

## Minutes - MVA Meeting 8 June 2023

Present - Chair Andrea Blackburn, Trevor Knowles, Pat Shortley, Lani, Peter Laufkotter, Alan Bensemenn & TDC rep Mike Kinninmonth  
Apologies - Daniel, Fiona, Amy

Minutes 4 May - Agreed.

Actions carried forward: Andrea speak to Jason (Postie) once we have a newsletter to distribute

## TDC Annual/LTP

Andrea & Pat attended the Hearings on 16 May to discuss our submission. Awaiting official response. Nelson Mail did an article on our request & petition to reduce the speed limit alongside Ngatimoti School.

## Affordable Water Reforms

No official updates at this stage. The 3 Mayors & CEs have met for high level discussions.

## Newsletter / Website

New Editor & Reporter - no response from school newsletter. Agreed to produce a short flyer/mini newsletter to update on regular newsletter & need for a new Editor/coordinator & reporter/articles; let people know about the new website; pot-luck booked 14 July; MVA AGM 10 August with guest speaker Trevor James from TDC re catchment & call for new members to join us.  
Action: Pat agreed to help produce the flyer & after the meeting Fiona agreed to help.  
Action: Mike to ask Chris Choat for help to edit & print the flyer

Website update - new website now live ([www.mva.org.nz](http://www.mva.org.nz)); Daniel received training & Andrea booked for 20 June

Action: correction needed to website, MVA meeting venue incorrect

Funding update - Daniel in touch with Chris Choat

Finance update - no update. Peter found some old receipts to pass on to Daniel

## Mid-Winter Pot Luck - 14 July

Ngatimoti Hall booked. BYO event but MVA budget \$150 for mulled wine & soup.  
Volunteers: Pat - mulled wine & bring brazier; Trevor - greenery/decorations & wood for brazier; Lani & Silas - soup & bread; Peter - soup or stew, plus Andrea & Fiona on organising & set up  
Action: Andrea book Hall for planning meeting 29 June, 7.30pm

## TDC updates

Now receiving monthly updates from TDC. Consider adding to our website.  
Action: note Community Grants deadline end July for any funding application

Ngatimoti Reserve Committee update - next meeting 27 June. Asked TDC to involve in consultation re pending renewal of FENZ lease on fire station building.  
Action: Andrea to email date to Mike

#### Matters Arising

Alan asked for an update on the parcel of the Recreation Reserve that has not yet been gazetted. Mike noted Pat had raised at TDC hearing but Pat had no response.  
Action: Mike to check correspondence & share