



PĀNUI

DECEMBER 2018

Newsletter

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Tena Tatau,

It can be draining in the weeks building up to Christmas, wondering what presents to get for loved ones etc, Christmas often brings back memories of other better times, so we will try and keep positive.

PEACE and LOVE to all.

PS the next two panui will be a little crunched up due to the season so make sure you have noted the cut off date for your valuable contributions below.

Guidelines for Panui Contributors

Deadline for contributions to the **JANUARY** issue is:
SUNDAY 9th December

Email your news, notices, advertisements, jokes, recipes, dreams, handy hints. Send content as word, pages & open office document (not PDF), or post, phone or drop into CSSC. Contributions welcome, though not always used. CSSC may edit contributions. For our advertising rates, see our website: cssc@colville.org.nz

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For a mailed copy: email/phone us. Subscription cost is \$25 per annum.
Contact us on 07 866 6920 Email - panui@colville.org.nz

Disclaimer: *The opinions expressed in this publication are not necessarily those of CSSC.*

Next CSSC monthly Trustee meeting **Tuesday 18 December at 3pm.**

Colville Social Service Collective (CSSC) would like to gratefully acknowledge the following funding organisations:

Department of Internal Affairs, NZ Lottery Grants Board, Ministry for the Environment, Oranga Tamariki, Len Reynolds Trust, Waikato Regional Council, Community Organisation Grants Scheme, Trust Waikato, Ministry of Social Development, Creative New Zealand, Ministry for Culture & Heritage, Department of Conservation, World Wildlife Foundation, Thames Coromandel District Council, Sky City Hamilton, Rural Communities Trust, The Tindall Foundation, Coromandel Bizarre Trust.

Colville and Beyond



We are poised to welcome the many visitors who flock to our beautiful region during the Summer months. Our new signage is up and ready – look out for our Colville and Beyond board as you journey around the peninsula.

WATCH THESE SPACES FOR UP TO THE MINUTE NEWS

<http://www.colvilleandbeyond.co.nz/> and our brand new FaceBook page.

<https://www.facebook.com/ColvilleandBeyond>

Please contact us if you have a Summer event in the area that you'd like us to publicise on our Facebook page or website.

CSSC Christmas Closure

Colville Social Service Collective will be closed Mon 24 December - Fri 18 January.

We look forward to seeing you again **MONDAY 21** January 2019!



COLVILLE SOCIAL SERVICE COLLECTIVE



www.thecolvilleproject.nz

WHAT'S HAPPENING WITH OUR PROJECT

A quieter month for the team as we head into the Summer period. We are currently in discussion with Beca to progress our concept design for Stage 1 of the project. Beca will be holding targeted workshops as part of this process and relevant advisory groups will be a part of this process.

TCP ADVISORY GROUPS:

Thank you to those who have already expressed their interest in joining our advisory groups. We are still open for additional volunteers and invite you to send an Expression of Interest via our website, Facebook pages, or in an email to cdw@colville.org.nz. Please state which of the following areas you would be interested in supporting:

:

Fund Raising	Waste Management	Land Matters
Event Management	Social Media & Marketing	Housing

COLVILLE FISHING

COMPETITION



Thursday 3 JANUARY 2019

Join us for a fun family day

Sausage Sizzle + Raffles + Spot Prizes

Entry forms: The Colville General Store- from 20 December

Local Camp Grounds- evening 2 January



Adults \$20
Children (<12 y) \$10



Colville Easter Festival 2019

April 19th - 22nd

Planning well underway, exciting programme:

Colville Sings - Good Friday - this time DownUnder HITS.
Saturday Nights' BIG Show, still confirming line up - to be announced.
Sunday Night - Family Variety Show.

Back to Nature WorkShops. So far:
Bees Wax Wrap making - save our planet.
Wool Craft
More being organised.

OutDoor Art Works - contact us if you want to be involved.

Steve 021 711 489 / Ella 027 487 5131 / cssc@colville.org.nz



CSSC is seeking new Trustees

Are you interested in working with our northern Coromandel Peninsula communities to strengthen and build connections, capacity and wellbeing? We are looking to appoint new Trustees that are committed to our vision of strong and vibrant remote communities in the northern Coromandel Peninsula. New Trustees should expect to be active in the governance team and work to ensure we achieve our mission and strategic goals.

If you have passion and skills, and some time to share, please download a job description and expression of interest pack from the CSSC website or collect from the CSSC Community Centre.

Expressions of Interest close: Thursday Feb 28 2019.

YOUTH GROUP NEWS

Term 4 Youth Group : MONDAYS 3 - 5 With Colville Youth Sailing Academy & White Star Horse Trecks.

If you have any questions email Elizabeth at :
youthgroup@colville.org.nz Cheers Elizabeth & team





COLVILLE HARBOUR CARE
Te Ūmangawhā o Ngā Waka

"The communities of Colville working together to create a healthy harbour".

PLANTING TREES AT COLVILLE SCHOOL TO PROVIDE HABITAT FOR WETLAND SPECIES.

On 17 November nine volunteers planted 950 native trees around the saltmarsh wetland that borders Colville School. Colville's rivers feed into some of the largest coastal wetlands on the Coromandel Peninsula. Wetlands are nature's kidneys. They purify water by removing the sediment, excess nutrients and pollutants that arrive from the surrounding landscape. Although wetlands can seem dull on the surface they are in fact home to more species than any other land based ecosystem. New Zealand has lost 90% of wetlands! We are lucky to have such large coastal wetlands in Colville and it was great to see so many people out giving their time to nourish our wetlands!



INTRODUCING OUR TRAP BOXES



You might have seen our trap boxes along the foreshore and around the wetlands in Colville and Ahirau (Big Bay). There are quite a lot of them! We've got 357 traps in the field. Over the past few months we've had a few questions about our trap boxes. Here's some information: They are for traps only. No toxins are used to target animals as part of the Colville Harbour Care Project.

- The traps have a double bar which means they can catch rats and mice.
- Please **DO NOT** open the trap boxes as the trap could catch your fingers.



BEACH CLEAN - Saturday 8th December 9:30am – 12:30pm

We'll be cleaning up at **Ahirau (Big Bay)** with a BBQ at the house across the road afterwards! Please park at the cross roads for Port Jackson/Port Charles.

We will provide rubbish bags.

What to bring: gloves, shoes (rocks can be tricky to walk around), hat & water bottle.

Contact: Beth at CSSC (Weds-Fri)
p- 07 866 6920
e- chccoordinator

WRITE NOW - Northern Coromandel Writers' Group

Next meeting 2pm Tuesday December 11th at Tuataewa. New writers welcome. To contact Stef: scmckee@gmail.com or 021 517 749

We had a very productive session last month at the Foragers' Kitchen. Local writers sharing their projects, getting encouragement and doing a focussed hour of writing together. Genres range from personal memoirs, childrens' stories, historical fiction, creative non-fiction.

SING ACAPELLA

Next meeting at Karuna Falls, Saturday December 15th, 4pm - 5.30pm New singers welcome. Koha. To join contact Stef:

scmckee@gmail.com or 021 517 749

We all enjoyed our last singing session in the AV room at Colville School, the space was bright and resonant. After some dancing, stretching and vocal warmups, our voices blended into lovely harmonies, singing some new songs as well as familiar Christmas carols.

LAUNCH of a new local magazine **THE WHISTLER.**

At the Forager's Kitchen, 3pm Sunday December 16th.

Editor: Ruby Mouritsen. Contact:

waiarowhistler@outlook.com

CORO INFO CENTRE NEWS

Sandra Wilson, Manager

Run out of ideas for gifts for that certain someone ? How about the Colville and Beyond Trail Cards or gift voucher for our guided heritage tour Boom, Bust & Beyond. Also a selection of blank local greeting cards are on sale.

Check out our facebook page, our website to find out whats happening in and around town over the summer. Keep an eye out for the MEG summertime programme.

Take care, enjoy the time with friends and family, take the time to explore your own background.

Just a reminder about the following events:

Christmas Parade, Saturday 8 December 2.00pm departing from Watt Street and ending at Jacks Point.

The Waterworks, Sunday 9 December, \$5.00 entry day

Coromandel Music Society summer concert: Saturday 19 January Jenny B and Quintet @ the Admirals Arms, tickets available from the info centre.

Art exhibitions: Hauraki House throughout December and January.

Merry Christmas and Happy New Year, Phone: 8668598 or 027521 5560 Email: coroinfo@xtra.co.nz

www.coromandeltown.co.nz



COLVILLE COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE



2299 Colville Rd, RD 4, Coromandel 3584

Phone 07 8666618. Fax 07 8666619 Our txt number for the clinic is 4335
Mon Tues & Thurs 9.00am – 5.00pm / Wed 10.00am - 5pm Fri 9.00 am – 4.00 pm

5th & 19th December only 10.00am - 1pm - GP Clinic at Port Charles

For after hours service phone the clinic number 07 866-6618.

Please listen to the message carefully.

The On Call person will be paged by the after hours service.

There is no answerphone service during the hours we are open

Remember - If it's an emergency, dial 111

Kia ora koutou

As we head into our summer holiday period we remind you all to drink lots of water every day. It is essential to keep your fluid levels up as the hot summer days can be very dehydrating especially if you are out there doing stuff!

A reminder from the clinic team to request your prescription in advance please, so they can be ready well before things close down for Christmas. We prefer 48 hours notice. Remember we usually have lots of visitors at the clinic in January too so make sure you are in early for your repeat script requests over that time as well.

If you are going away for the holiday period, double check you have got ample supplies of your meds, and remember to take your inhalers and insulin. They are quite easy to forget when packing to go especially if you have left it to the last minute!

We would like to offer our sincere thanks to our patients for your help with the medical students we have had in the practice during the year. It is great that many of you are happy to have them included in your consult whilst at the practice. Feedback from our students is that they learn so much from their time with patients and they appreciate this opportunity very much - it is a highlight of their time in Colville. For the clinic team having students is a way to attract clinicians into rural health for the future, so it's a valuable investment of time for us.

A reminder that we will be closed Christmas eve, Christmas day and Boxing day, and the 1st and 2nd of January. If you require medical care during that time, call the clinic 866 6618, and follow the instructions from the voice message.
Remember in an emergency call 111

Hoping you enjoy some special moments with those you love this holiday season.

Meri Kirihimete Merry Christmas from the team at Colville Community Health Centre

COROMANDEL PHARMACY Opening Hours: Mon - Fri 8.30 - 5pm ph (07) 866 8702 Sat 9.am - 1pm.



Sarah Taylor

Massage Therapist

Relax Revive Refresh Massage Reiki Accupressure

027 6855 784

kahutehau7@gmail.com



Hello everyone,

It is starting to feel like summer, isn't it! I promised last time to update you all on how we did at the Colville Community Market and the Tangiaro Spring Festival on Labour Weekend. The whole weekend was a great success, with \$1100 raised through sales at our bric-a-brac table at the Market, and raffles and Gold Coin entry donations at Tangiaro. We are very grateful to the organisers of both events, and to all who donated goods for sale and items to raffle, to those who bought goodies from our table and raffle tickets, and to those who offered up those precious gold coins that add up so quickly!

We are also very grateful to an anonymous donor who recently gifted the Trust with \$2800 towards the Building Fund. Such generosity in gifts both large and small is what keeps us ticking along.

We are still in search of furniture for the two new consultation rooms at the Health Centre. If anyone knows of office desks and chairs going for free or for a reasonable price, we would love to hear from you. These rooms are essential for offering more health services to the community, and we would love to get them up and running soon!

We here at the Trust wish you all a happy and healthy holiday season. Emily

HOT NEWS from the COLVILLE FIRE BRIGADE

A hot, dry Summer approaches and with it come many holiday sunseekers to enjoy the beauty northern Coromandel offers :

A REMINDER :

IF lighting an outside fire you are required to obtain a fire permit. These can now be obtained on line at

1/. checkitsalright.nz 2/. Or call freephone **0800 658 628**

3/. Or contact local officer Justin Ward : **021 298 1725**

4/. Call **111** to report any fire out of control. 5/. Please observe (total fire ban) notice.

Let's keep it safe over Summer so we can all enjoy the Coromandel in the future. Happy and safe Summer season. *Barry Ross* Fire chief.

021 0858 4243 Colville Fire Brigade.

FOR SALE

one Bait net & one Mullet net

Bait Net Approx 13m in length.

Mullet Net Cork floats. Lead sinkers. Has sand/shell grapple and mud anchors.

An oldie but a goodie. Small bit of mending has been done. One cork float missing and a break in the sturdy bottom rope at one end.

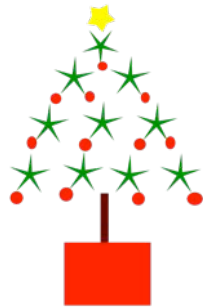
Make an offer 07 866 6687





Colville Bay Pre-School

Wishing you all a safe and happy holiday! We look forward to seeing you next year!
Our start date for Term One 2019 is the 5th of February.



Best wishes from the team.

Phone - 07 8668319 Email - colvillebay.elc@xtra.co.nz

"Clay Time"

Anybody interested in clay work?

We meet at the *Colville Cafe* on the **first** and **third Tuesday** of every month.

4 & 18 December Cheers, Te Whanoa.

SPACE REQUIRED

"Caravan rental space wanted - one professional fella in need of a quiet nook to park up the caravan that I like to call home. New to the peninsula, I'm quiet, tidy & respectful. The caravan's a small one (~5m) so doesn't take up much space. It's self contained but access to the usual basics is always appreciated. If you have or know of a suitable location please contact Jamie on 021 1888 158."



BACKROOM GALLERY

Opens 1st December 10am-4pm
every day for another summer season with
its **official opening night on**
Friday 7th December at 6.30.

There will be drinks and nibbles and a great
vibe, the cafe will be open with live music
and you can start your Christmas shopping!

Support local, keep it in the community,
make someone's day.

Kiwi Avoidance Training - Port Charles - Date Change

Do I need to get my dog kiwi avoidance trained? Yes! All dogs, large and small, can harm and easily kill a kiwi. So if you have a farm dog, a hunting dog or even a handbag dog it needs to be trained to avoid kiwi. Kiwi Avoidance Training is FREE!

The next kiwi avoidance training will be at **Port Charles on 15th December**. Places are filling fast and bookings are essential. For more info and to book please call the Kauaeranga Visitors Centre on 07 867 9080 or email kauaerangavc@doc.govt.nz. See you there!

Weed of the Month - Pampas Grass

This month's weed of the month is Pampas Grass. Not to be confused with our native Toetoe, Pampas also grows in large clumps up to 4m tall with fluffy flower heads. However, there are a few ways to distinguish between the two... The older leaves of the Pampas curl at the base of the clump and tend to look like wood shavings. Pampas has a central rib on the underneath of the leaves whereas Toetoe has secondary ribs. Pampas leaves are easy to tear and the fluffy pinkish-white flower head is produced from January to June.

Pampas rapidly dominates disturbed sites preventing native regeneration and provides habitats for mice, rats and possums. The seeds are copious and spread long distances on the wind. You can remove the seed heads to prevent spread, then dig or grub out small plants, remove sizable plants where possible. You can compost, or leave on site to rot down. Burn or bury any flower heads and cut and apply herbicide to base and leave plants in the ground till the roots have died off.

And just remember, Pampas is NOT a native!

MEG Stoat Trapping Operation Data October 2018

Predator & pest catch data from our entire stoat trapping operation for October 2018.

Species	October 2018	Total to Date
Hedgehog	4	307
Possum	-	9
Rabbit	2	73
Rat	205	14,871
Stoat	10	2,133
Weasel	3	833
Ferret	1!	2

Don't forget you can follow us on Facebook to keep up to date on what we've been doing.

Have a great month everyone.

From the team at Moehau Environment Group info@meg.org.nz www.meg.org.nz

ALCOHOLIC DRUG HELPLINE

FREE and CONFIDENTIAL 9am to 10pm everyday **0800 787 797**
Open friendly meeting. Anonymity assured. Please phone 021 314 467

TATTLETALE SAINTS DUO

If you're a music lover, you're sure to appreciate this award-winning, internationally featured duo who will present a programme of old and new songs, along with the band's takes on classic country, pop and American songbook hits.

Now based in Nashville (and touring with the best) Tattletale Saints won the NZ Music Award for Folk in 2014 for their debut album *How Red Is the Blood*, produced by Grammy award winner [Tim O'Brien](#). Cy Winstanley (vocals and guitar) sounds like Paul Simon, Vanessa McGowan's vocals are perfectly harmonised and her bass playing is first-class.

.For further information, see the posters around town, Coromandel Buy and Sell Facebook page, www.tattletalesaints.com or www.eventfinda.co.nz

- **One Show Only – Tuesday 4 December 7.30pm (Bar and snacks from 6.45pm)**
- **Hauraki House Theatre, Kapanga Rd, Coromandel Town**
- **Pre-sale tickets (\$20) are available from Richardsons Real Estate, 151 Kapanga Rd, Coromandel Town or online from www.eventfinda.co.nz or robinmunch24@gmail.com**
- **Door sales - \$25.**

Relax & Revive Coromandel

www.relaxcoro.co.nz

Certified Massage Therapist

Relaxation Massage

Jan is working from the tranquil surrounds of the Tangiaro Kiwi Retreat, Port Charles

By appointment

Email: info@relaxcoro.co.nz

Ph 021 268 6198



Sincere condolences and sympathy go out to the family and friends of

JIM DAVIES

Born 14 April 1934 died 18 November 2018

May he rest in PEACE



D & K
HOME IMPROVEMENT
HANDYMAN

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Mahamudra Centre for Universal Unity

December Events



Free Community Lunch

FRIDAY December 14 at 12:00 December 28 –no lunch due to holidays

Exploring Creativity and Mindfulness Series

Experience being in flow and harmony with nature and community through the arts

SAT 1 December: Kete Basket Flax Weaving with Nici Greulich – help keep Coromandel plastic free by learning the art of weaving a basket or shopping bag out of native flax

Pre-registration is essential – spaces in the workshops are limited

Lama Tsongkhapa Day – Sunday, December 2nd

Please join us for special activities in celebration of the anniversary of Lama Tsongkhapa's parinirvana—call for details

Ongoing Activities

- Guided Meditation - 8:30am Free daily guided meditation
- Massage with Sarah Taylor, please call to schedule

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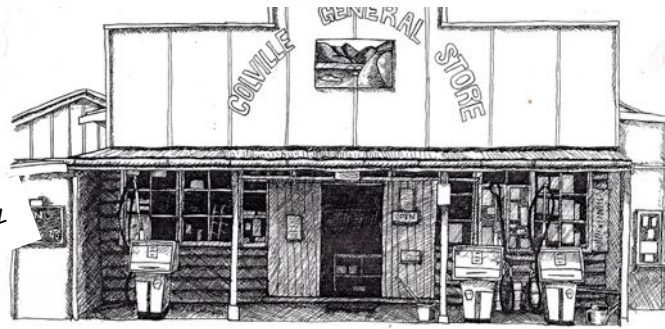


Joanna: 021 739 398

LIFETIME GUARANTEES

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Phone 07 866 6805

*Store hours from 30 November 8.30 am to 5pm **Fridays to 6pm.***

*From boxing day **8am to 7pm every day** . Closed Christmas day.*

Shop with your store for extra special Christmas pressies. Our wonderful team are here to help and the store is bulging with stuff. Lets all have a happy and safe summer.

FARM SHOP
COLVILLE VILLAGE



Open every day over Summer

We are looking forward to a busy Summer, serving real fruit ice-creams, cooling home made fruit drinks plus lots more.

Come and get your sausages for the bbq, your morning coffee and we have a fridge and freezer full of succulent cuts, plus 100% BEEF PATTIES.

100% HEREFORD BEEF BURGERS * HOT CHIPS * COFFEE *
BAKING * PICKES 'N' JAMS * LOCAL ART * REAL FRUIT
ICECREAM * MEAT

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f Facebook

the *foragers* kitchen

Hi all, the Foragers Kitchen will now be

open Friday & Saturday nights from 5 - 9

Plus a delightfull selection of fresh goodies available 8.30 - 4. **DAILY**

Any enquiries ph 07 8666 697



Tangiario
Lodge

Gem of the Northern Coromandel

WEDDINGS & FUNCTIONS

RESTAURANT & BAR

ACCOMODATION

MASSAGE THERAPIST (by appointment)



Outdoor seating

Pizza

Burgers

Steaks

Nachos

Fish & Chips

& lots more

Stoney Bay Craft Beer

(brewed on site)



1299 Port Charles Road, Coromandel

www.kiwiretreat.co.nz

(07) 866 6614

info@kiwiretreat.co.nz

Saturday, 8th December 10am

AGM Port Charles Volunteer Rural Fire Force

Port Charles Fire Station

ALL WELCOME

HIMALAYA SHOP

Hi Everyone,

We will be open every day from 10 - 4

Except Christmas Day & Boxing Day.

After Christmas our hours will be 10 - 5 every day.

Enjoy the holidays !

Home: 07 8666 865 Shop: 8667 224 Mobile: 021 139 7838

Suicide Crisis Helpline: 0508 828 865 (0508 TAUTOKO) Lifeline: 0800 543 354
Depression Helpline: 0800 111 757 free text 4202
Outline: 0800 688 5463 Youthline: 0800 376 633



CORO MARKET

Every Friday

Is up and running YEAH ! Fresh good quality produce of high standard. Beside BNZ 8.30 am - 12.30. For more details Phone Michelle 022 653 6690



Coromandels Fleamarket

Every Sat 8.30 -1

At Te Ahi Ka - (old Post Office)

Community Marketplace, Coro's fleamarket. Stalls \$5 bring your own table. Just turn up, we are there every Saturday .



Colville Music Club Christmas fundraiser party at the Music Club 6pm. 22nd of Dec.

Northern Coromandel rubbish days for DECEMBER

Tues 4 Dec

Tues 11 Dec

Tues 18 Dec






SUMMER PROGRAMME

Please leave blue rubbish bags on the ground, do not overfill green bins of glass, swap your broken/ cracked bins at the Coro Council Office. Thankyou.



525 Hauraki Rd, Coromandel. 07 866 7616

Coro Refuse & Recycling Centre, & Goldmine shop.

Hours:   

Mon, Wed, Fri, closed

Tues & Thurs: 11am - 4.30pm

 Sat & Sun: 11am - 5.30pm 

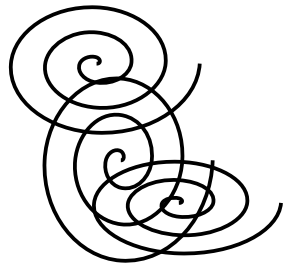
Public hols: 11am - 5.30pm

SEAGULL CENTRE

If you venture to, or can get through to Thames, this is another option for finding a bargain, just that little something you've been looking for.....

SAVE THE PLANET!





*Yesterday I was
clever, so I wanted to
change the world.*

*Today I am wise, so I
am changing myself.*



Rumi

REGULAR EVENTS

- Tues - **Yoga** at the Colville Hall 10am-12pm.
First & Third Tues of every month - **Clay time** at the Colville cafe 11am
Every Thurs - **Enliven** at CSSC
Every Thurs - **Candlelit Yoga** at the Colville School Audio Room 5.30 - 7.30pm

DECEMBER Events

- Fri Nov 30 - Sun 9 Dec - **Art Exhibition 'With a Voice**, Hauraki House 10am-4pm daily (5 local artists)
Sat 1 - **Kete Basket Flax Weaving** with Nici Greulich at the Mahamudra Centre
Sun 2 - **Lama Song Kapa** day at the Mahamudra centre
Tues 4 - **Tattletale Saints Duo**, Hauraki House Theatre 7.30pm
Fri 7 - **Opening Night Back Room Gallery** (Behind Forager's Kitchen) 6.30pm
Sat 8 - **Beach Clean Working Bee**, Ahirau Bay (Big Bay) 9.30am - 12.30pm
- Port Charles Voluntary Fire Force **AGM** 10 AM at the Fire Station All Welcome
- **Christmas Parade** Coromandel 2pm
Sun 9 - **Waterworks Coro** - Entry \$5
- **Panui** cut off date for Jan
Tues 11 - **Write Now** meets at Tuatēawa 2pm
Fri 14 - **FREE Community lunch** at the Mahamudra Centre. Midday
Sat 15 - **Sing Acapella** at Karuna Falls 4-5.30pm
Sun 16 - **Kiwi Avoidance Training**, Port Charles FREE
- **Whistler** launch 3pm at the Forager's Kitchen (new local magazine)
Sat 22 - **Colville Music Club party/Fundraiser** 6pm.

JANUARY Events

- Jan 3 - **Fishing Competition**: More details next month
Sat 19 - **Coro Music Club Summer Concert**. Jenny B and Quintet. Admirals Arms 7pm

If you would like a listing on the Pānui events calendar, email the Pānui Editor:
panui@colville.org.nz