

NORMANDALE TIMES

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It's a New Year, and we need New Ideas!



We'd like you to let us know which of our regular activities you value most, and what else you would like us to do.

Listed below are our regular activities. Please tell us how much you value these by completing the survey online at <https://kwiksurveys.com/s/NRA2023>

- Spring BBQ to meet your neighbours
- Inorganic Rubbish & metal recycling collection
- Clean up Normandale rubbish
- Submissions to Council
- Jubilee Park pond restoration

or scan here :)



You can also let us know what else you would like us to do to support the Normandale Community.

We'll be having an open meeting on Thursday 16th February at 7:30 at St Aidan's Church to discuss the things you tell us, so please come along and expand on your ideas.

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Next NRA meeting:
Thursday 16th
February 7:30pm
at St Aidans on the Hill- all association members welcome.



Word of the Month:

Bucolic

- A. foul smelling
- B. foamy texture
- C. country life
- D. religious imagery

Last month's word:

- Attenuate**
B. Reduce



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Santa Day Parade

Normandale turned on a perfect summer day for Santa's visit on Christmas morning. Presents were delivered to about 35 families during our suburb's 39th Santa Parade.

Sweets were again provided by the Normandale Residents' Association to everyone waiting to watch Santa ride by on his sleigh.

Special thanks this year to Normandale-based companies PRS and Fine Signs who have provided a new parade sign for the Normandale community noticeboard.

A special mention must be made of locals Joe and Ruth Glover who are moving to Otaki where they have bought a property from extended family. Joe and Ruth and their children Casey, Mercedes, Krystle and Devin have been involved in the parade most years since the 1990s. In those early years they were all on the sleigh and in recent years have helped behind the scenes. The family's contribution is even more significant as Christmas Day is also Joe's birthday.

Thanks are also due to those who ran this year's parade - David and Tara Capel, Göran Persson, Malcolm Cameron, Aaron Gough, Alex Whitton, Kate Wilson, Erin Howley, Joe Glover and Rosemary McLennan.



Tyler Gough, 3, receives a present from Santa, watched by his great-grandmother Judy Cameron. It's a family affair for the Camerons with Tyler's father Aaron driving the ute pulling Santa's sleigh and Aaron's grandfather, Malcolm Cameron, driving the safety vehicle behind them.



Another delivery by Santa, this time to residents of lower Miromiro Road who make the visit by the Man in Red part of their neighbourhood Christmas morning festivities.

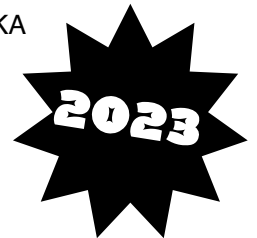
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Normandale Roads

Find the names of all the roads here in Normandale listed below.

- CHRISTINA
- COTTLE PARK
- EASTVIEW
- MARTIN
- MIROMIRO
- MULBERRY
- NORMANDALE
- PEKANGA
- POKOHIWI
- POTO
- ST JOHNS WAY
- STRATTON
- SWEET ACRES
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