

FEBRUARY 2018 Newsletter



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Kia ora,

Yes the second month already. Hope we are all keeping cool calm and collected, ready for a positive year ahead, which will probably go just as fast as the last one! .

Guidelines for Panui Contributors

Deadline for contributions to the MARCH iSSUE is: SUNDAY 18th February.
Email your news, notices, advertisements, jokes, recipes, dreams, handy hints.
Send images as jpeg, pdf, word, pages & open office document, or post, phone or drop into CSSC.
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Are you a parent, grandparent, aunt, uncle or family friend of a child with some challenging behaviours?

Register your interest:

IY Parenting Programme 2018

P-8668358 e-cilt@cilt.org.nz

Coromandel Independent Living Trust

The IY programme:

- · Strengthens adult-child relationships
- · Reduces problem behaviours
- · Practices strategies to manage behaviour
- · Promotes children's development

Starts: Thursday 1 March 2018 Details: Coromandel town 5-8pm (with a light kai)



Next CSSC monthly Trustee meeting: Tuesday 20th February at 3pm.

Colville Social Service Collective (CSSC) would like to gratefully acknowledge the following funding organisations: NZ Lottery Grants Board, COGS, Creative New Zealand, Trust Waikato, Ministry of Social Development, The Tindall Foundation, Len Reynolds Trust, A.N.Z Staff Foundation, Coromandel Bizarre Trust, Child Youth and Family, NZ Creative Communities, Ministry for Culture & Heritage, Waikato Regional Council, Sky City Hamilton, Dept of Internal Affairs, Thames Coromandel District Council.



COLVILLE SOCIAL SERVICE COLLECTIVE SUPPORTING THE FAR NORTHERN



COROMANDEL COMMUNITIES

Position available CSSC Coordinator & Community Developer

This position involves coordinating the day-to-day management of CSSC including financial management, funding applications, overseeing projects and mentoring staff, and leading community development; and reports to a supportive Trust Board. This position is based at the CSSC Community Centre in Colville and is a **part-time position** (22 hours/week).

If you have relevant qualifications and experience, and a passion for working to support your community, we would love to hear from you.

Person specification:

Desired skills attributes, knowledge and skills include:

- Proven skills in management, leadership, development and implementation of budgets & building strategic relationships
- Proven ability to meet milestones and deadlines, work with diverse groups of people, handle conflict and difficult situations
- · Commitment to professional development & the Treaty of Waitangi
- Computer skills, including MAC, emails, internet, Word, & publishing tools.
- Knowledge of the wider Colville community and experience in community development and/or social services, an advantage.

For further information and/or a Job Description, contact Bronwyn Blair (Chair) 021 2675314 or email <u>csscchair@colville.org.nz</u> or visit <u>http://www.cssc.net.nz</u> Applications close <u>TUESDAY 13th FEBRUARY</u> 2018, at 12pm.

Senior Net: Will resume on Wednesday 14th February at Colville Café. After that every second Wednesday so 28th February then again on Wednesday 14th March beginning at 10am.



COLVILLE KAI BOX

Frozen Meals delivered to your home by Rural Delivery. Every two weeks up to 14 meals per delivery. \$12 per meal. Contact Roy Fraser cdw2@colville.org.nz 021 0599 663 or 07 866 6920 Mon-Wed 9am-3pm



COLVILLE HARBOUR CARE Te Ūmangawhā o Ngā Waka

Pest control

Our first 42 traps were opened in November and a month later our catch rate for rats was zero! We will complete another round of monitoring to make sure they are not just avoiding the traps. The mice are a bit trickier but thanks to our double bar trap design we can catch them too. We will be extending the trap lines around the wetland towards the school and west along the coast to the dotterel breeding site. Great to see baby oyster catchers on the foreshore this summer!

Rats and mice caught in Colville Wetland To Mice Mice

"The communities of Colville working

together to create a healthy harbour now



Pipi die off on the foreshore

Thank you to those who let us know about this. We have been in touch with council and NIWA to identify the algae and its cause. So far they have suggested that it is likely due to warmer than normal temperatures and subsequent low flow rate in rivers meaning the harbour does not get so thoroughly flushed. The algae is yet to be identified. If anyone has any information on this please let us know.

Agave on the foreshore- clarification

We have received several calls about the cutting down of the large agave plants on the Colville Bay foreshore. Colville Harbour Care would like to clarify that we were not responsible for this. The land is managed by TCDC and their contractors.

Any concerns or feedback should be directed to the TCDC parks and reserves department.

Working bees for 2018

We are currently developing a plan for our 2018 working bees. Please look for our 2018 Annual Working Bee Planner in the March Pānui. If you would like text or email reminders about working bees, please contact Beth (see below).

Register your cat

We will be doing live capture cat trapping around Colville Harbour to protect our breeding birds. Please send us a picture of your cat along with its home address and your contact details, so we can make sure no harm comes to your pet.

Contact:	Beth at CSSC (Weds-Fri)
p- 07 866 6920	e- chccoordinator@colville.org.nz



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COROMANDEL COMMUNITIES

The Colville Project Want to know more about where it's at?

COMMUNITY WORKSHOPS

Come along to one of our community workshops

SUNDAY 4 FEBRUARY

For more details check out :

@thecolvilleproject www.thecolvilleproject.nz thecolvilleproject@gmail.com

Donations payable to: The Colville Project Account # 38 9007 0484491 06 Please quote reference: TCP – land purchase – your name



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NORTHERN COROMANDEL COMMUNITIES

Learning Space A new year!

Do you want to study via distance learning?

Studying by distance and online learning means you don't attend classes, lecturers or tutorials. Instead you have the flexibility to decide where and when you'll study, and can plan your studies around the rest of your life.

Who offers distance learning courses?

- Open Polytechnic offers most of their learning courses online.
- Massey University offers multiple distance learning courses searching distance learning courses came up with 471 results!

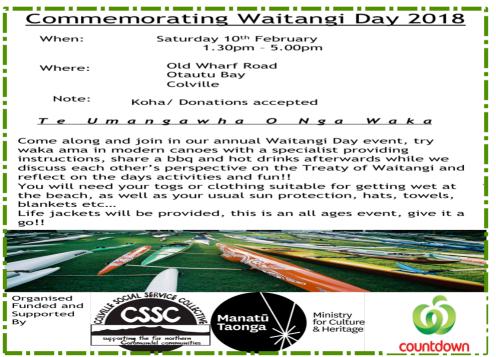
Some Te Wananga o Aotearoa FREE courses you can study from home:

- · He Huarahi Ako A Learning Path: NZ Certificate in Foundation Skills
- He Papa Tikanga: Certificate in Tikanga Māori
- · Mana Ora: NZ Certificate in Maori Business & Management

Where can I learn?

- CSSC has the caravan space that can be hired out for a quiet, private space to study. Internet and power are both accessible from the caravan. There is also a laptop and computers available.
- Study from home

Want more information? Looking for a course? Need help with enrolling? Want to get a group together to learn with? or arrange hiring the CSSC caravan as your learning space? – contact Anna at CSSC, cdw1@colville.org.nz, 07 866 6920 or pop in Tuesday or Wednesday.





From Friday 30th March 2018 to Monday 2nd April

So, Easter looms, all is organised and confirmed. Kicks off with 'Colville Sings the 60's'. 20+ items are planned.

Good Friday, March 30th at 8pm - teens up - \$20 Entry, supper provided.

It will be SHOW TIME this time !! So dress up 60s and join in.

You can be a Beatnik, a Bodge, Widgie, Teddy Boy, a Mod, a Rocker, Biker or even a Hippie. YAY ! In other words - a lot of fun !

Saturday, March 31st starting at 6pm - \$20 entry, kids under 16 free

'The Big Music Night' we have four acts for you:

Madly Irie - 4 fabulous Women from Gizzy.

Shimna's List - 4 piece Auckland Group, Celtic Irish Folk.

Dual - Psychedelic-dance duo.

Racing - 4 piece Hypnotic groove-based rock and roll with touches of English big beat. Yummy Food will be available to purchase.

Sunday April 1st starting 5.30pm \$20 Entry kids under 16 free

'Auckland Playback Theatre' coming to do a full show. VERY entertaining. funny, serious and surprising.

Preceded by '**The Bubble Show'** !!! Be put inside a bubble. Kids will love it, you will all love it. He recently put Jacinda in a bubble... Finger food will be provided.

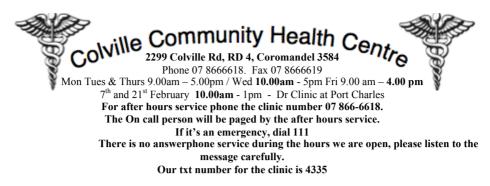
Workshops: Pounamu presentation, The Art of Dying Anything,

Harakeke Dying, Little Clay Creations, Leather. More details and info at CSSC and website. Register early, numbers are limited.

Sculptures will be presented by various artists around town.

All events will be in or next to the hall. Professional sound and lighting.

Early birds tickets available at \$50 for the 3 nights available till Wednesday March 7th. www.colvilleartsfestival.co.nz



Hi folks

Hoping you are finding some respite from the heat, and that you are taking extra care when you are out enjoying the sun.

With the summer comes the bugs and one in particular has been 'making its mark' on locals - the white tail spider. We have seen quite a few people who have been bitten lately. It is a good idea to keep some White Tail Spider remedy in your first aid kit. This is taken orally and it can be applied to the affected area as well. We have received some feedback from you over the last six months. A big thanks to all who completed the survey. It is important to let you know what has been identified for us to pay some attention to. Information about our after hours availability and what the side effects of some medication could be are two areas identified for us to improve on. It was also highlighted that information for some people, needs to be given in a way that is more easily understood. We will also be looking at our wait times at the clinic. Though this wasn't highlighted in the survey results, we are aware this can be an issue for some people. As always, we do welcome your feedback at any time and if visiting us in the week of the 12 - 18 of February you will be invited to participate in the next Patient Experience Survey by our receptionists.

Just letting you know the practice has around \$10k in unpaid fees that are 3 or more months overdue. We will be following up on any outstanding accounts in February. If you owe the clinic money, please make an effort to come and settle your account before we have to contact you. We are happy for people to make automatic payments, so do talk to the staff if you'd like to take up that option.

Till next time, enjoy the summer days. The team at Colville Community Health Centre





COLVILLE VILLAGE

OPEN ALL FEBRUARY

Summer is in FULL SWING and it's

HOT HOT HOT!!!!

Come in and try our delicious fruit icecreams, ice cold iced coffees made from real coffee, iced chocolates and affogatos. And don't forget our amazing 100% pure Hereford Beef Burgers.

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Craft Beer

Café & Bar Opening hours:

Monday - Closed Tuesday to Saturday n - 3pm Dinner 5pm - 9pm Lunch 10am - 3pm (Bookings advised for Dinner) Sunday: 10am - 5pm

1299 Port Charles Road, Port CharlesCoromandel

Phone: 07 866 6614 www.kiwiretreat.co.nz



Colville Bay Pre-School

Colville Bay Pre-School will begin Term 1, 2018 on *Tuesday 30th January.* We are open on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday's from 9.00 to 3.00 New enrolments welcome! 20 free hours ECE and WINZ subsidies available. Phone 07 8668 319 or email colvillebay.elc@xtra.co.nz



Sympathy and condolences go out to the family and friends of

THOMAS RICHARD LITTLE

Who died unexpectedly on December 28th 2017 in his 80th year.

Sympathy and condolences go out to the family and friends of

ROB ASHBY

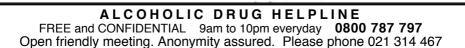
Who passed away on 2nd January at 1 am. 90 YEARS, 1 day & 1hour old.

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THE GARDEN TOOL STORE Joanna: 021 739 398

LIFETIME GUARANTEES





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COLVILLE STORE HOURS: 8am - 6pm. Sat - Thurs. Fridays 7pm After Waitangi weekend: 8.30 - 5pm. Sat - Thurs. Fridays 6pm Wow what a wonderful summer we're having. The fisherpersons are reeling. The bee workers are buzzing. Our health workers are running. Our social team are humming. We at the Store are stocking and our tourists are sunning. Let's hope everyone is sunblocking. A good range instore for camping, fishing, drinking, eating. Colville store can't be beating! Keep safe and thanks to our lovely locals for your good cheer. To all from us HAPPY NEW YFAR







SITUATION VACANT

Part-time Coordinator Position

The Trust is seeking a motivated, flexible and capable person who is committed to working in the Colville community..

The ideal applicant will have:

- A can do attitude with an openness to try new things and learn on the job
- Excellent verbal and written communication skills a "people person"
- Previous experience in administration and community based work
- Understanding of fundraising and budget management processes
- A reasonable level of Computer literacy
- A willingness to self manage, work as directed by and alongside governance.

For further information and a copy of the Job Description please contact colvilletrustmanager@gmail.com

Closing date: Friday 16 February 2018

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











The children found the trip the highlight of their holiday", feedback we received after the completion of the summer program. Over 600 visitors and locals learnt about MEG's conservation efforts, took part in night adventures, kiwi encounters, learnt how to teach their dog how to recall from birds on the beach and partook in practical sessions of Te Rongo Maori among other activities. Guided by Jamie Watson, the Te Rongoa Maori participants learnt the five most dangerous plants and how to identify them as well as how to find a meal from a cabbage tree, just in case you're ever caught short in the bush. During a nocturnal walk at Waikawau whilst looking at Puriri moth and weta population, the group was interrupted by a calling male kiwi, to the delight of the campers.

Great Mercury Island proved to be another highlight for many. On the way out to the island the boat was surrounded by a group of dolphins, a first encounter for many members on the trip. Once on the island we were treated to a spectacular walk through varying terrain and stunning coves learning about the challenges being faced to keep the island pest free and the balance with visiting boaties. The pest control plan on the island is very different from the large landscape scale operation that MEG manages, yet many of the challenges are the same. The island is currently in its "wait and see" five year period after the pest eradication operation in which the biodiversity and specific species are being closely monitored to see how they are progressing before re-introducing any further species. On the islands behind Great Mercury, after being found to have only three left, a successful breeding program of the tusk weta was hailed as a positive start to the reintroduction and translocation of this safe haven in the near future. Fledgling king fisher and kaka nests proved to be a surprise when braving the steep hill on the walk.

After requests from the community to have dog aversion training in the northern area we were forced to abandon the kiwi aversion training in early Jan. We are now holding the next *TEACH YOUR DOG TO AVOID KIWI* session on Saturday 27th January, behind Knox Cottage, Waimanu Road, Waikawau bay from 9-12am.

Please phone Kauaeranga Visitor Centre on 07 867 9080 to book your place. Please support this training so we can ensure we have more trainings in our areas in the future and be responsible dog owners

Ally Davey-DiesterbeckGeneral ManagerOffice:07 8666 962Mobile:021 0290 0507www.meg.org.nz



We hope you've had a chance to take advantage of our summer programmes to help develop more happiness and peace in your life. We've got more good things coming up. and this is the last foreseeable time we'll have Ven. Yonten here for the whole summer season, so don't miss out!

With Ven. Yönten

2-4 Feb. Learning from Difficulties: 8 Verses for Thought Transformation

9-11 Feb. How to Die Happy

16-18 Feb. What Goes Around. Comes Around: Intro to Karma and Meditation

With Sarah Brooks

9-11 March Mindful Photography

23-25 March Meditation for a Calm and Happy Mind

Save the dates: 15-24 June Venerable Robina Courtin returns! (Details are on our website.)

We deeply regret that we will be unable to offer our annual Family Fun Day when we enjoy the company of the whole community for a day of music and activities. We do plan on having it again next year, though, and aim to make it very special!

We encourage members of the local community to come to our courses and retreats, so offer them to you on a donation basis to make them accessible to all.



Pre-registration is still essential – contact us at retreat@mahamudra.org.nz or 866 6851

2183 Colville Road www.mahamudra.org.nz



BACK ROOM GALLERY

2314b Colville Road Colville, New Zealand

A range of beautiful and unique art from Colville artists, from baskets to potterv and Artist Co-op Open Daily 10am - 4:00pm lots in between. Located behind the Colville Cafe. Stop in, say hello to one of our artists manning the desk, and enjoy the creativity.



The first to apologize is the bravest. The first to forgive is the strongest. The first to forget is the happiest.

EVENTS CALENDAR

Whats on in February guide

Regular Events:

Yoga at the Colville Hall Tuesdavs 10-12 Colville Wholefood Cafe OPEN Every day except Mondays 9 - 3. January Events Saturday 27th Teach your dog to avoid kiwi 9-12 Waikawau Bay. Wednesday 31st January Blessings at Waitete Bay www.mahamudra.org.nz FEBRUARY Events Sunday 4th February Community Workshops - Colville Project. Weekend 2 - 4 February Learning from difficultys: 8 verses thought transformation. Mahamudra Weekend 9 - 11 February How to die happy. Mahamudra Centre. Wednesday 14th Feb 10 am Senior Net at the Colville Cafe Weekend 16 - 18 Feb February Intro to Karma and meditation. Mahamudra Centre. Tuesday February 6th Clay Time 12 noon. At the Colville Cafe Saturday February 10th Waitangi Dav Celebrations Otautu Beach 1.30. Saturday February 17th 1pm **Colville Music Club AGM** February 15, 16, 17th. Billy T.K. Senior playing at the Colville Cafe 7pm Sunday 18th February Panui cut off date February 20th 3pm CSSC Trustee Meeting Wednesday 28th February 10 am Senior Net at the Colville Cafe

March Events

Weekend 9 - 11 March Mindfull photography With Sarah Brooks. At the Mahamudra Centre. Wednesday 24th March 10 am Senior Net at the Colville Cafe

Weekend 23 - 25 March **Meditation for a calm and happy mind**. With Sarah Brooks. Mahamudra Friday 30th March - Monday 2nd of April **Arts Festival begins.**

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