



Titahi Bay
Community Group

Newsletter #6

2021 April-May Edition

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Past events/highlights:

- The **Easter fair** happened on Friday 2 April at Whitehouse Road. An awesome turn out from the community and a massive thanks to the organisers of this great local event.
- **ANZAC day 2021** dawn service at Titahi Bay Beach received such a great response from the public, with reportedly over 2,000 people attending a very moving service.



- The **Marine's Hall** demolition has been approved. The Council plans to consult the public in the near future about what features they envisage for the planned park area. <https://www.stuff.co.nz/dominion-post/news/porirua/125012426/commemorative-landscaped-park-planned-for-settobevacant-marines-hall-lot-in-titahi-bay>

Upcoming Events:



- **Titahi Bay Emergency Preparedness Workshops.** Our community is being offered a free workshop and earthquake drill that will help inform us on what we can do for ourselves, neighbours and our community in the event of an emergency. Keep the evening of **Wednesday 19 May 2021 6-7:30pm** free. Food and refreshments will be on offer. There's also an earthquake drill on **Saturday 26 June 2021 3-5pm**, where we will open up the emergency hub and find out how it works. The venue for both emergency preparedness events is the **Titahi Bay Primary School Hall** on Kura Street (**our Emergency hub**).



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- Do you want to be part of **Titahi Bay Beach Festival 2022**? Come along to 31a Richard Street on **Tuesday 25 May 2021** at **6:30pm**. All welcome.
- **Pedestrian crossing improvements.** Work to upgrade more than 40 pedestrian crossings across Porirua City is underway and due to be completed by May 2021. The improvements include new retro reflective road markings and improved signage. The works were identified during a safety assessment of all pedestrian crossings in the city and will see them all brought up to a consistent, safe standard. Work on pedestrian crossings by schools will be carried out during the school holidays to limit disruptions.
- **Intersection improvements.** Work is set to begin next week on a number of major projects in Kenepuru, to prepare for increased traffic flows from Transmission Gully and the city's growth. This includes upgrades to three key intersections:
 - Raiha Street / Prosser Street: construction of a mountable roundabout to reduce speeds and near misses between vehicles,
 - Raiha Street / Broken Hill Road: reducing the wide conflict area and the associated risk for all road users,
 - Main Road / Wall Place: widening the intersection to reduce the delays for exiting traffic.
- **A cycle crossing point on Kenepuru Drive** will also be installed to provide a safe crossing point for northbound cyclists near the Stream Bank walk/cycleway. Letters are being dropped to affected parties to ensure they are aware of the planned work and expected disruptions. Find out more about our Kenepuru Corridor improvement projects on the council website
<https://porirua.govt.nz/your-council/city-projects/kenepuru-corridor/>
- **Long Term Plan progress update.** We have been told that there have been approximately 335 written submissions that came in before the deadline on 27 April 2021, and around 60 of those have requested an oral submission (the submissions will be heard on the 12th and 13th of May, submitters will be contacted directly by PCC staff to coordinate). Councillors will start their deliberations in early June 2021.

Other information:

- **Dog control bylaw and policy** was adopted by council on 15 April 2021. Visit the Porirua City Council website to have a read.

