

## Normandale Residents Association

Minutes from Committee Meeting held at St.Aidan's on 21<sup>st</sup> September 2017 commencing 7.30pm.

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**Present:** Paul Caygill (Chair), Robyn Caygill, Sandie Matcham, Pete Matcham, Margaret Cousins

**Apologies:** Daniel Loader

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**Minutes of Previous Meeting:** Minutes of meeting of August 2017 had been circulated electronically and were approved subject to the 'date of next meeting' being corrected. Paul/Robyn

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**Matters Arising:** Detailed in general business.

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**Treasurer's Report** Treasurers report for August 2017 Robyn/Sandie

As at the end of June the bank balances were:

<b>Current account Westpac</b>	\$5,081.03
<b>Rabo Savings account</b>	\$9,309.77

Income included: \$15.00 from advertising  
\$75 from subscriptions  
\$1000 from HCC grant for plants  
\$3.54 interest (3.42 Rabo, 0.12 Westpac)

Expenditure: nil

Households subscribed: 28

Advertising invoices sent out

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**Correspondence:** Rabo Direct have continued to contact the secretary regarding proof of identification forms for the committee members. They refuse to believe that Daniel doesn't have voting rights even though he is a minor. They have now threatened to block our account if they don't have the forms for everyone by mid November. Implications were discussed.

General opinion is that they have no right to ask for the information; they cannot ask one person to supply information of others, even contact details.

Decisions:

1. Robyn will remove all money once term deposit matures, and close the account.
2. Sandie will write to the banking ombudsman and Consumer regarding Rabo's continuous refusal to believe what they are being told and the harassment she has suffered.
3. Paul will write to Rabo, copied to NZ Banking Association, Consumer and the Banking Ombudsman identifying our concerns and decisions.
4. Suggest James and/or Grant write to privacy commissioner about Sandie being asked to provide their details.

Paul has emailed Ashleigh regarding the various civil defence issues, but has had no reply. Maungaraki haven't heard from her either. Jeff Stewart at the council has a focus on WREMO.

Paul emailed Normandale school regarding the option to take up the new short version domain name. They are not interested either.

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**General Business:**

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**Civil Defence / Community Hub** See Correspondence

<b>Youth development – still outstanding</b>	<p>Still outstanding from last month.</p> <p>Ignite Sport have a ‘Youth Development through sport’ programme. We should let them know about the Jubilee Park equipment.</p>
	<p><b>Action:</b> Paul will do article for Hutt News Paul will write to sports club with information – should be able to get details from council web site for committees and/or groups</p>
<b>Community Engagement Fund</b>	<p>There are still slips occurring, so agreed to defer any planting again until later in the year until ground stabilised.</p>
	<p><b>Action:</b> Robyn/Paul will contact Suzie as matter of courtesy.</p>
<b>Clean Up Normandale</b>	<p>This went ahead as scheduled. Robyn emailed the school.</p> <p>A few residents collected bags to fill.</p> <p>Lots of rubbish collected from roadside at the bottom of Normandale Road and around the Jubilee Park carpark area.</p> <p>Bags left for collection were cleared quickly by council.</p>
<b>Inorganic Rubbish Collection</b>	<p>General consensus is to wait until next year, probably April as several members unavailable later this year. Date will be decided at the February meeting.</p>
<b>Website</b>	<p>Areas of the website need to be re-developed as the hosting service has gone.</p>
	<p><b>Action:</b> Pete will look at what needs to be done.</p>
<b>Western Community Panel</b>	<p>From the community, the panel consists of:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Gregguil Basa (Alicetown)</li> <li>Paul Caygill (Normandale)</li> <li>Tracy Coleman (Maungaraki)</li> <li>Pam Hindmarsh (Kelson)</li> <li>Ellen Jackman (Youth Council)</li> </ul> <p>Plus councillors Margaret and Chris, and council officer Mel Laben.</p> <p>The first meeting of the new panel has been held.</p> <p>Looking at what to focus on; what needs to be done; infrastructure; resilience; community well-being. Looking at what people had been concerned about in previous surveys.</p> <p>Feedback from local members, environmental protection, community resilience.</p> <p>Improving crossways communications between the hill suburbs.</p>

Meeting closed 8:40

Next meeting 19<sup>th</sup> October