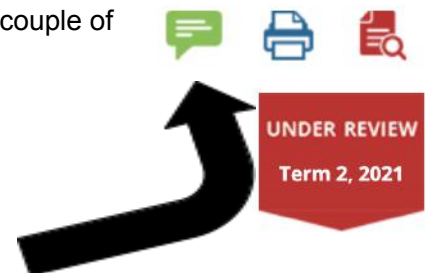
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Tena koutou Boulcott Whanau,

This term the Board of Trustees are reviewing a couple of school wide policies. A key policy we invite parent feedback on is our 'Reporting to Parents on Student Progress and Achievement' procedure. To access this information [click here](#)

for directions to the SchoolDocs site. If you would like to provide feedback on the procedure, click on the green button on the top right hand side of the page.



A big thank you to the Aston-Baran family, who kindly donated 50 free children's tickets to last week's Saints basketball game. Many of our students enjoyed a great night of basketball. Thank you.

Welcome to New Students

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

Year 1: Frank & Joanna

CHEER AWARDS

Congratulations to the following students who have been our CHEER recipients from our last 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.

Friday, 14 May:	Teacher	Student
Room 6	Brock	Yanika
Room 7	Cooper	Fraser
Room 8	Anouk	Nicholas
Room 9	Zaiden Jessica	
Room 10	Lucas	Mackenzie
Room 11	Frank	Zac R
Room 12	Phoenix	Nishant
Room 14	Crystal	Sebastian
Room 15	Alice	Wilden
Room 16	Ollie	Nathaniel
Room 1	Riley O	Siosaia
Room 3	Ella D	Brayden
Room 4	George	Vishaant
Room 5	Clare	Archie



Please note: Teacher Only Day - Friday, 4 June.

Nga mihi nui
Stu Devenport
Principal

Important Dates	
Date	Event
Wed 19 May	Cross Country & Fun Run, Senior Water polo starts at Stokes Valley Pool
Fri 21 May	Colour Day
Mon 24 May	Shuttle Time begins at school
Thurs 27 May	Last day for Hoodie orders
Fri 28 May	Assembly 9:10am - Harakeke team sharing
Tues, 1 June	Central Zone Cross Country Yr 4-6 (pp Thurs 3 June)
Fri 4 June	Teacher Only Day - school closed
Mon 7 June	Queens Birthday - school closed
Fri 11 June	Assembly 9:10am
Mon 14 June	BOT Meeting (7pm)
Tues 15 June	Inter Zone Cross Country (pp 22 June)
Fri 25 June	Assembly 9:10am, 40 hr Famine
Mon 5 July	Huttfest Week, Matariki celebrations
Fri 9 July	End of term (3pm)

2021 Term Dates

TERM 1	
Start date	Thursday, 4 February
Waitangi Day	Monday, 8 February (Mondayised)
Easter Break	Good Friday, 2 April, Monday 5 April, Tuesday 6 April
End date	Friday, 16 April
TERM 2	
Start date	Monday, 3 May
Queens Birthday	Monday, 7 June
End date	Friday, 9 July
TERM 3	
Start date	Monday, 26 July
End date	Friday, 1 October
TERM 4	
Start date	Monday, 18 October
Labour Day	Monday, 25 October
End date	Thursday, 16 December

COMMUNITY NOTICES

French Lessons at Boulcott School - Fun French for kids at Boulcott School on Thursday 3:20pm. Children speak French from the first lesson. Lessons are based on interactive activities, role play, crafts, active games and music. Free trial lesson. After that \$14.50 per 50 minute lesson, plus a membership starter pack of materials to use at home. To register contact Stefi on stefi@lcclubs.co.nz or 021 178 2099. Visit the website www.lcclubs.co.nz.

St Bernard's College Open Day

St Bernard's College will be holding an Open Day on Saturday, 29 May 2021 from 10:00am until 2:00pm. Prospective students and their parents are invited to visit during these hours to find out more about St Bernard's College and what it can provide. St Bernard's College is a Year 7-13 Catholic boys' college. For further information please see our website: www.sbc.school.nz or contact the office at: 183 Waterloo Rd Lower Hutt Ph 560 9250 or Email: office@sbcschool.nz.



BIG BANG SERIES DIRT DUATHLON

NAVIGATE ON FOOT AND BIKE, DAY & NIGHT

Have you got one of those kids who loves to be outside, has a thirst for biking, loves a day out, is just an all-round outdoor enthusiast and a good egg? Well bring them along to the Dirt Duathlon adventure racing series. June, July and August 2021 based between Wellington and the Horowhenua. Each event is

approx 3-4hrs. Minimum age is 10 and must be accompanied by an adult.

This is some serious fun! For more information go to www.dirtduathlon.co.nz.

Badminton Hutt Valley Family Fun Sessions

Are you keen to get your family into playing a sport regularly and keeping active?
Are you keen to meet and play Badminton with other similar aged families?
Then the BHV Family Fun Sessions might be right for you!

When: Sunday mornings (during school terms) from 9:30am to 11:00am
Where: Badminton Hutt Valley - 25 Vogel Street, Naenae
Costs: \$10 per family (1x Adult and 1x Child)
\$20 per family (max 2x Adult and 3x Children)

- Children must be primary and intermediate aged (Year 1 - 8).
- Parents/Guardians must be present and playing on court with children/other families during the session.
- Shuttles will be provided, loan racquets also available.

To sign up, drop us an email at hvbadassoc@gmail.com and we'll be in contact.

sKids Boulcott Teacher Only Day

Friday 4th June

8am - 3pm \$42

7am - 6pm \$55

Join us this Teacher Only Day at sKids Boulcott for a fun Pokemon themed day! Get your face painted, play fun Pokemon games and more!

Book now at skids.co.nz/book
Or contact our Programme Manager for more information.



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