



**BOSCO**

**Beckenham Out of School Care Organisation**

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## **FEBRUARY 2009**

Welcome back to BOSCO everyone!! I Hope everyone enjoyed their Christmas break and managed to have more of a rest than I did. I can't believe January has been and gone already!

### **Thank you Funky Pumpkin!**

Once again Funky Pumpkin are sponsoring us and helping BOSCO provide a healthy snack for afternoon tea. Please help us show our appreciation by buying your fruit and vegetables at the FUNKY PUMPKIN. Thanks Funky Pumpkin for your generous weekly contribution!

### **ROLLS & STAFFING:**

The BOSCO team will have a few changes for the start of 2009. For those of you I haven't met, my name is Stephanie and I am now returning as supervisor from 10 months of maternity leave. Firstly I would like to acknowledge and say a big thank you Katharine for and the work she has put into BOSCO. I know she will be missed by the staff, children and parents.

Megan is also leaving us at the end of February. Thanks Megan for contribution you have made to BOSCO and we would like to wish you well for your studies! But there will be some familiar faces round. Yvette and Emma are staying on (Yay!).

### **BOSCO Website**

We have a website.....bosco.org.nz. If you would like to add anything to it, you can forward it to Yvette at boscoincorp@gmail.com. You can also access our monthly newsletters! Take a look.

### **FUNDRAISER: NEED SUNSCREEN??** ☀

Would you like to be safe in the sun and support BOSCO at the same time??? BOSCO are selling 50ml tubes of Cancer Society 30+ sunscreen as a fundraiser. They are \$5 for either the child or adult variety. Great for the handbag, your child's school bag, the first aid kit or glove box. You can grab a box and sell them to your neighbours, grandparents, friends and workmates.

### **HATS**

Please remember HATS!!!! We have a hat box that we encourage the children to bring a hat to keep at BOSCO. Children are required to wear a hat during the 1st and 4<sup>th</sup> term at BOSCO. If they don't have a hat they will have to be inside or under the sunshade.

**TOGS & TOWEL:** For the month of February and some of March, we will be trying to make it to the pool. The children love it and it won't be long till we are all freezing again! So don't forget to pack the togs and towel.

### **ACCOUNTS**

They are all new and improved. All parents will receive a monthly account of payments received and money owed. You will get one of these regardless of type of payment e.g whether WINZ subsidies, Automatic Payment, cheque or cash. These will be filed in the invoice box under your surname.

**ABSCENCES:** Please remember to let us know if your child will be absent from BOSCO. The BOSCO number is.....0276456632. If I do not answer please leave a message. Remember that pick-up time for BOSCO is 5.30pm. Just a little reminder... There is a late charge of \$50!

Hope 2009 is a great one for all.

**Steph, Emma, Megan and Yvette ☺**