



# WAIMARIE: HAMILTON EAST COMMUNITY HOUSE

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## Book fair, save the date

Waimarie Hamilton East Community House is organising a fundraising book fair that will be held on Thursday, July 16 from 10am till 3.30pm.

A variety of second-hand books suitable for all members of the family will be for sale at bargain prices.

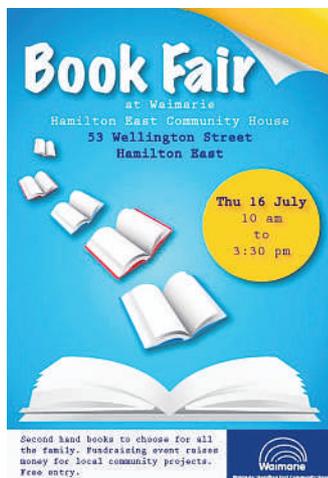
It is also an opportunity to learn more about the house, Waimarie's community garden and the services that they offer.

Please be aware that eftpos is not available at Waimarie Community House.

Waimarie hopes to raise money to go towards services and programmes to the community.

If anybody has unwanted books to donate for this event you can leave drop off before July 15 at reception between 9am and 4pm Monday to Friday.

Thanks you for your support.



## Regular services and activities

- Free budgeting service, Tuesdays from 9am (one hour appointment). Ph 858 3453 for an appointment.
- Free advocacy service. Ph for an appointment.
- Free legal advice, Thursdays from 9am (15-minute appointment). Ph 858 3453 for an appointment.
- Vegetable and fruit boxes, \$11 pre-paid by Wednesday 1pm. Pick up Thursday after 10.30am. Online payment option.
- Food bank Monday from

10am-2pm, Wednesday 1-3pm.

- Photocopying — A4 13c per copy, A4 10c per copy 11 +, A4 colour \$1 per copy, A3 25c per copy, A3 20c per copy 11 +, A3 colour \$2 per copy.
  - Friday morning community gardening and organic gardening courses. Ph 858 3453.
  - Opportunity shop and curtain bank, open every day 9.30am to 3.30pm.
  - Room hireage and community courses.
- Ph Anne 858 3453 for more information.

## A big thank you to our supporters

We would like to thank our funders and supporters for 2015.

- Funders**
- ANZ New Zealand Staff Foundation (fliers and business cards)
  - COGS (operating costs)
  - D V Bryant Trust (wages)
  - Hamilton City Council (operations/rent)
  - Karamu Trust (garden tools)
  - Lotteries (wages, training, volunteer expenses)
  - Norah Howell Charitable Trust (musical instrument hire)
  - NZ Post (envelopes)
  - SkyCity (garden Facilitator, music lessons fees)
  - Trust Waikato (wages)
  - WEL Energy Trust (wages)
- Supporters**
- Agrisea (garden tonic)
  - Community Probation Service

- Hamilton Budget Advisory Service (support)
  - iRs (ioint social enterprise, JustWork)
  - Pukete Neighbourhood House (advocacy support)
  - Sunshine Bakery (bread, pies)
  - Neighbours and friends (items for the shop and the garden)
  - Niemand Peebles Hoult (legal advice support)
  - The Carpet Barn Te Rapa (carpet)
  - Hamilton City Council (mulch)
  - TransPower (mulch)
- Also, a big thank you to all those neighbours and volunteers who have given their time and energy to Waimarie.

### MANAGER'S MUSINGS

# You will always get a warm welcome

Welcome. Waimarie: Hamilton East Community House serves the South East area of Kirikiriroa.

We run a variety of programmes and services and we are always open to new ideas and suggestions.

Please pop in or email us and let us know what you would like to see happening at Waimarie and/or how you could help us to achieve your vision.

We need the support of our community, you, to help us be of maximum benefit.

### OUR WHARE

Many of you may have read of the recent High Court decision that SEKCA be the rightful owners of our property. We are cautiously optimistic and hope to have settlement in a month or two. We will be able to make medium and long term plans to expand our services. Watch this space.

### WINTER OP SHOPPING

With winter now here, it may be time to look at increasing the insulation potential of your home.

We sell draught stoppers to put at the bottom of your doors where there is a gap.

We also sell curtains, hot water bottle covers and duvet covers to help you stay cosy and warm in winter.

The most effective curtains are those with a free lining that hang to the floor and are hung on pelmets.

This stops any draughts circulating through the gaps and the top and bottom of the curtains.

Thermal backing where the backing is fused on to the curtains (most cheaper curtains are thermal drapes) adds a very insignificant amount to the insulation properties of your curtains.

If you are looking to buy curtains, make sure you take the measurements of your windows and the measurement from the top of your curtain rail or pelmet to the ground (the drop).



### SCHOOL BALL COMING UP?

If you have a school ball coming up, come and check out our gorgeous frocks as well. We have some lovely dresses, perfect for special occasions.

### SAM PROJECT (Sport, Music and Cultural Fund)

For some years now, we have had a scholarship fund for families with children wanting to participate in music, sporting or cultural activities but who cannot



afford the fees. The only requirements are that a family has a Community Services Card, is willing to support their child in the chosen endeavor and lives in South East Hamilton. We support children for up to 12 months so they get a good grounding in their chosen activity.

We still have some funding for this year, particularly for music. We can pay for lessons and instrument hire. Fees are paid directly to the provider. Phone Waimarie for a form or download one from our website.

Ka kite ano  
Jane Landman

## Your donations can help us

If you have good quality books, bric-a-brac, jewellery, kitchen ware, cushions, linen, curtains, tools or china that you would like to donate, we would be happy to have them.

We do not sell furniture as we don't have the space.

- Also wanted:
- Supermarket plastic bags
  - Egg cartons, preferably half dozen ones
  - Adult and children's books

written in Maori

- Small jars with lids (for relish)
- Brown or white sugar (for relish)
- Volunteers to help run the shop