

Normandale Residents' Association

Annual General Meeting

Save the date in your diary...

...Normandale Residents' Association Annual General Meeting will be held on Thursday the 28th of June at St Aidans on the Hill.

Our guest speaker is yet to be confirmed but if you have any ideas, let us know.

We are looking for new committee members, so if you have an interest in getting together with a bunch of lovely people once a month, with January off for good behaviour, we would love to hear from you!

A yummy supper will be served at the end of the AGM!



The Economist

Weekly print issues.
Would anyone like these for free after I've read them?

Expressions of interest:
Phone John on
586 1718 after hours



Word of the month:
Panchreston
A. Collection of gods
B. Simplified beyond use
C. Type of biofuel
D. A figured stamp
Last-month's word:
Versimilitude
A. Appearing real

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Inorganic Collection—new system

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The inorganic collection will be held on the 16th of June. This year we are trialling a new system. Instead of us collecting from your gate, we want you to bring your inorganic goods to the collection bin at 145 Normandale Road after 9 am on the 16th of June.

FIRST COME, FIRST SERVED. Once the bins we have ordered are filled, we will stop taking any more items. If the demand is high, we will consider organising another collection later in the year.

NO COLLECTION FROM YOUR GATE. We will not be collecting anything from your gate unless you make a special arrangement with us at least a week before. Please contact us by the 9th of June at normandale.residents@gmail.com or phone the president on (04) 566 4130 to arrange a pick up of your goods.

REMINDER. There are certain items we cannot collect:

- ⊗ No garden or household refuse
- ⊗ No tyres or glass
- ⊗ No recyclable material (things that you would usually put in your recycling bin)
- ⊗ No paint (water or oil based)
- ⊗ No hazardous material particularly no medical waste
- ⊗ No commercial or excessive quantities of building and other waste.

VOLUNTEERS: meet at 145 Normandale Road at 8:45am for a safety briefing.

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The next NRA meeting will be held at St Aidans' Church on Thursday 17th of May - all association members welcome. The meetings last from 7:30 until 9:00.

Disclaimer: The opinions expressed in this paper do not necessarily reflect those of the committee.

Note: Copy deadline 25th of preceding month.

Community Recycling Day

We are thinking about the possibility of a 'Community Recycling Day' the weekend before the Inorganic Collection Day. Anything re-usable could be put out for the day in front of your house and people can go and collect anything they would like. Anything remaining the following day would need to be taken back in and could then be brought along to the bins the following week. This would reduce the amount of potential recyclable material we would have to separate and hopefully give a better opportunity for real recycling.

Please email your support (or not) for this day to us at normandale.residents@gmail.com or phone (04) 566 4130.



Some Normandale History

A little snippet from the New Zealand Times, Volume XXXIII, Issue 7369, 22 February 1911:

NORMANDALE SETTLEMENT

Five lots in the Normandale Settlement, Lower Hutt, will be open for application on renewable lease on Wednesday, March 29th. Applications are to be made to the Wellington Commissioner of Crown Lands.

Acknowledgement: Thanks to the National Library of New Zealand for their wonderful digitised records.

Your advert here?
A reminder that you can advertise in the times for \$15 per month. Just email ntimes@hotmail.com by the 25th of the previous month.

Western Hills Toy Library update – May

Come and check out our great range of educational and interactive toys for babies, toddlers and preschoolers. Our awesome toys for older children include Build It Robot, magnetic discovery + K'nex STEM building and helicopter and monster truck construction sets.

Planning a kid's birthday party? Talk to us!

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New bouncy castle!

We are excitedly awaiting the arrival of our new bouncy castle (expected end of April). This will be a hit at littlies' birthday parties and other events. Keep posted to our Facebook page for news of it's arrival. Hire will be \$50 per weekend for members (\$30 bond). Non-members can also hire the bouncy castle – email us for more info: westernhillstoylibrary@gmail.com

Hire toys in May and be in to win a free weekend hire of the bouncy castle!


Up-coming movie night

We are planning a movie night fundraiser to be held in July – keep posted to our Facebook page for more info coming soon.

Follow us on Facebook: [Facebook.com/WesternHillsToyLibrary](https://www.facebook.com/WesternHillsToyLibrary)

Western Hills Toy Library – 135 Dowse Drive, Maungaraki

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