

Motueka Valley Association Newsletter

July 2012

Protect our precious coastlines

Unite with friends and neighbours
in joining **HANDS ACROSS THE SAND**

At the **JANIE SEDDON SHIPWRECK**, MOTUEKA QUAY, Motueka on **SATURDAY 4TH AUGUST at NOON**.

On this day people from all walks of life worldwide will gather on their local beaches, joining hands to create a line in the sand, sending a powerful visual message to our nations' leaders. We will join hands to keep oil drilling out of our waters, urging our leaders to adopt policies that protect our coastal economies, oceans, marine wildlife and fisheries. Explorations permits are being granted around New Zealand for dangerous deep sea oil drilling. Frequent oil spills continue to happen worldwide and often go unreported.

Kiwis said no to racist sport. We said no to nuclear powered ships in our ports. Now is the time to stand together and say NO to oily beaches. We will join hands to show our support for the phasing out of fossil fuels, and for putting all of our human ingenuity behind creating a renewable energy future.

For more information contact "The Renewables"
Email: no.oily.beaches@gmail.com.

Mid-Winter Madness

Saturday 28th July

Ngatimoti Memorial Hall

Homegrown Ngatimoti Music.

Chimuka, with their infectious African marimba music followed by Solroom lively Alt/funk/pop

So meet up with your neighbours and friends, warm-up to the sounds and revitalise your spirit.

We're kicking off at 7:30,

\$5 per adult entry, and bring finger food for a shared little something to nibble on as the night goes on.'

An excuse to get together, catch-up and dance organised by MVA for community and family

SOLROOM

Solroom are a group of friends from the Motueka River Valley and surrounding area

There are five band members Ross Pizzay, guitar and vocals, Lisa Quinn, vocals & violin, Pete Salmon vocal & bass, Red Mills drums, Tim Phillips, guitar, harmonica, vocals

The name Solroom comes from the Spanish word for sun 'sol' and came about by our early practice's in Lisa's sunroom. Solroom started from a round the fire jam at one of the kids birthdays. The music crosses genres including reggae, soul, folk, blues, ethnic and alternative rock. Songs are original and convey a soulful message grounded in strong rhythm and harmonies.

The music is easy listening and has wide appeal



July MVA Meeting

7.30pm Wed 18th July Ngatimoti Memorial Hall

Everyone Welcome

Ngatimoti Hall Hire

Anyone wanting to hire the Ngatimoti Memorial Hall in July, August, September should contact Angela Strachan 5268797

MVA AGM

15 August Ngatimoti Memorial Hall

7.30 with guest speaker

Interested community minded people needed.

Greenhill Rd Ngatimoti RD1 Motueka 7196 Term 3 2012:
Tel: 03 526 8842 Fax: 03 526 8872
Email: office@ngatimoti.school.nz 16 Jul - 28 Sept

Our whakatauki for Term 3 is "He aha te mea nui o te ao? He tangata, he tangata, he tangata. What is the most important thing in the world? It is people, it is people, it is people.

Sometimes at school, teaching and learning seem to dominate everything! What are we really trying to do though? Our school is all about people and as a staff we are always aiming to do our very best for each individual student. This means giving students the best opportunities to learn and to develop as positive citizens. Of course, teachers can't do this alone. We need students to be active in their learning and we need to have an appreciation of the community that supports each student. This term we are continuing to work on this, with Student-Led conferences coming up later in the term, a Student Council organised Olympics Day at the Rec Centre and in-depth Enviro Groups.

We have our fabulous Festival to plan this term, which is held again on the Sunday of Labour Weekend. The Festival is all about people – it is a way of bringing our community together and also gives us an opportunity to share our community with others. It is also a fantastic fundraiser for the school, which allows us to buy resources that are not funded by the government. With last year's profits, we have built a new sandpit and are about to lay a concrete track around the top field. As well, we have purchased excellent new reading resources and have contributed towards the costs of bus transport for trips, had the Life Ed truck visit and fixed the cracks in the swimming pool. We are looking forward to another great Festival this year. If you have any suggestions or would like to help in any way, please don't hesitate to contact either Ali or Amanda at school. Stall holders forms are available now from Lou on 03 526 8815.

Internet Connection.

Thanks to those that contacted us re internet signal. It appears that Vodafone has one 3G tower in Nelson, one in Motueka and a repeater on the hill near Waiwhero Road. Telecom has their 3G tower on Mt Campbell. This explains why reception can vary depending on where you live as the reception relies on line of sight for a good signal.

Some wireless broadband work through a USB stick others a modem or satellite dish. I was advised to go direct to providers for the best deal and with Telecom we get 3 out of 5 bars reception (instead of only one with Vodafone) and they gave us a 7 days trial. It pays to shop around and it depends on your usage and where you live as to what system is most suitable.
Ian Davey
5268 707

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Friends of St James Church Ngatimoti



Family Church Service and Christening
10:30 a.m. 15th July, 2012
Conducted by Canon David Moynan
Children welcome to Sunday School
Morning tea to follow

A very warm welcome to all

Pokororo Women's Club

We meet first Wednesday of each month at the Pokororo Hall

usually at 7.30pm for fun, friendship, and sometimes fundraising for local causes.

We welcome new members

For more information call Ann at 5268076

MVA Committee Members

Fred Hickling	528 9122
Bruce Dyer	526 8282
Lesley Hadley	526 8047
Stuart Granger	970 9004
Bernd Reiter	526 8544
Karen O'Malley	526 8211

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(OR PHONE: 526 8066)

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THURSDAY MORNING FARM RUN

We have a vet coming up the Motueka Valley and down through either Dovedale or Orinoco on Thursday mornings. Save on mileage to routine farm visits when we can organise more than one call in your area.

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