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Throw back to Colville Art Show







Editor

Some beautiful events we had lately. What a success and what a beautiful community! Well done to everyone involved! Luckily, more is coming!

I'm wondering, what do you like to see in the Pānui? What is important to you?

I'd love to hear from you!

Marine

Guidelines for contributions

Contributions welcome, but may not always be used. We may also edit them for clarity and space.

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

Please send in Word or Open Office (not PDF's).

Or post or drop contributions into CSSC.

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Colville Social Service Collective (CSSC) would like to



CSSC Supporters



The Colville Store Daltons The Forager's Kitchen Hereford 'n' a Pickle Lothlorien

Anchor

Youth Nights

Woodland's Honey

*@ The Colville Hall*Friends, music, chill, board games, kai

For ages 11 up

Friday 5 th November 5.30 to 7 pm

Need help with transport?

Contact Maria: colvilleyouthcdw@gmail.com

Ph: 0210634828



Baby-sitting Course



VACANCY: Community Worker

CSSC has an exciting opportunity for someone with a community focus – Community Worker.

This role will be focused on identifying and meeting the needs of people in the community, including providing advice and referrals and creating and implementing initiatives.

This is a part-time position based in our office in Colville.

For more information and a copy of the Job Description please contact the CSSC Manager's Assistant, Anne, on csscmanagersassistant@gmail.com or phone Larisa on 021 258 8037.

Applications close 5pm, Monday 8th November 2021.



VACANCY: Colville Harbour Care Nursery Manager

CSSC has a wonderful opportunity for a motivated nature lover. As the manager of CHC you would be responsible for managing the nursery, including the cultivation and sale of eco-sourced plants. This is a part-time role.

For more information and a copy of the Job Description please contact the CSSC Manager's Assistant, Anne, on csscmanagersassistant@gmail.com or phone Larisa on 021 258 8037.

Applications close 5pm, Monday 8th November 2021.

CSSC are wanting to gauge the interest of young people in attending a babysitting course early next year. This is a 5 hours course aimed at developing skills and confidence in young people, over 14 years of age, who are wanting to become babysitters. The course is provided through Plunket and would be run at CSSC at a cost of approx \$30 per student.

Contact Maria Dove at <a href="mailto:contact-worder-style-s



Do you want free trees?

Te Ūmangawhā o Ngā Waka

COLVILLE HARBOUR CARE Colville Harbour Care has teamed up with the Clean Streams Project from Waikato Regional Council.

We have 4000 native plants available for next year's (2022) planting.

How it works: You (the landowner) build a fence along a river or around a wetland to protect it from grazing stock.

Colville Harbour Care will supply the trees and plant them for free. Minimum fencing distances and tree numbers apply.

Expressions of interest close Mon 22nd November 5pm.

For details contact the CHC nursery manager chccoordinator@colville.org.nz

Thank you to everyone who joined our Potting Parties this year! Together we filled over 10,000 pots! Thank you to **The Forager's Kitchen** and **The Hereford 'n' a Pickle** for the food.

And of course, to **DJ Kerry** for keeping the vibes high!



Right2bsafe Workshop - All welcome



24th November 10am -1pm @ Colville Hall

How can I protect my child from sexual abuse/ Foundations of a family safety plan/ What to do if a child tells you about abuse/ Safer Babysitting/ New Partner/ Blended Families/ Stranger Danger/ Online safety and many more items, are included in the proposed programme for this workshop.

Please wear mask. Refreshments provided.

Register with CSSC, pop in, call 07 8666 920 or email csscmanagersassistant@gmail.com

31st October 10 -12pm **Colville Hall**

Shoreline Management Plans - Public Meetings

Information on public meetings to discuss options for adapting to climate change.

Four Coastal Panels are working to define and reduce the coastal flooding and erosion risks to our people, property and assets. This is now the "what should we be doing" stage of the project. Those public meetings are to introduce the options for each of the 4 main geographic areas on the Peninsula.

Youth group news! by Danielle Van Resseghem

Youth Group Term 3 was very exciting! Lockdown turned up one session in and so when L2 allowed us to complete the term's sessions, we had fun working collaboratively with the school and L2 guidelines. What started off as fishing and kawakawa balm making, ended with tacos, pizza and ice-cream!

A huge thanks to Colville School for letting us use the premises, and a special thanks to Shayne Mackenzie who donated more bees wax than we can make balm:)

This term we are SAILING! This is being offered to all youth in the community, those who are interested from Colville School, permission slips will be sent home with the children this coming Tuesday. Please may they all be returned by Wednesday 27 October as the first sailing date is October 30th!

As fishing was cut short last

Come sailing with us!





Youth Sailing Academy Colville and Colville Youth Group invite you to join us on the water. Come have fun and try your hand at sailing with our coaches.

When: Saturday 30th October Saturday 13th November Saturday 27th November Saturday 11th December

Time: 12:00 – 16:00 (On the water at 13:00)

Where: Otautu Bay

Bring: togs, sunhat, wetsuit (we have some), warm drink, a snack and warm clothes for when you come off the water.

Please RSVP to:

Danielle Van Resseghem Youth Group Coordinator Email: colvilleyouthgroup@gmail.com Phone: 027 571 3589

term, this will be also offered this term for those who would prefer to fish.

We appreciate all the community support and look forward to a glorious summer on or near the water :)

The Informers' Art Auction and Exhibition

FRIDAY 19TH - SUNDAY 21ST NOVEMBER

Hauraki House Gallery, Kapanga Road, Coromandel Town

Opening night and auction – Friday 19th November
Doors open 5.30pm • Auction 6.00pm

ALL WELCOME

Exhibition 20th-21st November 10.00am - 4.00pm

This is a major fundraiser for the Coromandel Town Information

* SPOT PRIZES * WINE * NIBBLES *



Colville ART Show, by Lena

Thanks to the Creative Communities Scheme for Thames-Coromandel District funding the Colville ART Show - we had a great exhibitionseveral artists sold out of the work they had on show at the hall and people went to their studios to order more.



Over half a dozen beautiful Cape Cod chairs, made by Greg Taylor, are now gracing the homes, decks and lawns of people who purchased from the ART Show. Eli Shepherd, our youngest exhibitor, sold all his Car Cards and is well on the way to getting the basketball hoop that he was fundraising for.

Thanks to all the artists, makers, and creative people for supplying such great work to exhibit. The 'Have a Go' area was successful with children and many shells, stars, tiles, linocuts, drawings and paintings were happily made, painted and created. Visitors from as far away as Motueka, Kapiti Coast, Gisborne, Cambridge and, of course, all over the Waikato and Coromandel Peninsula, came to the Colville ART Show for a look.

Colville Hall update, by Lena

Funding of \$10,000 has been received from New Zealand Lottery Grant Board (DIA) and the leak in the Hall roof is going to be fixed. People will be working on the roof at some stage in the future getting the tin screwed down tightly and hopefully stopping the rain from coming in!

David Porter has done a great job cleaning up the outside frontage of the Hall and the TCDC has been up and checked out the possibility of putting a traffic barrier in, just in front of the Hall, to stop cars parking right up close to the Hall. This is to allow a safe walkway from one Hall door to another - also they are looking at painting a safe pedestrian walkway from the Hall to the post office, and to the shop - just so the area is more clearly defined as a pedestrian area. Progress that, I hope, will come about before too long.

> Cheers. Colville Hall Secretary



Colville Tennis Club Incorporated Society

Hi everyone,

Summer is on its way! Annual subs are due for Tennis Club members. If groups and businesses would like to support the Tennis Club by having an advertising sign on the club fence, please contact Nathan, Debbie or Lorna for more information.

Colville Tennis Club AGM Sunday 14th Nov at the Tennis Club Room, 2pm, all welcome.







The Forager's Kitchen

9am - 3pm Tuesday to Sunday

Opening time is subject to change due to Covid, We are very sorry for any inconvenience.

Keep an eye open for pizza nights and more events to come.

Thank you for your support!



CALL, PUSH, SHOCK - THE DIFFERENCE BETWEEN LIFE AND DEATH

Three steps can make the difference between life and death for someone in cardiac arrest.

St John recently marked Restart a Heart Day (16 Oct), an annual global initiative aimed at highlighting the importance of taking immediate action when someone goes into Cardiac Arrest – this year focused on the 3 steps of call, push, and shock.

Last year, St John Ambulance treated over 2,000 people for a Cardiac Arrest throughout New Zealand, with only 31% of those surviving to hospital arrival and only 13% leaving hospital alive.

Cardiac Arrest can happen to anyone, regardless of age or medical history and continues to be New Zealand's biggest silent killer, with ischaemic heart disease one of the main causes of death in NZ each year.

St John Clinical Director, Dr Tony Smith says a person's survival rate drops by 10-15 percent for every minute without CPR or defibrillation—but their chances dramatically

improve the sooner CPR begins.

"St John wants everyone to have the confidence to perform the 3 steps that can double a person's chance of survival: call 111 for an Ambulance, start CPR and use an AED (automated external defibrillator). Using an AED is simpler than using a mobile phone. Anyone can do it, just turn it on and follow the voice instructions."

Learn how to locate the nearest public AED at aedlocations.co.nz or download the AED Locations app. "Last year, St John trained more than 67,000 people in CPR and how to use an AED. If you want to learn these skills, sign up for a free programme called 3 Steps for Life or book a St John First Aid course," says Dr Smith.

"If you already know CPR and how to use an AED, you can become a GoodSAM responder and be alerted to cardiac arrests in your community, so you can provide help before emergency services arrive."

New Zealand has more than 6,000 people registered as GoodSAM responders and the number of AEDs in the community is growing, with more than 5,500 registered throughout the country. That number has been bolstered at a number of Marae across New Zealand too, with gifts of AEDS into vulnerable communities by ASB with the support of Phillips and St John.

Wendy Newman, Station Manager Colville

FIRST AID COURSE

Friday 19th Nov 9am – 5pm COLVILLE HALL

\$150 – FULL COURSE \$120 – REFRESHER



Register with CSSC, pop in, call 07 8666 920 or email csscmanagersassistant@gmail.com



Whānaungatanga ~ Manaakitanga ~ Ka hikitia Effort ~ Service ~ Manners

At Colville school we have a rich local Curriculum which provides opportunities for the students to learn about the local environment and know *their* story through authentic experiences. We have been working with Briar van Dort, a local artist, to learn the traditional skills of Raranga (a plaiting technique used for making baskets and mats with flax) to share the stories of our beautiful whenua. The *Fishing Net* weaving, created by the Colville year 4-8 students, was on display at the Colville Arts Show along with their retelling of its origins.



Origin of woven fish net

The Ongohi stream has its source at the summit of Moehau and was considered as one of the waterways used extensively by the legendary patupaiarehe, the tiny fairy-folk inhabiting the area.

In those ancient times, it is said that these forest people had developed skills in hunting and fishing which were later adopted by ordinary men. It was here, according to Māori legend, that an ancestor named Kahu gained the knowledge of weaving nets.

Reference:

TE TAKOTO O TE WHENUA O HAURAKI (Hauraki landmarks) by Taimoana Turoa.

Kahu and the Patupaiarehe by Natalia Y5

Long ago there was a chief named Kahu. One night, while he was sleeping on the sand dunes of Otautu Bay, he was woken by the laughter of the patupaiarehe of Moehau mountain. The patupaiarehe were surrounding a woven flax net full of fish. Kahu knew that if he distracted them for long enough, when the sun rose, they would flee for the darkness... so

that's what he did. As the sun rose the patupaiarehe disappeared into thin air. Kahu started to untie the flax net. Once all the knots were loose, he threw the fish back into the ocean. Never to be seen again.

Kahu and the Net by Eli Y5

There was a story of a chief who discovered the net, his name was Kahu. One misty morning Kahu set north and found a lonely beach now named Waikawau. He fell asleep on a sand dune and was awoken by laughter... patupaiarehe from the dark shadows of Moehau. Despite his fear, he wanted to see what they were doing. "They are fishing with a net made of Harakeke," he whispered. Seeing as it was dark, the patupaiarehe did not notice him as he snuck in. Kahu started cutting the knots of the flax holding the fish. He knew that by morning the patupaiarehe would flee from the sun and leave their net behind. He was right! Kahu took the net to his people and taught them how to make it.

Kahu Steals the Net by Holly Y8

Kahu was travelling when he found himself stranded along Waikawau beach, just as night fell, he slept in the sand dunes. He was awoken by the sound of voices and laughter. At the edge of the water there was a group of patupaiarehe, fairy people, catching fish in a woven flax net. Kahu crept behind them hoping to steal the net and see how it was made. It was dark and he was slight like the patupaiarehe. They didn't notice him as they thought he was one of them. Kahu helped thread the gutted fish and made his knots so that they would easily come undone. His plan worked and as the sun rose the fairy people suddenly disappeared, leaving the net and all the fish.





COLVILLE BAY PRE-SCHOOL



Charity Inc.

Te Umangawha taku whare ako. *Ka whaangai, ka tupu, ka puaawai to nurture, to grow, to blossom*



Thanks Nicholas Smith for your amazing work, you are our Colville darling!

We are are proud of our rich local curriculum, treasuring our history and connections to Moehau, Tiikapa te Moana and the community. Please get in touch if you would like to contribute to our programme with cultural and educational experience for our tamariki, join the Governance Committee or get involved.

Adam Walter has passed. Peacefully. 11/5/50 - 9/10/21 by Layla

Thank you to the Colville community for your care and love of Adam over a lifetime in the 1970's and 2020's. I was with him as he passed, I knew. He knew and was at peace. It was 9.57am 9th October 2021. Exactly one year since his first cancer diagnosis. Su Askwith was present in the room nearby. Adam

chose to let go, first with a little determination but ultimately with much grace.

We welcome all children from 0-6years.

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

▶ For enrolments and inquiries please contact our Senior teacher, Esther Powell: cbpreschool@xtra.co.nz

Colville Bay Pre-school is a not-for profit charity set up as an incorporated society, owned and run by our community.

Want to support our wonderful centre?

<u>Donate online</u>: 38-9005-0803508-02.

Or volunteer hours on building maintenance.

2391 Colville Road, Colville (Behind Colville School) Ph 07 866 8319

www.colvillebaypreschool.co.nz

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schedule, 6 to 10 hours per week.
For more info, please contact
treasurer@colvillebaypreschool.co.nz

Applications close 07/11/21



He shared much affection, and his gorgeous smile in these last few weeks. We are pleased. He was in hospice care for just two days after almost three weeks at Layla's Auckland home. He'd been in the rotating care of Sally Barraud, Richard McLachlan and Su Askwith, while I, my partner Jamie and, Adam's granddaughter, Billie shared constant evening meals and regular companionship. You will notice lights on at Cabbage Bay, we have local people staying there. Due to Covid levels a cremation is planned in Auckland, followed by a Colville celebration in the future. Thank you for your messages which were conveyed to Adam. Aroha Nui Adam Henry Walter.



COLVILLE COMMUNITY HEALTH CENTRE

2299 Colville Rd, RD 4, Coromandel 3584
Phone 07 8666618. Fax 07 8666619 Text number for the clinic is 4448
Mon, Tues & Thurs 9am – 5pm/ Wed 10am - 5pm/ Fri 9am - 4pm
For the after hours service, phone the clinic number 07 866-6618.
The On Call person will be paged by the after hours service.
There is no answerphone service during the hours we are open
Please remember - If it's an emergency, dial 111



This is what our dynamic team is made up with:

Dr Kate Armstrong - Dr Annette Steele - Teresa Carrington (Nurse Practitioner) - Missy Takizaki (Practice Manager) - Lil Takizaki (Cultural Facilitator) - Rosemary Garland (Finance) - Talei Russek (Registered Nurse) - Niki Pucci (Registered Nurse) - Juliana Williams (Registered Nurse) - Diane Morreel (Registered Nurse) - Hannah White (Receptionist) - Kate Campbell (Receptionist) - Michelle Dellabarca (Relief Receptionist) - Mariana Brosnan (Relief Receptionist)

Happy November Clinic,

Dr Annette Steele's days are Monday, Tuesday and Thursday.

Dr Kate's days are Monday, Tuesday and Thursday.

There is no DR here on Wednesday or Friday, this is nurse led clinic with GP back up if needed by phone.

Prescriptions - please try and get these requests done on the days that there is a DR. Requests can be made through ManageMyHealth or by email/text as usual. Please make it clear if you will pick up from the pharmacy or have the RD bring it out.

Blood tests - only to be requested by the Dr or nurses. If you want specific tests, then these must go through our Dr's or a recall system set up by the DR or Nurse Practitioner to be followed by all staff.

Covid vaccination. Our clinic won't be administering them because Te Korowai will be doing this, however, due to the current situation please contact Hauraki PHO.

This service is supported by the clinic but looked after by Colville Community Health Trust.

Cervical Smears – we have RN Diane doing smears once a month on a Monday. Please book in if you are overdue.

Clinicians regular and upcoming:

Christina Wu – Acupuncture (Mondays) 0211134768

Rachel Benmayor – Counselling (Thurs afternoons) 0224107227

Lisa Gruythuysen – Contact care (monthly Thursday) 0274038026

Dan Judd– Acupuncture (tba – Thurs/Frid) 0220705081

Di Hayes – Homeopath (Weds monthly) 0226727938

Afterhours calls – Our staff cover the afterhours calls 24/7. If you don't get to speak to one of our team and are transferred elsewhere, please let us know.

Big Thank you to all who support our clinic.

AGM of the Colville Cooperative Society & the Colville General Store

The Annual General Meeting of the Colville Cooperative Society (CCS) and the Colville General Store Ltd (CGS) will be held on

Sunday 14th November 2021, 1pm, at the Forager's Cafe.

All membership of the CCS are invited and the meeting is open to community members.

A light lunch will be provided at 12pm before the meeting.

UCLA Report, by Reihana Robinson

The Upper Coromandel Landcare Association requests no repetition of the 2017 residual poisoning (including toxin 1080) in our backyards in the settlements of Port Charles.

The attached map, supplied by the Waikato District Health Board in response to an Official Information request, shows 27 locations of 1080 warning signs. The DHB permission was granted for placement of 1080 poison in the Port Charles residential neighbourhoods and in proximity to homes and holiday batches for a period of one year. Would this be tolerated in Coromandel town? Then why in Port Charles?

NOT IN OUR COMMUNITY, thank you.



Map supplied by Waikato District Health Board

Positive Note (temporary)

UCLA received an email in the first week of October from EcoFX (the company contracted by DOC to aerially poison Moehau) stating "Due to the Waikato district health board being inundated with the current COVID 19 situation, they are not processing any applications, Moehau included." Organic growers on Aotea (island of trappers) cleverly comment on the EcoFX email stating NO PERMISSIONS FOR AERIAL 1080 as "the only Covid outcome that has anything to do with health." The Waikato DHB under the Executive Director Māori, Equity& Health Improvement (Riki NiaNia) wrote on 20 September 2021 that "no public health permission has been granted at this time for VTA aerial and baitstation in Moehau for 2021/22." Of course the operational words are "at this time."

Sadly permissions can be granted any day, and, as we all know NO request to poison has ever been denied by the Waikato DHB.



Kia ora!

Good news - the Manuka Honey - Kumarahou tonics, are ready to go. If you are 65+ or have a health condition that leaves you with lowered immunity to viruses such as covid, colds or influenza, and would like to take advantage of this free gift, please contact Emily (colvilletrustmanager@gmail.com).

The Health Trust would like to thank the donors of the honey (Shayne & Elizabeth McKenzie) and the kumarahou (KRC Products), and the team of volunteers who gave their time to make it happen.

In the coming weeks and months, we'll be adding health supporting information to our website. If you haven't already, now is a great time to have a look and add your name to our subscribers list. It's the best way to keep up to date on our activities, and get notices of fundraising events, new articles and healthy living information arriving on the website. The website also has a link to our Givealittle page, making it easy to donate, if you would like to support what we do.

Website: www.colvillecommunityhealthtrust.com

Thank you, with your help, wonderful things happen!

Emily

A Poison-Free Coromandel is our Future: Part 2, by Stephanie McKee



Coromandel Our Backyard is an informal alliance of local landowners who practice organics, permaculture and biodynamics. And who have done their research over many years and who consciously choose to not use synthetic poisons for food growing, weed or pest control.

The Covid Pandemic has seen huge growth in home food growing, while prices of chemically grown and processed foods

in the supermarkets are rising. Local food sharing initiatives include Organic Vege Boxes (shout out to **Papa Aroha Organics!)** and CropSwap groups.

The organic sector is seeing huge growth and there's a vibrant network of regenerative farmers in Aotearoa. For more inspiration check out organicnz.org.nz and listen to Dr Jessica Hutchings, a kaupapa Māori researcher who says that growing food for one's community is a political act. She is promoting Māori food sovereignty and the system called **hua parakore** - Māori organic growing, which involves organic practices grounded in a Māori world view.

The **Global Permaculture Summit** has been inspiring to dip into last week. It's encouraging to learn, in these uncertain times, about how many visionary and future-thinking communities around the world are working to create healthy and productive food growing using innovative eco-design systems: integrating water management, shade and sun factors, soil health, plant diversity, vertical and horizontal layering, swales and terraces, greenhouses, composting systems, wicking beds and more. Back to the garden in this beautiful warming weather!

Links:

https://vergepermaculture.ca/courses/hope-knowledge-a-plan-summit/,

https://ata.land/our-projects/, www.coby.nz,

https://www.cropswapnz.co.nz/, https://organicnz.org.nz/

https://www.rnz.co.nz/national/programmes/sunday/audio/201782628/dr-jessica-hutchings

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WILD STILLNESS RETREATS with Beth & Vanessa

'Announcing our **Spring Refresh Retreat**, a women's weekend like no other! **5 - 7 Nov 2021 (a)** Mahamudra Centre'

Spring Refresh Retreat – A Women's weekend

Freshen up this spring by securing one of the 14 limited spots for this weekend. With a small, intimate group size, you can escape for



three days and two nights to connect and refresh your mind, body and soul.

Our **Retreat** is all about moving through the seasons, shedding our darkness and moving towards the light.

Connecting into the collective strength of like-minded women, **feel refreshed and clear** with a fuller heart and more relaxed way of being.

Our programme:

Daily sunrise yoga - Evening Yin yoga Guided meditations - Feminine Rituals Open Dance - Relaxing Yoga Nidra Nourishing vegetarian meals and snacks Wellness package on arrival

This retreat is open to women* 15 years and older.

No previous experience of yoga or meditation necessary.

*All individuals identifying as female and/or nonbinary welcomed.

Book by email

wildstillnessretreats@gmail.com
For more info visit
www.wildstillnessretreats.weebly.com



Mahamudra Centre for Universal Unity

2183 Colville Road Ph 07 8666851 www.mahamudra.org.nz



November Events

Retreats

Wild Stillness Spring Refresh Retreat

5-7 November

Healing the Heart Weekend Workshop: Patience and Forgiveness **12-14 November**

Lamrim Study Weekend

20-21 November

Teachings on the Heart Sutra 27-28 November

Practices

Free Drop-in Meditation

8-8.30am Mon-Fri

Guru Puja

4pm 14 November; 10am 29 November

Extensive Tara Puja

10am 12 November

Medicine Buddha Puja

4pm 19 November

"Problems come when you are not living in a natural state of mind. Then, no matter what you are doing, your mind will be on something else. You are supposed to be cleaning your house, but your mind is thinking about going to the beach and eating ice cream. That is when you run into difficulties." - Lama Yeshe

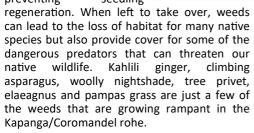


Its weed season

It's that time of year. Now well into spring, its wonderful to see so many plants coming out of their winter hibernation with signs of promising new growth everywhere.

Unfortunately, it's not just our beautiful

favourite natives and garden plants that love the spring weather. All over our local rohe. manv invasive weeds are also finding the warm wet weather, the perfect growing conditions flourish. New Zealand now has many invasive weed species that threaten the bush because they grow rapidly and can easily take over an area, displacing native plants preventing seedling





and Pete Sephton and his artwork

You can learn about the different types of weeds and how best to tackle them at Weedbusters.org, they provide tips on how to best approach weed infestations, large or small; however it always pays to get professional advice so you don't spread the problem further.

See www.weedbusters.org.nz/what-are-weeds/ controlling-weeds for more information.

Art for a cause

this vear Moehau Environment Group celebrated years since a group of locals set out to protect kiwi and native birds in te ngahere of the northern Coromandel. We celebrated this brilliant milestone with a stunning commissioned artwork by Pete Sephton who was inspired by "the 20 years of volunteer commitment to protection of wildlife on and around the maunga".

These limited edition prints are available; every purchase contributes funds towards ongoing predator control to protect our ecosystems in

our rohe, not to mention looking amazing on your wall too! Snap one up soon before it's too late. Unframed original screen prints are \$100. Email info@meg.org.nz to order.

AGM 27th November 2021 at 10am @St Johns Hall, Coromandel. All welcome.

Have a great month everyone!

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

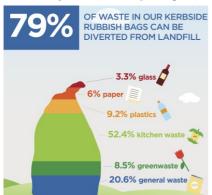
Rejuvenation of the Committee of Management, Colville Cooperative Society, by Tony Wasley

Succession planning for governance.

- We need a new generation of members to put their hand up and be a part of the governance of the Colville Cooperative Society (CCS) and its' assets. Community owned-and-run assets for the benefit of the community needs community involvement in the running and governance of the assets.
- The Committee of Management (CoM) is the governance entity of the CCS. It manages the CCS assets on behalf of the membership.
- The CoM members (positions are voluntary) are elected by the membership of the CCS at each AGM. We meet monthly and the work load is not onerous but is important.
- Some of the older, longstanding members wish to retire but also to pass on their knowledge and processes to a new generation.
- We are asking CCS members, old and new, to come to the next AGM and be prepared to serve on the CoM on behalf of the membership and the Colville Community.

Pānui November 2021

A few tips about recycling, by Jane Powell



What your recycling wheelie bin likes:

- * washed tin cans and lids
- * washed unsquashed plastic milk bottles without the lids
- * washed plastic with numbers 1 and 2
- * flattened cardboard boxes, with any plastic removed
- * loose paper gathered up (e.g. in a used paper bag) Then you will save it from going to landfill.

All clean, soft plastic that you can crunch in your hand, can be taken to a number of Countdown, The Warehouse, New World, Pak'n Save stores and other locations to be turned into fence post, ducting and other products.

Check out https://www.recycling.kiwi.nz/

Any question or interest, let's chat (at CSSC on Tuesday's)!





Wednesday & Friday 9.30am - 3pm Saturday & Sunday 9.30am - 4pm

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Under Level 2, you must be wearing a mask and scan or sign in. Also remember to sanitise when entering the store.

For those interested in casual work over summer, please ask staff for forms.

Finally, thank you for your support and stay safe!

The Colville Store team

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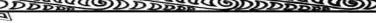
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WHATS ON IN NORTHERN COROMANDEL?

Regular events

Events might be cancelled or postponed due to Covid

Mondays Tai Chi with Christina Wu @ Colville Hall - 4.10pm at L2 & L1. max 6 people

Tuesdays Yoga with Kate @ Colville Hall - 10am at L2 & L1

Aikido for kids @ Colville Hall - 3.15 - 4.15pm

Thursdays Enliven (Social Programme for Older People) - 10am

Sunset Yoga (in term times) with Vanessa @ Colville School Hall 5 - 6.15pm

Back in November

Oct/ Nov

30 Oct Halloween Dance Party @ The Forager's - from 6pm

Youth Club - Sailing @ Otautu Bay - 12 to 4pm

31 Oct Public meeting about Climate change @ Colville Hall - 10am to 12pm

5 Nov Youth Nights @ Colville Hall - 5.30 to 7pm

8 Nov Community Worker & Harbour Care Nursery Manager Applications close 5pm

11 Nov Mobile Vaccination @ Colville Hall - 10am to 3pm 13 & 27 Nov Youth Club - Sailing @ Otautu Bay - 12 to 4pm

14 Nov Tennis Club AGM @ - 2pm

Colville Cooperative Society & Colville Store AGM @ The Forager's - 1pm

19 Nov First Aid Course @ Colville Hall - 9am to 5pm

24 Nov Right2bsafe Workshop @ Colville Hall - 10am to 1pm
27 Nov MEG AGM @ St John's Hall. Coromandel - 10am

Mahamudra Centre events - see p14

Later this year

7 Dec The Colville Project AGM @ Colville War Memorial Hall - 12pm

11 Dec Youth Club - Sailing @ Otautu Bay - 12 to 4pm

IMPORTANT NUMBERS

111	Fire ambulance, police emergencies needing immediate assistance
105	Police for reporting incidents not requiring immediate response

0800 CRIMESTOPPERS for reporting crime (anonymous)

0800 611116 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 (Whatever the issue, here to listen)

0800 111 757 Depression Helpline: free text 4202

0800 688 5463 Outline (all-ages rainbow mental health organisation support line)

0800 376 633 Youthline (free counselling services for young people)

0800 764 766 National Poison Centre

07 8666920 Colville Social Service Collective 07 8666618 Colville Community Health Centre

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07 8666805 Colville General Store 07 8668 319 Colville Bay pre school

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