### FEBRUARY 2021

# HAVELOCK LIONS CLUB



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### **HAVELOCK LIONS NEWS...**

#### THE MONSTER WHEELBARROW RAFFLE

PREPARATIONS FOR OUR DISPLAY AT THE MUSSEL FESTIVAL ARE UNDERWAY. CONGRATULATIONS TO CAROL BOSWELL FOR GETTING SUCH AN IMPRESSIVE ARRAY OF GOOD FROM ITM (HAVELOCK) AND BUNNINGS WAREHOUSE.

PROCEEDS FROM THE RAFFLE GO TO LIFE FLIGHT TRUST



#### **COLLECTING BREAD TAGS**

DID YOU SEE THIS ITEM IN OUR DISTRICT FEBRUARY 2021 BULLETIN?



Helping one person might not change the whole world, but it could change the world for one person.

Most of those little plastic tags end up in landfill, but there is an alternative that recycles the tags while helping fund a good cause.

The NZ arm of Bread Tags for Wheelchairs is run by Kelly Vollenhoven Bread tags for wheelchairs NZ volunteer 020 40937020.

ion to find local recyclers, and a

Initially the tags were sorted, then sent to South Africa, but Kelly made it her mission to find local recyclers, and a jewellery designer/manufacturer in Christchurch called ODF, Recycled Plastic Design is the first.

These earrings are made with plastic collected by Breadtags for Wheelchairs. 50% of the sale price of every pair will be sent to Breadtags for Wheelchairs. <a href="www.recycledplasticdesign.com">www.recycledplasticdesign.com</a>

It's a win win for Bread tags for wheelchairs, for this talented kiwi entrepreneur and to educate the public on plastic waste.

www.breadtagsforwheelchairs.co.za > collection points > in New Zealand and scroll down to your town. e.g. Kaikoura Bread Tags are collected by our local Recycling centre.

COLLECTION POINT FOR OUR CLUB: IAN CAMERON: 5 INGLIS STREET, HAVELOCK

### HIGHLIGHTS FROM BOARD MEETING

#### 2<sup>ND</sup> FEBRUARY 2021

MUSSEL FESTIVAL IS COMING CLOSER ( $13^{TH}$  March) and Board Members are working on their portfolios to make sure the public is impressed by the way we operate. Siobhan is working on the roster for attendance in the Corporate tent (food and drink), Carol has made a magnificent success of the wheelbarrow raffle and Kaye (Sneaky Beach) has offered us two Chocolate Gateau as  $2^{ND}$  and  $3^{RD}$  prizes. Debbie has prepared a continuous LCIF slide show. We will be taking our Marquee to the Festival and will be decorating the sides with our photos. The proceeds from the raffle are to be donated to Life Flight Helicopter Trust

THE RAI SHOW IS ON 6<sup>TH</sup> MARCH AND DEBBIE IS PREPARING A ROSTER OF THOSE OF US AVAILABLE TO DO GATE DUTY.

BY THE TIME YOU READ THIS, WE WILL HAVE FAREWELLED HAROLD AND LYNETTE KIDDEY AS THEY LEAVE FOR SOUTHLAND. THE BOARD VOTED TO PRESENT HAROLD WITH A LLOYD MORGAN HONOURED CATEGORY CERTIFICATE WHICH WE WILL PRESENT ON SUNDAY.

THE NEXT CLUB WE WILL BE VISITING ON TAIL TWISTER JOHN'S VISITING PROGRAMME IS PICTON. LIKELY DATE IS WEDNESDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> MARCH AT 6:30PM FOR 7PM MEAL. MORE DETAILS AT OUR DINNER MEETING.

AS ADVISED, OUR DINNER MEETING ON 16<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY IS GOING TO BE A "DOMESTIC" ONE, WHERE SIOBHAN WILL LEAD A GENERAL DISCUSSION AROUND OUR CLUB, AND SHE WILL REVEAL THE RESULTS OF THE RECENT SURVEY (ANONYMISED)

THE BOARD S TRIALLING HIRING AN EFTPOS MACHINE WHICH CAN BE USED AT MARKETS, STREET COLLECTIONS (I.E. DAFFODIL DAY) BUT ALSO FOR PAYING FOR YOUR MEALS AT OUR DINNER MEETING. TREASURER BRIAN IS NEGOTIATING WITH THE SUPPLIER AND WE HOPE IT WILL BE ABLE TO BE USED FOR OUR DINNER MEETING ON 16<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY. YOU WILL BE ADVISED IF IT IS IN PLACE.

THE BOARD HAS AGREED TO BUY TWO TRESTLE TABLES WHICH CAN BE USED AT MARKETS.

WE HAVE INVITED ACTOR/DIRECTOR PETER MEIKLE TO OUR DINNER MEETING ON  $16^{\text{TH}}$  MARCH TO THANK HIM FOR ARRANGING THE PERFORMANCE OF LOVE LETTERS.

### "LOVE LETTERS"

#### 23RD JANUARY 2021

OVER 70 PEOPLE CAME TO THE CANVASTOWN HALL TO SUPPORT THE HAVELOCK LIONS CLUB FUNDRAISER. THE CLUB RAISED \$1503 FROM SALE OF TICKETS, MONSTER RAFFLE AND AFTERNOON TEAS.



THE RECEPTION TEAM: L TO R: IAN CAMERON, DAVE FARRANT (RAFFLES), BRIAN CAMERON (TICKETING). MISSING NICOLA FARRANT (FRONT OF HOUSE)



THE PLAY BEGINS RAE MCGREGOR (L) AND PETER MEIKLE ENTER THE STAGE.



PART OF THE CLEAN-UP TEAM: L TO R DAVE FARRANT, BILLY SKINNER, LIZ COLYER, VP SIOBHAN SKINNER, VISITING AMBERLEY PRESIDENT PAM HARVEY, NICOLA SKINNER

### **INGLIS STREET THOUGHTS...**



THE YEAR HAS STARTED ON A HIGH NOTE FOR OUR CLUB. FIRSTLY, *LOVE LETTERS*, - WHAT A MEMORABLE AFTERNOON, ACTORS PETER MEIKLE AND RAE MCGREGOR TREATED US TO A GRIPPING RENDITION OF A.R. GURNEY'S PLAY. PETER TOLD ME THAT HE AND RAE HAD ACTED TOGETHER FOR OVER 40 YEARS AND ALTHOUGH THEY HAD PERFORMED *LOVE LETTERS* WITH OTHER ACTORS, IT WAS THE FIRST TIME THEY HAD PERFORMED IT TOGETHER.

THAT WAS ENJOYABLE ENOUGH BUT, FOR ME, THE ICING ON THE CAKE WAS THE WAY OUR CLUB MEMBERS WORKED TOGETHER LIKE A WELL-OILED MACHINE, DEB AND HAZEL LEAD THE AFTERNOON TEA TEAM (WHAT A DELICIOUS AFTERNOON TEA IT WAS, TOO. PEOPLE ARE STILL TALKING ABOUT IT AROUND THE TOWN,)
DAVE WITH THE MONSTER RAFFLES AND BRIAN LOOKING AFTER PUBLICITY AND TICKETING.

HOWEVER, THEY COULD NOT HAVE ACHIEVED THE RESULT ON THEIR OWN AND A HEARTFELT THANK YOU TO EVERYONE WHO HELPED IN SOME WAY. VERY FEW MEMBERS DID NOT ASSIST IN SOME WAY, EVEN IF THEY COULD NOT BE THERE. IT WAS VERY SATISFYING SEEING OUR PLEDGE OF \$2100 POSTED OFF TO THE WELLINGTON CHILDREN'S HOSPITAL PLAYSCAPE- ACTUALLY, THE CHEQUE WAS FOR \$2103!

CONGRATULATIONS TO CAROL FOR THE IDEA AND THE NOTICE BOARD TEAM IN COMING UP WITH THE EFFECTIVE AND ATTRACTIVE NOTICE BOARD NOW ERECTED OUTSIDE THE BERRY SHED. IT IS GOOD TO SEE PEOPLE STOPPING AND READING IT. THE OTHER HIGHLIGHT THIS YEAR HAS TO SEE DEB'S 10-YEAR PROJECT COME TO FRUITION. IN 2010 DEB SUGGESTED TO THE CLUB THAT WE PARTIALLY SPONSOR ONE YOUNG PERSON EACH YEAR FOR THE NEXT TEN YEARS. THE CLUB ADOPTED THE IDEA AND WORKED HARD WITH GARDEN TOURS, BINGO NIGHTS, AND MARKETS TO RAISE THE MONEY. OUR TENTH CANDIDATE, OLIVIA POLKINGHORNE, GRADUATED ON 23<sup>RD</sup> DECEMBER 2020. CONGRATULATIONS, DEBBIE, ON SUCH A COURAGEOUS AND USEFUL IDEA.

LOOKING TO THE FUTURE, MARCH IS ALWAYS OUR BUSIEST MONTH WITH RAI A & P, MUSSEL FESTIVAL, MARKETS, AND CONVENTION. WE NEED THAT GREAT TEAMWORK TO CONTINUE SO THAT WE CAN BE SUCCESSFUL AND FIND ENJOYMENT IN ALL THESE ACTIVITIES.

FINALLY, A HUGE THANK YOU TO MUFF WHO ARRANGED FOR 271 BAGS TO BE FILLED WITH SHEEP POO TO BOOST OUR CHARITABLE FUNDS.

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LET KINDNESS AND COMPASSION LEAD THE WAY.

## IN OTHER LIONS NEWS...



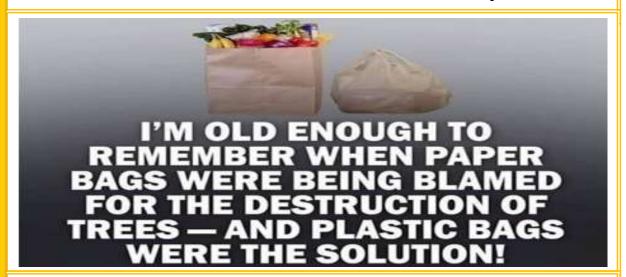




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Description of the Park

With thanks to Rolleston & Districts Bulletin. February 2021



#### SUBS REMINDER!

\$125 FAMILY AND \$65 INDIVIDUAL
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#### REPRESENT OUR CLUB!

LIONS TEE-SHIRTS ARE ON OFFER FOR \$42 WITH LIONS LOGO, ORDER YOURS NOW FROM ANNE 03 574 2394

### **OUR NEW NOTICE BOARD**

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THE SUBCOMMITTEE HAVE WORKED HARD TO DESIGN AND ERECT OUR NEW SIGNAGE IN THE MIDDLE OF THE VILLAGE.

L TO R. SIOBHAN SKINNER AND LIZ COLLYER WORKING ON THE DESIGN, THE NOTICE BOARD, MEMBERS OF THE SUBCOMMITTEE ADMIRE THEIR WORK (L TO R) SIOBHAN, DEB HEALY (BACK TO CAMERA), PAM MULLIS.

MISSING FROM PHOTO- CAROL BOSWELL