

PĀNUI

Newsletter for the Northern Coromandel

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Spring put on its best show for members of the Colville community and beyond who gathered at the nursery for a *Potting Party* in late September.

To see more about future events like this, *see page 6-7.*

Kia ora tatou katoa,
Lots of changes and new beginnings in the community at the moment and plenty of exciting events to enjoy as well. It was a great delight to put together this month's issue of the Panui. It is packed with spring adventures, past, present and upcoming. I myself am looking forward to premiering my original musical *The Wedding Dress* only days before the jam-packed, fun days of the Colville Festival begin! Joyful times ahead indeed!
Brooke, Pānui Editor



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Kia ora koutou e hoa ma,

We have a wonderful busy month ahead! **The Colville Festival** is of course a known and much loved highlight, now on Labour weekend. **The Family variety show** looks like it will be a particular highlight this year with the *Twisty Twins*, comedian *Banana Jolie* and our young people performing – Colville School, Colville Pre-school and a youth band. For more information, refer to *pg14*.



Photo: Colville Safekid Supporters



We have another **potting party** to look forward to this month too – on the first Saturday of the month at the *Colville Harbour Care Nursery* (*pg7*). You could combine this with going to the *Creators and Makers Festival* at the Colville Hall that Lena is organizing (*pg8*). And on Thursdays you can come to the Colville Caf to work on any creative project. Briar will be there to welcome you with coffee and cake. The amazing **crafternoons on the first Thursday of the month** continue too with Teuane hosting a bunting workshop this time on **Thursday 5 October 11am-2pm**. Our own Pānuī editor, Brooke, has her first original music play **The Wedding Dress** on this month, too! (*pg21*).



This will be a key month for the **Colville Safekids campaign**, which is aimed at empowering our community to help prevent child sexual abuse (*see pg4*). Our final youth group sessions for the year will start at the end of the month too.

In November we have an amazing opportunity for Colville youth – Caitlyn Maloney will be doing a **mural workshop** (*pg8*). For more information contact Briar Van Dort at creative@colvillejunction.co.nz or ph. 022 4029 681.

So much to look forward to!



Launch of the Colville SafeKids Campaign!



Our vibrant community has demonstrated its commitment to ensuring the safety and well-being of our children with the resounding show of support the **Colville SafeKids campaign** recently kicked off with. This campaign aims to empower all of us to protect children from sexual abuse.

One of the highlights of our campaign launch was the *Kidpower training*. This included a workshop where parents, caregivers, teachers and community members came together to discuss child protection. The energy in the room was contagious - it was heartening to see so many eager to learn and contribute. The trainer said it was the most engaged group she had ever worked with! As part of this parents are encouraged to make a protection promise to encourage children to tell them if they have any safety concerns.

This workshop complimented the special training kids received to unlock their "kid powers", which are about keeping everyone safe. This included a boundary and consent safety checklist::

Ok with everyone involved?

Safe physically and emotionally?

Allowed by the adults in charge?

Not a secret? (Secrecy is when people make it clear they don't want you to let others know what happened even to get help.)

We also had a teenage session to learn about healthy relationships including respect. Thank you to everyone for participating!



Photo: Colville SafeKids Supporters

A key part of our campaign is our supporters - these are people

who will positively represent the messages about protective behaviours we can all do to keep children safe. We recently had a photo shoot with our first group of supporters. These will be used to create vibrant posters that will soon adorn our community, promoting key messages of child safety.

Our campaign journey is just beginning, and there are exciting developments on the horizon. We invite you to stay updated with our progress and join the conversation by following us on Facebook and Instagram @Colvillejunction. We extend our heartfelt gratitude to *CAPS Hauraki* for providing us with this wonderful opportunity to work alongside them in promoting this campaign.

CAPS Hauraki approached our community when they received funding from ACC to develop a campaign because they saw our community as committed to change to address this issue that is sadly experienced across Aotearoa New Zealand. It's a testament to the power of our community spirit, and we are looking forward to see where this journey takes us. **Together we can protect children from sexual abuse!**



HEARTFELT TO OUR WONDERFUL VOLUNTEERS & THAMES ROTARY



In Colville, a remarkable community effort recently unfolded. When our beloved *Colville Tennis Club* faced weather damage, the *Thames Rotary Club*, many community volunteers and *Colville Junction* stepped in. The *Thames Rotary Club's* amazing \$4,900 material donation enabled the purchase of materials for our club house restoration.

On August 19th, a dedicated group of fifteen community members, fuelled by a shared determination, refurbished our club house during a working bee.

The Junction, our local gem, provided kai for the working bee, highlighting the spirit of unity among local volunteers.

Today, our club house stands, carefully looked after by the Tennis Club, revitalised, inspiring hope for the future. Thanks to the *Thames Rotary Club*, all the wonderful volunteers and *The Junction*, our club will continue offering quality, accessible recreational facilities, fostering healthy activities and camaraderie.

In this moment of unity and gratitude, we look ahead to a thriving Colville Tennis Club and a flourishing community, all made possible by your incredible kindness.



Potting Parties

2023



Kia ora koutou,

As I write this, it is Te Wiki o Te Reo Māori (Māori Language Week) and the whakatauki, “Poipoiā te kākano kia puāwai” (*Nurture the seed and it will blossom*), comes to mind. On Saturday 9th September, the sun shone as over 20 people joined us to pot up and transplant native seedlings at our *Colville Harbour Care Native Plant Nursery*. It was a gorgeous day full of smiles, yummy kai, sunshine and an incredible amount of community spirit! A huge thank you to all that came to nurture the future seeds for our beloved Moehau and Northern



Coromandel - we will see them blossom along our waterways and wetlands soon!

Our next potting party is **Saturday 7th October**, at *Colville Harbour Care Nursery* from 10am-2pm. These events are so hugely important for our little community nursery and are such happy times. Feel free to come for a short or a longer time; it all helps.

The amount of mahi we can get done in only a few hours makes an incredible difference and we always make sure you are well fed! He rau ringa e oti ai - Many hands make light work. We appreciate your support. Ngā mihi,

- Vanessa and Cass



Would you like to book a spot?

First Aid Course by St John
in the Colville Hall

24 Nov 23, 8:30am-5pm
Colville Public Hall

\$165 – FULL COURSE

\$140 – REFRESHER

Register with Colville Junction,
pop in, call 07 866 920
or email:

assistant@colvillejunction.co.nz

Max 20 Attendees



Budget advisory service coming to Colville!

CILT Budget Advisory Service will be coming to Colville one Tuesday a month. They will be offering free budget advice, including IRD support, advice on WINZ entitlements, (e.g. on a pension and not sure what else you may be entitled to?), or help negotiating a debt.

To make an appointment please email info@colvillejunction.co.nz, phone 07 8666 920. They provide amazing support to help people gain control over their financial lives.

The first Budget Advisory Service will be on **Tuesday 17th October, 11- 1pm, at Colville Junction.**



CILT
COROMANDEL INDEPENDENT LIVING TRUST
SUPPORTING OUR COMMUNITY



AVAILABLE for rent

3 Bedroom House for rent in Colville from 26th September.

Call Cathy on
0211368952 or
078666937 or email

cath_ward11@yahoo.co.nz
if interested.



COLVILLE HARBOUR CARE
Te Uruangahau o Nga Whaka



MOEHAU
KI TE
MOANA

MOEHAU KI TE MOANA

Potting Party #2 2023!

Join us:
Saturday 7th October 2023
10am -2pm

Where: Colville Harbour Care Nursery, Wharf Rd, Colville

What to bring: Hat, Water Bottle, Warm clothing, Boots, Raincoat

**FREE LUNCH
Tea & Coffee!**



RSVP
cass@colvillejunction.co.nz



YOUTH ART PROJECT

Upcoming Event

Mural on Colville Store

Two weekend workshops.
Help create a mural with Caitlyn Maloney and Briar VD.
Age 12 plus.

Workshops at Colville Cafe

Sat/Sun 11/12 Nov
Sat/Sun 25/26 Nov
From 10-3

Lunch Provided

Come for one day or for all four

Come and join us!









COLVILLE STORE

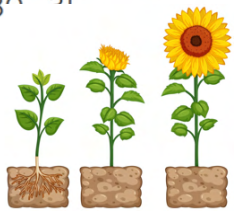


We now have PAYT tags for your new rubbish bins. Until we get a sense of how many we need to stock, we are setting a limit if 2 per customer , which will cover each household for two pick ups. They sell for \$8 each.

- *The Colville Store Team*

OCTOBER 2023

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CREATORS & MAKERS FESTIVAL



COLVILLE HALL

SUNDAY 1st OCT - OCT 8TH 2023

10AM - 4PM DAILY

all enquiries to 021 174 9113



Update from The Colville Project

It's business as usual for The Colville Project (TCP)

You will likely have heard that there are changes with GP delivery services in Colville.

The Colville Project (TCP) Trust would like to assure our communities that TCP remains committed to the vision of the Northern Coromandel Peninsula as a thriving place to live, work and play across your lifespan.

TCP would like to thank Colville Community Health Clinic for its work supporting our communities over the past 20 years.

The Colville Project continues to work with our architectural team to design a Wellbeing and Education Centre that will be fit for purpose. The Wellbeing and Education Centre will ensure adequate facilities are available, including for accommodating and supporting the ongoing delivery of primary and emergency health care services in our region.



In addition, the Colville Community Health Trust (CCHT) continues to own and maintain the equipment needed for operating and delivering primary care in our community on a daily basis, which supports strong community resilience. Colville First Response Unit continues to provide first response emergency services through St John.

TCP is aware that there is naturally some shock reverberating around our communities at this time. However, we are also aware that the Colville Community Health Trust have supported the work to secure the continuation of ongoing primary care services in Colville. We welcome Dr. Alex McLeod and Nurse Practitioner Sonia Wirihana Tawake, and look forward to working with the GP team as we finalise the design of the Wellbeing and Education Centre.

Ngā mihi, - Trustees, The Colville Project Trust



Ā Mātou Kōrero, Our Story

We would like to share our beautiful kākahu performance dress. This has been a collaborative effort to create an image that represents Colville and that our tamariki were proud to wear at the Cultural Festival recently. Jamie Watson from *Pare Hauraki*, shared the stories of our Coromandel Kaitiaki. The Tohu symbols are called Waewae Pakura Footsteps of the Pukeko. The pukeko always finds its way home. Just like many of our whānau. The Unauahi repeating curved pattern is found in whakairo carvings. For local iwi, unauahi is a representation of the repeating pattern left in the mud of receding flood waters and outgoing tides. The koru in the design represents people and the give and take of the protection of our moana. We would like to acknowledge Whaea Aleisha for her design and Pete Sephton for making the screens and his help in screen printing the designs.



Ako, to Teach and to Learn

One of the special events of September was the Garden to Table Bake Sale. It was a highly successful event raising over \$500 for our Garden to Table programme. A very big thank you to everyone who contributed baking, ferried children, visited our cafe and of course all our tamariki for running the show. The opportunity for our students to run a fundraiser provides a rich and authentic opportunity to apply their learning. Thank you Colville for your support.



- Susie Sumner, Principal

Greetings from the Greenman Bakery newly opened in Colville

As some of you may know we had a trial bake on the 26th/17th September which was a great success. As I write, I am nursing the sourdough ready for the next bake which will be available at Colville store.

At this stage, the bake will be Sunday nights unless there are enough takers for another day as well. I've been working hard to get my gluten free flour which is now on order. I will also be baking rye sourdough hopefully from next week. I am curious what other dietary needs I could fulfil. You will often find me on Colville Facebook page so best spot to give me a hello and for requests.

There will be more treats in store for you soon, for example sourdough cream doughnuts, muffins, cookies and dinner rolls.

I am also pleased to have Spike working alongside me. His croissants and pastries are getting famous so he needs no Introduction from me. His baguettes are to die for.

I'm looking forward to getting to know you and serving you lots of naughty...and healthy deliciousness.

- Cheers, Rob.



Our Council is gathering community feedback on the **likely usage of a Connector Bus service between Coromandel and Thames**. You can submit your responses online: <https://forms.office.com/r/tUMDpnMDWL>

Hard copies of the survey form are available from *Thames-Coromandel District Council* office or *Coromandel Independent Living Trust, Colville Junction*.
<https://forms.office.com/r/tUMDpnMDWL>

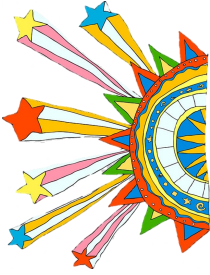
Survey closes
Wednesday
12 October



"Spring has returned
The Earth is like a child
that knows poems"

- Rainer Maria Rilke





COLVILLE FESTIVAL



PROGRAMME

Friday 20th October 23

Colville Sings The Beatles



7pm Colville Hall. \$30, 12yrs up (SOLD OUT)
Coffee/Tea/Cakes available at half time - bring
Koha. **Dress Up Beatles Style** - prizes for the
best effort from Hike & Bike and
Driving Creek Railway.



Saturday 21st October 23

Sample & Loop workshop

with Nathan McCauley
10am-12pm Colville Hall
\$25, up to 10 participants



Banana Boogie Dance workshop

with DJ BJ (Joana Simmons)
12.30-1.30pm Colville Hall
\$10 adult, under 13yrs free
Unlimited participants, all ages



Professional Face Painting workshop

with Anna Molineux - *Magical Masquerade*

1.30-4.30pm Colville Hall

5-6pm practice on festival goers

\$10 adult, \$5 13-18yrs, up to 15 participants



The Big Music Night

6pm Colville Hall

\$30, under 16yrs FREE

Food available to purchase

Low Alcohol Event, please

No boxes of beer or bottles

of spirits allowed in the hall.

Featuring....

Maurice Jones

Hans Pucket

Dr. Reknaw

Corrosive Moses

DJ Sun Ray



Sunday 22nd October 23

Divine Intuition Workshop

yoga, cacao and meditation

with Vanessa and Beth - Wild Stillness

9.30-11.30am

Colville War Memorial Hall

\$25, up to 16 participants, 12yrs up



A huge thank you to our funders:



Sunday 22nd October 23 - *continued*

Macrame workshop

with Yolanda Wills - *Yo's Knots*

12-2pm Colville Hall

\$25-\$30, up to 10 participants, 10yrs up



Acrobatic Workshop

with The Twisty Twinz

2-4pm Colville Hall

\$10 adults, kids under 13

(with an adult accompanying) are free
up to 25 participants, all ages.

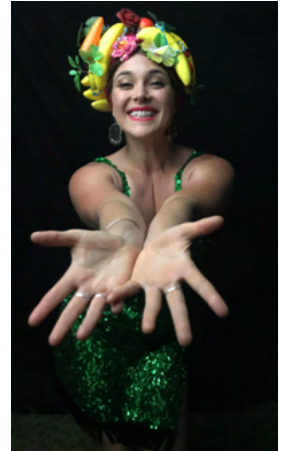


Family Variety Show

5pm Colville Hall. \$20 - under 16 free

Fried Bread Caravan will be available outside
the hall to purchase from. Also, snacks,
(for the children - mainly)

- * The Twisty Twinz - Acrobatic
- * Colville Children Performance
- * Banana Jolie - Comedy
- * Youth Band * DJ Tiny Diva



Thank you to our supporters:

COLVILLE STORE



Hereford 'n' a Pickle



COLVILLE COMMUNITY HEALTH
CENTRE

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RD4, Colville

COROMANDEL 3584

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**Continuation of medical services at
Colville Community Health Centre**

Dear Community, I am happy to reassure the local community that the Colville Community Health Centre

will remain open as a satellite office of a larger provider or providers.

I am grateful to welcome **Dr Alex McLeod** and **Nurse Practitioner Sonia Wirihana Tawake** from Coromandel Family Health Centre to our community. They will be working alongside our Colville Community Health Trust and the Colville First Response Unit with the intention of continuing an excellent local service.

Following the Health Locality Hui held at the Colville Hall recently it is apparent that health services must work more collaboratively to continue providing local services. I believe that the support from Coromandel Family Health Centre is critical for the continuation of Colville Community Health Centre services.

We encourage you to bring any concerns, questions and especially support to a community meeting which the Colville Community Health Trust intends to hold at the Colville Hall in several weeks time. This will also be an opportunity to meet Dr Alex and Nurse Sonia.

Dr Alex McLeod is from Wairarapa. Kōtarani, Ingarihi, Werehi, Ko Ngāti Kahungunu ona tīpuna (Scottish, English, Welsh and Ngāti Kahungunu are his ancestors). He is a NZ trained Rural Hospital Specialist and experienced Rural General Practitioner. He was working at Taupo Hospital prior to coming to North Coromandel a bit over a year ago. Initially he was living in Kennedy Bay but is now settling with his young family in Coromandel Town.

Sonia Wirihana is a Nurse Practitioner who has been working in Coromandel for 25 years as a rural nurse specialist and prime and afterhours provider. Her qualifications allow her the full scope of primary care including providing independent prescribing, ACC and Winz certification.

It has been an honour to be involved in your care and I look forward to the new services evolving in our community.

Best wishes,

Dr Kate Armstrong

POP-UP Colville Creative

Crafternoon Tea - Embroidery

Crafternoon Tea with Teuane

We were making embroidery this time round...we started with five local wahine and more folk kept coming along to join in! So we ended up with nine of us squeezed in, had to add another table...plus some observers and extra cake munchers! T'was such a lovely time! Best job ever. Creating together. Tips and tricks. Music + Carrot cake + bottomless coffee + tea + chats = a



fun way to spend a Thursday! First Thursday of the month - **Next Crafternoon Tea: Thursday 5th October making bunting!!**

Copper Workshop

We had a fantastic time making lots of noise with John Lawry and his team. Working with copper, fire, water and Johns' many handmade tools to create different treasures.

One observer said it was like 'Stepping back into the middle ages'.

Colville Festival

Look out for the Twisty Twins at the Colville Festival this year! They are doing a workshop on Sunday afternoon and then performing at the **Family Variety Show**. This show will be particularly special this year - the amazing comedian Banana Jolie will be part of this show too. Banana Jolie is

also doing a dance workshop on Saturday and professional face painter Anna Molineux on Saturday at 1:30pm.

16 **Many thanks to Creative New Zealand for funding.**

POP-UP
Colville Creative

Crafternoon Tea with Teuane

*Bring your sewing machine (if you have one)
and any old materials from home (sheets,
pillow cases, old clothes, doilies etc...), and
we will give them a new life while enjoying
cake and a cuppa.*

UPCYCLED
BUNTING
WORKSHOP



Thursday 5th October, FREE

Colville cafe, 10am-2pm, Limited to 10 people

Text Teuane to book 021 08 09 6085



Report from Committee of Management (COM) Colville Co-op Society

We held the AGM on 12th September in the cafe. 15 members were present (2 remotely) and 10 apologies.

A new COM was elected: Joanna Pearsall, Chair, Anne Mountjoy, Treasurer, Elizabeth Mitchell, Secretary, Briar Van Dort, Pop up art project, Steve Carson, Maintenance, Stephanie McKee, Membership Secretary and Cecelia Ormsby.

Colville Store Ltd directors were elected: Jan Autumn, Tony Wasley. Still room for a third. Election of **The Shareholder Authority**, Jan Autumn was re-elected.

As many of you know, it has been a difficult year for the Colville Store and the Cafe, but with the co-operation of the staff and local people's support we managed to get through the year without going broke!

There have been some great things achieved too. Heat pumps have been installed in both the Colville Store and the Colville Cafe, which means the staff can take off their overcoats while at work. There are plans to put another one in the back store room too. Before next winter we plan to have a wood-burner in the cafe.



The fitting out of The Bakery is almost complete, so both Rob and Spike have started baking (much to everyone's joy). Not quite in full production, but getting there.

The Colville Cafe is now officially open for bookings for meetings, fundraisers etc. **Each week on Thursday** is the *Creative Pop-Up* with Briar van Dort (and Craft-ernoons on the first Thursday of the Month). This is thanks to funding secured through **Colville Junction** for this year long creative initiative. The *Creative Pop-up* hosted a wonderful copper workshop on the w/e 16/17th September with John Lawry; and in November they will host a youth workshop making a mural for the front of the Colville Store, with the very talented Caitlin Maloney and Briar van Dort.

There is still work to be done to make the cafe kitchen more user-friendly and we need to restock with plates, bowls, cutlery etc., so anyone who wants to rent the kitchen space (not quite ready yet) will have what is required.

To book the cafe for your meeting or event go to **Spacetoco.com**. Please book this way. It has a calendar. It is being overseen by Anne and Spike at the moment. Check it out and give us feedback! Discount code: COMMUNITY (=50% off) for community events (not private events).



Within a month we hope to have a garden full of greens to be sold in the Colville Store. Come and have a look and contribute if you can. We'll need seedlings!



By next month's issue we will have had the Colville Festival and hopefully it will be warmer and drier (but not drought!)

To finish let's give a **Shout Out** to the Staff of the Colville Store. Thanks so much—you are heroes!

Also to Spike and Rob and some others who have worked hard to create the bakery, including Katrina and Doug Robertson who donated the lino and the wood-stove to the cafe.



Welcome home Emily MacLeod and Elizabeth Mitchell.

We would like to extend our heartfelt appreciation to Brenda Carson, a true champion of our community. Brenda has been an unwavering supporter of our COOP finance with her regular monthly donations that seem to have been a part of our organization forever. Her kindness and generosity have not gone unnoticed and are immensely valued by all of us. Brenda's commitment to our cause has made a significant impact, and we are grateful for her ongoing support. Her dedication sets a shining example for all of us, reminding us of the power of community and the positive change that can be achieved through collective efforts. Thank you, Brenda, for being a beacon of generosity and compassion in our community.



-The CO-OP

Recipe for preserving children

- 1 large grassy field**
- 3 small dogs**
- Hot sun**
- Narrow strip of brook with pebbles**
- 6 children**
- Flowers**
- Deep blue sky**

1. Mix the children with the dogs in empty field, stirring continuously.
2. Sprinkle the field with flowers, pour brook gently over pebbles.

3. Cover all with a deep blue sky and bake in the hot sun.
4. When children are well browned, they may be removed. Will be found right for setting away to cool in bathtub.





Kia ora!

It's with great delight and pride to announce that *Predator Free NZ* has come on board the new ***Pāteke Hot Spot Project!*** This means we can start a new backyard trapping project to catch those stoats hanging around at the bottom of Coromandel town and at Hauraki Road. Thank you so much to *Predator Free NZ Trust*, Coromandel Area School and everyone involved with this project so far!

On a different note, a new project is being created to collaborate with different people and groups on the peninsula. In Aotearoa, kororā have been, to a large extent, understudied when compared to the comprehensive research that has been attained in Australia. Kororā can only dive 20m deep, so as the water temperature warms, their food supply may go into deeper cooler water. In much of their range, populations appear to have declined, but evidence is anecdotal or based on sporadic surveys conducted by individuals, providing insufficient data to implement conservation management actions. A comprehensive, investigative

approach is essential to understand factors driving declines and identify and enact the management actions required to reverse declines of kororā. Come on board and get in touch with us to support this mahi.

MEG would also like to welcome the new trappers starting on the RAK, TOP/TSB and WES/HOV traplines and congratulations to Ezra, the newest field team member who has completed his chainsaw training! The recent small mammal index completed in the MEGa Pest Attack has shown a great result of 0% rats tracking inside the project, while the tunnels outside of the project are showing 33%. Of course, just because the tunnels read zero rat prints does not mean there will be zero rats within the area, but we might be getting close. - Genevieve Morley



Paul and children from the Coromandel Area School build a rat trap at Knox Cottage in Waikawau Bay. Their traps have now been placed around the oxidation ponds at Hauraki Road.

Coromandel Players present

Artwork by
Donna Scatchard
to the theme of the play
will be on display



A locally-written mystery/comedy/musical
enjoyable for the whole family
- written, composed and directed by Brooke Dennehy Lakin

Sunday 15th, Monday 16th, Tuesday 17th
Wednesday 18th October
at Hauraki House Theatre
7pm, doors open 6.30pm

Tickets \$20, available from
Coromandel Town Information Centre



COMING SOON:

*A Pre-Christmas
Market*

Treasure or Trash Market

Saturday 2nd Dec 2023

@ Colville Hall

9am - 2pm

Give your place a giant
Spring Clean and get rid
of all the unnecessary
excess stuff - lighten your
load and bring it to
the Treasure or Trash
Market - one
person's trash
could be
another's
Treasure.



As Dr Kate's practice prepares to close at the end of October and plans are in place to welcome the new provider, we would like to take this opportunity to thank all of our community, colleagues and associates for their support over the past 20 years. It has been an honour to be involved in your care and we wish you the very best for the future.

As we navigate the transition to a new provider, there is no need for you to transfer to a new practice at this point and we will update you as things progress.

The Health Trust will keep you up to date with progress and steer you in the right direction. Please refer to the *Health Trust* section of the Pānui for more information (pg18). *The Colville Project* is full steam ahead and if you want to get involved, both The TCP and the Trust will welcome your input. With love from us all.

- Your clinic team.





Message from the Colville Community Health Trust

For over two decades Dr Kate Armstrong has dedicated her life to running the Colville Community Health Centre. Her tireless commitment, compassion, and selflessness have touched countless lives over this time. We also acknowledge the wonderful support her husband Richard has provided to her behind the scenes, enabling her to work as she has. The Colville Community Health Trust wishes to thank Dr Kate for her hard work as a provider of General Practice services and her devotion to serving the community in this way. We thank Kate wholeheartedly for all she has done, and wish her all the best for whatever her future holds.



The Colville Community Health Trust confirms that it is still committed to supporting the provision of health services in the Northern Coromandel. At this stage, the facility at 2299 Colville Road will continue to be a health centre for the community and we will continue to provide space for use by a multitude of health practitioners. We are keen to support any opportunities that arise for this community through the change of GP service provider and will provide the venue and the equipment for any new General Practitioner coming in.

We have been working with Dr Bryan MacLeod from Coromandel Family Health Centre, who is currently working with the Hauraki PHO for the provision of a GP service to Colville and surrounds. Dr Bryan is keen to support the health needs of the northern Coromandel area that is responsive and achievable and has expressed to us his willingness to maintain as much as possible of the 'Colville model' that Dr Kate, with the Health Trust's support has developed. This includes building relationships with the Health Trust, the clinic, the Nursing service, the Prime/First Response and continuing with community engagement. Details of who will be providing the service are confirmed in Dr Kate Armstrong's update in his edition.

The Colville Community Health Trust is also steadfast in its efforts as part of the Colville Project. The development of the Wellbeing and Education Centre remains the first step of The Colville Project and the Colville Community Health Trust is actively involved in bringing this to fruition.

Please see our Invitation to a community meeting on the 4th of October at 10 am - to meet the new practitioners and have time talking about health with the PHO. Hopefully see you there.

- Jo Herbert, Chair - on behalf of the Colville Community Health Trust

Community meeting hosted by Colville Community Health Trust
a chance to meet the new health service providers.



10am, Wednesday 4th October

At Colville War Memorial.



*Please help us to create a picture of penguin abundance
in our part of the world!*

Today I was invited to meet Hiltrun Ratz, a Penguin scientist, who works for NZPI (*New Zealand Penguin Initiative*) based in Dunedin. Their mission is to see penguins flourishing around NZ's coasts again.

Apparently they have no records of penguin locations and numbers for the Coromandel. In an effort to help our penguins, we need to first understand where they currently are and/or have been. I am keen to collect this information and would be very interested



to hear from anybody who has seen/heard or apparently smelled penguins around their place/batch, either recently or in the past.

You can email: finance@colvillejunction.co.nz or ring me on 0211727583.

- Nicole



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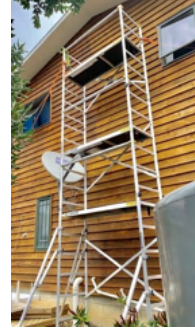
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Regular events

Tuesdays	Yoga with Kate @ Colville Hall 10am.
Tuesdays	Wing Chun Kung Fu with Kelvin at Colville Hall, 4-6pm
Wednesdays	Colville Bay Pre-school's Outdoor Adventure Programme
Thursdays	Enliven (Social Programme for Older People) @ Papa Aroha 10am - 2pm
Thursdays	<i>Pop Up Creative</i> @ Colville Café 10am-3pm
Fridays	Volunteers welcomed to join Colville School's <i>Garden to Table</i> efforts
Sundays	1st Sun of the Month Tennis Club working bee 2 - 4pm

October



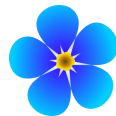
1st-8th	<i>Creators & Makers Festival</i> @ Colville Hall, 10am-4pm daily (pg8)
Wed 4th	Meeting - new health service providers @ Colville War Memorial 10am, (pg19)
Sat 7th	<i>Potting Party</i> at Colville Harbour Care Nursery, 10am-2pm (pg7)
15th-18th	Locally-written musical <i>The Wedding Dress</i> debuts in Coromandel (pg17)
Wed 12th	<i>TCDC survey of transport needs closes.</i> (pg11)
Tues 17th	<i>Budget Advisory Service</i> , 11- 1pm at Colville Junction (pg7)
Fri 20th	<i>Colville Sings The Beatles</i> , 7pm @ Colville Hall (pg12-13)
Sat 21st	<i>Big Music Night</i> , 6pm @ Coville Hall. For workshop details, see <i>pp12-13</i>
Sun 22nd	<i>Family Variety Show</i> , 5pm @ Coville Hall (pg12-13)

November

Sat 11th/12th	<i>Creative Pop-up Youth Art Project - Mural</i> @ Colville Café, 10am-3pm (pg8)
24th Nov	<i>First Aid Course by St John</i> , 8:30am-5pm, Colville Hall (pg6)
25th/26th	<i>Creative Pop-up Youth Art Project - Mural</i> @ Colville Café, 10am-3pm (pg8)

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105	Police for reporting incidents not requiring immediate response
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0508 326 459	Sexual Harm - Child/Tamariki at risk
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