

RICHMOND SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

23rd February 2023



From the Tumuaki desk this week ...

On Saturday morning Gary Paterson (caretaker) and I removed the large dead tree by the entrance to the school back field by the Waverley kindergarten. Gary's chainsaw skills were unbelievable (certainly evidence of being a forestry logger for many years). We appreciate Gary giving up his Saturday to do this when there were no children or people around the area.

Gary is adamant there was evidence of the tree being poisoned – very sad. It was dead as and of course a potential danger especially in very windy conditions.

A number of neighbours spoke to me about why it was removed and were understanding once I told them the reason and saw how incredibly dry the timber was (i.e. dead).

We removed most of the firewood and logs as well on Saturday. The aim was to get the firewood blocks and logs off the grounds a.s.a.p. so children didn't play with it.

TEENAGERS ILLEGALLY IN OUR SCHOOL POOL

Over recent weeks we have a number of teenagers (male and female) illegally climbing our swimming pool fences and swimming in the pool. They do not have permission to do so. They have also been damaging property in the pool enclosure and around the school. We have photos of them doing this – our surveillance cameras clearly show who they are. These are/will be supplied to the police for follow-up. If you are a keyholder who rightly take your families down to use the pool and see such teenagers in there, then please call the police and inform them. The common reply from the teenagers is to say they have permission, or they have a key (which can't be correct as the keys are given out to parents of children at the school and parents must accompany the children) and/or they reply using colourful language at the adults indicating to them they should leave.



IN NELSON ON SUNDAY 12th MARCH

LESS THAN 3 WEEKS TO GO.

www.tryathlon.co.nz/locations/nelson

DON'T FORGET!



SCHOLASTIC
Book Club

orders are due:

24/02/2023

CUPCAKE FUNDRAISER

FOR RICHMOND SCHOOL IN NAPER,
WHO'VE BEEN AFFECTED BY CYCLONE GABRIELLE



FRIDAY MARCH 3rd

\$3 each

Holding this fundraiser came about after discussions about raising funds for a school affected by Cyclone Gabrielle.

We would love the school community support with the baking of cupcakes and then the purchasing of them on Friday 3rd March.

Please let the office know if you can help with baking.

DISCLAIMER These are notices we include on request of organisations and individuals.

COMMUNITY NOTICES

For all newcomers to the region, migrants, refugees and everyone else!

FREE EVENT

Positive Settlement Expo

26 March 2023, 2.00pm – 5.00pm
Saxton Pavilion, Stoke

Come along for a fun, family friendly, informative afternoon

Enjoy free and affordable food and drinks

Meet foreign speaking locals, cultural groups and communities

Learn how organisations can help you to settle

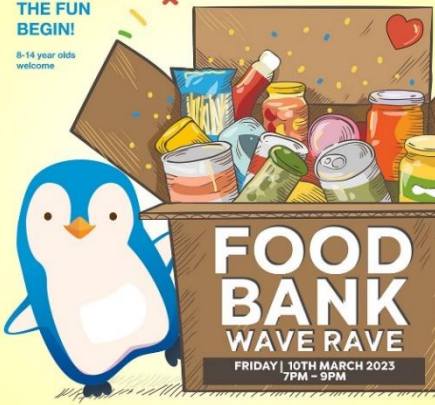
For more information:
• coordinator.nelsontasman-cab.org.nz
• 027 700 3139
• 'Positive Settlement Expo' Facebook event



Donate a non-perishable food item & get Wave Rave entry for just \$5!
All food will be donated to local charity Kai with Love

JOIN US LET THE FUN BEGIN!

8-14 year olds welcome











FOOD BANK WAVE RAVE



FRIDAY | 10TH MARCH 2023
7PM – 9PM

**\$8 PER ENTRY OR
\$5 WITH ANY NON-PERISHABLE FOOD ITEM DONATED**

Aqua-run, Bombing, Inflatables, Games, Competitions, Prizes & Music

Richmond Aquatic Centre
181 Salisbury Road, Richmond
Ph: 03 543 9755 | E: aqual@richmond.govt.nz
www.richmond.govt.nz/richmond

Find us on        

ALL COPS WITH CAKES ARE THE SAFE AS CAKES



COPS WITH CAKES

Cops, cakes, games, prizes, food and fun!
A road safety expo that helps make our communities safer and happier places to live.

COME AND JOIN THE FUN

SATURDAY 25TH FEBRUARY 10am – 1pm
SAXTON FIELD BY THE STADIUM

**EMERGENCY SERVICE DISPLAYS
ROAD SAFETY INFO & DEMOS
COPS V KIDS GAMES & RACES
LOCAL COMMUNITY GROUPS
FREE FUNFAIR, COPS CAKES & SAUSAGE SIZZLE FOR KIDS
MC BLAIR KIDDEY – BREEZE FM**

Support to heal from an eating disorder



Connect with eating disorder experts

Find recommended resources

Join the WithLoveED Community Hub

www.withloveed.com



“We can be better equipped to heal or help our loved ones with more understanding.”
Rebecca Toms, WithLoveED Founder

WithLoveED

WALK THE RUNWAY

a sunset walk down Nelson Airport's runway

FUNDRAISING FOR LEUKAEMIA & BLOOD CANCER NZ



**GOLD COIN DONATION
FREE PARKING**

**25 FEBRUARY
SATURDAY 8PM**
meet inside the terminal

Attendees go to the draw to win a Baby Buggy \$500, set of roller skis, new lawnmower, bring the whole family!

FREE OUTDOOR FUN!

COME ALONG TO

CHILDREN'S DAY



GOLD COIN ENTRY TO THE POOLS

**SUNDAY 5 MARCH
11.00 AM – 2.00 PM**
RICHMOND AQUATIC CENTRE

GREAT ACTIVITIES FOR THE WHOLE FAMILY
CANCELLED IF WET

Follow our Facebook page for updates



25 FEB, 10 AM

MEET BY THE RICHMOND AQUATIC CENTRE

RICHMOND TO RABBIT ISLAND

Family Bike Ride



Check your bike with Wheel Woman before you start, then ride along the Great Tairāwhiti Trail with fun activities along the way. Celebrate with a free sausage sizzle and games at Rabbit Island. There will be a nature shuttle available at a small cost (limited spaces available). To reserve your spot please email nsw.airetan@tasman.govt.nz



Family Friendly

KAI AND CATCH UP

At Wanderers Rugby Club Rooms
Brightwater



24th FEB 6pm **24th MARCH 6pm** **28th APRIL 6pm**

It's impossible to list all the jobs in the primary industries but think 'the 4 F's'... Farming, Fishing, Forestry & Fruit...do you work in the primary sector? If so then this is for you!

Bring the whole family and join us for a relaxed meal, connect with others in the Waimea region involved in the primary industries.

Free meal
Free kids games and activities
Cash bar open - including non-alcoholic drinks

REGISTERING IS ESSENTIAL: To register please text your full name and the number of people coming to
Devon : 027 868 7000

WAIMERA RURAL CONNECTIONS 