

BIG THANK YOU

Last month was Keep New Zealand Beautiful month and the Normandale Residents' Association organised a Keep Normandale Beautiful week with a clean up of the streets around Normandale.

A big THANK YOU to all of the residents involved. Our suburb is definitely one to be proud of and we know that it is common practice to dispose of your rubbish appropriately!

We would like to extend special thanks to

- ◇ Pam and Peter;
- ◇ Bernice and Bob;
- ◇ Sandie and Pete.

These folks visited us while we were cleaning up around the entrance to Normandale and picked up bags so they could also do some cleaning up.

Special thanks to the Hutt City Council who supplied bags and gloves and removed the full bags.

Thanks everyone!
Paul Caygill, NRA President
& Robyn Caygill



Word of the month:

- Monticule**
 A. Glasses for single eye
 B. Small hill
 C. Beauty treatment
 D. Plant able to survive without other species

Last-month's word:

- Hesperidium**
 D. Type of fruit.

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Local happenings...

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Congratulations to Paul Caygill:

Paul has been appointed to the Hutt City Council's new Western Community Panel. See inside for more information about what the Western Community Panel will do.

Thanks to residents:

Thanks to those residents who cleaned up Normandale last month. See the back page for details.

Looking for something to do in October?

Hutt Timebank is holding some fundraising quiz nights at the Sprig and Fern tavern. Teams are up to 6 members. See inside for details.

St Aidan's Church is holding its Annual Garage Sale on the 21st of October. See inside for details

... Or in November?

There will be another free money management course available in November. Register online at www.capmoney.org or to find out more, phone Nicola on 5867048 or email maungaraki.baptist.church@gmail.com

Normandale Times:

Don't forget to submit your articles and photos to ntimes@hotmail.com before the 25th of the month.

Thank you.

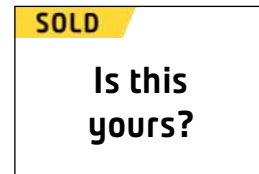
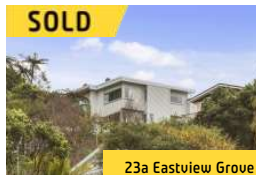


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Note: Copy deadline 25th of preceding month.

The next NRA meeting will be held at St Aidans church on Thursday 19th of October - all association members welcome. The meetings last from 7:30 until 9:00.

Community Panel Members Appointed

Normandale resident and chair of the Normandale Residents Association, Paul Caygill, has been appointed to the Hutt City Council's new Western Community Panel.

He is joined on the panel by Gregguil Besa, Tracy Coleman, Pam Hindmarsh, Ellen Jackman and councillors Margaret Cousins and Chris Milne. Tracy Coleman has been appointed chair for an initial twelve month period after which the panel members themselves will decide on a chair.

Community Panels are replacing Ward Community Committees in the city this triennium and will have funds to allocate for local community projects – money previously allocated to the salaries of Community Committee members.

Panels will operate informally – there will be no regular meeting cycle, no set venues, no set agenda items and no rigid standing orders to adhere to. Members will decide when and where and how often they need to get together. Panels have three general functions:

- Representation – discuss, debate and provide feedback to Council on all important local issues, city wide matters of significance, Annual Plans and policy settings.
- Allocate and manage a Local Community Projects Fund.
- Allocate and manage the local Community Engagement Fund to assist and support local community events and initiatives.

Margaret Cousins

St Aidan's Church Annual Garage Sale

21st of October, from 9am

Address: Corner Poto Road & Stratton Street.

Stalls:

- ☺ White Elephant
- ☺ Jams and Cakes
- ☺ BBQ (food)
- ☺ Clothes
- ☺ Plants and seedlings
- ☺ Books
- ☺ Kids toys

Planting

The Normandale Residents' Association has received a grant from the Hutt City Council to buy some more plants to beautify Normandale.

We are still deciding on a planting plan, but we have decided that:

- Planting will be a community activity and we welcome as many of you as are keen to join in.
- We are waiting for the slips to stabilise and the weather to get a bit better.
- We'll let you know a date as soon as we can!




Hutt Timebank Fundraiser
\$2 Entry
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