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BELLEVUE STUDENTS ARE ACTIVE AND CONNECTED LEARNERS, RESPECTFUL OF SELF AND OTHERS, CONFIDENT AND PREPARED FOR A LIFE OF LEARNING

12 May 2010

Dear Parents/Caregivers

It is the time of year for our students to be training for and taking part in the school cross country. This event has been planned for next week and there is a notice accompanying the newsletter setting out approximate times of races. If you are able to help with supervision on the course please volunteer on the slip provided. As always you are encouraged to attend and support your children.

Dates to Remember:

Friday 15 May	School Assembly led by Rooms 6 & 13 – Hall 2.20pm
Wednesday 19 May	BOT Meeting – 7.00pm Staffroom
Wednesday 19 May	School Cross Country
Thursday 20 May	School Cross Country postponement
Friday 28 May	Heart Jam
Friday 28 May	School Assembly led Rooms 2 & 9 – Hall 2.20pm
Tuesday 1 June	Northern Zone Cross Country
Thursday 3 June	Northern Zone Cross Country postponement
Monday 7 June	Queens Birthday
Tuesday 8 June	No school
Friday 11 June	Room 11 Fundraising for Haiti Concert
Friday 11 June	School Assembly led by Rooms 1 & 10 – Hall 2.20pm
Monday 14 June – Friday 18 June	Book Week
Tuesday 15 June	Inter-zone Cross Country
Thursday 17 June	Inter-zone Cross Country postponement
Wednesday 23 June	BOT Meeting – 7.00pm Staffroom
Friday 25 June	Singing Assembly – Hall 2.20pm
Monday 28 & Tuesday 29 June	Parent/Teacher Interviews
Friday 2 July	Last day of Term II
Tuesday 26 October	Teacher only day

Character Education – the value for this term is Obedience:

All of our students enjoy games – as soon as play is outside the rules of the game it breaks down. We expect our students to play by the rules so that everyone gets a fair go and enjoyment of the game.

Board Elections - We will have the results of the Board election in next week's newsletter and posted on the notice board outside the office on Friday. I am looking forward to working with the new Board.

Northern Zone Hockey Tournament - Congratulations to the children who attended the Northern Zone Hockey Tournament yesterday at the National Hockey Stadium. The children played well and demonstrated fair play. The team gained second place overall.

Kind Regards
 Jan Win (Principal)

Netball Draw for Saturday 15 May:

Year 6B Tigers vs Johnsonville Blueberries at 11.40am, court 5 at Newlands College

Year 6C Silverferns vs St Bens Leprechauns at 12.20pm, court 5 at Newlands College

Year 5B Dragonflies vs Ngaio Swifts at 12.20pm, court 4 at Newlands College

Year 4 Diamonds vs Churton Park Shooting Stars at 9.00am, court 2 at Newlands Intermediate

Netball Results for Saturday 8 May:

Bellevue Tigers lost 5 – 4

Players of the Day – Aaliyah Grey (3 points)
Rachel Wilson (2 points)
Decima Schmidt (1 point)

Bellevue Silverferns lost 11 - 0

Player of the Day – Jessica Garvey

Bellevue Dragonflies drew 3 - 3

Player of the Day – Emily Dawson

Bellevue Diamonds lost 10 - 6

Player of the Day – Melissa Cousins

COMMUNITY NOTICES:

New Zealand Post Children's Book Awards Finalists Perform their Stories – Diana Neild, author of 'Piggity Wiggity Jiggity – Jig Goes to Dad's Café' and Craig Smith, creator of the smash hit 'The Wonky Donkey' will be performing a free show in the Mezzanine Room at Central Library on Sunday 16 May at 1.30pm.

Take your whole family along and join in celebrating New Zealand Post Children's Book Awards.

Breathing Space Workshop - Understanding Your Anger - A Workshop for Parents held on Wednesday 26 May from 7.00pm-10.00pm. Do you ever feel like your anger is in control of you? This workshop will help you to understand your anger and develop strategies so you are in control of your anger more of the time. To register email helen@breathingspacenz.com or visit our website, www.breathingspacenz.com.

Hypnotist Show on Saturday 29 May 2010 at 7.30pm in the Newlands College Hall – This is a Fundraiser for Newlands College Year 10 Japanese students going to Japan in September 2010. This is a very entertaining show that has proven to be a very fun night out in previous years. It is a family friendly show. **The cost is \$20 for an adult and \$12 for a child.** Raffle tickets and refreshments will be available for purchase. Come along, have some fun and support our young people. To find out more or to purchase a ticket contact Camille on 977 8058 or 027 4490026. You can also go to the link www.thathyposhow.com.

Holiday Programmes for 5 – 9 July – We are taking registrations for the following programmes.

Cost of each Programme: \$125 (early bird fee - before 25 June) \$140 after that date

Timing of each Programme: Monday 5 July - Friday 9 July

Please note the times below are dependant on having the appropriate numbers in each group

Tennis: 9.00am to 12.00pm - all ages and skill levels welcome

Coach: Reilly Smith

Rugby: 10.00am to 12.00 pm (10 -12 year olds) and 1.00pm - 4.00pm for (13- 15 year olds)

Coach: Dave Meaclem

Hockey : 9.00am to 12.00pm (7-9 year olds) or 1.00pm to 4.00pm (9 year olds plus - good skill levels and want to be extended)

Coach: Blair Trarrant

Football: 9.00am to 12.00 pm (5- 8 year olds - new to football) 1.00pm to 4.00pm (10 year olds plus - good skill levels and want to be tested)

Coach: Matt Calcott

Registration forms can be downloaded at www.scotscolllege.school.nz. There will be holiday programmes in the next school holidays if you miss out on these due to numbers.