

PĀNUI

March 2021

Newsletter for the Northern Coromandel



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Kia ora,
Well here we are, Autumn glory upon us. This is the last Panui for me, so thanks to everyone who helped make this job such fun. Wishing the next person all the positives.



The editor apologises profusely for advertising the CLAIM meeting under the Colville Harbour Care umbrella in the Panui. CLAIM has no affiliation with CHC.

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

Guidelines for contributions

Contributions are welcome but may not always be used. We may also edit them.

Email us your news, notices, advertisements, jokes, recipes, dreams & handy hints.

Please send in Word or Open Office (not PDFs). Or post, or drop contributions into CSSC.

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Kia ora koutou,
As Peter Selwyn finished working for CSSC in early February we will be advertising for a new community worker soon. CSSC

Take a breath
&
let the rest come easy

Colville Social Service Collective (CSSC) would like to thank our funders and supporters :-

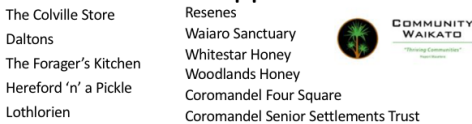
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CSSC would like to express our immense gratitude to our funders and supporters

VACANCY: Coordinator for Moehau ki te Moana

Colville Social Service Collective (CSSC) has an exciting vacancy for a new role: Coordinator of Moehau ki te Moana. This initiative is to revitalise the waters around Moehau with fencing and riparian planting.

The successful applicant will have skills in (all or some of these): project management, budgeting, communication and ecology.

The position could be full time (30 hours a week) or a job share for between 10-20 hours per person. The position is fixed term for up to five years. For more information and a copy of the Job Description please contact the CSSC Manager, Larisa Webb, on csscordinator@colville.org.nz or phone 021 258 8037. Applications close 5pm, Monday 29 March 2021.



If you would like to support CSSC you can donate online with a bank deposit to:

CSSC 38 9009 0798558 00

(and put donation in the reference field) or

contact Larisa

csscordinator@colville.org.nz

CSSC would like to welcome the new principal of Colville School: Susie and her family. We hope they will be very happy here.

Colville Easter Festival 2021 - 2nd-5th April

3rd time lucky? So here we are again, trying to run our little festival, hoping nothing will stop it this time.

On the Menu:

Friday Night - Colville Sings Country - 2nd April 7.30pm

\$25 Entry - tickets essential.

Local musicians singing one chosen country song each.

This is a sit down concert. Entry age 16 years up please.

A country theme dress up competition will be on, with prizes for 3rd, 2nd and 1st best costume.

Coffee/Tea and cakes will be served at intermission. Koha is always appreciated. If you'd like to bake a cake that would be delightful!

Saturday Night - The Big Music Night - 3rd April 6pm

\$25 Entry, 16 under free

2 Top Bands, 2 Top DJs!

- Muroki and his band
- Dastardly Bounder - Jamie Larnach
- Labretta Suede & The Motel 6
- DJ Ike from Spectrum, UK - Isaac Tucker

This is going to be a fantastic Dance night for all ages to enjoy.

We'll have a Pie Competition with Tim Fuller and Graeme Frazer as judges, so make an effort! Prizes for the best savoury and the best sweet pie will be given on the night.

Pies and a Country type meal will be offered to purchase, cash only.

(This is a low alcohol event, please. No boxes or bottles of spirits allowed in the hall).

Sunday Night - Family Friendly Night - 4th April 5pm

\$20 - under 16 free

Children's performances

Kids' Disco – PLUS...

Vinyl Burns' Rock'n'Roll Circus Show!! - Kim Potter - Top NZ Comedian

Workshops:

Saturday

10am-2.30pm - DJ Training workshop - with DJ Kimba Jade

We're offering to our youth first, at \$20, those over 18 at \$30, limited to 20 people



Sunday

10am-11am - Musical Yoga Flow - with Vanessa Darshwana

An experimental Yoga workshop to amplify, equalise and find your Rhythm.
\$10 all ages - limited to 15 participants. @ Colville Memorial Hall

11am-1pm - T shirt Decorating Party - with Greer Rasmussen

bring your own Tee or get one from Greer (sizes and colours limited)
Fun activity for all ages. @ Colville Hall Grounds

1pm- 3pm - Ecstatic Dance - with DJ Kimba Jade

Numbers not limited @ Colville Hall

Easter Monday

10am - 1pm - **Clay Creations** - with Frederick Church and Driving Creek Railway crew. Koha @ Colville Hall Grounds

11- 1pm - **Creating Junk/Art Journals** - with Denise Jones

Materials will be supplied, however feel free to bring any "bits and bobs" you want to incorporate in your journal.

Adults \$25, Children under 14 \$5 @ Colville Hall

TICKETS available at Colville Store, Richardsons Coro and online: www.cssc.net.nz

\$60 tickets for all three nights. Both Colville Cafes will be open for business.

Watch out for our facebook page and posters, there might be more to be announced!

@colvilleeasterfestival

Enquiries and workshop registrations: ph CSSC 07 8666 920 or cssc@colville.org.nz,

Steve 021 711 489 or Ella 027 487 5131



Colville Bay Pre - School

Our wonderful head teacher is leaving so we are seeking a highly motivated, energetic and experienced kaiako to lead and build a rapport with our small team. We need a person who will fit with our community and with our nature based philosophy. You must be a team player, have a sense of fun, be progressive, communicative and have a willingness to learn.

You will have an in depth knowledge of Te Whaariki, planning for children, our code of standards and have a deep respect for Tikanga and Te Reo Maori.

You will be a fully registered teacher with a minimum of 3 years experience in a leadership role.

Please apply to colvillebay.elc@xtra.co.nz by February 28 2021 with your CV and referees.

Our preferred starting date is the beginning of term 2. Remuneration will be guided by the ECE consenting parties.





COLVILLE HARBOUR CARE
Te Ūmangawhā o Ngā Waka

We want to clear up any confusion from last month's misprint in the Pānui.

Colville Harbour Care has no affiliation with anti-mining groups.

What Colville Harbour Care Does Do:

Our Vision: A healthy and thriving Hauraki Gulf

To achieve this vision, we:

- Locally source (eco-source) seeds and grow native trees in our Colville based community nursery.
- Work with landowners to replant areas on their land with native trees.

This can be riparian strips along rivers, in and around wetlands, on steep erosion prone land, and for beautification and landscaping.

- Pest control for rats, mice and possums around the salt marshes, wetlands and foreshore from the mouth of the Ūmangawhā river to the sand spit at Ahirau (Big Bay). We have some exciting things in the pipeline that we look forward to sharing with you. As always, we will be having fun filled working bees this coming winter so look out for that. Stay in touch with us through our Facebook page @colvilleharbourcare



COLVILLE
COMMUNITY HEALTH TRUST

Hello everyone,

We are delighted to report this month about the success of the online Art Auction featured as part of the Coromandel Christmas Art Exhibition. A total of \$7,539 was raised in online bids, plus a bit more in a raffle and donations. A heartfelt thanks must go out to Lindsay Garmson for organising the auction and the raffle, to Lena Macleod for doing all the technical work and promotions, to Trade Me for giving the auction a fee-free platform, all the wonderful artists who donated their beautiful works to the cause, and of course, to all those who dug deep to place their bids and support the cause.

All money raised will go into the Health Trust's long-standing fund for a new building. This 'Wellbeing and Education Centre', as part of The Colville Project Trust, will house the Colville Community Health Centre and other essential health and wellbeing services in the northern Coromandel.

In other news, we are looking for a washing machine and a fridge with a freezer for our staff and student housing site. We want to make their world comfy and convenient! A huge thank you to those who have already nearly filled the house with their generous donations. Your support is greatly appreciated.



COLVILLE COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE

2299 Colville Rd, RD 4, Coromandel 3584

Phone 07 8666618. Fax 07 866 6619 Our txt number for the clinic is 4448

Mon, Tues, Thurs & Fri 9.00am – 4.00pm / Wed 10.00am - 4pm

GP Clinic at Port Charles – Wednesday 10 March

For the 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.

When we are open you may get an answer phone message if all lines are busy or if we are closed for lunch. You cannot leave us a message.

Please remember - If it's an emergency, dial 111

Kia ora koutou

We trust you are all back to work and school after our long weekends and holidays have finished. Easter seems so far away. Our weather has been kind and we loved our wee drop of rain to refresh the pastures and gardens.

Dr Kate has reduced some of her hours due to family commitments but we have Dr Geoff doing alternate weeks predominantly Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday. If you are requiring appointments or prescriptions request it on those days because there may be days that we do not have a Dr here in person although we will always have Dr covering the practice. Thank you for your understanding with this.

Jo has formally retired (she thinks!) and will be enjoying those sleep ins and walking the beach with her dogs! She will always be an integral part of our health trust team though. Donna has taken over the role of team leader. Feel free to come in and say Hi as Donna really wants to get to know this lovely community.

We have medical students (ongoing) and this month we have a new 5th year student called Karan Kumar. We continue to be a teaching facility but if you are not comfortable having a student present or attending to you, please let the staff or reception know. Our goal is to make our patients the Colville clinic's primary focus.

With the end of the financial year fast approaching a check of our accounts reveals we are owed about \$8,200. We will be sending people txts or invoices requesting payment. We would really appreciate people responding with a payment, at this time.

We welcome compliments and complaints, so feel free to let us know how we can do better and we thank you for supporting our clinic.

Till next time take care,

The team at Colville Community Health Centre.



Side StorEy

Arts, Crafts, NZ made.

Shop beside The Forager's Kitchen

Opens irregular hours and days.

Call me (Ella), I might not be far away.

027 4875 131





Mahamudra Centre for Universal Unity



March events

5th -7th March

“How do I exist? How do things exist?” – Weekend Retreat with Venerable Khadro

7pm 22nd March

Death Café at the Forager's Kitchen

27th March – 4th April

Sand Mandala Construction ~ Tibetan Monks create a unique art form using tiny grains of coloured sand to create an intrinsic design. The work of art is open for visitors to view 10am-3pm each day. Just drop in – no charge but any donations are welcome.

On 5 April the work of art will be swept up and poured into the ocean to symbolise impermanence and to bless the ocean. Join us 10am-12noon on Easter Monday to check it out.

2183 Colville Road 07 866 6851 retreat@mahamudra.org.nz
www.mahamudra.org.nz



**Coromandel
Community Acupuncture**



Coromandel Acupuncture
Every Wednesday & Thursday 9am to 3pm
Tiki House (CILT), 45 Tiki Road, Coromandel
Tai chi classes Wednesday 4-5 pm at Anglican Hall

Colville Acupuncture
Every Monday 9am to 4:30pm
Colville Community Health Centre
Tai chi classes from 4-5 pm at Colville Hall

Christina Wu, ACC registered acupuncturist, Bachelor of Health Science (Acupuncture & Chinese Medicine), Tai chi teacher, brings her caring and holistic approach to serve the Coromandel community.

Phone: 021 113 4768 Email: christinawu121@gmail.com
www.corocommunityacupuncture.co.nz



COLVILLE STORE NEWS



Ph 07 866 6805

colvillegeneralstore@gmail.com

SHOP HOURS

MON, TUE, WED, THURS, SAT & SUN : 8:30am – 5pm

FRI : 8:30am – 6pm

The lovely Colville Summer continues with a welcomed drop of rain.

Local gardens are bountiful with some tasty nutritious fresh produce being sold in the Store.

We are still fully stocked with an array of goodies.

Thanks to our community for your ongoing support, we have had a great summer!

The Colville Store Team



SATURDAY
3RD APRIL 2021
6PM
COLVILLE HALL



THE BIG MUSIC NIGHT



entry \$25

UNDER 16 FREE

tickets: Colville Store

Richardsons, Coro

online:

colvilleartsfestival.co.nz

food available - cash only



Colville Tennis Club



A call to all parents of young children playing at the tennis courts. Rackets and nets have been wrecked and mess made and left for for players to clean it up before they can play.

Mind your children !



Stand Out Catches

We had a number of 'standout' catches this month.

Volunteer trapper Evan caught 2 stoats and 2 weasels on his line, which is pretty impressive considering how notoriously tricky mustelids are to trap!

Lettecia caught a feral cat in Port Charles that weighed in at a whopping 6kg! I hate to think how many native species that thing had been chewing down on...

New trapper Pete went out on his first trap line with old trapper Pete and caught a weasel, a stoat, a rat and a hedgehog (yes, hedgehogs are predators too). That's new Pete's species identification training almost sorted!

Have you ever wondered how to tell the difference between a stoat and a weasel?

Weasels are generally smaller than stoats but the most reliable way to tell the difference is the tails. Stoats have a long fluffy tail with a black tip while weasels have smaller/shorter tails with no black tip.

Stoat Facts

Stoats are members of the mustelid family, along with weasels and ferrets. They were introduced to NZ to control rabbits.

Stoats can live just about anywhere in NZ: beaches, farmland, dunes and tussock. They are fast, are very good climbers and are capable of swimming over 1km. They are voracious and relentless hunters and have been described as only having two reasons to live – to kill and to reproduce! Their litters can be as large as 12 kits, especially in a mast year when food is plentiful, but are normally around 4-6 kits. A female kit can be impregnated at just 2-3 weeks of age but her body will hold that pregnancy dormant until she is an adult. Therefore a young female stoat dropped on a predator free island could populate that island.

A stoat's main prey is birds, rabbits, rats, mice, hares, possums and insects (particularly wētā). Stoats will also eat lizards, freshwater crayfish, roadkill, hedgehogs and fish. If they get the chance, they'll kill more than they need for food and hide the rest in their den to eat later. They can kill animals much bigger than themselves and are responsible for killing about 40 North Island brown kiwi chicks every day!

If you need to purchase a stoat trap to use on your property drop us an email to order. Have a great month everyone!

Contact us at info@meg.org.nz or make a donation by visiting our website www.meg.org.nz

Huge congratulations to Melissa Warmenhoven & Ben Cowley

on the birth of a beautiful baby boy

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TOP 5 SMART WATER CONSERVATION TIPS

EVERY DROP COUNTS



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Don't run water when brushing your teeth



For cool drinking water – leave some in the fridge rather than running the tap.



Apply the 'step test' for lawns. If grass springs back, it doesn't need watering.



Use the half-flush button on your toilet

PROHIBITED FIRE SEASON



HAMES-COROMANDEL
AS OF 8AM 20 DECEMBER

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www.birth.net.nz

moehau.midwives@gmail.com



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Open friendly meeting. Anonymity assured. Please phone 021 314 467

*Northern Coro Rubbish
Collections for
March*

Tues 2



Tues 9



Tues 16



Tues 23



Tues 30



The BIZARRE

(Coromandel Resale Shop)

is offering a Community Grants Scheme. For more information go to cilt.org.nz/grants

Grants are for projects and activities that benefit the social, cultural and environmental well being of people in our community.

There are three ways to apply: After choosing which fund to apply for, you can either:

Option A. Use the online form which is submitted automatically.

Option B. Download the application form. then either drop it in to CILT at The Resource Centre, or email it as a PDF to grants@cilt.org.nz.

Option C. Pick up a paper copy at The Bizarre - Coromandel Resale Shop, or The Resource Centre, 45 Tiki Road Coromandel. Return it to The Resource Centre, once completed.

CORO MARKET



Now **OPEN EVERY FRIDAY**

Has moved to the grassy area in front of the Bike & Hire Shop. With the same beautiful, fresh veggies, tasty snacks & homegrown produce

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Any enquiries 07 866 8932

Coro Refuse & Recycling Centre.

Tuesdays & Thursdays
9 - 3.30

Saturdays & Sundays

Goldmine shop open

Thursday mornings and Sundays
525 Hauraki Rd, Coromandel.

07 866 7616

Handling rubbish, including recyclable items, illegally dumped at the gates of our Refuse Transfer Stations (RTS) outside of hours, incurs a cost for all our district ratepayers that contributes to driving up the annual rates bill.



FARM SHOP
COLVILLE VILLAGE



OPEN ALL OF MARCH

We have a great selection of beef cuts, roasts, patties and sausages available. We also have snap frozen lamb chops, lamb shanks, lamb leg roasts, and lamb rolled roasts available. Come in and try some of our delicious dishes made with the beef right off our farm.

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* Yes we are open for business *

Winter opening hours are as follows

CAFÉ—Wednesday to Sunday 10am—5pm

RESTAURANT—Wednesday to Sunday with bookings only

Darts games Saturday 13 March 6pm

CLOSED = MONDAY & TUESDAY ph 07 866 6697

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Colville Bay Pre-School

Haere Mai!

Bring your children to Pre-School for fun & learning!

Tuesday to Friday 9am to 3pm during School terms.

20 Free ECE hours for 3 years and over. WINZ subsidies available.

Term 1 ends Friday April 16

On Wednesday mornings we have a Parents & Toddlers group while our 4 & 5 year olds are at Bush Kura.

We welcome new enrolments. Come and meet us!

Phone - 07 866 8319 or 021 1133 482

Email - cbpreschool@xtra.co.nz

HIMALAYA SHOP

Hello everyone,

We will be open most weekends in March. If the flags are flying we are open.

cheers Rob & Nette

ph 07 866 7224 shop 07 866 6865 home

021 139 7838 Anette

The Forager's kitchen

2314 Colville Road, Colville

Closed Mondays

theforagekitchen@gmail.com

LIVE MUSIC

Most Friday nights -

checkout the line up and

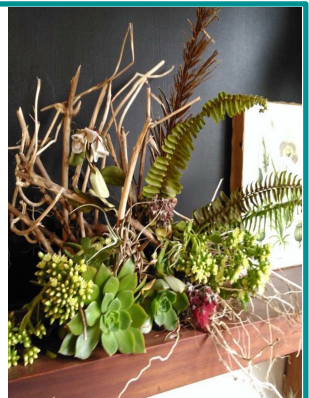
details on the Forager's

Kitchen facebook page



027 366 6986

021 186 3631





COLVILLE LAWN

PROPERTY MAINTENANCE
Seamus 021 0264 1000
colvillelawns@gmail.com

A big thank you to CSSC for the generous loan of an essential tool for me to continue with my business successfully. Also a big thank you to Dave Roberts of Colville for creating this small local business for me to roll on with and build upon.



D & K HOME IMPROVEMENT HANDYMAN

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LIFETIME GUARANTEES



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\$4 per wash \$4 for 45 minutes approx drying time.

Takes \$1 and \$2 coins.



WHATS ON IN THE NORTHERN COROMANDEL

Regular events

Enliven -	Every Thursday 10am
Yoga -	Every Tuesday Colville Hall 10am
Sunset Yoga	Every Thursday in term times with Vanessa @ Colville School Hall. 5 - 6.15pm
Daily Meditation	Free @Mahamudra Centre 8:30am - 9am (guided)
Friday nights	Forager's Kitchen. Live music early evenings 5.30pm on
Mon nights	Tai Chi classes @ Colville Hall 4pm

March dates

w/e 5-7	Weekend retreat with Venerable Khadro @ Mahamudra Centre
Sat 13	Darts at Tangiaro 6pm
Mon 22	Death Café at the Forager's Kitchen 7pm
Tues 23	Panui deadline
Sat 27 March - April 4	Sand Mandala construction @ Mahamudra Centre see pg 7
Mon 29	Applications for Coordinator for Moehau ki te Moana close

April dates

Fri 2	Colville Sings Country @ Colville Hall 7.30pm
Sat 3	The Big Music Night @ Colville Hall 6.00pm
Sun 4	Family Friendly Night @ Colville Hall 5.00pm

For details of Colville Easter Festival workshops, refer to the colourful flyer insert

Important numbers

111	Fire, ambulance, police emergencies needing immediate assistance
105	Police - for reporting incidents not requiring an immediate response
0800 CRIMESTOPPER	For reporting crime (anonymous)
0800 611 116	For medical advice or information 24/7
0800 787 797	Alcohol Drug Line 24/7
0508 828 865	Suicide Crisis Helpline
0800 543 354	Lifeline
0800 111 757	Depression Helpline: free text 4202
0800 688 5463	Outline
0800 376 633	Youthline
0800 764 766	National Poison Centre
07 8666 920	Colville Social Service Collective
07 8666 618	Colville Community Health Centre
07 8666 615	Colville School
07 8666 805	Colville General Store
07 8668 319	Colville Bay pre school
07 866 8702	Coromandel Pharmacy M-F 8.30am-5pm; Sat 9am-1pm