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Paepae 25 Festival

Paepae 25 - New Committee Announced

We are thrilled to announce the newly elected Paepae committee for the park 2025.

I am humbled to have been chosen as the new Chairperson, taking over from the esteemed Melva Tucker. Joining me in this new leadership role are Matthew Inns as our secretary and Yasmine Allen as our treasurer, who has recently stepped into the shoes of the previous Secretary, Janine Maruera.

As a committee, we have a shared vision for the Paepae in the park - to create an experience that truly captures the essence of Waitangi Day in Aotearoa. We are committed to bringing a kaupapa-driven approach that celebrates whanau and iwi coming together to showcase the best of local talent within the region an iconic, relaxed setting.

Our goal is to deliver exceptional sound quality, stunning visuals, and a family-oriented atmosphere that leaves a lasting impression on our audience.

We aim to make the Paepae event a highlight of the year, fostering a sense of community and creating memories that will last a lifetime. As the current Paepae committee, we are dedicated to fostering collaboration, open communication, and transparency within our team.

I am confident in leading this organization to new heights and am honored to serve as Chairperson. Together with Matthew, Yasmine, and the rest of our committee, I am excited to contribute to the growth and success of our organization.

We look forward to working with the community to make the Paepae in the park 2025 a truly memorable and impactful event.

Thank you for your support and trust in our leadership. Let's make this year's event one to remember!

Neville Hinga
Paepae in the Park Chairman

Dear prospective vendors,

The Paepae committee is excited to invite food and arts and craft vendors, as well as musical/kapahaka groups or bands, to participate in the upcoming Paepae in the Park event on February 6th, 2025, in celebration of Waitangi Day.

This local community event promises to be a fantastic opportunity to showcase your talents and products to a diverse audience.

We are currently accepting stall bookings for the event, with a deadline of December 15th, 2024.

This provides ample time for you to secure your spot and prepare for the festivities. For those who prefer paper copies, forms can be obtained from the Patea Library at 128 Egmont Street. Simply inquire at the reception desk for assistance.

Don't miss out on this wonderful chance to be a part of a vibrant community celebration. We look forward to welcoming you at Paepae in the Park 2025.

Sincerely,
The Paepae Committee

SCANNED COMPLETED FORMS CAN BE EMAILED TO paepaeinthepark@gmail.com OR HAND DELIVERED TO PĀTEA LIBRARYPLUS - You will be contacted by the Paepae Committee to confirm your booking



Out with the old in with the New Newly elected Paepae committee Nev H, Yasmine A, Matthew I

Outgoing Melva Tucker & Janine M

Waverley Craft & Farmers Market

Waverley Craft and Farmers Market is run by a group of volunteers and started to provide an outlet for the community. We keep our stall fees low and our outgoings low as well. This allows us to accumulate some funds every year to give back to the community.

Last month our donations went to:
Bird Rescue, rehoming and adoption Taranaki NZ in Patea
Kiwi Kitty Kartel in Waverley
Waverley Baptist Church Food Bank

All these groups provide amazing help within our community so make sure you spread the word about the work they do.

We also gave thank you gifts to the wonderful families who allow us the use of their signboards for our market signs along SH3. It's really appreciated.

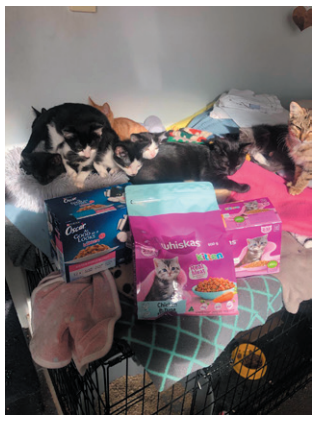
A huge thank you to all our wonderful stall holders for making this possible and all our market visitors each month.

If you would like to be part of the market as a stall holder, you can contact us at waverleymarket@gmail.com or message our Facebook page.

Our next market is 18 August from 9am to 1pm at the Waverley Community Centre.









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Sunday 4th August 10am	St Lukes' Patea Rev. Tipene Anaru
Sunday 11th August 10am	Good Shepherd Waverley Rev. Russell Smith
Sunday 18th August	NO SERVICE
Sunday 25th August 10am	Good Shepherd Waverley Rev. Brendan Gibbs Coffee Morning

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Brassey St, Waverley

August 2024 Mass Times

Sunday 4th August	9.30am
Liturgy of the Word, St Patrick's, Patea	
Sunday 11th August	11.00am
Mass, St Francis de Sales, Waverley	
Sunday 18th August	11.00am
Mass, St Patrick's, Patea	
Sunday 25th August	11.00am
Liturgy of the Word, St Francis de Sales, Waverley	

Weekday Mass Times: St Patrick's, Patea

Thursday 1st August	9.30am (Chapel)
Thursday 15th August	9.30am (School)
(Feast Day of the Assumption of Mary)	

Powering up the district

By Carl Bates, MP for Whanganui

Climate Change Minister Simon Watts recently unveiled the coalition Government's climate change strategy. One of the five core pillars of the strategy is that "clean energy is abundant and affordable".

Minister Watts visited the Whanganui Electorate the following day and looked at three projects around the electorate which focus on clean, alternative energy sources.

Clean, alternative energy sources, especially in the transport sector, are to be encouraged. They rely however on a reliable supply of electricity, and that's where the first project really caught the Minister's attention.

There's no shortage of wind in our region, and we get plenty of sunshine too, especially this summer and autumn. So a proposal to develop an onshore wind farm on rural land near the coast in South Taranaki and build what will be New Zealand's biggest solar farm has excellent potential.

It's an initiative by a group of local farmers and landowners, in partnership with an energy company. Planning is well underway, and this project has the potential to bring infrastructure and jobs to the region as well as adding power to the grid.

The Waipipi wind farm is already a landmark on State Highway Three so this proposal will complement a power source that is already in place.

The Minister later went to Q-West Boatbulders where an electric-powered passenger ferry is under construction for Auckland Transport. We then visited a local logistics company building a truck stop where electric-powered trucks can be recharged.

Minister Watts was impressed by the proactive manner Whanganui and South Taranaki businesses and individuals were embracing the need to develop clean energy projects.

Showing our willingness to look to the future and working in collaboration with the Government is the key to powering up the district.



Carl Bates and Hon Simon Watts, Climate Change Minister at the South Taranaki site.

Church of the Good Shepherd Coffee Mornings

10am at the
Church of the Good Shepherd
Waverley

Sunday 25th August 2024
Sunday 22nd September 2024

Enjoyable get together, meeting new folk, exchanging news and an interesting discussion centred on the Seafarers Mission and its value in today's world.

A Christian Word

Statistics! Who likes them, personally I find them, at times, to be very intriguing & accurate as well. Now the Bible & particularly the Old Testament, is full of prophecy & predictions, (similar) They are like soldiers on a parade ground, in full view & open to inspection by you for anything that's wrong. These prophecy's, over 300 of them, were about Jesus, His virgin birth, His crucifixion, given in detail in psalm 22, written depicting how Jesus was to be executed, they were not executing anyone by crucifixion then, this is 1000 years before Jesus was born! Amazing! The virgin birth, the death on a cross & resurrection, Isaiah & other prophets spoke about these 800 years & more, before a single event happened. Ezekiel was such a prophet, both he & another prophet, Daniel, about 27% of the Bible verses contain predictions, these two men are the highest for predictions, around ¾ of Ezekiel's predictions have come true to the letter. The statistical chances of this happening are 1 in 75 million! There are 735 separate events predicted in the Bible. Some are mentioned once or twice, one over 300 times, as mentioned Above. Of those 735 predictions, 593 or 81% have already happened. The Bible has been 100% accurate, the remaining 19% have yet to be fulfilled, going by the authenticity of Gods word, we can expect these 19% to happen & soon! Now, where does that leave you & me? In the doubter's corner, personally, I think not! My relationship with Almighty God through His only begotten Son, Jesus, happened long before Bible history proved to me, beyond doubt, the authenticity of God. The strength of my conviction, comes through what God has created & when I survey all this incredible works of His hands, yes, I worship Him & not what He has created! There is such a peace that transforms all understanding, guarding my heart & mind in Christ Jesus. No need to run with the pack, just because one's not brave enough to stop & figure things out with evidence, statistics, they all stand on the parade ground for all to see, nothing is hidden, fact is, everything will be laid bare before Him, whom we will have to give an account, as to why we chose to ignore all this evidence God has displayed on the parade ground! It kinda puts us in a place where we have no excuses!

Come Lord Jesus Edward Reeves Patea

Jesus Christ said, "I am the Way, the Truth and the Life." There is Salvation in NO other name.

Waverley Baptist Church
63 Weraroa Road, Waverley. Service at 10am every Sunday.
Email: info@waverleybaptist.org.nz Phone (text or talk): 0273 870 670

Men's Home Group.
Every fortnight. Contact Colin Prentice
06 273 8358 for time & dates. Open to all men.

JESUS SAVES

Community prayer meeting:
At church every Monday at 1.30pm
All very welcome.

Op Shop:
Wednesday, Thursday and Fridays,
10am – 1pm.
Come and take a look, or bring along any items you may have to donate. Contact Cindy Burgess (06) 346 6424.

Community Foodbank:
We are able to give up to 3 food parcels through the year to anyone in genuine need.
Please call the church on 0273 870 670.

STDC Long Term Plan Focusses on District Infrastructure

Increased spending on roads and wastewater infrastructure, a commitment to getting on with town centre upgrades in the District's smaller communities and an increase to the rates subsidy were some of the big-ticket items in the South Taranaki District Council's 10-year Long Term Plan, which was adopted at today's (Monday 8 July) extraordinary Council meeting.

The Plan's adoption follows a month of public consultation which saw the Council receive 235 submissions and a clean audit opinion.

At the meeting, Deloitte Partner Assurance and Advisory Bennie Greyling thanked South Taranaki District Council elected members and staff involved in the process of completing the Long Term Plan 2024 – 2034.

"Congratulations," says Mr Greyling. "From our perspective it's a clean audit opinion which is good."

South Taranaki Mayor Phil Nixon says the District is on an upward trajectory and the Council's Long Term Plan is about maintaining that momentum while also doing what's needed to look after the District's assets.

"In the feedback received, our residents have told us that they want to see better roads, our towns amenities and gardens looking good and an improved dog control service. In response, over the next three years, we're increasing our roading expenditure, have committed to continuing town centre upgrades in Hāwera, Manaia, Eltham, Ōpunakē, Pātea and Waverley, and have budgeted to increase resources in the animal control team," he says.

Of the 235 submission received, 71% supported more money spent on roading, 82% supported an increased rates subsidy, 54% supported earthquake strengthening Eltham Town Hall to 67% of the New Building Standard and 79% supported increasing user fees and charges.

"The big challenge for us is how we afford to do this at a time when local government is facing unprecedented cost increases".

Like households and businesses across the country, Council is facing increased costs for the things we buy. Local government inflation has risen by around 20% over the last two years and continues to rise. Fuel, bitumen, electricity, construction, and insurance costs have all increased considerably - in some cases contractors' costs have increased up to 60%. Higher interest rates have increased the cost of borrowing and paying back debt and compliance costs driven by government requirements have meant we need to spend a lot more on our infrastructure.

This means we need to pay more just to keep doing what we are already doing, without adding anything else," says Mayor Nixon.

Mayor Nixon says the Council worked tirelessly to find savings across all activities to keep the rates increase as low as possible, including reducing budgets for things like the Hāwera Town revitalisation project, tourism, and events, delaying some non-urgent capital projects works, increasing borrowing and the amount Council's Long Term Investment Fund subsidises rates each year by an additional $350k.

Despite this, the average total rate increase for the 2024/25 Year is 11.1% with an average rate increase over the next ten years of 5.41%.

"We know the rate increase will be really hard for a lot of ratepayers. It's higher than what we want and higher than we've had over the previous ten years, but it reflects what it costs to simply maintain existing services while ensuring our critical infrastructure meets our community's needs and government requirements," says Mayor Nixon.

"If we don't maintain our assets well, they will cost us more in the long term if we have to replace them sooner than expected or all at once. You don't have to look hard to see places around the country where years of underinvestment by councils has led to unacceptable infrastructure failures and we don't want South Taranaki to be in that situation," he says.

The skyrocketing costs are affecting councils right across the country.

"Councils are acutely aware they need to balance the need for investment with affordable increases, but the pressure has reached a tipping point and I think we need to have a national conversation about local government funding – including the value of the services councils provide to communities," says Mayor Nixon.

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McBroom Estate Bequest 2024

The McBroom Estate allocates funding for health and disability benefits for the Waverley and Patea communities. The Estate is administered by the Taranaki District Health Trust Committee (formerly Taranaki District Health Board Trust Fund Committee).
Two members from the Trust and two community representatives – Marie Dwyer and Gillian Lennox – met in June to allocate the available funds of $43,084.22. A balance of $184.22 will be carried forward to next year's allocation round.

The successful applications to receive funding for 2024 are listed below:

APPLICANT	FUNDING TO BE USED FOR	AMOUNT FUNDED
Kakaramea School	Funding towards school sports tops	$1,500.00
Patea Bowling Club	Funding towards accessibility aids	$1,400.00
Patea Carlyle Pony Club	Funding towards Level 2 First Aid Certificates	$3,000.00
Patea Kindergarten	Funding towards outdoor gear	$3,000.00
Patea Old Folks Hall Association	Funding towards replacement entrance door emergency exit doors	$5,000.00
Waverley Bowling N.I. Inc	Funding towards mobility aids	$1,000.00
Waverley Croquet Club	Funding towards replacement mowers	$4,000.00
Waverley Playcentre	Funding towards replacement bark in play area	$10,000.00
Waverley Festival Society Inc.	Funding towards Waverley SummerJam community concert	$5,000.00
Waverley Seniors Exercise & Social Group	Strength and balance exercise programme delivered weekly to support elderly	$9,000.00

Total: $42,900.00

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Since I first wrote the Waverley books the internet has exploded giving much more access to research material than could ever be imagined in 1983 when I wrote my first Waverley book. For this reason I intend to write a series of articles called "Waverley's Forgotten" which will update the information I previously gathered and inform newcomers to the district of aspects of Waverley's past. Laraine Sole

The Forgotten - The Early Commercial Hotels

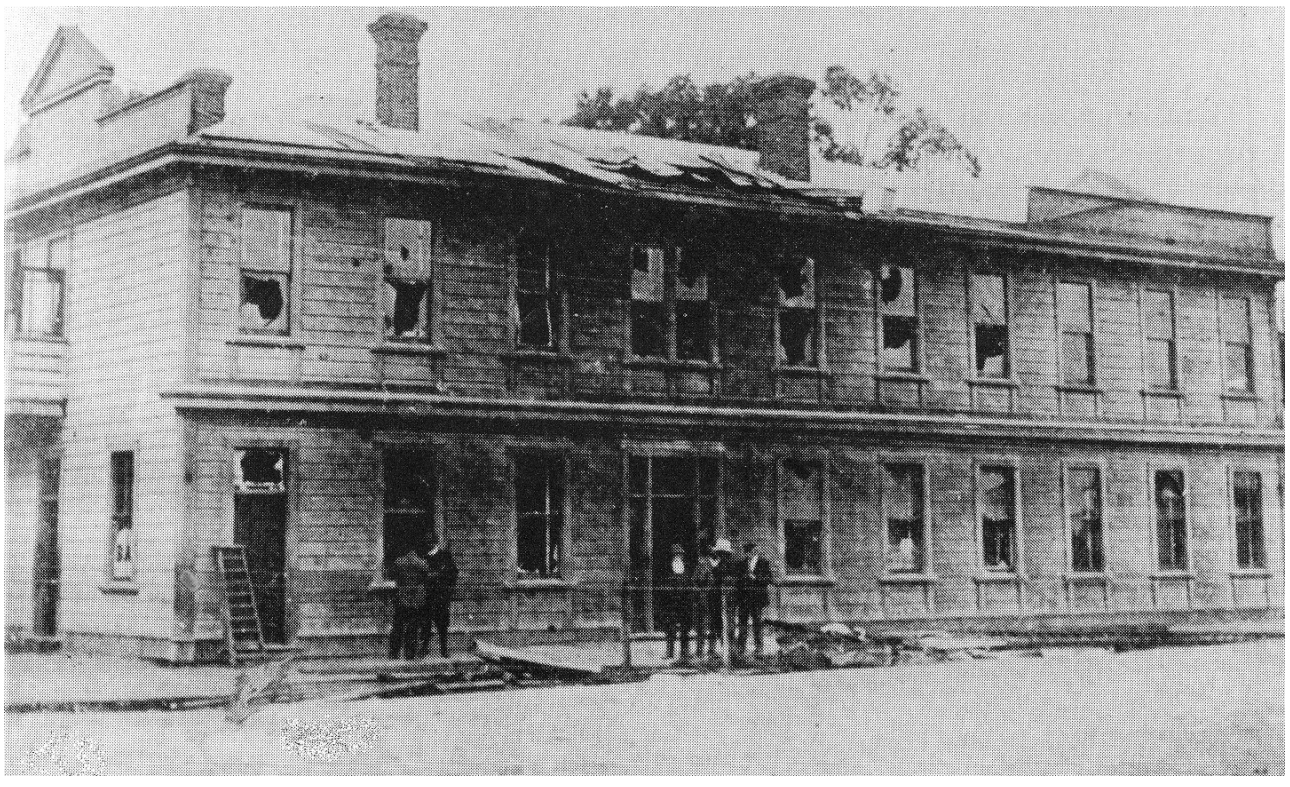
In May 1909 the dominant building in the town was that of the Waverley Hotel. By January 1891 it was known as the Commercial Hotel and after extensive alterations in 1878 had become a commodious building containing about forty rooms including a large dining-room and billiard room. Down an alleyway beside the hotel were the Commercial Stables. Not just man but beast was accommodated in style in those days. The building was owned by Mrs Ellis of Waverley, from whom Mr Calcmer, Inglewood, held a lease. The current landlord, Mr Smith, had the sub-lease and had recently refused a substantial offer for it which he had turned down – something he would soon regret.

At 1:30 am on Tuesday June 1st 1909, businessman Mr Muir who lived on Brassey St noticed smoke emanating from the Commercial Hotel and ran down to the fire station next to the present petrol station to ring the fire bell. Unfortunately after tolling just a few times the bell cracked, so a runner was sent for Captain Bishop of the fire brigade. However a good number of townsfolk did hear it and ran to the scene. Meanwhile at the hotel, some of the guests had woken to dense smoke and gave the alarm. A crowd of willing helpers which had arrived on the scene helped Mr Smith to remove some the furniture from the building but they were hindered by the dense smoke. However, some of his books were saved though the ledger was destroyed. Such was the panic that many of the guests escaped only in their nightwear although six men did manage to gather their belongings. There were five women staying at the hotel, and after removing horses and vehicles to safety, Mr J. Fogarty of the Commercial Stables turned his attention to assisting them to safety. No sooner were they out than the fire, which it was later discovered started in the kitchen, broke through the ceiling into the upper storey. The heat was so intense that it could be felt for a distance of over one hundred yards and the wet green grass in Bear St was scorched until it caught fire as did the rimu kerbing which retained the footpath on the main road. The flames lit up the district for miles catching the attention of the Wairoa Light Horse which were encamped at the racecourse, and a party of them galloped into town (most of them bareback) to join the fire brigade which had arrived, and realising the futility of saving the Commercial, turned their attention to the Clarendon Hotel. Red hot sparks had blown onto its frontage setting it alight and Captain Bishop organised a bucket brigade to combat the fire inside the building,

All the windows were breaking with the heat as a number of residents headed by Constable O'Brien and others, assisted in the fire fighting and salvage operations. Not only did the fire brigade lack protective uniforms and helmets but their efforts were hampered by the fact that their small pumping engine lacked the ability to throw water to the height of the upstairs windows. A group consisting of Duncan McMcDonald, Jim Elmslie, E. P. Blake, T. Vince, and Firemen B. Fama, R. Langdon, A. Dixon and E. Miller climbed onto the roof armed with buckets of water, wet blankets and axes and succeeded in preventing the fire from completely gutting the building by cutting down the parapet. They also removed iron from the roof so the firemen could carry their hose up a ladder and aim water at the flames licking at the ceilings of some of the upstairs bedrooms. It was these actions which saved the building from destruction. By 3:00 a.m. the fire at the Clarendon had been subdued, and the Commercial Hotel was reduced to a heap of blazing ruins. Happily no loss of human life occurred, but the Commercial hotel had fatalities nevertheless. Five canaries, two parrots, and a dog were burnt to death. Heroes of the fire were Ted Miller of the fire brigade along with Jim Elmslie and Duncan McDonald of the Wairoa Rifles



Boys on the main street outside the Commercial hotel celebrating the end of the Boer War. They have an effigy of the Boer politician Kruger placed on the reel owned by the Waverley Fire Brigade. The boy holding the child is Micky Lea holding one of the Price children. Next to him behind the wheel is Jimmie Wilcox. The man with the pipe is Bob Sinclair and second from right Norman Plummer. Photo: Laraine Sole collection.



The Clarendon Hotel after the fire. Photo: Laraine Sole collection

The fire fighters were exhausted by their efforts and thankfully partook of a provisions kindly provided by Mrs O'Neill, presumably at the Clarendon.

The town was extremely lucky that other buildings had not been collateral damage. The Bank of New South Wales (on the site of the present Police Station) separated from the hotel by only a section, had a lucky escape. The fence next to the bank had caught alight but Lieutenant Williams succeeded in cutting it away from the building. The bank's frontage was scorched and all its windows cracked but it was otherwise unscathed. Mr Merriman, whose shop was next door to the bank, saved his plate glass by covering his windows with a cloth shade but Mr Eames the chemist next to him had cracked windows. Had there been a high wind, it was likely that not a business in the main street would have been left standing.

The lack of firefighting equipment was concerning and discussed at length after the fire. Captain Bishop thought that if the brigade had owned an engine capable of throwing 150 gallons of water per minute probably half the Commercial Hotel would have been saved. It was also noted that Waverley had tanks with a holding capacity of 15, 000 gallons and less than one third of that quantity was used that Tuesday morning. It was not water that was lacking, but the means of pumping it at a serviceable rate.

Waverley rallied around the survivors feeding them and clothing them, and Messrs Muir and Butts especially rendered every assistance throwing open their homes to them. On Tuesday morning after the fire small groups of sufferers wandered about disconsolately surveying the scene of their misfortunes. Several ladies were hatless, but the men were worse off. Most had no socks and one poor unfortunate still wore his pyjamas under his suit. One of the worst affected by the fire was Miss Kerr. She was engaged to be married and due to leave for England in a few weeks. She lost her wedding trousseau, money and jewellery – even her engagement ring which she had taken it off her

finger for the first time that night. It was recorded that she “bore her sufferings nobly and without a murmur”. She was probably just in shock.

The telegraph wires in front of Commercial were all destroyed, but the Telegraph Department quickly had men on the spot attending to them. Although the stock and furniture in the hotel were well-insured, the hotel itself was only insured for £900 – about half its value. The damage in the Clarendon Hotel was about £250 and repairs to that hotel were completed by the end of June. Landlord Smith quickly re-opened in temporary buildings next to the hotel and the owner immediately called for plans for a new hotel. These were Depression years and perhaps due to the shortfall of insurance money a smaller hotel was envisaged. The chairman of the licensing committee had reservations that there would not be enough accommodation but was reassured that the new hotel would take up less room than the old one but would still have thirteen bedrooms – the same as the old one. An added bonus was that a septic tank would be installed rather than the previous cess-pit the hotel had.

By December of 1907 the new Commercial Hotel was finished and The Wanganui Herald enthused on December 2nd that, “The above well-known and popular hostelry which was destroyed by fire some months ago, has just been rebuilt, and is now one of the most up-to-date hostelries in the Dominion. On the ground floor there is the dining-room, a well furnished room, 27ft. 6in. x 17ft., well ventilated and lighted. The large kitchen is complete with every device that will facilitate good cooking, and the sanitary arrangements are the latest in every particular. The comfortable commercial room, 17ft. x 14ft., and the very fine billiard room should greatly add to the enjoyment of visitors. There are also three cosy parlours downstairs. The public and private bars are well designed, and are well filled with a large stock of the best wines and spirits, and Speights' XXXX ale. Upstairs there are 13 well furnished bedrooms, a homely sitting-room, a bathroom, and all the latest sanitary appliances that are found in a first-class hotel. The ceilings in all the principal rooms are of stamped steel, and a fire escape runs all round the building. Great credit is due to Messrs G. L. Maclachlan, architect; E. Coles, builder; Halligan and Moosman, plumbers and Hughes, Allomes, and Tarrant, the painters, for the efficient manner in which they carried out their respective duties. Mr and Mrs Smith, the popular host and hostess have made many friends in Waverley and visitors can rely on receiving the utmost attention and every home comfort.



Drivers and cars of the Wanganui Automobile Club line up outside Smith’s new Commercial Hotel on 30th March 1911. To the left is the sign for Linklater’s Commercial Stables. Photo courtesy Alexander Turnbull Library.

By the Great Depression the owner of the building was Mrs K. Gawne of Timaru and the licensee Mr. L. C. Buckenham. They say history repeats itself and in the case of the Commercial Hotel this adage holds true. In the early morning of May 1st 1933, the hotel again caught fire. As before, the occupants were lucky to escape with their lives and nothing was saved, and once again, the fire brigade which arrived to see the hotel ablaze and finding the outbreak beyond control, turned their efforts to saving the Clarendon Hotel. This was successful with only smoke and water damage. The Commercial’s licensee suffered a considerable loss so it did not sound as though he had much, if any, insurance,

The hotel was rebuilt – this time in reinforced concrete and brick with a tiled roof. It designed by Messrs Piper and Brooker of Auckland, contained twenty rooms, and was constructed by Messrs Walpole and Patterson of Wanganui. It then reverted to its original name of the WAVERLEY HOTEL which it retained until its closure.

Waverley's Forgotten Series

May 2023	Dickie's Flour Mill
June 2023	Two Messages in a Bottle
July 2023	Early Maori Carvings
August 2023	Herewini Whakarua and Iwiora Tamaiparea
September 2023	Waverley's Flax Millers
October 2023	NZ Cup Winner Halberdier
November 2023	The Wairoa Rifles and The Wairoa Redoubt
December 2023	The Nukumaru Hotel (Handley's Hotel)
January 2024	Rewi Alley
February 2024	An Interesting Life - Ann Elmslie
March 2024	Our Boer War Soldiers
May 2024	Two Heroes: Frederick Keger and James McGregor Elmslie
June 2024	The Genesis of Dallison's
July 2024	The Waverley Tragedy

New Waverley Town Belt Pathway Begins

A second Waverley revitalisation project got underway this week with the with the development of a pathway through the town belt.

The pathway, which starts at Aotea Park and extends north towards Waitangi Road, will be built in stages with the first section of stage one running from Aotea Park to Dallison Park. Work on this stage is to be completed in August.

Subsequent stages include a pathway with boardwalks in a restored wetlands area to the east of Dallison Park.

In addition, a pump track will be installed later in the year in Aotea Park, further enhancing Waverley's recreational infrastructure.

South Taranaki Mayor Phil Nixon says the pathway project represents a significant investment in Waverley's future, ensuring a vibrant, inclusive space for community members to enjoy.

“One of the Council's key social and economic initiatives is to improve vibrancy, amenity and connectedness in our smaller towns like Waverley, Pātea, Eltham, Manaia and Ōpunakē and we have budgeted $10.6 million to do this work,” says Mayor Nixon.

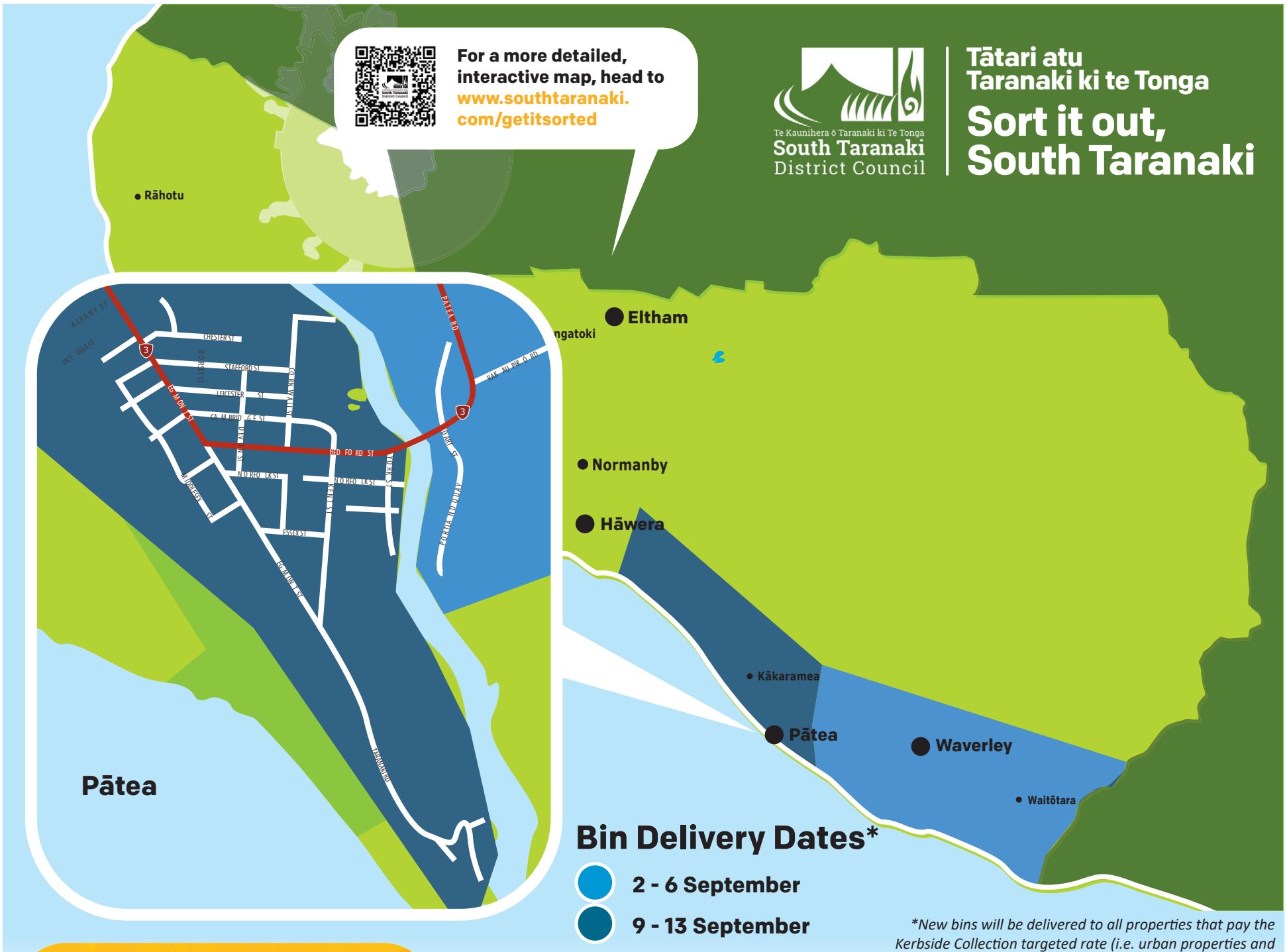
“This replicates the town centre revitalisation work we have been doing in Hawera and has been funded from our Long-Term Investment Fund fluctuation reserve, so there is no direct impact on rates to do these projects.”

“Waka Kotahi, New Zealand Transport Agency has also contributed $200,000 to our Waverley pathway which we’re very grateful for and has helped progress the project,” he says.

Mayor Nixon says the idea for a pathway first came from the community back in 2019 when a track for walking, running, cycling, and horse riding was first identified.

Last week work started on installing four pedestrian refuges along Waverley's main street, including new lighting, bins, gardens and decking outside the Hind Quarters Cafe as part of the town’s revitalisation projects.





Bin Delivery

Pātea, Waverley & surrounds

2 - 13 September

What you need to know:

- The delivery of four new bins to serviced properties starts on Monday 5 August and will continue for six weeks until 13 September.
- They will be delivered to your kerbside.
- Each bin has your address clearly labelled, so please bring them onto your property and store them somewhere safe until October.
- Continue to use your current set of bins until the end of September. They will be collected some time after your final kerbside pickup, we will let you know what's happening after we've received the plan from our contractor. Please don't use your new bins before 1 October as they won't be collected.

Find out more about bin deliveries, the new collection and an interactive map online

www.southtaranaki.com/getitsorted



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New Bins Delivered in August for South Taranaki Residents

Properties serviced by the South Taranaki District Council's (STDC) kerbside recycling and rubbish collection will start receiving their new bins over a period of six weeks, with the first being delivered to Eltham and Kaponga residents from Monday 5 August.

Properties will receive:

- **One 140 litre red-lidded wheelie bin for general waste (up from 120L)**
- **One 240 litre yellow-lidded wheelie bin for mixed recycling (up from 140L)**
- **One blue glass recycling crate (same size)**
- **One 23 litre food scraps bin (new bin)**

The new bins are being delivered following the appointment of a new waste contractor, Waste Management NZ, who start the new service on 1 October.

"As you can imagine, dropping off a set of four bins to nearly 9,000 properties all over our District is quite a big job and will take some time to complete," says STDC works delivery manager, Rahul Sharma. "Because of this, our new contractor will be delivering the bins over the next six weeks so that everyone has theirs before 1 October, when the new service starts. This does mean some residents will need to store their new bins for up to two months."

"We know that this could be a bit of a challenge for some residents who won't necessarily have a lot of space, but we ask people to do their best during this time. We have tried to make the delivery timeframe as short as possible, given the logistical challenges."

"When you get your bins, be sure to have a look inside your food scraps bin, as you'll find an information guide to the collection service as well as a calendar that'll help you with the changes once 1 October rolls around."

Sharma says Council's current waste contractor (EnviroNZ) will collect the old bins, which they own, sometime after the new service starts on 1 October.

"EnviroNZ are working on a plan to collect all the old bins and we'll let residents know about how this will work closer to the time."

What you need to know:

- **The delivery of the new bins to serviced properties starts on Monday 5 August and will continue for six weeks until 13 September.**
- **Four new bins will be delivered to your kerbside.**
- **Each bin has your address clearly labelled, so please keep an eye out for these and bring them onto your property as soon as possible and keep them safe until you need to start using them from Tuesday 1 October.**
- **Go to www.southtaranaki.com/getitsorted to find out what week your delivery will be.**

Last year Council reviewed its kerbside collection service prior to tendering for a new contract starting in October 2024.

Public consultation was undertaken which covered changing bin sizes, weekly or fortnightly collections and introducing a food scraps service.

777 submissions were received with the public split near even 50/50 between those wanting weekly and fortnightly collection.

"It wasn't an easy decision but ultimately, we felt the fortnightly option provided the best balance between keeping costs down (fortnightly was considerably cheaper than weekly collection) while encouraging people to reduce waste and send less waste to landfill," says South Taranaki Mayor Phil Nixon. "We are simply sending too much waste to landfill, which is not sustainable either environmentally or financially."

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Fantastic freshwater feedback from Taranaki communities

Around 550 people have attended Taranaki Regional Council's freshwater drop-in sessions at the 16 events held around the region over the past two weeks.

The drop-in sessions, which ran from 17 June to 1 July and covered the main urban centres as well as smaller rural locations, were a chance for communities to chat with Council staff about the future of freshwater.

The focus now shifts to online community conversations with a Zoom meeting on 3 July and surveys around key freshwater issues including E. coli, sediment, nutrients, farm practices, water allocation and earthworks available at www.trc.govt.nz/helpshapetherules

Chair Charlotte Littlewood praised the high quality, informed and forthright feedback provided by visitors to the drop-in sessions which will be invaluable when the Council sets out targets and limits in a new Land and Freshwater Plan for Taranaki.

"We've been absolutely delighted with the terrific turnout at the drop-in events around the maunga," said Mrs Littlewood.

"It's not just about the quantity though. Those attending have really engaged with our staff and had open and honest discussions about their concerns and hopes for our rivers and streams.

"We held these sessions to be able to listen to communities, farmers, environmental groups, tamariki, business people and everyone who cares about our waterways, and they have provided vital feedback that will shape the rules around freshwater management."

The first event, in Ōkato on 17 June, saw people queueing outside the door before the session had started and was the most well attended with more than 60 people packing Hempton Hall.

The drop-in sessions were held far and wide including events in rural communities such as Kaponga, Urenui, Uruti, Waitōtara, Tarata and Te Wera as well as in the main centres including Hāwera, Stratford, Waitara, Inglewood and two events in New Plymouth.

"I'd like to say a huge thanks to all those who came along and made these events such a success," added Mrs Littlewood.

"This once again shows that our communities are invested in improving Taranaki's environment. A huge amount of fantastic work has already been done and we know people want to join us on the journey to achieving positive environmental outcomes in the future."

The Zoom webinar will give attendees the opportunity to listen to Council staff and ask questions. To attend this event, log on via https://zoom.us/j/93539235268. The webinar ID is 935 3923 5268.

The online community conversation runs until 2 August and there are two $200 Prezzy Cards up for grabs for those taking part.

BELOW:

TRC staff, from left, at the Stratford drop-in session: Community Engagement Adviser Denise Rowland, Land and Soils Scientist Brian Levine, Communications and Engagement Manager Jose Reader, policy analysts Adelaide Campbell and Bridget Mestrom, Water Quantity Scientist Fiona Jansma, Water Quality Scientist Angela Collins, Regional Planning Lead Grace Marcroft and Strategy Lead Finbar Kiddle.



Haworth & Harris Limited, Patea

The following article was researched by Heather Moore and includes memories told to her by her father Ian Revell Fowler (1915-2011) who was born in Patea.

The Haworth & Harris grocery store on the corner of Egmont and Bedford Streets in Patea was once a bustling hub where housewives, often accompanied by their young children, could chat with other customers and catch up on the latest news as they waited for their list of groceries to be selected from the shelves behind the counter by the shop's assistants. It was built by Samuel Taplin in 1883 and he traded there until selling to James McKenna about 1894.



Ian Fowler with the Haworth & Harris delivery truck.



Ian Fowler behind the counter at Haworth & Harris



Haworth & Harris at the top of Bedford Street, now the empty section beside McCarty & Hungers.



Patea Auction Mart on the corner of Meredith & Egmont Street, now the carpark at Mobil.

Haworth Store beginnings

James McKenna was in business for over two decades, then the Store was purchased in 1925 by Mr James Haworth and he was later joined by Mr Ernest William Gregory Harris.

In 1918 James Haworth was the manager of the Patea Farmers' Trading Association. In February 1921 he and Mr T Keane acquired the business of this firm and went into partnership as **Haworth and Keane** in a store in Egmont Street. The partnership dissolved in November 1924 and the business continued as **Messrs Haworth Limited** until becoming **J Haworth & Fitzwater Limited** in late 1925, trading on the corner of Bedford and Egmont Streets. Mr W Fitzwater previously had a shop on the corner of Oxford and Egmont Streets selling fruit, confectionary, ice-cream and summer drinks.

In mid-1924 Ernest W G Harris moved from Hawera with his family to Patea. Following the termination of the Haworth and Fitzwater store, Ernest went into partnership with Mr Haworth in July 1927 under the name of **Haworth and Harris Ltd.** This is where my father Ian Revell Fowler (1915-2011) began working as a grocery boy at Haworth and Harris in 1930, soon after leaving Hawera Technical High School. His first job however was as an auctioneer's assistant for Mr J A Haswell at the Patea Auction Mart. His task was to carry various items around the bidders to show them what was on offer. He also cleaned and tidied up articles that came in for auction, such as cleaning bikes and painting prams, and worked in the small attached grocery shop weighing up stock and serving customers.

With this experience Ian was successful in getting employment at Haworth and Harris. In those early days one of his jobs was delivering groceries all over Patea by bicycle with its distinctive small front wheel to accommodate the large basket in front. A fully laden basket was very heavy and made the bike difficult to steer for a young boy. He biked up and down Patea's steep hills in all weathers; rain, hail, blustery wind or sweltering heat, the deliveries had to be made. Ian whistled as he cycled up to the customer's homes, forewarning them that he was arriving with their groceries.

Haworth and Harris gave customers credit and consequently in the poor economic climate of the 1930s depression their business dwindled. Ian had to cycle to customers' homes and personally take orders on a strictly cash basis. He needed to keep up a steady flow of orders and always be on the lookout for more business, even encouraging his regulars with the offer of a 1/3d bar of chocolate if they introduced him to more customers. After a number of years Ian was finally allowed to drive the delivery truck - a memorable and welcome day for him.

Haworth and Harris was a grocery from the old school – it was here that Ian learned to look after customers - to give them good service and to always put their interests first. Ian served behind the shop counter, in those days customers called out the items they wanted and the shop assistants speedily collected the items, some needing to be weighed and bagged, then wrote-up the docket and mentally added up the column of figures.

Ian worked at Haworth and Harris for seven years, gaining a good grounding in the grocery business. About 1938 he was appointed manager of the Cut Rate Providers Store in Hawera which was later bought out by Maypole Stores. He travelled to Hawera each day in a Baby Austin 7, taking 45 minutes. When petrol rationing was introduced at the beginning of the war Ian left Patea to board in Hawera.

One of Ian's younger sisters, Alma Lord (1923-2018) worked as a shop assistant and office clerk at Haworth & Harris when she left school. Later Alma married Ron Sutcliffe who also worked at the store for a time, and went on to run the Alton Store from 1948 – 1975.

James Haworth

In May 1929, after 12 years in Patea, James Haworth retired from the business and moved with his wife Charlotte to Hawke's Bay. It was reported in the Patea Mail on 9th February 1931 "that Mr and Mrs Haworth, formerly of Patea, were safe in Petone." The previous day the catastrophic Napier earthquake shook the Hawke's Bay province. This event was probably the catalyst for them returning to live in Patea and by the end of the year James had applied for a section at Patea beach where they continued to live out their retirement. Mr Haworth

Haworth & Harris Limited, Patea cont.

was very involved with the Patea community. He was a Patea Borough Councillor, a member of the Star of Egmont Lodge, was the vice-president of the Municipal Band and served on a number of sporting committees and the Patea Beach Improvement Society, also being employed as caretaker of the beach pavilion over the summer season. He was sought after for many years as a popular MC at balls and concerts and was frequently asked to perform as a singer at many local events.

James and Charlotte Haworth immigrated to New Zealand in 1909 on the SS Ruapehu. James was born in Lancashire, England in 1872 and died on 11 May 1956. He married his wife in 1892. Charlotte (nee Crook) was also born in Lancashire and died on 13 June 1942 aged 75. They are buried in the Patea Cemetery. It appears that they had no children.

Ernest William Gregory Harris

After James Haworth left Patea in 1929 Ernest Harris continued the business under the Haworth and Harris name until moving back to Hawera in 1937.

It is likely that Ernest began his grocery career as a youth in the Hawera store owned by his father Henry Edgecombe Harris. Mr H E Harris and his family shifted from Whanganui to Hawera in 1900. He bought a grocery business in High Street in May 1903. The shop, called the Ready Money Store, was formerly owned by Mr A H Parkinson. In late 1905 he took over Mr B C Robbin's store in High Street, The Nimble Sixpence, merging it into the Ready Money Store. In 1911 Henry re-named his business H E Harris, Grocer. In September 1920 Henry's business was acquired by the Farmers Co-op Organisation Society. Henry Harris died in October 1932 and he and his wife Louisa (nee Orsman) are buried in the Hawera Cemetery.

Ernest Harris and his wife Elizabeth Mary (nee Trask) had two children when they moved from Hawera to Patea in 1924 – Charles Ernest Edgecombe (born 1909) and Ruby Mildred (born 1912 - Mrs Hammonds). Their youngest child Paul Desmond was born in Patea in October 1924. They also had a still-born daughter, Elizabeth Mary (1923). During their years in Patea Ernest and Elizabeth Harris were keen golfers, Ernest serving for a period as president of the Patea Golf Club and Elizabeth as Club Captain. Ernest was also involved in activities and meetings of the Patea business community.

Charles Harris

Ernest's son Charles worked at the Harris and Haworth store for a number of years until 1935 when he took up a position in Wellington. Charles married Winifred Mary Hurley of Whenuakura in 1936 and they had two children, Dale and Keron. Charles and Winifred are buried at the Makara cemetery in Wellington. Charles was a retired chartered accountant.

Clenn Keheley

Following the resignation of Ernest Harris in June 1937 the business continued under the Haworth and Harris name for a time and was run by Mr Clenn (Clennell Marson) Keheley for many years. Clenn died in 1967 and he and his wife Ethel are buried at Awanui Cemetery in New Plymouth. Clenn's brother R J (Joe) Keheley was also in the grocery business and owned Empire Stores in Egmont Street, Patea. Joe built the concrete building now known as the Patea Hangi Shop.

The grand two-storied Haworth and Harris building on the corner of Bedford and Egmont Streets was eventually demolished and is now a vacant site.

Pātea Historical Society AGM

Presidents Report

7pm, Tuesday 16 July 2024 at the Hunter Shaw, Pātea.

Tēnā koutou, Nga mihi nui ki a koutou, Ladies and Gentlemen I have much pleasure in presenting the 56th annual Presidents Report of the Pātea Historical Society, the 10th year that I have been in the position of President of this amazing society.

Firstly I'd like to acknowledge the dedicated members of our committee that keep the organization going throughout the year, and come up with more ideas and projects to work on. Our current Pātea Historical Society team is: Jim Baker, Dave Crompton, Michael Parsons, Harvey Gibbs, Rob Groat, Bronwyn Wattrus, Don Stockwell & myself. And our patron is Howard Anderson. Howard is only ever an email away if I have questions about history of our district.

In our 57th year the current membership of the society stands at around 70 members from all over the country. Our annual accounts have been compiled by Hughson & Associates, our honorary accountant. Pātea Historical Society supports Aotea Utanganui, our Museum, with two appointed members on the trust, Dave Crompton and Jim Baker. We gave a lump sum donation of $15,000 in advance in 2022 to assist with the new building out the back, and will continue with our usual annual operational funding of $3000 per year in 2027.

I'll now run through a few things that we were a part of since our last AGM on 2 August last year:

We were meant to be part of the Heritage Taranaki month programme at the end of October last year, but unfortunately had to cancel our feildtrip to Ohangai Pa at the last minute due to unexpected circumstances.

Over the summer we did a lot of work with locating where all the homes were at Patea Beach from the early days until now. Using old aerial maps and knowledge of Noeline Kerrisk etc we now have a good idea of most of the people who lived there.

On the 6th of January we hosted the Whanganui Summer Program, as we do every year. This year we went to the old Gibson homestead – The Pah, Brian & Kath kindly showing us around the property and all the amazing work they have done.

Trish Rossiter came to Patea on 20 January to launch her well researched book about her grt grt grandfather Thomas Skinner, Methodist Minister based in Pātea in the late 1840's. Afternoon tea was held at the library to mark the event and she spoke to us about the years of work involved in finding out as much as she could about him. That evening we attended karakia at Pariroa Pa with Trish and her husband Martin.

In February Dan Mills from Prague painted a beautiful Mural on the side of McCarty & Hungers Building. Pātea Historical Society organised the project and funding for it. Michaela Stoneman worked with Dan to ensure the layout of the design would work. It incorporates aspects of our industrial history, with a perfect likeness of Johnny Hunger working at the forge, and plants, birds & a whale from our environment. Dan is coming back next summer to do another mural on the side of the Chemist. It will incorporate images of the original building on that site, apothecary herbs, ancient Māori healing plants etc. We have already secured $6000 toward it from Toi, it will cost around $10,000.

We are in the process of getting the Fly Wheel restored and reinstated beside the Mural on the green area by Hungers. The Fly Wheel was used in the first Cool Stores built in 1901 down by the River, this burnt down in 1921 and the Fly Wheel was left beside the River until it was retrieved by Noel McColl and set in front of the Museum, where it was until 2011 when the Museum was rebuilt.

On 8 April St Lukes Presbyterian Church was 150 years old, the actual church which is still there on Oxford Street was built 5 years later in 1879. A service was celebrated in the Church, followed by another service out at Pariroa Pa.

Aotea Utanganui Museum celebrated 50 years in existence on Thursday 25 April. A well-attended event was held at the Museum followed by cutting of the cake and afternoon tea. The Museum was started by Pātea Historical Society in 1974 in a building donated by Harry Baker, this was relocated to its current site in 1982, then handed over to STDC in 1999 after 25 successful years of being run by volunteers. In 2011 the newly refurbished building was opened and we enjoy it still today. On 5 July the large new shed behind the Museum was opened after years of work to get it completed. It already has some amazing vehicles and machinery in it and there's room for a lot more.

Murray Laird has printed off another edition of his Riding The Wall- Surfing Pioneers of Taranaki book, we paid for 40 copies of it, which we are selling through the Museum. This is his 5th edition, its been a popular book for anyone connected to Pātea and the beach.

I have re-registered Patea Historical Society on the Incorporated Societies register, and have received our new certificate, so we are now certified under the new 2022 act.

Laraine Sole and myself continue to write historical stories most months for the Pātea Waverley Press, which goes to around 3000 households. Our facebook page and website receive a lot of interest and comments. This can be a lot of work keeping them updated, but it is the best way to let people know what's happening. We have over 4000 followers of our page now and people send us amazing old photos and information.

We really appreciate all of you PHS members supporting us by paying your subs, finding us old photos and info, and turning up when we have events, you are all a valuable part of this Society, so thank you for your input.

Jacq Dwyer
President of Pātea Historical Society

Our guest speaker this year is Susanne Rawson, Director of HPFS Services (Heritage Preservation Field Support Services), specialist in object conservation. She gave a fascinating presentation of her career discovering and preserving artifacts all around the world.



Waverley Primary School

Staff Update

Early in Term 3, Ms Kaye Saunders will be leaving her teaching position here at Waverley Primary. Kaye has taught at our school for 5 years, spending the majority of that time in the New Entrant classroom. We wish Kaye all the best for her future endeavors! She will be greatly missed by our whole school community.

We are very fortunate at Waverley Primary School to have a staff member who will be providing the cover we need until the end of the 2024 school year. Annette Campbell will be taking the place as the Matai Hub teacher while we advertise and appoint a full time permanent teacher into that position.

We are looking for a vibrant, energetic and exciting teacher to join our amazing teaching team. This position has been advertised and will close mid Term 3. We hope to complete the appointment process for the new teacher to commence at the beginning of the 2025 academic year. If you are interested in joining our incredible kura please do not hesitate to contact the school for more information.







WPS Got Talent

Earlier this term we held auditions for Waverley Primary's Got Talent, giving our tamariki the opportunity to showcase their skills in the performing arts. Six amazing acts made it through to the finals with acts such as singing, dancing, guitar and piano playing. They all did themselves proud! 3rd place: Harper Locke 2nd place: Sofia Mitchell and Ruby Rainford 1st place: Bella Attewell







Super Six Football

A group of our senior students competed in a football competition at Wembley Park in Whanganui as part of our Super Six sports competition. It was a fantastic tournament, with the sun shining and everyone having fun. Our students gave their all and displayed outstanding sportsmanship.





Mural

We have wanted a beautiful new mural at our school for a long time! Thanks to a grant from the Waipipi Wind Farm Community Fund and a donation from our fabulously supportive school PFA group, we have been able to make this happen! Mural artist Joe McMenamin (as seen on the TV show 'Masters of the Muralverse') spent some time at school over the holidays painting an amazing mural that represents our school beautifully. A group of talented students also helped him with the painting. We are so thrilled with the result.







Choir

The school choir has been offered some amazing opportunities over the last couple of months. Firstly, they were invited to perform at the Mid Winter Christmas lunch at the Good Shepherd church, where the singers all sang beautifully for the guests. Secondly, they have been invited to perform in the live performance of The Wizard of Oz show in Hawera on the weekend of the 10th August. This is an amazing opportunity for our small school and all of the students have been working hard to learn their lyrics for the show.









Gallery Patea

Gallery Patea is continuing its series of exhibitions celebrating Puanga and Matariki.

The Puanga exhibition was very successful with a number of sales. Gabrielle Belz sold two of her prints as well as two glass sculptured eels.

The current exhibition is "Tahura" and celebrates Winter, and Sirius the dog star formation. This exhibition will be on till the end of August, and then the next exhibition will celebrate Mahura -The start of Spring. A group exhibition by local artists to signal the beginning of rebirth, renewal, the start of Spring, a time of hope and expectation.

There is still time to notify the Gallery if you are interested in participating in this exhibition by emailing the gallerypatea@gmail.com putting Mahura in the subject line, or popping into the Gallery between 10 - 2 , Wed to Sat when the Gallery is open.

In October Jenni Corbett is curating a pastel exhibition at the Gallery and is still looking for artists who would be interested in participating. Pastels of any topic can be exhibited so if you are interested please email gallerypatea@gmail.com putting Pastels in the subject line.



"Mighty Maunga" by Jenni Corbett.

Current exhibition, Tahura, finishes 3rd August

Family History Month – August 2024
Free Introductory Course in Hawera

To recognise Family History month the Hawera Genealogy and Local History group are holding a series of sessions throughout August in the Hawera Library.

Anyone interested in researching their family tree are welcome to attend this free event. **No need to book but if you want further information phone Jill on 027 431 0145.**

Videos will be shown on the following topics followed by discussion, and members will be available to help you with any questions you may have.

Sessions are 10am to 12 noon.
Thursday 15th August – *Starting your Genealogical Journey*
Thursday 22nd August – *Effective Research*
Thursday 29th August – *Sharing your Family History*
Wednesday 4 September – 1-3pm. *A visit to the Hawera Genealogy rooms at 48 Union Street to view/research the extensive resources held.*

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Quick crossword

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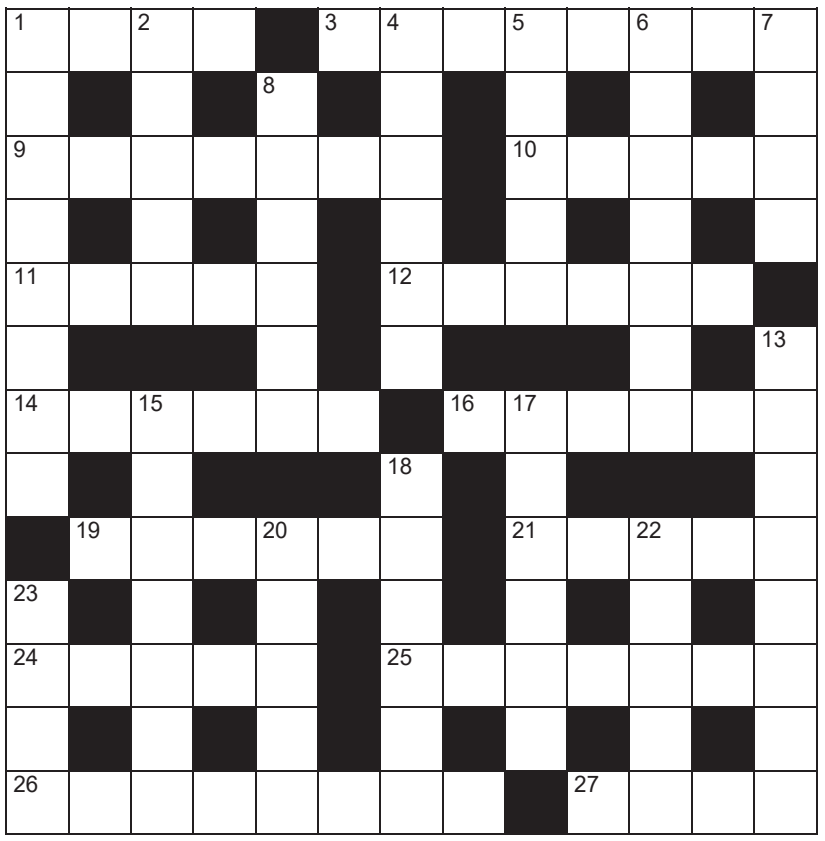

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10. Change (5)
11. Logic (5)
12. Lubricate (6)
14. Powerful (6)
16. Fall abruptly (6)
19. Jailer (6)
21. Prick (5)
24. Command (5)
25. Minor illness (7)
26. Ended (8)
27. Daze (4)

Down

1. Wearying (8)
2. Bird-like (5)
4. Quit (6)
5. Stupid and silly (5)
6. Skilled tradesman (7)
7. 91.44cm (4)
8. Hidden (6)
13. Intensify (8)
15. Delight (7)
17. In conclusion (6)
18. Highly decorated (6)
20. Conditions (5)
22. Incompetent (5)
23. Laze about (4)

Crossword solution

Across: 1. Thaw, 3. Ordinary, 9. Ruinous, 10. Alter, 11. Sense, 12. Grease, 14. Mighty, 16. Plunge, 19. Captor, 21. Sting, 24. Order, 25. Ailment, 26. Finished, 27. Stun.
Down: 1. Tiresome, 2. Avian, 4. Resign, 5. Inane, 6. Artisan, 7. Yard, 8. Covert, 13. Heighten, 15. Gladden, 17. Lastly, 18. Ornate, 20. Terms, 22. Inept, 23. Loaf.

Code-Cracker

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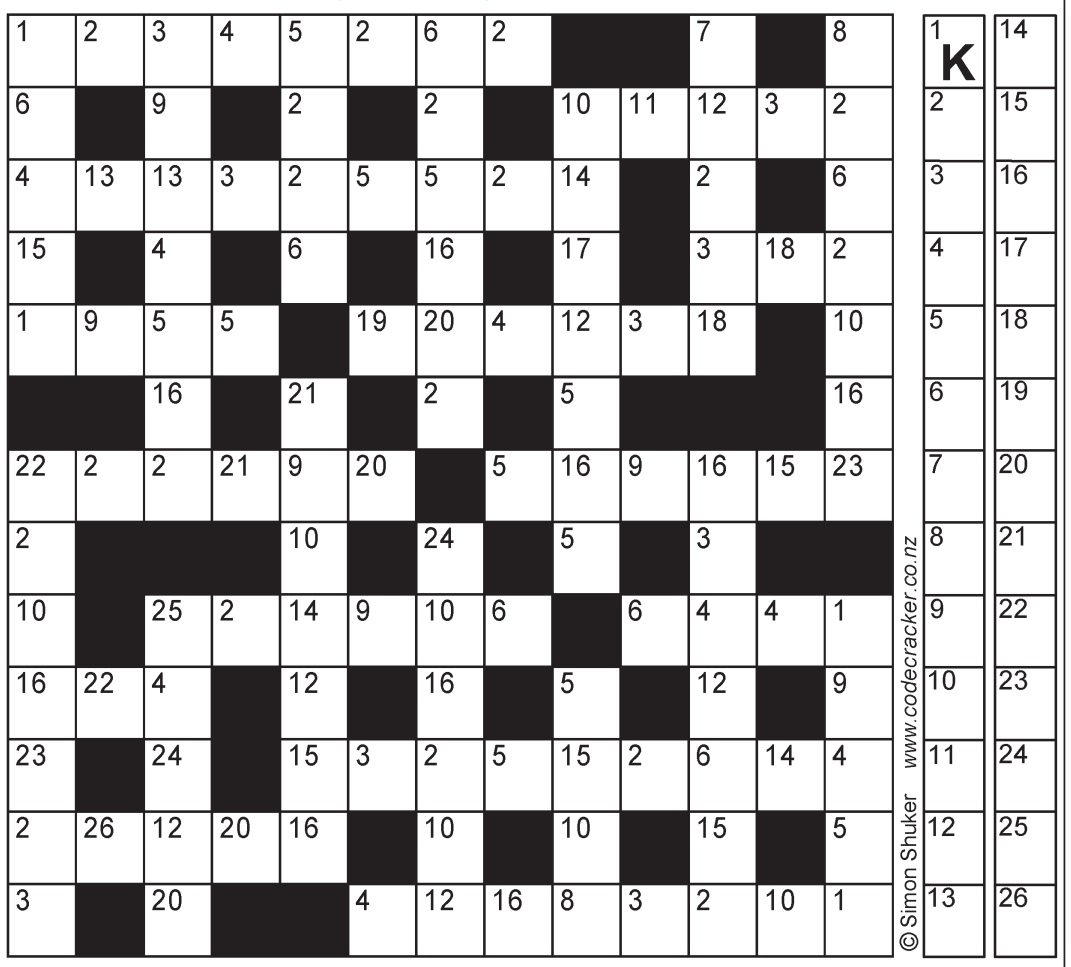
SIMON SHUKER'S CODE-CRACKER Extra

EACH number in our Code-Cracker grid represents a different letter of the alphabet. For example, today 1 represents K, so fill in K every time the figure 1 appears. You have one letter in the control grid to start you off. Enter it in the appropriate squares in the main grid, then use your knowledge of words to work out which letters should go in the missing squares. As you get the letters, fill in other squares with the same number in the main grid and control grid. Check off the list of alphabetical letters as you identify them. *Visit www.codecracker.co.nz*



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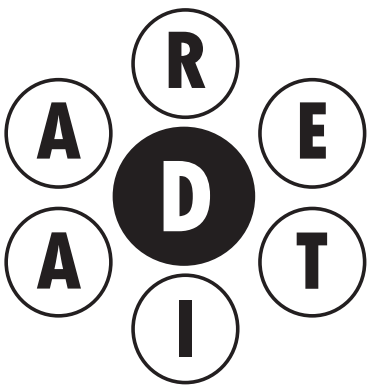

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TENDER FOR LICENCE TO OCCUPY FOR GRAZING PURPOSES

Tenders are invited for the following area of land:

2.5510 hectares situated at the No. 2 Field of the Pātea Domain, Lincoln Street, Pātea.

The term of the licence to occupy will be for five (5) years.

Tender documents are available from the Council Administration Building, Albion Street, Hāwera, the Pātea LibraryPlus or by calling the Property Officer on 0800 111 333 or email: hayley.old@stdc.govt.nz

Tenders must be received by no later than 4pm on Friday 16 August 2024.

Highest or any tender not necessarily accepted**.**

SOUTH TARANAKI DISTRICT COUNCIL

TENDER FOR LICENCE TO OCCUPY FOR GRAZING PURPOSES

Tenders are invited for the following area of land:

2.0615 hectares more or less situated at Waitotara Domain, 62 Ihupuku Street, Waitotara.

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SOUTH TARANAKI DISTRICT COUNCIL

TENDERS FOR LICENCE TO OCCUPY – WAVERLEY TOWN BELT

Tenders are invited for the licence to occupy for grazing purposes, the following areas of land, known as part of the Waverley Town Belt sections:

Identification Block Number	Street	Hectares more or less
Block 1	**Swinbourne St**	**5.7972**
Block 2	**Swinbourne St**	**1.5024**
Block 3	**Swinbourne St**	**4.5072**
Block 4	**Fookes St**	**4.8967**
Block 5	**Fookes St**	**1.7199**
Block 6	**Fookes St**	**1.7199**
Block 7	**Fookes St**	**2.9744**

The term of the licences to occupy will be for five (5) years from 1 October 2024. Each property is tendered separately. If you wish to tender for more than one block, a separate tender for each block must be completed.

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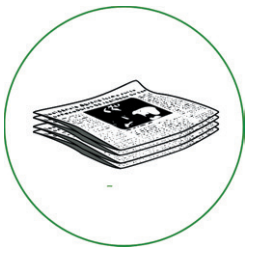

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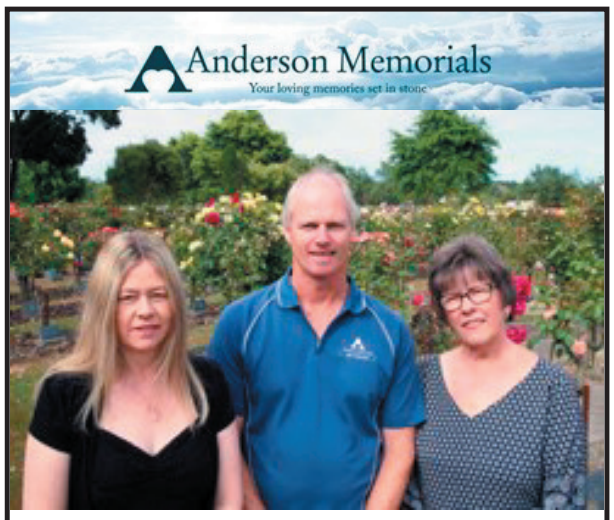

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Rainfall recorded by Marie Hawken, Waitotara
Rainfall June 2024 - 63.5ml in 9 days
Rainfall June 2023 - 45ml in 9 days
TOTAL for 2024 - 394ml

WAVERLEY - not available at time of print
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SAT 03 AUG	09:10 2.6m	21:36 2.9m
SUN 04 AUG	09:54 2.7m	22:14 3.0m
MON 05 AUG	10:33 2.8m	22:50 3.0m
TUE 06 AUG	11:08 2.8m	23:23 3.0m
WED 07 AUG	11:42 2.8m	23:56 2.9m
THU 08 AUG	12:15 2.8m	
FRI 09 AUG	00:29 2.9m	12:48 2.7m
SAT 10 AUG	01:03 2.8m	13:23 2.6m
SUN 11 AUG	01:40 2.6m	14:02 2.5m
MON 12 AUG	02:22 2.5m	14:48 2.4m
TUE 13 AUG	03:12 2.4m	15:45 2.3m
WED 14 AUG	04:13 2.3m	16:56 2.2m
THU 15 AUG	05:22 2.2m	18:13 2.3m
FRI 16 AUG	06:34 2.3m	19:20 2.5m
SAT 17 AUG	07:40 2.5m	20:15 2.7m
SUN 18 AUG	08:36 2.7m	21:02 3.0m
MON 19 AUG	09:26 2.9m	21:47 3.2m
TUE 20 AUG	10:12 3.1m	22:30 3.4m
WED 21 AUG	10:57 3.2m	23:14 3.4m
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FRI 23 AUG	12:26 3.2m	
SAT 24 AUG	00:44 3.2m	13:12 3.1m
SUN 25 AUG	01:32 3.0m	14:02 2.9m
MON 26 AUG	02:25 2.8m	14:58 2.6m
TUE 27 AUG	03:24 2.5m	16:06 2.5m
WED 28 AUG	04:34 2.4m	17:28 2.4m
THU 29 AUG	05:54 2.3m	18:49 2.5m
FRI 30 AUG	07:10 2.4m	19:51 2.6m
SAT 31 AUG	08:10 2.5m	20:38 2.7m

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For Sale $189,000

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E ngā mana tiaki, ngā kairaranga whānau, he mihi ki o tatou hāpori nui.
Warm greetings from the Whenuakura School families and community.
We are proud to share in this edition many of the wonderful achievements and experiences we have enjoyed as a school community. Term 2 was certainly filled with lots of learning, laughter, growth, curiosity and celebration.
Ngā manaakitanga
Raylene Harris
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New Students

Welcome to our newest student, Priam. Priam has come all the way from the Philippines and has settled well in our Teina Nest class with a warm welcome from his peers.

Ngā mihi o te tau hou Māori

Our students have engaged with the rich cultural traditions of Puanga and Matariki, participating in various learning experiences that have enhanced their understanding and appreciation of these significant events. From creating beautiful artwork, to sharing stories, taking part in kapa haka lessons, participating in workshops with the STDC Library team, and preparing kai for their hākari (celebration feast), our tamariki (children) have shown great enthusiasm and respect for these important celebrations. It has been heartening to see the pride in their eyes as they connected with their heritage and learned new skills.


















Winter Tournament

At the end of last term, our Year 5-6 students participated in the annual Winter Tournament held in Hawera. It's always a well-run event, and great experience for our tamariki.

While we didn't come away with any trophies, there were some fantastic games, friendly competition, and the kids had a great day continuing to forge friendships with students from our Southern Cluster schools - Mokoia, Pātea Area, Kakaramea and St Joseph's Pātea.

A big thank you to the coaches who have given their time and support during the term with practices and the day itself. We couldn't do it without you!









New Sports Balls

Students have been making the most of any sunshine and enjoying playing with some much needed new sports equipment.









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We celebrated Puanga this year with a School Community Hangi. It was a huge success made possible by the support of our amazing community. We couldn't have done it without the generous donations of kai from David and Katherine Gwynn, Thomas McColl, Darren and Naiomi Pullen, Jason Skipper, and Pātea Four Square. Our amazing Board led by Ryan Tate and Jason Skipper led the cooking on the day. There were so many others working behind the scenes to make this special day happen and we are so grateful for each and every one of you! Ngā mihi nui e te whānau!





Left: We had a fantastic turnout of both helpers and guests!

Right: Henry Buhler and Sophie Tate dig in!



Above: Southern Cluster Rugby team
Below: Southern Cluster Hockey Team



WINTER SPORTS TOURNAMENT

We joined our fellow Southern Cluster schools Whenuakura, Mokoia, Pātea Area and St Joseph's Pātea to compete in the Winter Sports Tournament at St Joseph's School in Hāwera. All teams showed sportsmanship and determination, with our rugby team taking second place! A huge thank you to all of our coaches and supporters who came to cheer us on!

Above: Southern Cluster Soccer Team
Below: Southern Cluster Netball Team





TARANAKI RIPPA RUGBY TOURNAMENT ‘24

A huge congratulations to our Kakaramea Kiwi Rippa Rugby Team for coming second in the Taranaki Rippa Rugby Tournament! We won against five schools to duke it out with Stratford Primary School in the final. Such an incredible achievement for our kura and we are so proud of the hard work and determination from our tamariki. A special thanks to our coaches Thomas Werder, Nadia Broughton and Jamie Napflin, and the whānau who came out to cheer us on.



(Back) Coaches Thomas Werder, Nadia Broughton and Jamie Napflin
(Middle) Elijah Lasike, Taine Murdoch, Kobi Napflin, Mason Knight, Charlie Werder, Cooper Knight
(Front) Estelle Croot, Frankie Werder, Evonne Thompson, Charlotte Tate

WAKA WAY DAY

We finished term 2 with a celebration of our school values that have been shown by our tamariki so far this year. We headed into Hāwera to King Edward Park and the swimming pools. A huge thank you to the staff and whānau members who came along to transport and supervise, and to our tamariki for a fantastic first half of the year!



Right: Harrop Harvie jumps out of the tunnel to give Leo Muller a surprise

Below: Ardie Reid, Henry Buhler and Xavier England had a blast in the pools



HOE-DOWN DISCO

It was awesome to see our tamaraki tearing up the dance floor at our hoe-down disco! A huge thank you to our amazing events committee and school staff for planning and hosting a fantastic event.

Top Right: Chevelle Cook, Thomas Croot, Serana O’Farrell and Penelope Croot are ready for the hoedown!



Below Right: Tamariki take to the stage to show off their moves



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The Kakaramea Store

Kakaramea School will be turning 150 years old in 2026. A Jubilee is being held to mark this important milestone on Easter weekend - 3, 4, 5 April 2026. I am writing a book for the occasion and am in the process of gathering information and photos for it. Please contact me if you have anything in your family that could help: jacq@dwyer.co.nz or 0272415595.

I'll be putting stories in the paper in the months ahead from Kakaramea's past, reminding us of the many fascinating people that lived, worked, and went to school in this busy little village. To follow is an article about the Kakaramea Store.

From 1868 there was a General Store operating in Kakaramea. It was attached to the Hotel owned by William Aikman called 'The Black Bull'. It was described in the Patea Mail as an 'extensive general store' There was also stabling for 6 horses and a paddock for them to graze in. There were two Hotels operating in Kakaramea at that time, the second one was called the 'Royal Tiger' owned by William Sergeant. It had opened a year earlier to cater to the military that were based at the garrison on the hill behind the current Hotel building. On 13 July 1867 the Wanganui Chronicle writes a piece about Kakaramea and says this about The Royal Tiger 'which reminds the traveler of 'an old English roadside Inn' .

A purpose built Kakaramea Store was opened on 14 March 1877 by Robert Glegg and it closed just over 100 years later, on 2 April 1977 when it was owned by Brian and Joyce Sutton.

During these 100 years The Kakaramea Store was a pivotal part of the community, providing Post Office & telegraph services, butchery, petrol, groceries and basic household items. There was also a separate Bakery business in Kakaramea, opened in the early 1880's by Mr Robert Whittem, (he also owned the Manutahi Store). It is thought this early Bakery Shop was located on the corner of Wilson Road, where Pakau's home was later, a chopped down Pohutukawa is on the site now. The Bakery was bought by Alexander Wood in 1885. The Gilshnan's owned it in the early 1900's. It was then owned by Mr Alfred Honey for many years and this corner was known as 'Honey's Corner'.

Back to the Kakaramea Store, it was sold to James Slater in 1878. Then Thomas Kells in 1885. On 2 November 1898 it was bought by Edward and Alice Gilshnan. Alice's brother was James Smith, a well known brickmaker in Patea and her sister Tasmania Smith married RA Adams, the 3rd Mayor of Patea. The Gilshnan's were to own the Kakaramea Store for the next 21 years, running it all through the turbulent years of WWI and becoming a big part of Kakaramea's history. They had 7 children: Edward, Emily, Henry, Alice, Catherine, Sydney, and Daphane. Edward snr died in 1913 aged 60, Alice continued to run the store with the help of her children for the next 6 years. Their eldest son Edward was the first secretary of the Alton Dairy Company in 1909, their 3rd child Henry operated a successful carrier/wagon business, it was later sold to Dick Hurley, then How & Walkington and is now the site of Ravensdown on Wilson Road. Their 6th child Sydney Gilshnan went to WWI, earning a Military Medal at Gallipoli, his name is on the Roll of Honour in the Kakaramea Hall. He returned home and married Violet Drury.

At the end of 1919 Alice Gilshnan sold the Store to Mrs S A Hill, at this stage nothing is known of her, except that the Store burnt down during the time she owned it, in September 1922. The building was insured for £300 and a new timber Store was soon built. The new Store had two front doors, the left side was to the butchery run by her son Jack and the door on the right side was to the General Store. The butchery later became the Post Office when Lyall Pope owned it. There was a Postmaster at Kakaramea from the very early days, they lived in a house near to the Store, later owned by the Lambert's. Mr William Norman, Mr A Benner, Miss Edna Robins, Miss R Meharry, Miss M Irwin, Miss Daphne Pope were a few names that were in this job from 1877.

Mrs S A Hill sold the Kakaramea Store to Lyall Pope in 1929. Lyall was married to Laurie May Hill from Canada, they had 3 daughters Doreen, Beverley and Lorietta. Lyall spent the next 22 years running the Store and wrote memoirs of his time in Kakaramea, which were printed in the 2001 Kakaramea Jubilee Book. In 1951 the Store was sold to Stuart & Alma Hobbs. Their 3 daughters: Marlene, Judith and Rosalie went to Kakaramea School. I've spoken to Roselie, and she has fond memories of their childhood growing up with their parents working long hours in the Store. Yarrows delivered the bread 3 days a week: Monday, Wednesday and Friday at 5.30am. 'No health rules about storing the loaves of bread back in those days, it sat in open shelves with a wire spike pushed into the loaf with the family name identifying it as their bread'. Farmers called in at the Store to collect the bread and paper on their way home from delivering their milk cans to the Dairy Factory. Horses and wagons and later farm trucks would be a regular sight parked outside the Store every morning.

The Hobbs family stayed for 4 years then did a deal with the next owners Colin and Joyce O'Keefe, they swapped the Store for the O'Keefe's home on Waihi Road, Hawera. The Briggs family bought the Store in 1956, their children Radford and Susan went to Kakaramea School. The following year Ray and Alice Northcott bought the Store. There 5 sons: David, Kevin, Neville, Mervyn and Ivan, all went to Kakaramea School, and the family remains a big part of the district today.

On Thursday 18 August 1960, during the time Ray and Alice Northcott had the Store, it was again destroyed by fire, 38 years after the first Store burnt down. It was rebuilt for the third time by block layer



The beautiful marble headstone of Edward & Alice Gilshnan at the Patea Cemetery.

from Hawera and Rad Papworth. This roughcast concrete building is still there today. Godfrey & Mary (nee Morrison) Richards bought the Store in 1965. Mary Richards died the following year from an aneurism. Brian and Joyce Sutton were the last owners of the Kakaramea Store when it closed in 1977.

Lois Henderson bought it from the Suttons and opened it as a wool and craft business for a time. Now, forty years later, its open again and full of preloved treasures sold by Larissa Morris.



This photo is taken in the 1950's when The Kakaramea Store was owned by Mr Stuart Hobbs. Dan Dwyer's Austin A70 is parked outside, Roy and Rosie Bishops house is to the left.



The Kakaramea Store when it was owned by Ray & Alice Northcott. Their house is on the right.

Pātea Community Board Meeting

Notes from the meeting on Mon 8 July 2024 at 4pm, provided by the Board Members. The fifth meeting for 2024 was held at the at the Hunter Shaw building, Pātea. Present were: Pātea Community Board members; Jacq, Cheryl, Bronwyn, Owen, Phi Nixon (Mayor) Eileen Kolai-Tuala (Community Development Officer), Sara Dymond (PA), Rob Haveswood (Group Manager – Community Development), Cindy Koen (Environmental and Sustainability Manager), Anne Sattler (senior Policy Advisor) and several members of the public. Apology from Robert Northcott. The meeting opened with a karakia.
Open forum:

-Anne Sattler spoke to us about the proposed renaming of some streets in Hawera. Fitzgerald Lane will become Road, as will Kerry Lane. Little Waihi Road will be renamed to either Houston, Wall or Willing Road. Changing are happening to the Freedom camping law too. Submission forms are available about these from the Library. She also informed us speeds will soon be altered again around schools. 30km per hour will be the speed only during drop off and pick up time.

-Cindy Koen spoke to us about the Pātea Salt Marsh. 500 trees have been planted to the north of it, new stock proof fences will be going up. Predator traps have been set in the vicinity too.

-Trish Edgecombe pointed out that trees have been cutback in the Catholic section of the cemetery and at least one very old headstone (John Meehan) has been uncovered. There are broken bits of concrete around it and she is concerned there may be other headstones under the rest of the branches. Bronwyn is going to investigate this.

-Trish Murphy bought to our attention the on going issue with traffic going the wrong way by the Fire Station in Patea. To safe time they drive out the 'in only' lane on to Egmont Street. As Trish pointed out, its an accident waiting to happen, especially as it's directly where the Fire Engines come out of the station. Mayor Phil, will bring this up at his next meeting with the police. Also the toilets at Beach have been graffitied recently.

-Trevor Simpson wanted an update on when the road will be cleared of the burnt rubber burn out marks opposite the Golf Club. Rob said this should be done this week when the last of the raised platforms go in.

-Ata Nui asked if anything can be done to the old Hospital grounds. As it is in private ownership, we don't have many options to get it tidied up. He also asked what was happening to the cell phone coverage project.

Local Discretionary Funding Applications: Local Discretionary Funding Applications. $32,790 in fund
Waverley Croquet Club – Mower - granted $1800
Waitotara School – Bike Track - granted $2460
Items for action: BMX track at Waverley, this will commence in the near future in Aotea Park.
Civil Defence response plans, nothing new to report.
Community Development Activity Report:

-Two new traffic islands are being installed in Hawera, High St, and Eltham.

-Due to the new government legislation a pedestrian crossing cannot be installed on Main Road at Waverley, but 'refuge crossings' are allowed and will be stalled near the Library soon.

-New signage regarding the history of the history of Clapham Common at the end of Gladstone street, Hawera has been installed.

-Patea Loop track signage being put up in the next few weeks.

-Patea Revitalisation community meeting on 20 Aug at the Patea Māori Club rooms.

-First stage of the four Speed Cushions on Egmont Street completed, raised platform by the Swimming Pool will be completed in July.

-Waverley Town Revitalisation community potluck tea hui on 29 May was attended by over 80 people. Town Belt project is currently underway.

Libraryplus Report, -Meetings were held in the Libraries to promote the Long Term Plan.

-A teen reading programme running in May across all libraries was well received. From the start of June Taniwha Trading card can be earned from the library, there are 15 Taniwha cards to collect. The programme has been adapted from the Far North District Libraries Legends Programme, Raumati Toa.

Environmental Services Report,
-This report is for 4 business units of the Council – Planning & Development, Quality Assurance, Regulatory Services, Environmental & Sustainability.
Facility Usage Reports,

Many compliments about the tidiness of the Patea Cemetery have been received.

Full minutes of this and all Council meetings can be found on the South Taranaki District Council Website, under the heading 'Our Council' then go to 'Mayor & Elected members' then 'Community Board - Pātea'. Or view them at Pātea or Waverley Library Plus

Your Community Board Members are:
Jacq Dwyer (Chair) Cheryl Rook (Deputy Chair), Owen Savage, Bronwyn Wattrus, Robert Northcott (Pātea Councillor)

Meeting dates for 2024:
Monday 19 August, 4pm, Kakaramea Hall
Monday 30 September, 4pm, Waverley Community Centre
Monday 4 November, 4pm, Waitōtara Hall, 12 Kaipo Street, Waitōtara



The Hunter Shaw building, Egmont Street, built 1930

The Kakaramea Store cont.



The third Kakaramea Store not long after it was built in 1960

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St George's Patea Community Garden Update



What a marvellous turn out we had for our "Community Ideas Session" on the 10th of July, there were 14 of us there and I was blown away by the enthusiasm, knowledge and desire to make this community garden a success. Patea put on a beautiful winter's day to show off to Mieke from Sustainable Taranaki based in New Plymouth; she and I spent 2 hours before the meeting coming up with all sorts of ideas that we could bring to life over the next few years. Once the community ideas session started even more ideas were bought to the table including involving any school that would like to use this space – even the idea of a mural created by students was suggested, which would be a beautiful addition to the space. The area will be an open space for anyone to use, to garden in, or even just a space to sit or potter.

The next steps are to clear away the areas that are overgrown near the back and side fence and to collect materials to build raised garden beds and a composting area. We are going to create a Facebook page specifically for the community garden so we can post about upcoming working bees, celebrate successes and keep everyone up to date with what's going on in the garden. I will share that here and on the Patea community Facebook page once it's up and running.

St Mary's Hawera has kindly put aside some of the roofing iron from the old roof which we will use to make raised garden beds, and we have had offers of old concrete troughs which will make great instant gardens.

We are also looking for the following donations:

- Garden tools and a wheelbarrow
- Old woollen carpet or hessian sacks which we will use as a weedmatting
- Hay or straw for a mulch on the gardens
- Farm animal manure
- Barrels to create a liquid composting area
- An old bath tub to create a worm farm
- And if anyone is getting trees chopped down and they are to be mulched we would happily take the mulch off your hands to put down between garden beds.

If you have any materials that you would be able to donate to the garden, or if you would like to get involved then please get in touch with me
tessa.tate@sustainabletaranaki.org.nz

Patea Standby Organisation

It has been brought to our attention that some people in the community are still unaware of our existence. A recent client said he had lived here 10 years and had only just heard of us.

Well I would ask you to read the leaflets or posters at the Library, Medical Centre, Four Square, Chemist and the Patea & Waverley Press as there is not a great deal more publicity available.

With funding from the DHB we provide transport to: Medical Centres / Hospital Appointments / Physiotherapy / Podiatrists / Eye Centre / Radiology etc... in other words, anything covered by the health sector including collecting patients from hospital on discharge.

We have covered Hawera, New Plymouth and Hamilton in the North and Whanganui, Palmerston North and Wellington in the South.

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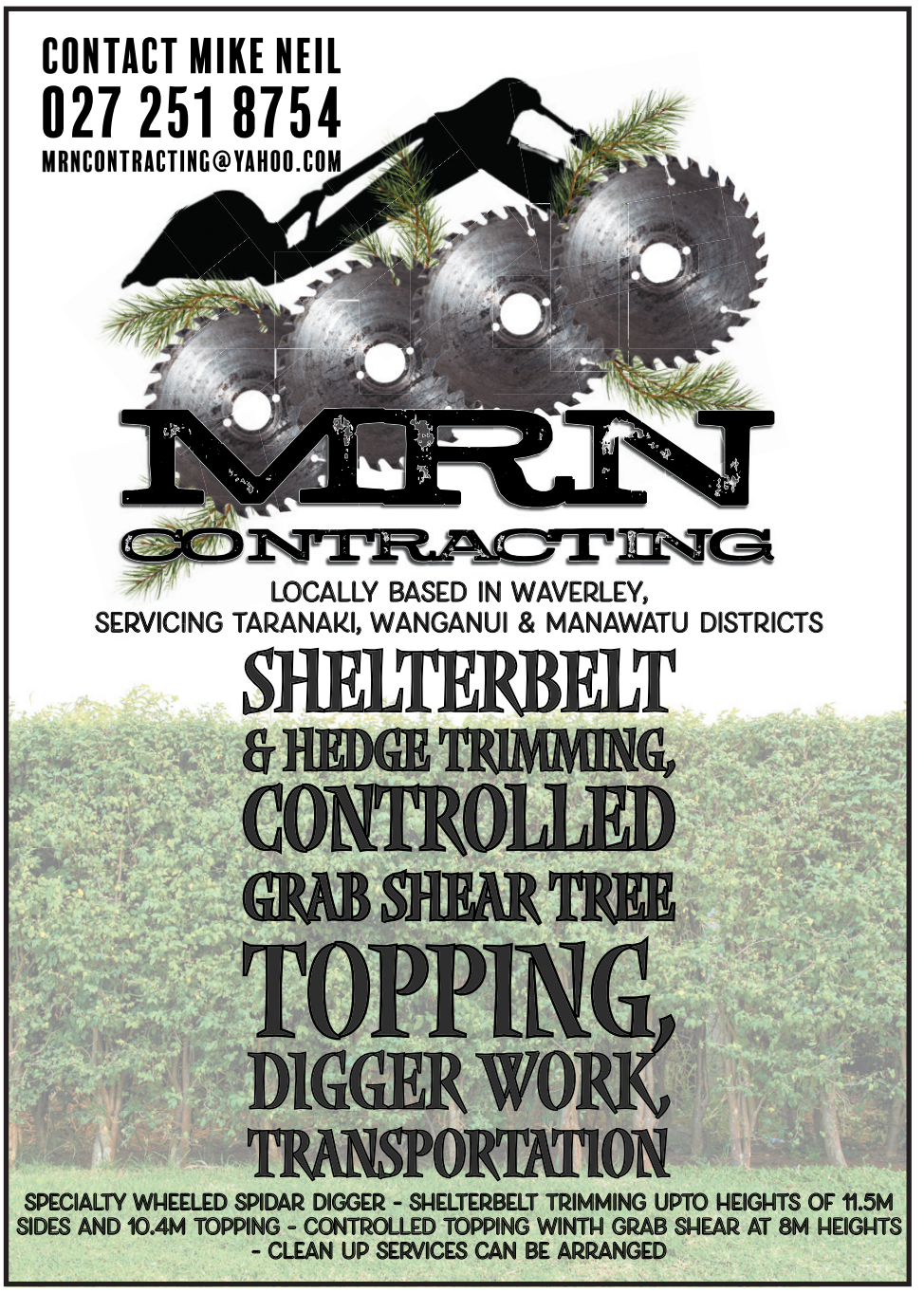

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Patea Golf Club News June/July

100 Club

The golf club will once again be running our 100-club raffle to raise funds for course and clubhouse maintenance. There will be only 100 tickets and there will be 41 cash draws. The tickets have been selling very well and there are only three tickets left to sell If you wish to purchase a ticket, please contact Ray Finlay 027 270 7542.

Patea Panthers Darts Club

After a poor start to the top ten playoffs the team has been on a winning roll again and has made the semi finals playoffs. Good luck for the finals playoffs.

Saturday 6th July

This was a nett competition and a Patea Cup qualifying round. Gerald Rutten was winner of the Patea Cup round with a nett 70 followed by Clayton Hori with a nett 74. The daily nett haggle was won by Mike Rio with a nett 68 followed by Peter TeNgahue with a nett 69. Nick Williams scored the only two but failed to draw the jackpot hole with is now close to $200-00.

Saturday 13th July

Once again a nett competition. Clayton Hori with a nett 72 was the winner followed by Gerald Rutten with a nett 73. Clayton and Phill Cassidy both scored twos but once again the jackpot hole was not drawn.

A Wednesday haggle was played on 17th July and junior golfer Ryan Finey was top scorer with 42 points and Cyril Faiers was second with 35 points. Twos were scored by Roger Edgecombe Verna Bourke and Robert Bourke

Challenge ladder

The second challenge ladder has commenced for the shootout in December .Keep putting those nett scores in and remember the one off $10-00 entry fee.

Moody Mugs Competition.

The Moody Mugs 1st life final is a family battle with last year's champions Leroy and Shem Te Ngahue taking on Peter Te Ngahue and Richard Wharehoka and in the 2nd life final Peter TeNgahue and Richard Wharehoka take on Clayton Hori and Mike Rio. Good luck to all finalists .

Red Rock Catering

Red Rock catering will do the meal at the golf club on Friday 23rd August. Meals from 6pm. Treat yourself and let some else prepare and do the cooking for you.

Upcoming events

3rd August	**Nett plus putts**
17th August	**Patea Cup Qualifying round**
24th August	**Adams trophy 18 holes stableford**

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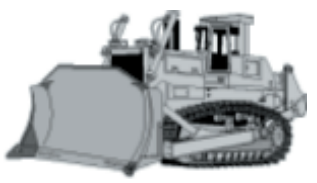

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Waverley Bowling Club News

The Waverley Bowling Club is currently in recess over the winter. However, there is still ongoing maintenance work being carried out on the green, surrounding grass and garden areas as well as the club rooms. The green has recently been aerated and we are all awaiting some warmer weather and the start of a new season in September.

Last season was a huge success with not many playing days down due to the weather and we were able to complete the full program of events.

This also included the highly successful Twilight social evening bowls on Wednesday evenings run by Mike Eddington and his team. This event was run over a fourteen week period both prior to and after Christmas and not only involved club members but also anyone in the Waverley community and surrounding areas wanting to give bowls a try.

The results for the Twilight competition are as follows:
Twilight Competition – Section 1 – Team Border Prems – Jack Hodge, Toby Lennox, Tom Symes, Angus Middleton
Twilight Competition Section 2 – Team 4 Wise Men – Nigel Baker, Brian Williams, Bill Thurlow, Brian McGinless

Alas, all good things must come to an end and so the clubs official closing day in late April coincided with the clubs official prizegiving ceremony.

Congratulations to all our winners for the 2023 – 2024 Season:

- Kynn Harris Cup – Mens Open Singles, Huirua Sullivan
- Morrison Cup – Womens Open Singles, Aggie Tiweka
- Mens Open Pairs – Huirua Sullivan, Rangi Kahukaka
- Womens Open Pairs – Dallas Spry, Kushette Jelly
- Mens Triples – Robert Crook, Rangi Kahukaka, Ali Jid
- B Neil Cup – Womens Triples – Raewyn Jones, Lesley Crook, Michelle Jervis
- R Neilson Cup – Academy Mens Singles – Ali Jid
- Gray Cup – Academy Womens Singles, Leah Nahona
- Academy Mens Pairs – Sam Lennox, Ali Jid
- Academy Womens Pairs – Aggie Tiweka, Raewyn Jones
- Mixed Pairs – Robert Crook, Lesley Crook
- Sharpe Cup Triples – Robert Crook, Colleen Smith, Alex Jacobsen
- Howie Morgan Fours – Robert Crook, Cathy Roydhouse, Wayne Berry, Michael Eddington
- Len Duffy Pairs – Robert Crook, Lesley Crook
- Dallison Pairs – Robert Crook, Lesley Crook
- Four Square Triples – Sam Lennox, Kenneth Neil, Guy Lennox
- Goldsbury Pairs – Ali Jid, Catherine Koubaridis
- Stutheridge Cup – Most Improved Woman – Leah Nahona
- Alexander Cup – Most Improved Man – Ali Jid

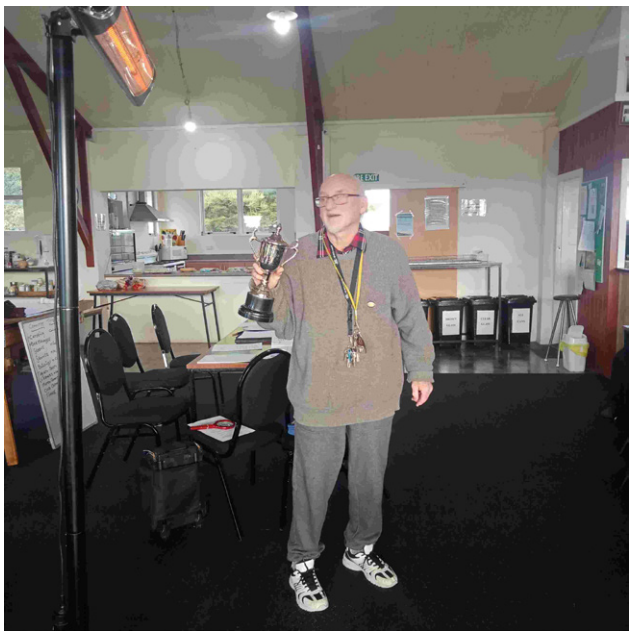
Of particular note our Academy Men's pairing of Sam Lennox and Ali Jid not only won the Club Championship final but also went onto win the Champion of Champions Academy Pairs final played at Whanganui. A fantastic result and a feat not achieved by the Waverley Bowling Club for many years. Well done Sam and Ali.

Recently the club was gifted a defibrillator presented by Te Oranganui Trust, Whanganui and presented to the club by Carolyn Young. Hopefully we will never have to put it to use but our members will have the satisfaction in knowing that if it is ever needed there is one nearby which could possibly save a life before medical help arrives. The Waverley Bowling Club would dearly like to thank Te Oranganui Trust for their gift of the defibrillator to us.

The club would also like to give a huge thank you to all our sponsors for your generosity in making our club a success.
Gas, Four Square, Brent and Barb Dallison, Summit Electrical, Clifton Builders, Dempsey Forrest Funeral Directors, Salad Brothers, Lions, RSA.

We look forward to the new season commencing in September. If you would like to be part of a terrific club why not get in touch and give bowls a try.
Waverley Bowling Club.

Top Left: Stalwart award presented to Stu Buckman
Top Right: Sharpe Cup - Rob Crook, Colleen Smith, Alex Jacobsen(absent)
Bottom Left: Len Duffy Pairs – Rob Crook, Lesley Crook
Bottom Right: Academy Women's Pairs – Raewyn Jones, Aggie Tiweka(absent)









Carolyn Young, Te Oranganui Trust (Left) presenting the defibrillator to Club President Lesley Crook (Right) and Dianne Salmon (centre)



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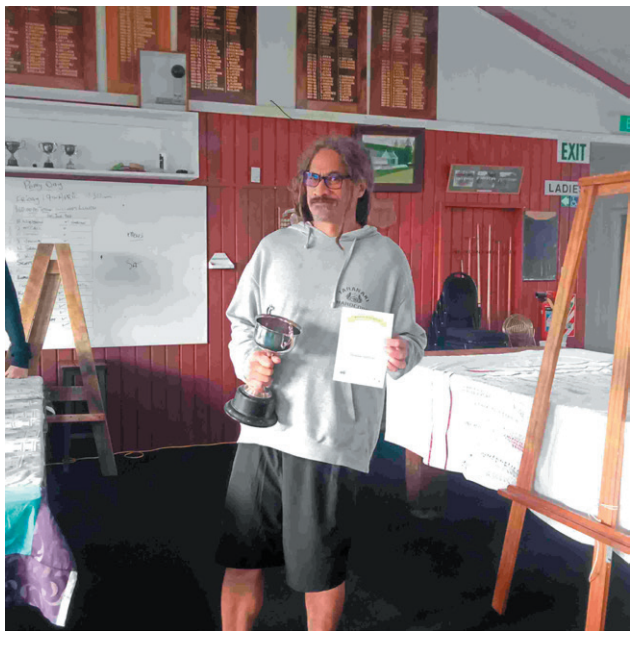
Top Left: Academy Men's Pairs and Whanganui Academy Championship Pairs – Ali Jid, Sam Lennox
Top Right: R Neilson Cup Academy Men's Singles – Ali Jid
Middle Left: B Neil Cup Women's Triples – Lesley Crook, Michelle Jarvis, Raewyn Jones
Middle Right: Men's Triples – Rob Crook, Ali Jid, Rangi Kahukaka(absent)
Bottom Left: Kynn Harris Cup Men's Open Singles – Huirua Sullivan
Bottom Right: Trophies













Waverley Cards and Games

If there is anyone located in Waverley, Patea or Waitotara and who would like to get together with like-minded people every Monday afternoon, then we encourage you and your friends to come along to the Waverley Bowling Club off Chester Street for a few hours of entertainment comprising a combination of different card and board games to suit all ages and abilities.

A gold coin donation is requested and this covers both afternoon tea and a range of yummy biscuits.

Commencing at 1.30 pm and finishing around 4.00pm this is a great way to meet new friends, and have a few laughs.

If interested and for more information please give Cathy a call on 06 346 5940 or 027 6773577.

Turi Indoor Bowls

Our bowls have been heating with some very close scoring games. Since the last report our 2x4x2 game on 25th June was won by John Smailes & Bridget Dwyer. For those that donot know what 2x4x2 is eg: (2 bowls, 4 bowls, 2 bowls).

The championship Pairs on 2nd July were won by Ray Finlay & Apryl Cowley.

Turi visited Turuturu on Monday 8th July for a friendly social game and we came away with Ella Smailes & Apryl Cowley winning for Turi, yahoo!!

The next night 9th July was the Searle Cup Pairs and the winners again were Ella Smailes & Apryl Cowley with 4wins, 16 ends and 46pts. Not to far behind were 2nd place Don Bublitz & Rose Cowley with 3wins, 12ends 34pts. Way to go people.

The Championship Singles 16th July was won by Win Finlay, 2nd Cathy Roydhouse and to finish off this month we played the Handicap Singles 4 games won by Ray Finlay with 18 ends, 47pts and Ella Smailes 2nd with 18 ends 45pts. There is no play on the 30th. We will be back on the mats 6th August.

Until next time, watch this space.
Rose Cowley
Turi Indoor Bowls



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Patea Rugby Division 2 Champions

The Patea Rugby Team's victory in the Division 2 Taranaki Rugby competition against the Bell Block Gladiators on the 13th July 2024 at Yarrow Stadium marks a significant milestone for the club and the local Patea community. This win has been a long time coming, as the team has not won a title of this magnitude since 1951.

The players, management, and coaches are to be congratulated for their hard work, dedication, and perseverance in achieving this remarkable feat.

The entire community of Patea was buzzing with excitement and pride following the team's historic victory.

The players have truly proven themselves to be a force to be reckoned with on the rugby field, showcasing their skill, determination, and teamwork throughout the 2024 season.

Their commitment to excellence and their never-say-die attitude have paid off in the form of a well-deserved championship.

The management and coaches of the Patea rugby team also deserve a special mention for their tireless efforts in guiding and supporting the players throughout the season. Their strategic planning, insightful leadership, and unwavering belief in the team have undoubtedly played a crucial role in the team's success. Their dedication to the sport and to the development of the players has not gone unnoticed, and they too should be celebrated for their contributions to the team's victory.

As the local community comes together to celebrate this momentous occasion, it is clear that the Patea rugby team's win has brought a sense of unity and pride to the town. The team's triumph



serves as a source of inspiration and motivation for aspiring young rugby players in the area, showing them what can be achieved through hard work, determination, and teamwork. The team's success is a testament to the power of sport to bring people together and to create a sense of belonging and pride in a community.

Congratulations to the Patea rugby team on their well-deserved victory in the Division 2 Taranaki Rugby competition. May this win be the first of many more to come, as the team continues to strive for excellence and success on the rugby field. The entire community stands behind you, cheering you on every step of the way.

Well done!





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