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# Board of Trustees Newsletter

Dear Parents, Caregivers and Whanau

We have come to the end of yet another busy term at Greenpark School. I'm sure you are all looking forward to the holidays. As a board we would like to congratulate all students, staff and parents who were involved in the Seussical Jr Production – it was an absolutely amazing show. We sure do have some talented young students in our school!

This is the first BOT newsletter since our board changed back in June, so I would like to take this opportunity to introduce our new members and their roles. **Amy Dickey** has joined the team and will take on the responsibility of managing our rental spaces (Hall and Dance Studio) as well as being the board rep on the PTA. **Brett Bartram** has picked up the responsibility of overseeing Finance, and the Property / Policy portfolio has been picked up by **Kyle Jenkins**. **Ben Brock** has also joined the board as the Staff Representative. We have met twice this term for scheduled board meetings as well as a further two times, to work with the Management team around developing our school charter for 2017.

It was very exciting back in July to see the Gartshore signs and machinery appear, to begin work on our long awaited Technology Suite. I'm sure the students have enjoyed seeing the building gradually take shape. The roof of the building is now on and we are looking at a finish date of late in November for the actual build. In the months following that, the building will be kitted out, ready for use at the beginning of 2017. The Technology Suite will allow students to participate in sewing and cooking activities as well as robotics, science, technology and there will also be a TV station for the delivery of Te Reo through the intranet. The PTA has made a substantial financial contribution to the Technology Suite, which will see the purchasing of House of Science kits as well as robotics materials. The students have had an input into the colour scheme of the paint and joinery as a way of giving them a sense of ownership of this fantastic resource, which will further strengthen our Greenpark curriculum. Exciting times ahead! I'm sure we are all looking forward to the official opening of the Technology Suite early in 2017.



Our next board meeting will be held on Tuesday 25 October at 6pm in the staffroom.

Have a safe and happy holiday.

Kind Regards  
Rachelle Stratton