



BUCKLANDS BEACH PRIMARY SCHOOL



Dear Parents

Final Update for 2015

School Organisation 2016

Class lists will be published at reception and in classrooms 10.00 a.m. Friday 29 January. Tomorrow children meet new teaching teams (except for new teachers) so that they know where to go and what to bring on the first day.

Dorothy Bigwood
Carole Crompton

Principal
Deputy Principal

Junior Team

Louise Johnson Room 7
Lisa Ray Room 8
Amber Davidson Room 9
Kelly Cowan Room 11
Hayley Sanileva Room 12

Junior Team Leader

Middle Team

Cindy Williams Room 5
Debbie Rist Room 13
Hannah Saul Room 14
Jacinta Howie Room 15
Nick Chamberlain Room 16
Laura Ahern Room 17

Middle Team Leader

Senior Team

Kerri Riach Room 1
Faye Chilvers Room 2
Robyn Wilshire Room 3
Jillian Redpath Room 4
Lynn Corderoy Room 18
Rachel Griffin Room 19

Senior Team Leader

Support Teachers

Diana Spencer ELL
Rebecca Trotter Sports Specialist
Ros Gray Reading Recovery

Learning Assistant

Donna Gormley

Support Staff

Julie Bayer - Office Manager
Taryn Taylor - Office Assistant/Resources



Angela O'Shaughnessy - Office Assistant/Student Support
John Rist - Property Manager
Caroline Fausett - Librarian

John Hazel is leaving us to work closer to home. He is thanked for his work at BBPS and we wish him well. We are pleased to inform you that Laura Ahern has deferred her return to the States and will be with us in 2016.

New Sports Uniform

A sports committee comprising board members, staff and parents have been working for some time on the design of a new sports uniform, to be available for 2016. The school needs to replace depleted stocks of worn out, out dated sports uniforms and it can no longer sustain issuing these to representative teams, so an alternative is necessary. It has been decided to replace the whanau tops with a sports uniform which will look smart at both school and out of school events. Whanau representation will be shown by a coloured wristband.

The new design, chosen in consultation with students, is the same for all children and will enable you to pass it on through your family or sell second hand. We have selected the same shorts BBI use so they will be able to be carried on through. The fabric and design we have chosen is both practical and durable, and supports N.Z. industry.

Years 1-6 are encouraged to purchase the new uniform, although junior students who have recently purchased a Whanau shirt may prefer to wear these in Years 1 & 2.

The intention is for older children who represent BBPS at inter school fixtures to wear the new uniform and so Years 3-6 are particularly encouraged to buy the new uniform.

New uniforms are expected to be available from John Russell in Howick in mid March 2016.

They include: sports shirt \$49, sports short \$20 & a choice of cap, wide brim or bucket hat for \$15.50.

School lunches 2016

Ezylunch (an online lunch ordering system), replacing our current providers, will be introduced into BBPS from Week 2 next year. More information will be sent home when we return in February.

New School Website

A new school website will go live shortly. If you notice errors/omissions, please let me know so these can be fixed early 2016.

Again, best wishes for the end of 2015, a happy holiday and lots of quality family time. Thanks for all your support this year.

Kind regards

Dorothy Bigwood
Principal

