



Paengaroa Community Association Incorporated.

Newsletter 1/2012. June 2012

Comment from the Chairperson

Hi fellow rate payers and community members.

Our first twelve months as an entity has slipped under the radar. This will be our first official newsletter with the intention of keeping you all informed about events past and present.

Hopefully this information will start the process of bringing Paengaroa together as a united community with a heart.

The Art Competition held recently was a great success and funding is now being finalised to get the signs in place to welcome visitors to our village.

We are a small but enthusiastic team so if any of you out there feel that you want to make a difference within Paengaroa we would welcome you on board. We are always looking for new blood, as a vampire would say, but hopefully with a more pleasant outcome. We have had very interesting presentations at our meetings by Priority One, Te Puke Economic Development Group (EDG) and Comvita to date.

This year the Western Bay of Plenty District Council will be conducting a consultation process for a "Paengaroa Community Development Plan". We need to gather ideas to be put forward collectively to make sure we have a voice for the future of the Paengaroa district.

Finally, we will look forward to seeing you all at one of our quarterly public meetings. Membership to this group is \$10.00 and subscriptions are now due. Please fill in the form attached to the back of the Newsletter and drop it at the school or post to Paengaroa Community Assn, C/O Paengaroa Post Office, Paengaroa 3189. Businesses become a member and gain free advertising in our newsletter. Kind regards John Fowler (Chairperson)

Farewell to Darian and Allen Wilson from Paengaroa Gull.

Allen and Darian have served the Paengaroa Community for many years as premises owners and operators of Paengaroa Auto World under the Mobil branding and more recently undertook a huge renovation of the service station to become Paengaroa Gull, servicing our district with GULL petrol.

Darian and Allen have added to the very successful history of the service station which was originally owned by the Buckton family, who sold the service station many years ago and kept the adjoining land. It does not take a huge stretch of the imagination to visualise a Blacksmith shop and stables, I wonder if anyone knows the history.

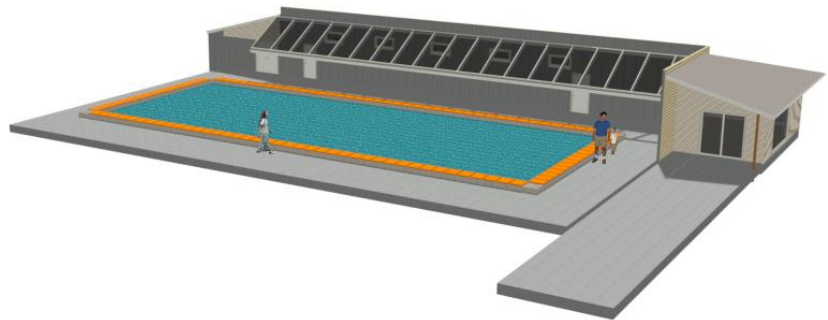
Darian and Allen are pleased to welcome Steve Keating and his daughter Katrina who have purchased the business and have already taken over from Allen and Darian.

We wish Allen and Darian all the best for their future, hoping we will see them around for many years to come.

Good Luck and best wishes.



Paengaroa School and Community Swimming Pool Progress.



The new pool project nearing completion. Artists impression of Solar System installed. Forming a veranda. (Black image along length of changing sheds. Pool 25m x 10m.

The main contractors “Shawn Williamson Building Ltd” are doing a great job. The construction is progressing very well.

The Solar System framing has been installed and the pool has been covered so that the finishing touches inside the pool, including painting, can be completed. The pool surround is also being formed and should be ready to concrete within the next week. Completion date is expected to be around the end of June , mid-July. The Pool committee will not be in a hurry to arrange an official opening for the Pool, but will be aiming to ensure that we have a good celebration when the weather is kinder.

Funding is still being sought for the following items: 33% of the Heat Pump system (Total cost\$60000.00) still need \$20000.00, Pool Blanket /cover and storage system at a cost of around \$19000.00, Lane ropes at a cost of around \$4500.00 and Starting Blocks at a cost of around \$7200.00

Promoting Paengaroa.

As our community awaits the completion of the Eastern Arterial Route currently under construction and expected to be completed in 2015/16, we are beginning to wonder what changes are around the corner for our place in the Bay.

At the last AGM of the Paengaroa Community Association Incorporated the suggestion was made that we, everyone, endeavour to support local. Promote each-others business between one another and encourage locals to buy local.

It is easy to identify the types of business in and around Paengaroa. Comvita is the largest business in our immediate village, Comvita business revolves around a set of core values. They aim to promote new perceptions regarding natural health by applying science and innovation. Comvita staff are passionate about the quality of the products they make. They believe that nature holds the key to a better quality of life. Comvita show respect and care for the future of people and nature. They apply integrity and sustainable principles in everything they do. Adopting a process of continuous improvement, pursuing excellence in everything they do. Comvita is currently finalising plans for developing their increased site coverage. Enlarging facilities for production, developing a boutique industrial park type site which will attract businesses which are related to and complement and enhance the Business values and philosophy of Comvita NZ Ltd. The cosmetic section of Comvita's product range is great as well as providing preventative measures to ward off those colds – or to help you survive the “Man” flu.

Then we have Buckton's Engineering. A business that has grown into exporting via the development of many agricultural / farming appliances. Buckton's has a very long history that dates back beyond the good old Tui Motors and the Tui School Bus that Ray Singleton once looked after at Paengaroa Auto Barn.

The Coffee and Café scene in Paengaroa is becoming well known, but did you know that Comvita has a lovely Café in it's visitors centre.

Coffee, muffins and so much more is available at “The Funky Lizard” Marg and Roger Paterson always giving their personal service. The Funky Lizard has a lot more to offer than Food and Coffee – if you need that special gift – The Funky Lizard has plenty to choose from. The building used to be the old stage coach boarding house. Its over one hundred years old and if you look closely you can see that the Paengaroa Fish and Chip Shop”Pattos”, was once the west wing of the Boarding house.



“The Trading Post” is another wonderful eatery. A serious restaurant with a mid-day café feel. This cottage was transported from Ashley Roberts farm on Roydon Downs Road and has a welcoming fire in the winter. The food is fantastic and we can be very happy that our old Trading Post has attracted wonderful chefs - Paul Cogman and Suzy Coleman. Once the owners of Soho in Tauranga, now cooking for the locals. We are so lucky! Bookings are essential.

Once more local businesses become members of Paengaroa Community Association you can read more about them. We also have a great Community Hall, Eastern District Sports Club, our Local Paengaroa School and Kindergarten help to portray the potential of our community to embrace growth and encourage Western Bay of Plenty District Council to plan for a growing community at Paengaroa. Western Bay of Plenty District Council have planned to develop a strategic document for the long term development of Paengaroa. This survived the chop and the council has indicated that it intends

consulting and developing a planning document early next year. This is largely due to the recent submissions put to council regarding Paengaroa wanting to improve its signage and be ready for any positive opportunities and any impacts that may arise from the Eastern Arterial Route development.

SO start thinking about what you want to see happen to our little town? Promote Paengaroa! Support Local! Shop local!

Paengaroa Community Association Inc—Art Competition 2012 results:

Open Section: Sponsored by Business of Paengaroa

Winner-Vanessa Reid

Highly Commended- Desmond Mohi

Highly Commended-Judy Flatt

Graphic Section: Sponsored by Businesses Of Paengaroa

Winner-Megan Theodore

Youth Section: Sponsored by Families of Paengaroa

Winner-Laura Neil

Junior Section: Sponsored by Comvita

Winner—Barnaby Burton

Runner Up—Alice Masoe

Third Equal—Teina Rennie

Third Equal—Ashlyn Koce



Peoples Choice: - Desmond Mohi

Sponsored by Gull N Z

● Graffiti Busting

Alex Wills a committee member of the Paengaroa Community Association Incorporated is keen to set up a Graffiti busting brigade. Alex and a few other interested members are willing to help paint out any graffiti in and around Paengaroa. This is a wonderful offer so if you spot some graffiti let Alex or Bruce Lendrem know about it and they will try to get it sorted ASAP. Email: graffitibust@gmail.com

● Wilson Road South Storm Water and Footpath completion.

A letter has been sent to Glen Snelgrove regarding the completion of the storm water and footpaths along Wilson Road South. These look great and have improved access for residents and has certainly added to the road appeal of the homes along this stretch of the roading. Top job Western Bay District Council and contractors. Thank you!

● Eastern Arterial Link – Liaison and contacts for issues

The member of the Paengaroa Community Association Incorporated who attends the Tauranga Eastern Link Community Liaison Group meetings is Linda Ross. If anyone wants to know more about this exciting development or has some questions contact Linda. You can also visit the website at www.nzta.govt.nz/projects/te

The Tauranga Eastern Link Community Liaison Group has been specifically formed to enable the community to discuss project related concerns with the project team, be kept up-to-date on project progress, and pass information back to their interest groups. The TEL is the Bay of Plenty's largest ever roading project and to make it a success the NZTA encourages community involvement and the opportunity for feedback. The TEL Community Liaison Group representatives include:

Paengaroa Community Assn Inc - Linda Ross
Papamoa College - Dave Ballard
Te Puke Fast Forward and Federated Farmers - Richard Powdrell
Focus Te Puke - Mark Boyle
Comvita - Julie Chadwick
Kiwi 360 - Graeme Crossman
NZ Kiwifruit Growers Inc - Mike Chapman
Papamoa Progressive - Neville Dixon
Te Puke Community Board - Karyl Gunn

Te Puke High School – David Crone
Pukehina Ratepayers Assn - Ian Rodger
Cycle Action Tauranga - Kevin Connole
Bus and Coach Assn - Neil Jamieson
Road Transport Assn - Charlene Kerr
WBOP Motorcycle Assn / ACC - Carole Fleming
Te Puke Environment Forum - Gael Blaymires
Members of the TEL NZTA, Beca, Fulton Hogan and HEB Construction project teams.

● Paengaroa Kindergarten.

We would like to thank all of our families for the continued support that has been given during our transitional phase of organisational changes. Kindergarten now successfully operates six hour sessions Monday to Thursday and a four hour session on Fridays.

Children's focus has been underpinned by a huge interest in literacy: making sense of symbols and developing understandings that print has meaning. Creating shops and writing their own stories for profiles are just two of the examples. As we prepare for our Matariki dawn Breakfast children have been in awe of the legends of Maui and we look forward to further extending this next term.

Have a safe term break.

From the Kindy Staff.

● Paengaroa Hall Committee.

The Paengaroa Hall Committee would like to remind everyone in the district about its Saturday Morning car boot sale and breakfast, This happens every third Saturday of each month. 7.30am to 11.00am.

The Paengaroa Hall is a wonderful asset and has been beautifully redecorated and are currently waiting for new Stage Curtains to be fitted.

● The Te Puke Women on Wheels cycle group

The Te Puke Women on Wheels cycle group meets at Kiwi360 on Monday mornings at 9am for a ride around local roads. The group caters for all ages and stages of fitness and all enjoy a coffee and a chat together after the ride.

On the second Monday of the month they meet at Paengaroa for a change of roads and then at the end of each month on a Wednesday travel away for a change of scenery also.

At the end of May over 20 ladies rode in Ohope on a very chilly but beautiful sunny morning and this month will be going over the hill to Okoroire.

The group is currently planning a three day trip away to stay in Te Aroha at the end of October to ride the newly opened Hauraki Rail Trail.

Newcomers welcome.

More cycle news.

Did you know there is a mixed cycle group that rides from Kiwi360 every Sunday morning at 9am.? On the last Sunday of the month they also travel away for a change of venue. Anyone is welcome to join them and rides are customised to your ability and there is a social coffee afterwards. See you there.

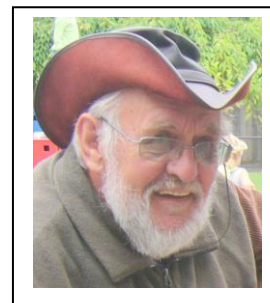
● Neighbourhood Support



We in Te Puke and Districts Neighbourhood Support believe that we can create safe and welcoming neighbourhoods and communities.

We can do this by introducing neighbours to neighbours and really putting the 'neighbour' back into their neighbourhood. Many of those in Rural Te Puke are already doing this. However, I need your help in doing this in your Paengaroa district.

If you would like to find out how your street, or group of friends, can enjoy the benefits, give me a call to arrange a fun and informative discussion.



I am looking for those with a computer and a little time who are willing to help their neighbours meet their neighbours.

Initially you will provide me with a little information, and then let me know of any changes within your group.

If you see anyone or anything that makes you suspicious, please call 111 and tell the police, the more they know the better they are able to help.

If you would like to help promote being safe in your village and district by putting a Neighbourhood Support sign on your fence, please give me a call. There is no cost at all.

In return we will keep you up-dated on areas of concern in your area.

Please contact Frank Cammock, nstepuke@slingshot.co.nz, or 573 3392, or 0221035770.

- **Eastern Districts Sports Club.**

The season is progressing well with all teams doing the district proud. The Tai Mitchell Tournament being hosted by Te Puke 29th June to 4th July will be a great event. Eastern Districts Rugby Club will be hosting the Sunday Games. Te Puke Sports will be hosting most of the Tournament games, except for the Sunday. Te Puke Sports canteen will be in operation. The games normally start at 9.30am and finish at 2.30pm ex - Friday start 12.30pm

Paengaroa Community Association Inc

Membership Application Form.

Subscriptions and Membership

- Any person may become a member at any time provided they pay the annual subscription of \$10.00 as set at the annual general meeting.
- The annual subscription shall be for the twelve months from the date of the A.G.M.
- Donations will be appreciated

I _____ apply for membership of Paengaroa Community Association Incorporated.

My address is _____

My contact numbers: Phone Home: _____
Phone Work: _____
Phone Cell: _____

My email contact is: _____

I have included my membership fee with this form. Yes / No.

The 2012 membership has been set at \$10.00 and is payable by Cheque, Cash or Internet Banking direct to our:-
ANZ Bank 010451 008192 00

If you choose to direct credit or internet bank, which are our most preferred options, we ask that you let Linda Ross, the Association Treasurer know when you have paid by tagging your internet bank deposit with your name or attaching your name to the direct deposit payment.

Linda Ross, Treasurer, Paengaroa Community Association Inc, Post office, Paengaroa 3189

My Business name is: _____

I wish for the following information to go into your newsletter (Not more than 25 Words)

Optional for the data base. My wife / Husband/ partners name is _____ Place of work / occupation: _____

Signed: _____ **Office Use:**

Processed application . Issued receipt of payment or followed up any non-payment. Added all details to data base and email system.

Dated: _____