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section gets its 'makeover' and are enthusiastic about their new 'digs' having ended great calm, the chaos of building about, below and then over the last few months!

So onwards in 2019 the big push for funding. Remember donations can still be made via the website marinotoresthome.co.uk or by direct credit to Ringwood Welfare Society 15-3946-0367456-02.

And do not forget buying a permanent memorial plaque to honour your loved one – platinum (over \$1000) gold (\$500) silver (\$300) and supporter and member (\$100) – to be attached to a window by the entrance way or on a fixed 'rock' in the grounds. Forms for this Fun Ho! Toys.

Misys Netball Club AGM


Wednesday 30th January 2019 at 7.00pm
 Kauri Cottage Cafe, Epsom Village
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There will be three 2-3 hour sessions and the Exploration groups will be three x 4-5 hour sessions, all taking place February and/or March. If you'd like to be involved or would like to nominate people in your organisation, please express your interest by emailing info@carabids2050.org by January 18th. If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to ask.



Crop Swap (Jayne Bright)



Crop Swap Watlington and Inglewood

Watlington Hall, Lincoln Road, Saturday 26 January 10.00am - 12.30pm

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The deadline for Out of Zone Applications is Wednesday 23rd January, 2019.

The Board has determined that there will be up to: 1 place for senior student
Applications from out of zone students will be processed in accordance with the Education Act.
If a ballot is required, parents will be informed of the results of the ballot within three school days of the ballot being held.

The zone map and description is available at the school on the website.

Gavin Muir
Board of Trustees Chairperson

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High Tea Garden Party Cancer Fundraiser (Alana Bates)

Alana and Phil Bates are hosting a garden party fundraiser for the Taranaki Cancer Society. Their three acres of gardens were open in the Sustainable Backyard trail during the Garden Festival. While visiting their gardens you walk through a seasonal garden, a woodland area, pond, native maui, plus many other features including a veg garden and an upcycled hothouse. During the afternoon there will be a high tea and entertainment. 1324 Egmont Road, 3.00pm January 27, \$15 per person. Tickets available at Ingwood Book Centre.

Barbara Kuriger MP for Taranaki-King Country

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Winning your Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year! The Ingwood office closes on 11 Dec and the Te Awamutu office closes on 20 Dec. Both will open 2 Jan 2019.

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Rotary Charity Car Show Coming (Gloria O'Dowd)

If you love cars, don't miss this day! There will be a great range of new and unusual cars/vehicles on show at the Ingwood Rotary Club 24th Annual Charity Car Show on Sunday 3 February at the Ingwood High School. This is sponsored by CSR Custom Street Rides, Ingwood. Make it a day out for the whole family. Entry is just \$5 per adult and under 15's are free. Car enthusiasts and their plus 1, can bring their vehicles to the show for just a \$5 donation to the charity. The day will be a fun day for all. The Ingwood Volunteer Fire Service and other local Rotary Community Projects. Gates for public entry will be at 11.00am. The Ingwood Volunteer Fire Service is bringing a great display and will be putting on a demonstration. The Rotary Club will be on site to help you with your hunger and thirst and will have a BBQ, a drinks stall, coffee, donuts and ice-cream. Along with this there will be auto trade and a range of market stalls. There will be raffles to buy and more cars, cars, cars everywhere you look. If you own a special car and would like to talk cars with other like-minded enthusiasts bring your vehicle along and enter the fun. There will be prizes car owners can win, so if you think you have a special car, please bring it on down and show it off.

New Venue For Relay For Life At TET Stadium (Melissa Callaghan)

Relay For Life Taranaki 2019 is Taranaki supporting those touched by cancer. The Cancer Society have no direct government funding and rely on the compassion and support of our communities. With one in three people being diagnosed with cancer the society is kept very busy! Last year 80 years was celebrated supporting people in Taranaki. Reliance is on our two biggest fundraising events Daiford Day and Relay For Life to continue the free supportive services to all people touched by cancer. With the news of Cancer leaving New Plymouth we are bringing our Relay For Life event to Taranaki. The event is a day of fun, games, and of course this inevitably will have a financial impact, so it is very important to have a successful Relay For Life event. New Venue: TET Stadium, Ingwood, Saturday 30 March 2019, 10.30am-10.30pm.

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After 40 Years 'Almost a Local' (Marie Pearce)

It is with a sense of pride that I have watched the town grow and develop, building up generations of proud Ingwood achievers. Some years ago when Ingwood lost three of its largest employers it was thought Ingwood's future was destined to follow that of other small Taranaki towns but the determination and resilience of the community ensured its survival and ongoing success. Ingwood's development was in some part due to the courage and foresight of the Ingwood Borough and County Council when they amalgamated with others to form the New Plymouth District Council. This was pivotal in the CBD upgrade, underground power, water, sewerage, road, essential core services to community development. Ingwood is fortunate the benefits of the Taranaki Electricity Trust and the TSB Community Trust who have invested in wonderful projects: TET Stadium, Athletic Track, Town Hall, CBD lighting. Fun Hot Toy Museum, Ingwood First and almost every club and organisation in the Ingwood District. These have often been in partnership with the New Plymouth District Council. Without this source of funding many of these projects would not have been possible. Fabulous events like the Christmas Parade, Americana, Town Picnic, Shirt Box Rally, Real NZ Day, WWV100 Commemorations, Ingwood After 5, all made possible with the funding from these Trusts and the generosity of Ingwood Business's who share the vision of Ingwood being a small town which constantly performs above all expectations. The success of these events depends on the hundred of volunteer hours given so freely. These events are often the glue that hold small communities together and contribute to their prosperity. Ingwood's attractive CBD, which is situated on State Highway 3, with a traffic flow of 15,000+ cars a day, continues to attract new business and encourages existing ones to redevelop with committed retailers and a wonderful service sector. Ingwood has wonderful restaurants, a fabulous theatre, excellent schools and early childcare, fantastic sporting facilities, a great medical centre, a lovely rest home and an exceptional library. It is easy to live in Ingwood, you can walk to town, no parking meters or car traffic lights and only 15 minutes from a city and a large hospital, and there is a new skate park and play ground at Jubilee Park with toilet facilities. A Mondo Athletic Track which has the same surface as the ones used in the Olympics, attracting top athletic events. The TET Events Centre combines the sporting facilities, amenities attract people looking for somewhere to live. One thing Ingwood does not have at present is a retirement village. When people are considering downsizing they tend to migrate into New Plymouth, a pity, as we lose some of the most valued members of our community. Ingwood must ensure it retains services that are essential to the wellbeing of all ages of our community. Without this Ingwood will not continue to prosper. Ingwood's Jewell in the Crown is the Ingwood Railway Station and some 2.5km of land in the heart of the CBD. The station was built in 1876 and is the oldest on its original site. It has a Cat 1 registration from Historic Places New Zealand. It is also highly valued by the Ingwood community who funded its restoration some 7 years ago. In the 1990s it was set aside by the Government available for free settlement and is under consideration by Te Awaia. The community concept is for a village green and the Railway Station as a Heritage Centre. It would be wonderful to develop Joe Gibbs Reserve so families could enjoy a picnic or walk through some of the beautiful bush. All these things make Ingwood a great place to live, work and play. However it's most important asset is its people...these amazing, proud, positive, generous people make Ingwood the vibrant town it is...why wouldn't you want to live here!

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Lions News (Vic Adamson)

In December two Lions International Youth exchanges from Australia arrived in Ingwood followed by three from Italy. Four were hosted by the Ingwood Lions. The two girls with Instone's and two boys with Adamson's. While here they enjoyed a Kiwi BBQ, visited Twitli Museum, explored Wildlife Pools and Dawson Falls, experienced farm life and also were shown the usual sights around North Taranaki. Two of them even climbed Paritutu which was an experience as where they live there are no hills. Five Lions members accompanied them on a kayaking trip with a good time had by all with some testing the warmth of the water. They celebrated a New Zealand Christmas with their host families before heading off to Youth Camp in Tauranga. They commented on how green it was in Taranaki. One was from an area in Australia where they are in a six year drought and in Italy it is minus 12 and snowing. Diabetes Awareness Day From 9.00am-10.00pm at Farinlands, who provided a BBQ free of charge during the day. 2.00pm-4.45pm around New World. At both venues there were displays and information on Diabetes. Christine Kemp who is the MD Co-ordinator for Diabetes for NZ Lions was doing diabetes screening. 86 people took advantage of the free testing. 15% were referred to their doctor for a health check. It was good to hear that people had come specifically for the testing as they had seen it advertised. Grateful thanks to Farinlands and New World Ingwood for their support and for all the extra assistance given.

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Above: Ready for kayaking Below: Diabetes Awareness Day L to R: Ingwood Lions - Adrienne Harris, Fiona Evans, Lynda Sutton and Thomas Lion Michael Kemp

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What's on and Coming Events

Please advise of your event 756/3030 moamail@bunho.com

Fun Hot Toy Museum
Rural Reuse Gallery
Community Art (Rural Gallery)
Ingwood Heritage Centre (Marino Exhibition)
Mon - Fri 10.00am - 4.00pm
Sat 10.00am - 4.00pm
Gordon Wilson 0274 454995

Taranaki Timbuck
Orientation meeting
Ingwood Library
Saturday 19 Jan 10.00-11.00am

Crop Swap
Watonski Hall, Lincoln Road,
Saturday 26 January 10.00am

St Andrew Church
Closing Service
You are warmly invite to attend
final service in the church
January 27th at 10.00am

Garden Party Fundraiser
Taranaki Cancer Society
High tea and entertainment
1324 Egmont Road, 3.00pm
January 27 \$15 per person
Tickets In-Book Centre

Mafia Netball Club AGM
Wednesday 30 January 7.00pm
Kauri Cottage, Calks Egan Village
Sharon 0272 446059

Part Time Work Available Working in Chicken Sheds Ingwood Area Generally 8-8.30am start approx. 1-2 hrs/day Starting approx 25th Jan 2019 Keen & Reliable Work Ethic Required Ring for particulars 067567637 evenings

Ingwood Lions Club
Fingwood Raffle
Ticket 282
Sharon Steele
2nd Prize: Ticket 297
Cam Reid

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Taranaki Masters Games (Jacqui Woods)

The TET 2019 Taranaki Masters Games are back from 14-17 March. Entries are now open for the 21 great sports on offer, something for everyone from individual pairs and team events. Many thanks to the TET for their continued support which allows the Taranaki Masters Games organising committee to keep the registration costs down. New to the 2019 programme is Weight Lifting (Push/Pull Event) and Mountain Biking. Check out the website for all information on www.tmg.org.nz and for the timetable for those sports who are hosting outside of the core weekend dates. Brochures available to your local library or site. Enquiries to the games administrator on 06 765 4484 or enquiries@tmg.org.nz

This year there are a high number of sports hosting outside of the core weekend so we have included the timetable which shows the alternative hosting sportdates.

Also there are two new sports on offer for 2019 and the organisers have supplied a brief paragraph on their sport below.

Weight Lifting-Push/Pull (Hayden Matcock)
The Lions Den Gym & Fitness Centre in Stratford is hosting this on Thursday 14 March at 9.30am. Here's an opportunity to showcase that as you age, it is entirely possible to remain strong and resilient. Lifts that will be competed in are the Squat, Overhead Press and Deadlift for IRM. Age groups are 40-49, 50-59 and 60+ (Deadlift only) so start your training now! Enquiries to Hayden 06 9284515 or enter at www.tmg.org.nz

Mountain Biking-Cross Country (Alan Ramage -Brown)
This event is on Sunday 17 March with a race briefing at 10.15am. Age groups are 30-39, 40-49, 50+. New Plymouth Mountain Bikers provide a network of trails and events that encourage healthy lifestyle and a social and competitive riding environment within the Taranaki Region. For 2019 we have combined our most competitive event, the XC Club Championships, with the Taranaki Masters Games. We look forward to meeting and mixing with you, welcoming you to the fantastic community MTB trail network we have at Lake Mangamahoe, and to engaging in some good racing. Pedal on! Enquiries to Alan 027 3501127 or enter www.tmg.org.nz

2019 14th - 17th March

Taranaki Masters Games

2019 Sports:
Athletics
Cycling (Gravel)
Cycling (Road)
Cycling (Triathlon)
Dog Agility
Equestrian (Eventing)
Football
Golf
Indoor Bowls
Lawn Bowls
Mountain Biking
Netball
Rugby (Sevens)
Swimming & Water Polo
Tennis
Volleyball
Weightlifting
Wrestling (Judo)
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Photo News

I'm Not a Fan of Grapefruit But! (Helen Griffiths)

I'm not a fan of grapefruit. Have never professed to be. But there, in our back garden There's a whopping grapefruit tree And currently it's bedecked with golden orbs. If grapefruit were a currency I'd be known by Forbes. Such a glorious bounty It's shame to go to waste So I decide as marmalade. They'd have a better taste. Cue a couple of hours spent On citrus surgery. Dissecting flesh from pips and pith How hard could this task be? A test of perseverance. Proved this sour little crop Marmalade is so much easier. Purchased from a shop. But, not as satisfying. Once the deed is done Consumerism zero points Creativity one!

Six pairs of Grapefruit Marmalade Yes! Proudly made by me With some extra ingredients added, A secret recipe. You could try and ask me for it. On citrus surgery. But for now I'll keep it under my hat - just like Paddington Bear.

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Above Left: Under the new Suffolk lamb at Stony Dicks. He is being bottle fed. Above Right: McIndriels, the new Highland calf. The first baby for 2019. Below: Artistic Graffiti on the Ingwood Railway Station

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Chasing the Dodunski Family (Martha Szymanska)

1976-1977. Who remembers the Polish Settler's Centenary celebration held in the Ingwood Jubilee Park in January 1977. It was quite a grand affair with mass for the Catholics held in the middle of the football field with lunch in the marquee afterwards.

I, the granddaughter, actually wanted to have a Dodunski reunion and found all the former relatives did not have time to spend at committee meetings as their cows were more important. However the day was saved because other Polish descendants had the 1876-1976 date well remembered and they clubbed together to commemorate all Poles who arrived in Taranaki at the Fritz Reuter. This was the largest number of immigrants from Poland to come to New Zealand between 1872 and 1880. The Polish children who settled in New Zealand after the second world war honoured the day with dancing while wearing their national Polish costumes and parading for all to see and enjoy.

As the youngest girl, and allowed to stay up a little longer than my young brother but too young to go out at night with my bigger brothers and sister I would sit by the open fire with my mother waiting for them to come home from the 'pictures'. We had a wireless at home but no one knew what a TV was, so my older brothers and sisters went to town to the pictures. My mum and I would talk together quietly so as not to wake my father or my brother. The conversation was led by my mother who told me stories of when she was a little girl and went to school as I did. The difference was she had walked from Norfolk Road to Durham Road through the bush that separated the roads then. There wasn't a school on Norfolk road and there were also rivers and creeks to cross. My mother never told me how she crossed the rivers but she had her big brothers to help her. My mother spoke Polish at home because her mother and father were from Poland and had to learn how to speak English. All my mother's friends were Polish and they all spoke Polish when they met, so it was hard for my mother to learn at school in English, but not too hard as her big brothers had learned some English when they went to school. My mother had much older brothers who never ever went to school because Grandfather needed them to help him cut down trees and clear the land to make a farm. They also had to earn money to buy food and clothes with my mother and the other younger brothers all went to school for a few years. My mother left school when she was in standard four. My father went to school until he was in standard three as he was also one of the youngest in his family. His two older brothers never went because they needed to go to work to earn money for the family. These nights of waiting up with my mother for my older brothers and sisters to come home and hearing her stories of how she lived and what she did as a child were the beginnings of my growing knowledge of why my Grandparents left Poland to come to New Zealand in 1876. More to come.

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URENUI BRANCH (including SOUTHERN BRANCH)
SATURDAY 2nd FEBRUARY 2019
11.00am to 12.30pm

Venue: Urenui Community Centre
Tahiroa Street, Urenui
All Welcome

ELECTORATE AGM SUNDAY 17th March 2019
10.00am-12.00pm

Venue: The Owls Nest, 12 Ruru Street Plopio
Gay Andrews, Secretary Ph 06 7525870

Above: The Polish Emblem 'The White Eagle' in Fritz Reuter Place. Below: This 1910 photo of Durham Road School includes five of the known pupils with the Dodunski surname along with Mischalski, Dobroski and Wisniewski.

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