



# Karaka School

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Reminders & Updates Flyer  
No. 35  
8th November 2017

**Week 4** Term Four 2017

**CELEBRATING LEARNING & ACHIEVEMENT**

## **Badjelly the Witch**

Tickets to ALL shows have **sold out!**

Please ensure that you have read the important information regarding the performances that was emailed to you on Monday and the updated information sent today. Parking is no longer possible on the bottom flat due to weather. Please take care when parking on and crossing the road. Shows will start at the advertised time so please ensure that you are seated in plenty of time. Thank you for your support and we hope that you enjoy the show!

## **New Build Delivery**

We have been notified that our new building will be arriving onsite on Tuesday, November 14th and the 2nd section on Wednesday, November 15th. Thursday morning will be set aside as a save day. This will happen in the early hours of the morning, however there may be some disruption to car parking on the delivery days and we ask for your patience with this. A **HUGE** thank you to all those who helped prepare the site for delivery by removing the trees necessary to allow the truck through (and for trimming the trees to allow more light onto the solar panels to heat the pool!). You are all champions!

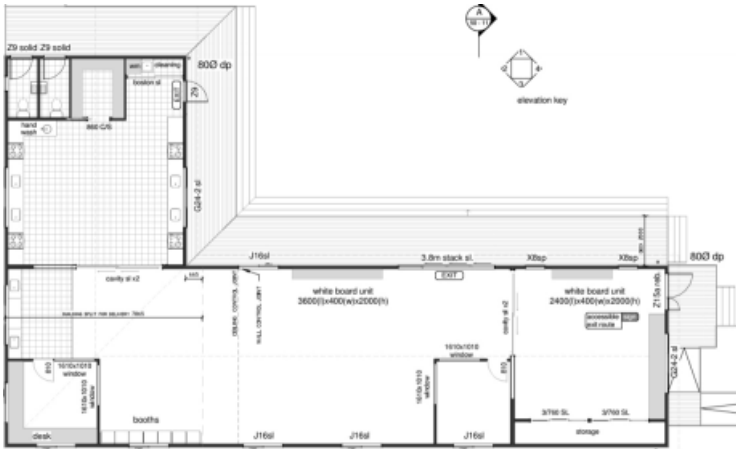
Safety fencing will be erected prior to the delivery and for safety reasons, the top flat will be out of bounds to adults and children while onsite works continue through to the end of the year. The junior playground will remain open. From time to time there may be some disruptions to carparking, however we have negotiated delivery hours outside peak times so hope to keep these to a minimum. Thank you for your understanding.

Below is a floor plan of our new building.

Please remember if you have any questions or concerns about your child, please see the classroom teacher, Team Leader, DP or myself rather than approaching other children or their parents directly.

**Nga mihi nui, Sarah Hynds**

**Principal@karaka.school.nz**



### 2016 Prize giving Trophies

Please return to the office as soon as possible so we can get them ready for this years prize giving. Thanks.

### After School Pick up

We have noticed that a number of children are regularly being picked up late from school. The office closes at 3.00pm and teachers are in meetings after school, so we would be grateful if you could pick children up on time.

### Lost Property

We have a number of jumpers, shoes, drink bottles, lunchboxes etc in our lost property box. These will be on display on Friday. Please come in and have a look for that long lost item!

### Library Books and Junior Readers

We will be completing our annual stocktakes shortly. Please return all Library books by **Friday 17th November**. Books that are overdue will be charged to the individual at the replacement rate. Also please check at home for any junior readers or journals ready for that stocktake.

## **E.C.C.S. Athletics Results**

### **Discus**

- 1st Dhroux LS (Year 7 Girls)
- 1st Shane PR 9.13m (Year 8 Boys)

### **Shot Put**

- 1st Shane PR 9.13m (Year 8 Boys)
- 2nd Mele T 7.14m (Year 6 Girls)
- 3rd Dhroux LS 7.96m (Year 7 Girls)

### **Long Jump**

- 3rd Kyra M (Year 6 Girls)

### **100m**

- 2nd Hayden D 14.75s (Year 6 Boys)
- 2nd Aditya S 13.88s (Year 8 Boys)

### **200m**

- 2nd Hayden D 31.66s (Year 6 Boys)

### **400m**

- 1st Hayden D 1.13.80m (Year 6 Boys)
- 3rd Kyra M 1.22.06m (Year 6 Girls)

### **800m**

- 2nd Zane W 2.53.66m (Year 7 Boys)

### **1500m**

- 1st Cameron M 5.49m (Year 6 Boys)
- 2nd Lauren S 6.19m (Year 8 Girls)


Congratulations to the 35 students that represented Karaka School at the E.C.C.S. Athletics day held at Massey Park. Everyone showed a lot of determination, pride and the Karaka School values.

All the best to Dhroux, Zane, Shane, Aditya and Lauren who will be going onto the Counties Athletics day to represent E.C.C.S. on Friday 17th of November.



# PTA News



- ◆ Thank you to all families for your support on the samosa order. We raised approx \$1400. We will be selling these again next year, keep a look out.
  - ◆ Do you have some spare time this Friday to help the PTA paint the pool area? If yes, please bring your own brushes, rollers and paint gear to help after school drop off. Any time you can give is appreciated. Thank you
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# Reminder Dates

- 8th November** Intermediate Production (Matinee 1pm, Evening 7pm)
- 8th November** PTA Samosa collection from 2.30pm from the staff room
- 9th November** Intermediate Production 7pm
- 13-17 Nov** Life Education visit
- 15th November** Junior discovery 1.20 pm
- 15th November** Kids 4 Kids choir at Vodafone Events Centre 7.30pm
- 1st December** Middle Team Big Day Out
- 1st December** Junior Team Big Day In
- 4th December** BOT meeting 5.00pm
- 6th December** PTA meeting 7.00pm
- 7th December** Year 8 Graduation dinner
- 13th December** Prize giving 6.00pm
- 15th December** Last day—School finishes at **12.00**
- 30th January** Term 1, 2018



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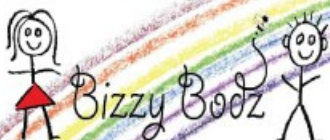
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