

## Farewell from Denika

Over the past year of being the editor of the Normandale Times, I have had the opportunity to appreciate all the amazing work the Normandale Residents Association do, including organizing Clean Up Normandale, the planting around Normandale and installing the AEDs. I've learnt so much about the Normandale community through editing the Times.

One of the things I enjoyed was meeting and interviewing people for the newsletter.

Thanks to Robyn and Paul Caygill for supporting me through the editing process, you've been a huge help. I hope the next editor enjoys it as much as I did.

-Denika Mead



**Normandale School**  
**50th Jubilee**  
Fri 25<sup>th</sup> October – Sat 26<sup>th</sup> October.  
We are turning 50!  
Are you a past or present parent, teacher or pupil of Normandale School, or connected to the school community in some way? Come and share your memories and celebrate this milestone with us.  
For more information please go [www.normandale.school.nz](http://www.normandale.school.nz)

### Gorgeous little cracker @ 132 Miromiro Rd

Our vendor is moving south and is sad to be selling her lovely home that offers many delights. From the hidden garden with raised vegie patches, enormous deck over looking the valley, and an interior that has its own treasures—stunning kitchen, stylish bathroom, light bright décor with touches of wooden detail. In by Christmas – Yes we can help with that!



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# NORMANDALE TIMES

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**Recycle, reuse, and save the planet**

### Recycling day—2 November

On 2 November we will be holding the community recycling day where residents put out good used furniture and brick-a-brac for other residents to pick up and reuse. Take a trip around the neighborhood and help yourself to anything clearly free to a good home. Anything remaining at the end of the following day (3 November) should be taken back in.

### Inorganic collection—9 November

Bring your inorganic goods to the collection bin at **145 Normandale Road after 9:00am**. Please do not put anything in the bins before that time as the helpers will sort for the recyclers.

**Cost:** Free to association members who have paid their subscription for 2019/20; **\$5 cash** for non-members (or pay your subs for 2019/20 prior to the day).

See inside for **subscription details**.

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 2nd of November at [normandale.residents@gmail.com](mailto: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—see inside for details.

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

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Note: Copy deadline 25th of preceding month.

The next NRA meeting will be held at 17 Pokohiwi Road on Thursday 17th October - all association members welcome. The meeting is from 7:30 to 9:00pm

## Innorganic collection information

As with every year, there are restrictions on what we can take in our Inorganic Collection. Please ensure that the following items are not included by you or your household:

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

### Reminder: Where to pay your SUBSCRIPTIONS

Subscriptions for the NRA cover the 2019/2020 year. Subscription is \$5 per person and allows the NRA to carry out projects on behalf of the Normandale community, such as the Inorganic collection and Community Barbeque events. Please pay directly into the NRA bank account:

**Bank** - Westpac (Petone branch)

**Account Name** - Normandale Residents Association

**Account Number** - 03 0543 0200658 00

Ensure that you give both your name and partial address - enough to identify who you are in the references. If you prefer to pay by cash or cheque, please send your subscription to: The Treasurer, c/o 17 Pokohiwi Road, Lower Hutt, or contact one of the committee. Thank you.

## Thank you to those keeping our neighbourhood beautiful

A huge thank you to everyone who volunteered their time to help out with the Clean Up Normandale event, and to all the students at Normandale School especially. It was lovely weather for us that weekend and it was great to see more people volunteering. Thank you to all the people that I didn't see as well, those quietly working to keep our suburb beautiful; it's what makes living in Normandale so great!

*- Paul Caygill, President of the Normandale Residents Association*



### Vandals in Normandale

We were extremely disappointed to hear that the field below Normandale School had been vandalized by a car. This is a public resource that is widely used and to vandalise a piece of public property like this hurts the communities ability to access these types of resources. This is also a good opportunity to remind the community that if you see someone vandalising public property **to call 105 and report it to the police**. When you vandalise public property you hurt not only yourself but the whole neighbourhood. Thanks to a local resident from Miromiro Road for providing the pictures

**No Job Too Small !**

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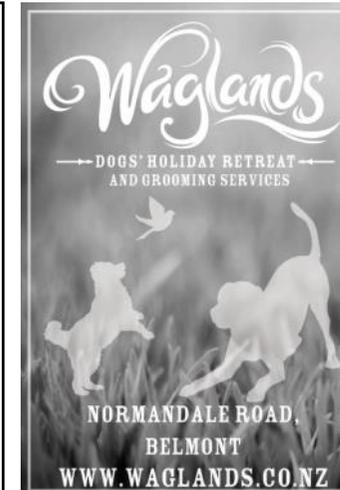
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