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Word of the month:

- Fustigate**
 A. to desaturate
 B. to denounce severely
 C. to disagree loudly
 D. to drain quickly

Last-month's word:

- Panacea**
 B. solution for all difficulties

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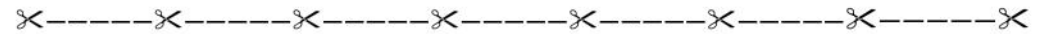


JUNE 2021

AGM 2021: see you there

All current and prospective members of the Normandale Residents' Association are invited to the AGM at St Aidan's on the Hill at 7.30pm, Thursday 17th June. The meeting is a great opportunity to hear about the Association's activities for the past year, vote in new NRA committee members and enjoy a catch up over refreshments. Emergency Management Advisor Kane McCollum from WREMO will be the guest speaker, who will talk about emergency preparedness here in Normandale. Following this, we'll have supper and get to know each other better.

Nominations for NRA President, Secretary, Treasurer and Committee Members are now open. Members of the Association can make nominations by emailing normandale.residents@gmail.com with your name, the nominee's name and the position, or by dropping the nomination form below to 17 Pokohiwi Road by Wednesday 16th June.



Normandale Residents' Association nominations for committee

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 Note: Copy deadline 25th of preceding month.

Next NRA meeting:
 St Aidan's on the Hill
 Thursday 17th June
 7:30pm - all association members welcome.

Dear Normandale Residents...

A resident has gotten in touch hoping to pass on a message.

“To the person who took a babygate from the top of our drive yesterday evening, that I have the 4th screw attachment. It fell out when we were moving the items up our drive, and I didn't notice till later. The babygate will be much easier to secure to the wall with all four attachments.” - *Trish*

If this sounds like you, please feel free to get in contact with Trish on 0272961471. She can pass that attachment onto you.



The screw attachment in question

Road Safety in Normandale

A resident has gotten in touch concerned about the road safety in Normandale, having seen an increase in the number of cars driving down the centre of the road.

The Road Code is very clear on this- if a driver crosses a marked centre line they must do so safely. Cars travelling in the opposite direction on the other side of the road have automatic right-of-way, and the driver crossing the centre line will be responsible for any collision.


This casual attitude of driving down the road centre line is particularly dangerous here in Normandale with our multitude of windy roads and blind spots. Please especially think about our bike riding whanau when on the road up here on the Hills, it can “literally be a case of life and death”, as this resident emailed to us.



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Bird of the Month

Heard throughout Normandale, especially on hot summer nights, the morepork— also known as the ruru, or the Tasmanian spotted owl.



Inorganic Rubbish Collection 2021




Pictured, some NRA members who helped unload Normandale residents' rubbish from their cars and trailers into the two skips.

Early on Saturday morning 8th May, two very large rubbish skips were deposited onto a vacated part of Normandale Road. One skip was reserved for items which could be used by a local metal recycling company and the other was reserved for general rubbish destined for the tip.

This annual collection service was provided free of charge to NRA members, and those arriving with rubbish who were not paid up members were encouraged to pay their five dollar annual subscription on the spot.

During the day there was a steady stream of vehicles stopping off at the skips to off load rubbish and some residents managed multiple trips. Notable objects collected included: microwave ovens, filing cabinets, car radiators, consumer electronics, building waste material, furniture and mattresses. Thanks to everyone who made the trip, it shows to the organisers the collection is worth doing. Special thanks go to all the volunteers who helped on the day with loading items into the bins, your hard work is very much appreciated.



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