



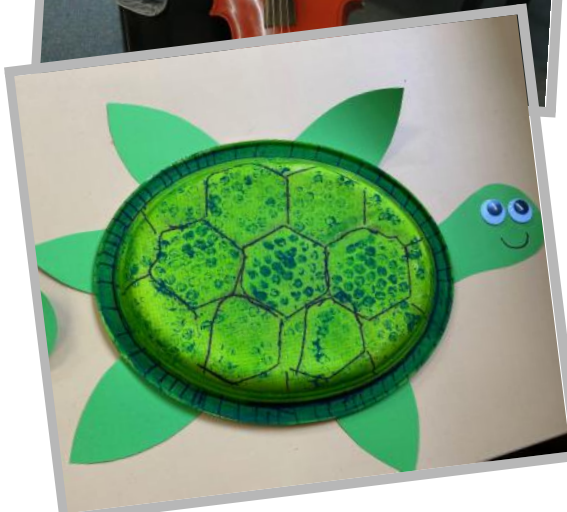
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**Boulcott**



Wednesday 22 September  
2021  
Term 3 Week 9

**Broadcast**

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



Kia ora Boulcott whānau,

Things have continued to tick along nicely here at school since returning from our 'little break'. Based on the Prime Minister's announcement on Monday, it looks likely that we will continue to remain in Level 2 through to the end of the term. Thanks once again for your support with our protocols around Level 2. Just a gentle reminder that during this time we are wanting to restrict the number of visitors that come on site. Please only do so if it is absolutely necessary. Ringing the school office and sending an email to the teacher will usually do the trick if you need to make contact with anyone at school.

Thanks also for keeping your child/ren away from school if they are unwell. We can see just how important this is when we look at the positive case that was present at school in the Waikato just last week.

This week your child/ren would have come home with a 'Learning at Home' kit that the classroom teachers have had packaged up, ready to distribute to whānau. With the snap decision to move to Level 4 last month we had no time to distribute these out to families. We have made the decision to pass these on to you now, so they can be stored at home, in case we are in the unfortunate position of having to provide distance learning again. **PLEASE KEEP THESE IN A SAFE PLACE AT HOME AND ONLY USE THEM IF WE RETURN TO LEVEL 3 OR 4.** Fingers crossed, they won't need to be utilised at all!

I am incredibly excited to announce that it looks like our redevelopment project of our Senior school looks set to commence at the beginning of Term 4. This is a significant project which will modernise Rooms 1, 2, 3 and 4, creating additional breakout spaces, make better use of the corridor and create additional decking. There will also be additions to the Kōwhai team (Middle syndicate) deck area, creating more sheltered outdoor spaces. While we have contractors onsite, we need to relocate classes so building work can be completed. Thankfully, the work will be completed in two stages. This means for the first stage, we only have to relocate Room 1, so Melissa Coton and her class will be moving to the school library for the final term of 2021. In the

New Year Rooms 3 and 4 will need to be relocated, but we will have more flexibility with spaces. This project has been in the planning phase for close to 2 years now, so it is really exciting to see the plans finally come to life! Below are a couple of images of what the redeveloped site will look like, once it is complete.

### KAHIKATEA/SENIOR SCHOOL BLOCK

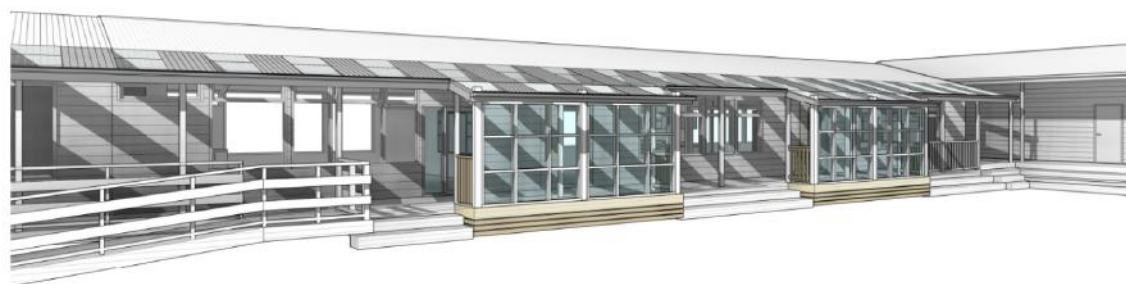


New Verandah & New Covered Outdoor Learning Area - Block A  
at A1 (Plan Scale at A1)



New Covered Outdoor Learning Area - Block A  
at A1 (Plan Scale at A1)

### KŌWHAI/ MIDDLE SCHOOL BLOCK



### VIRTUAL ASSEMBLY

With Level 2 restrictions we are unable to gather together to celebrate the learning, so we have had to go virtual again! Check out the link below to our online assembly, which shares some highlights of the learning that is happening around the school and our fortnightly CHEER award recipients. A big thanks to Cordelia and Zoe for hosting our special assembly last week too!

[Term 3 Week 8 Assembly](#)



### IMPORTANT DATES FOR TERM 3

Amidst the postponements and cancellations for the end of Term 3, we are continuing with our Book Week in Week 10! The highlight of this week is always our **Book Character Day** where we ask everyone to dress up as one of their favourite book characters. We can't wait to see all your wonderful costumes on Thursday, 30 September!

We have also managed to fill our PB4L token tube this term, which means we are ready for our next reward day! Our Student Council has organised a fun filled **Toy Day** on Tuesday, 28 September. This is an opportunity for the children to bring along a toy from home to play with for the day. Below are the guidelines for this special day:

- You can bring one toy OR a set that came together.
- Your toy cannot have a screen or need to be connected to a screen to use.
- Your toy needs to be able to fit into an A4 photocopy paper box. 25cm x 30cm x 22cm.
- Toys will be kept in the classrooms before school, during morning tea and at lunchtime.
- Make sure your toy has your name on it where possible

As we will still be in Level 2 next week, we will be unable to offer our Celebration of Learning Evening for parents. This is unfortunate, but we imagine most of you will have had quite an insight to your child's learning this term via Seesaw and Google Classroom!.

### TEACHER ONLY DAY - 15 NOVEMBER 2021

Just a reminder for you, our next planned Teacher Only Day at Boulcott School is **Monday, 15 November**, which is next term. As part of the agreement in the Education Accord between the Ministry of Education and NZEI, each school is entitled to eight Teacher Only Days between 2019 and 2022. This is to support curriculum development to manage teacher workload.

### WELCOME TO NEW STUDENTS

We welcome our new student and his family to Boulcott School. It is wonderful to have Hadley in Year 0 join us at Boulcott.

### ENROLMENTS FOR 2022

If you have a child starting at Boulcott School in 2022, you can go onto our website [www.boulcott.school.nz](http://www.boulcott.school.nz) and complete an enrolment form. This can be found by clicking on the 'Information Tab' and going to 'enrolling at Boulcott School'. You will find our enrolment form, administration form and a ballot form if you live out of our school zone. Our ballot for out of zone students takes place on Friday, 29 October for students starting in Term 1 & 2 of 2022.

### SCHOOL PHOTOS

Last week, information and a google form were sent out to order school photos. School photos are being taken from Monday, 18 October through to Thursday, 21 October. Sibling photos are taken at the same time as your eldest child's photos. Orders close on **Friday, 1 October at 1pm**. Please click on the link <https://forms.gle/JvSpuu19FBHW8myD9> if you still need to order photos. Any questions please email [info@sueallmanpeople.co.nz](mailto:info@sueallmanpeople.co.nz). Please note that payment is made to Sue Allman People Ltd and not to our school account. Payments must be received before your child's photo will be taken.



## LIBRARY STOCKTAKE

Our library is currently doing its annual stocktake. If you still have library books at home please ask your child to return them to the library slot. Once our stocktake is completed any students with overdue library books will be invoiced.

## ONESIE DAY THANK YOU

The Wellington community has raised \$271,081 for a brand new Onesie Day ambulance! Boulcott School raised an incredible total of \$1437.00! If you wore a Onesie, shared Onesie Day through social media or simply donated we want to say a big THANK YOU, because of you a brand new ambulance will be hitting our roads in the new year!



# CHEER AWARDS

Congratulations to the following students who have been our CHEER recipients from our last assembly on 20 August, which was unable to go ahead due to lockdown. 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, 20 August: Teacher		Student
Room 6	Jasper	Leven
Room 7	Malakai	Micah
Room 8	Ahren	Petra
Room 9	Joanna Tia	
Room 10	Amelia	Malin
Room 11	Arthur C	Quin
Room 12	Jessica	Melody
Room 13	Marley	
Room 14	Sofia	Kailani
Room 15	Mikayla	Zara
Room 16	Elyse	Georgia
Room 1	Lucas	Isla
Room 3	Lucy	Anna
Room 4	Kristen	Bach
Room 5	Jasper	Jyotika



Important Dates	
Date	Event
Fri, 24 Sept	InterZone swimming - <b>CANCELLED</b>
Tues 28 Sept	Toy Day
Wed 29 Sept	Pizza Lunch Celebration of Learning Evening - <b>CANCELLED</b>
Thu 30 Sept	Book Character Dress Up Day
Fri 1 Oct	Last day of Term 3

## COMMUNITY NOTICES

**Hutt Intermediate 2022 Enrolments** - In zone enrolments are now due for Hutt Intermediate School. An enrolment pack can be obtained from Hutt Intermediate School Office. Any queries please phone 939 8800 or email [secretary@his.school.nz](mailto:secretary@his.school.nz).

**Dodgers Softball Club Registrations 2021/2022** - Online registrations are now open at [www.sporty.co.nz/huttvalleydodgers](http://www.sporty.co.nz/huttvalleydodgers) for the upcoming softball season. Senior competition commences on 9 October and Junior competition commences at the end of October. Club day is Saturday, 13 November at Fraser Park.

**Spotlight Performing Arts** - Does your child like to sing, dance, act and perform? Performing arts classes led by a London West End performer! After school and weekend classes in Aotea, Johnsonville, Karori and Lower Hutt. To book a place go to [www.spotlightperformingarts.co.nz](http://www.spotlightperformingarts.co.nz)

**Junior Learn to Sail** - Heretaunga Boating Club Petone. Courses starting on Tuesday, 5 October at Huia Pool from 7-8pm. Friday 8 and Saturday 9 October from 9am-3pm at 138 The Esplanade, Petone. For course details go to [www.sailhbc.org.nz](http://www.sailhbc.org.nz) or contact [instruction@sailhbc.org.nz](mailto:instruction@sailhbc.org.nz).

**Junior Cricket Season** - Cricket's back and Junior Club registrations are open for the 2021 – 2022 season! Local cricket clubs offer a range of opportunities to play cricket this summer for participants aged 4 to 12. The Superstar Cricket Programme is available for participants aged 4 to 7, with Junior Club Cricket available from Year 2 to 8 in dual-pitch, softball, and hardball formats. You can find your local club by clicking on the link [here](#) or reach out to Cricket Wellington on [community@cricketwellington.co.nz](mailto:community@cricketwellington.co.nz) We look forward to seeing you on the park this year! Club registrations are open from 1 September until 30 September 2021.

**Kelly Mini Sports** - Get your little sports star off to a great start with Kelly Mini Sports. Our three entertaining programmes are specially designed to teach your toddler or preschooler essential skills and a lifelong love of sports. They're also a great place for parents to socialise. Our programmes encourage your under 5s to love being active. Our trained coaches use a dynamic combination of fun and music to teach skills that are essential for physical and social development. Your kids will enjoy themselves so much they won't even realise they're learning. The sports we cover are Rugby, Cricket, Tennis, Soccer and Basketball.

### When and Where:

Wednesdays at Korauui Stokes Valley Community Hub

Thursdays at Hutt Indoor Sports, Moera, Lower Hutt

If you would like to find out more, head over to our website [www.kellyminisports.co.nz](http://www.kellyminisports.co.nz)

**Avalon Tennis Club Open Day** - Sunday, 26 September, 107a Taita Drive, Lower Hutt. Join us on Sunday from 1-4pm to register and play. For more information email [avalontennisclub2@gmail.com](mailto:avalontennisclub2@gmail.com) or [www.clubspark.kiwi/avalontennisclub](http://www.clubspark.kiwi/avalontennisclub).

## Holiday Programmes

**3D Printing & CAD Software Holiday Programme** - Whitby Collegiate will be hosting a 3 day introduction to 3D printing and CAD software holiday programme in October. Our IT experts will teach students how to design a 3D model using the modelling computer programme SketchUp and view, interact and evaluate their designs using Virtual Reality devices. Students will keep their printed 3D designs. No previous experience is necessary. Students must bring their own chromebooks/laptops. Limited spaces available.

Dates: Monday 4 - Wednesday 6 October 2021

Time: 9:00am - 3:00pm

Cost: \$270

Ages: 10+

Optional extra - \$10 per day for Domino's pizza or fish & chips lunch and drinks. Register at:

<https://form.jotform.com/whitbyenrol/3d-printing-cad-software>

**Minecraft Holiday Programme** - Whitby Collegiate will be hosting a 3 day Minecraft holiday programme in October. Our IT experts & Minecraft administrators will teach students how to build their own servers, download and utilise mods using Forge servers. Students will be put into teams to compete against each other in Minecraft challenges. Tutors will be on hand for tips, tricks and help along the way. All skill levels are welcome. Students must bring their own device, charger & mouse - Windows 10 with Minecraft owned, installed and tested on their own account. Limited spaces available.

Dates: Monday 11 - Wednesday 13 October 2021

Time: 9:00am - 3:00pm

Cost: \$220

Ages: 10+

Compulsory supervised breaks will be held in the school gym - volleyball, basketball, badminton skills or football on the field.

Optional extra - \$10 per day for Domino's pizza or fish & chips lunch and drinks. Register at:

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**Hutt Repertory Theatre** - Production of 'BadJelly the Witch'. Monday, 4 October to Saturday, 9 October. Show times 11am and 2pm, 108 Oxford Terrace. General admission \$10. Tickets available from Epuni Pharmacy, 104 Oxford Terrace or go to [www.huttrep.co.nz](http://www.huttrep.co.nz), txt 021 137 7519 or phone 939 7529.

**Kids Yoga Camp** - San Antonio School, Eastbourne. Ages 4-7, Wednesday 6 & 13 October, Ages 8-12, Thursday 7 & 14 October. \$55 per session. For more information go to [www.kutumba.yoga.co.nz](http://www.kutumba.yoga.co.nz) or email [kutumbayoganz@gmail.com](mailto:kutumbayoganz@gmail.com).

**CodeCamp** - CodeCamp allows kids from the ages of 7-12 to develop 21st century skills in a fun and action packed environment. Develop confidence & initiative through design, creativity, solving problems, presenting & collaboration. Creating games, websites and apps as well as robotics. 4th - 8th & 12th - 15th October. Book Now at <https://codecamp.co.nz>

**Circus School Holiday Programme** - The Circus Hub in Wellington offers circus classes that are fun, exciting and challenging. Skills taught include aerial silks, trapeze, acrobatics, juggling and more! A great activity to develop coordination, perseverance, creativity and confidence. For ages 5-15 years. We also run classes for all ages preschool to adults. Bookings essential, book online today at [www.circus.org.nz](http://www.circus.org.nz)

**Kelly Sports Holiday Programme** - This Sports based holiday programme will give your children the opportunity to try different sports, learn new skills, build their self-confidence, friendships and most importantly have a huge amount of fun through play. These holidays we will be covering Soccer, Ripa Rugby, Hockey, Netball, Cricket and much more. Trip Days on Wednesdays - Laserforce and Arcade Games and Movies and Maidstone Max Park. To enrol, go to our website [www.kellysports.co.nz/lower-hutt](http://www.kellysports.co.nz/lower-hutt)

**ToyMaker Kids Workshops** - TOYMAKER kids workshops are back these school holidays! Experience hands-on work with real tools, make amazing wooden toys, learn important skills, and collaborate with other children! All classes are limited to 6 children only - book early: [www.toymaker.co.nz/book-online](http://www.toymaker.co.nz/book-online)

**Staglands Wildlife Reserve & Cafe** - Staglands Wild Trail challenge is back. Kids can take on The Challenge these October school holidays and get a free kids meal from the Staglands cafe. Go to [www.staglands.co.nz](http://www.staglands.co.nz) to download the challenge sheet, print it and take it to Staglands. Once completed they can claim their free kids meal.

## SKIDS HOLIDAY PROGRAMME



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Support Office: 0800 274 172

**Full Day** 7.00am to 6.00pm **\$ 55**

**Short Day** 8.30am to 3.00pm **\$ 42**

<p style="color: #0056b3; font-weight: bold;">Mon 4<sup>th</sup> October</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">World Animal Day</p> <p>Celebrate world animal day with DIY animal sanctuaries! Play animal themed games, make crafts and tasty animal inspired snacks from fruits and crackers!</p> 	<p style="color: #0056b3; font-weight: bold;">Tue 5<sup>th</sup> October</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">Pirates &amp; Mermaids</p> <p>Make seashells and starfish with <b>Air Dried Clay</b>. Treasure hunt for fizzing rocks &amp; pearls before making mermaid tails and pirate ships. Careful, we might make you scrub the deck!</p> 	<p style="color: #0056b3; font-weight: bold;">Wed 6<sup>th</sup> October</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">Wacky Wednesday</p> <p>Start the day with wacky hair styles, wacky sacks and wacky painting. We'll play infinity and bump tag and make dancing gummy worms to end the wacky day!</p> 	<p style="color: #0056b3; font-weight: bold;">Thu 7<sup>th</sup> October</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">Busy Bees</p> <p>Build a beehive, make honey slime, be busy bees playing games together and learn how pollination works with a bee we make with pom poms and pipe cleaners.</p> 	<p style="color: #0056b3; font-weight: bold;">Fri 8<sup>th</sup> October</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">Arty Party</p> <p>We make art in reverse, try paint styles like cubism, pop art and pointillism, then we use anything but brushes to paint and we make our own stamps!</p> 
<p style="color: #0056b3; font-weight: bold;">Mon 11<sup>th</sup> October</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">Messy Monday</p> <p>Let's kick off Monday with a mess! we'll make erupting foam dough, oobleck, marble art, paint and bubble bombs and silly putty. You might want to wear an old shirt today!</p> 	<p style="color: #0056b3; font-weight: bold;">Tue 12<sup>th</sup> October</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">sKids Records</p> <p>What skids records can you break? Compete in a Rock, Paper, Scissors Tournaments, and other record-breaking challenges all before we celebrate with an Awards Ceremony!</p> 	<p style="color: #0056b3; font-weight: bold;">Wed 13<sup>th</sup> October</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">Hello, Spring!</p> <p>We welcome you to make spring bugs, seed bombs, we'll try some fun experiments with water and soil, play a fruit salad game, and make spring snacks!</p> 	<p style="color: #0056b3; font-weight: bold;">Thu 14<sup>th</sup> October</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">Abracadabra</p> <p>Create drawings that will come to life with colour, make yummy wands, try science experiments that will look like magic and learn some extraordinary magic tricks!</p> 	<p style="color: #0056b3; font-weight: bold;">Fri 15<sup>th</sup> October</p> <p style="text-align: center; font-weight: bold;">Pizza Party</p> <p>Try a pizza yeast experiment, make a mini pizza box and test our teamwork with games and group crafts. It's not a pizza party unless we make pizza, so get your chef hat!</p> 

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