

Te Kura o Tiori - Burnham School

'Standing Tall, Aiming High'

Quality education in a fun, safe and friendly environment, promoting opportunities and challenges for children while preparing them for the future.



Friday 1st of June 2018

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Kia ora koutou te whānau o Burnham,

We have had a very busy two weeks. The Cross Country was a great event, with children doing their best and almost all learners participating. It was pleasing to see our older students leading our younger children around their course and

encouraging them as they went. The younger students enjoyed the opportunity to run through the bike track.

Yesterday we had a small team of athletes head off to compete in the Selwyn Zone Cross Country event at Halswel Quarry. All competitors competed with 'Confidence'. Congratulations to Monica who came 3rd and Richie who came 4th in their respective events. These learners will now compete in the Selwyn Team at the Canterbury Cross Country Event. Congratulations!

Early this week our bilingual classes had the opportunity to visit a full immersion school. The children spent the morning being immersed in te reo and had the chance to hear children speaking fluently in te reo, not only informally in the playground but also giving speeches during the powhiri. The powhiri was to welcome PJ and Ti Amo. We wish them all the best and that they enjoy their time at their new school.

On Wednesday, all our Year 8 learners had the opportunity to attend the National Young Leaders Day. During the day they heard a number of motivational speakers to both inspire and encourage them to become great leaders.

On Tuesday evening Monica and Max represented Burnham School at the Rotary Primary School Quiz Night! This was a fun evening with lots of tricky questions! Well done to Max and Monica for taking part. I can see them organising a Burnham School Quiz competition!

I would like to thank the fire brigade for cleaning our gutters. This has potentially saved our school a significant amount of money as for our caretaker to do this we would have to hire a cherry picker. So thank you to the Burnham Fire Brigade.

Last week Nicole and Rylee did an awesome job organising the Senior Burnham's Got Talent. Although we did not have the same number of competitors as last year we did have considerable talent on display Congratulations to Taylor and Sarah who came first, and to the Comedy Gymnastic group of Alyssa, Monica and Devan who came second, and to Amelie who came third.

Mrs. Denise Leeds has recently resigned from the Burnham School PTA. Denise has held the role of PTA treasurer for sometime. Prior to holding this role within our school Denise was on our BOT holding the Finance Portfolio. I would like to thank Denise who has two grandchildren at Burnham School for the time and dedication she has given our school. While on the BOT I found Denise knowledge and skill invaluable. Although no longer on our BOT or PTA, I know that Denise will continue to support our school in a variety of ways.

The NZ government is currently running a survey as part of a review of the education system. This is a really great chance to share with the government and a panel of advisors what you want to see happen in education in NZ. Consider taking the time and completing this survey.

Here is the link:

<https://consultation.education.govt.nz/e.../korero-matauranga/>

Kind regards

Sandra



Welcome to the following new students:

Bosston R3
Charlotte R6

PB4L - Positive Behaviour For Learning

Our PB4L Purpose: To work together to create a culture of desirable behaviours enabling our students to strive to their full potential where their strengths and beliefs are valued in a positive environment.

Congratulations to the following students who have earned Values Wristbands:

Achievement Bands: Halle (Room 1), Nikau (1), Navah (1), Cooper (2), Talon (2)

Respect Bands: Kaila (1), Shiaan (1), Taimana (1), Amelia (2), Taylor (7)

Responsibility Bands: Kayshana (1), Eli (1), Maehe (2), Aria (2), Talon (2), Jessica (3), Naomi (7)

The two children who had their Values Tickets drawn from the box at assembly are Kate-Lyn (Room 3) and Zavs (Room 5) and they have won themselves a hot chocolate.

Marie Smith and Amy Trowbridge

Respect - Whaikoha

Confidence - Māia

Burnham Bonanza CD Launch

5th July 2018 6:30 pm
Burnham Community Hall

\$5 entry fee, children free

Light Supper and Raffles

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Rolleston College
Horoeoka Haemata

Open Night

Tuesday 5th June 2018

He ākoma i raka mai i te pūāra.
The road will not be lost.



Programme

8pm - Principal's Address (in the theatre)
6.30-8pm Tours of the school

We look forward to sharing our school with you

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Coming up:

Term 2

JUNE

Week 7

Mon 11th

Zone Gymnastics Artistic Competition
Celebration Assembly - Rūma Pukeko & Tui
2.15pm till 3pm

Wed 13th

Gymnastics Artistic Recreation
Yr 7 & 8 Technology at Lincoln
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Thurs 14th

Whole school Whanau Hui 6pm-7.45pm
Subway lunch order

Fri 15th

Selwyn Weekly Sport Yr5/6

Week 8

Wed 20th

Yr 7 & 8 Technology at Lincoln

Thurs 21st

BOT Meeting 7pm Staffroom

Fri 22nd

Selwyn Weekly Sport Yr5/6

Week 9

Mon 25th

Celebration Assembly - Rūma Kākāpō &

Korimako

2.15pm till 3pm

Wed 27th

Selwyn Central Soccer/Hockey Zone
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Term Dates

2018

Term 2 - 30th April - 6th July

Term 3 - 23rd July - 28th September

Term 4 - 15th October - 17th

December

Responsibility - Takohanga