BELL BLOCK SCHOOL NEWSLETTER #39 Friday 25 November 2022

Focus Value: Respect - Whakaute



School Goal:

To respect the opinions and differences of others

Our Junior and Middle Team Athletics Day was the highlight of another busy week here at Bell Block School. It was great to see so many of our families out supporting the students. The results for the Middle Team are at the end of this newsletter.

The new date for the Senior and Intermediate Athletics Day is **Friday 2 December**. Our end of year swimming programmes begin next week and will be running until the end of the year.

Today we also celebrated another group of fantastic students at the Celebration Assembly. Well done to all the students who received awards and are finishing the year with their best efforts.

Rykah Northcott, Heidi Marx, Cian Marsh, Jackson Payne, Thomas Suter, Charlotte Green, Max Singh, Lewis Wipiiti-Boylan, Alisha Wong, Tyler Roderick, Serena Wong, Indie Rook, Gwenith Genji, Chloe Gacuma, Gemma Maltby, Memphis Rewi-Wetini, Rosabella Green, Chester Mattson, Mela McGovern, Musahib Haroon, Destiney Yang, Keeley Rowe, Sara Talab, Cindy Liu, Ziggy Harris, Chloe Bishop, Hunter Gordon, Maeve Luke, Milla Walden, Leo Padrutt, Ramaya Ram, Kane Christiansen

Final Prizegiving

Our Final Prizegiving is only a couple of weeks away and we would like to extend an invitation to all our families to join us in acknowledging our amazing students. The prizegiving is also a special occasion for our Year 8 students as it includes the traditional light a candle ceremony and graduation awards acknowledging their contributions and achievements as they finish their time at Bell Block School and begin their next step as high school students. The Final Prizegiving is held in the hall and begins at 7:00pm so please join us for the last school event of 2022 if you are able.

	Looking Ahead								
	Monday 28 November	Tuesday 29 November	Wednesday 30 November	Thursday 1 December	Friday 2 December				
Week 7	 8:00 Breakfast Club Swimming starts Year 6 Taster Afternoon 	 11.00 Community Helpers' Morning Tea Junior Trip to TATATM - Rms 3, 4 & 5 	 8:00 Breakfast Club Social Worker in School Junior Trip to TATATM Rms 2 & 6 	Intermediate Technology6.00 Technology Showcase	8:00 Breakfast ClubSinging AssemblyPizza forms due back				
	Monday 5 December	Tuesday 6 December	Wednesday 7 December	Thursday 8 December	Friday 9 December				
Week 8	• 8:00 Breakfast Club		 8:00 Breakfast Club Pizza Day Reports available on school app 	 Intermediate Technology Lost Property on display 5.00 Board Meeting 	8:00 Breakfast ClubMeet the Class 2023				

Our current school attendance rate for this week is 86%

Technology Showcase

We are proud to be sharing the learning of the Intermediate students at the Intermediate Technology Showcase on *Thursday 1 December at 6.00pm*. The Showcase will be held in the technology classrooms and school hall and will conclude at 7:30pm. Whānau are invited to first walk through the technology classrooms to see examples of the students' work, followed by performances and a presentation in the hall. The schedule of events is as follows:

<u>6.00pm - 6:45pm Technology walk through</u>

Manufacturing ROOM 18
Digital Technology ROOM 19

The Arts Display BREAKOUT ROOM

The Arts ROOM 20 Hospitality TECH ROOM

Music Music ROOM (ROOM 15)



<u>6:45pm - 7:30pm Showcase performances in the hall</u>

Music

Arts

Dance & Drama

Awards presentation

We hope to see you there to support the Intermediate students and to experience what the Intermediate Team has to offer to Year 7 and 8 students.

Swimming

Class swimming lessons begin on **Monday 28 November**. Please see the swimming timetable below and make a note of which days your child requires their togs and towel. Parent volunteers to take small groups of students are always welcome. If you are interested in volunteering to help your child's class, please make contact with your child's teacher.

Bell Block School Swimming Timetable - Term 4 2022								
	Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday		
Inside Pool	1:40- 2:20	Rooms 18/19/20	Rooms 17/18/19	Rooms 7/8	Rooms 11/14/13	Rooms 17/20		
	2:20- 3:00	Rooms 11/12/13	Rooms 9/10	Rooms 9/10	Rooms 7/8	Rooms 12/14		
Outside	1:40- 2:20	Rooms 5/6	Rooms 3/4	Room 2	Room 2			
Pool (Juniors)	2:20- 3:00			Rooms 5/6	Rooms 3/4			

PTA News

Thank you to everyone who ordered Juicies. Together we raised just over \$1200 to go towards a digital notice board for the school.

Remember GALA 2023 - Friday 24 March

Athletics Results

Year 3 Girls High Jump Long Jump Shot Put 100m Sprint	1 st Danica Geraghty Danica Geraghty Nya Waruhia Armani Wipiiti-Boylan	2nd Lucy Upton-Fleming Lucy Upton-Fleming Lucy Upton-Fleming & Eve Goldfinch Eve Goldfinch	Arleen Kumar Emily Cooper Keeley Rowe Emily Cooper & Lucy Upton-Fleming
Year 3 Boys High Jump Long Jump Shot Put 100m Sprint	Kenneth Moratuwage Ziggy Harris Jamie Turama Jamie Turama	Jamie Turama Jamie Turama Maeson Ruwhiu Zaiden Bishop	Ziggy Harris Zaiden Bishop Zaiden Bishop Kenneth Moratuwage & Maeson Ruwhiu
Year 4 Girls High Jump Long Jump Shot Put 100m Sprint	Miila Laurence Emma Davis Samantha Ainsworth Nya McLeod	Emma Davis Sophie Stretton Nya McLeod & Olivia Davis Olivia Davis	Olivia Davis Elsa Ryan Liya Lijin Isla Green
Year 4 Boys High Jump Long Jump Shot Put 100m Sprint	Lewis Wipiiti-Boylan Lewis Wipiiti-Boylan Andre Paris Lewis Wiiiti-Boylan	Felix Evans Jack Goldfinch Likith Vadapalli Jack Goldfinch	Jack Goldfinch Reeve Coster Jaxon Hardgrave Likith Vadapalli

Conrad Hailes Principal