### Greater Glen Eden Newsletter July 2016



#### **Ethkick West Football Tournament**

#### **Tournament date:**

Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> September 2016 at Starling Park, Ranui

# Tournament can host a maximum of 32 teams

Teams play 7 a-side (9 people register including subs)

Teams join either the Women's league or the Men's league

All players who register must currently live in West Auckland

Minimum 80% of players must identify with the ethnic community your team is representing

All players must be 16 years or over

Get in quick – only one team per ethnic community can register

No charge to enter Come and celebrate the cultural diversity of West Auckland The language of football can unite us all

If you'd like to register, contact Mandy Spencer

mandy@communitywaitakere.org.nz / phone (09) 838 7903

For more information visit www.communitywaitakere.org.nz

### Glen Eden Library Holiday Programme

10.30am Monday 11 July: Jewelry Making

10.30am Tuesday 12 July:

Yarn Flowers. Learn how to weave flowers, make some for Glen Eden's yarn bombing project.

10.30am Wednesday 13 July: Make your own BFG dream jar and play the BFG quiz.

10.30am Thursday 14 July: Fun active story time and craft for all ages.

10.30am Monday 18 July:

S.T.E.M engineering. Build a tower that can hold an egg without collapsing. Suitable for ages 7-10 years but all ages are welcome.

9.30am Tuesday 19 July:

Learn about cup stacking from our national representatives Black Stacks.

http:/www.facebook.comNewZealandBlackStacks/

10.30am Thursday 21 July:

Get up to mischief at our story time and craft for all ages.

Check our Facebook Page: www.facebook.com/glenedenlibrary

### Waitakere City School of Dance

For Jazz, Ballet, Lyrical, Hip Hop, Tap & Contemporary classes.

From 2 years of age to adults.

50A Glendale Road, Glen Eden. Behind Glenora Rugby League Club. Plenty of parking available.

Phone Natalie: 827 7142 or 021 035 4262

Email: info@dancewaitakere.co.nz

### Lifewise Big Sleepout

On 7 July I will be made homeless.

For one cold night in the dead of winter I will be stripped of my creature comforts, exposed to the elements and given insight into what it means to sleep rough.

With only a sleeping bag and a piece of cardboard for bedding I will be joined by other influential Kiwis as I take a public stand for Auckland's homeless population at the annual Lifewise Big Sleepout

For me, being made homeless, albeit temporarily, is a choice.

For the thousands of Kiwis, of all ages, who have been made homeless as a result of crippling life circumstances, being homeless is not a choice.

It is a devastating reality that demands a compassionate response.

It's time that we took a stand because. despite all its complications, with the right approach, homelessness can be solved.

EVERY dollar I fundraise will be directly applied to Lifewise's unique "no band aids" approach to homelessness.

The Lifewise response continues to be the most successful answer to the issue of homelessness.

So before I bed down on a slab of concrete I'd love to ask if you might sponsor me.

Please back me and please back this worthy cause by digging deep today.

http://bigsleepout.org.nz/page/

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# WEST AUCKLAND **BUSINESS CLUB**

PRESENTS -

# **BUSINESS AFTER 5**

hosted by

# **VEST®Business**

**WEST Means Business is** hosting the July Business After 5 Network Event.

This is a great opportunity to network with other business owners in West Auckland and gain business exposure.

Cost: FREE

When: Wednesday 6 July 2016,

5pm - 7pm

Where: Council Chamber (Level 2) 6 Henderson Valley Rd, Henderson

Please RSVP to wmb@west.org.nz



The Control of Cervical Cancer in New Zealand Achievements and Future Prospects.

9.30am—4.30pm, Friday 5 August 2016 Potters Park Event Centre (Auckland Deaf Society Building. 164 Balmoral Road, Auckland.

#### A one-day forum to:

- Bring together health practitioners, health consumers and policy makers
- Review the impact of screening in the control of cervical cancer
- Review the emerging issues in HPV immunisation in the control of cervical cancer
- Explore the implications of moving to HPV testing as the primary screening modality to control cervical cancer
- Share knowledge and foster debate

In 1988, the Cartwright Report provided a blueprint for organised cervical screening and paved the way for other cancer screening programmes in New Zealand.

This year our Cartwright seminar looks at the achievements in the control of cervical cancer in New Zealand and explores the implications of options for the future.

It will include expert speakers from across the screening, research and consumer sectors and panel discussions.

The forum is organised by the Auckland-based Cartwright Collective in association with the Auckland Women's Health Council and Women's Health Action.

Cost: \$150

\$80 for waged consumers and NGOs \$50 for unwaged consumers including students and superannuitants.

Please register online at:

www.cartwright2016.eventbrite.co.nz or contact Women's Health Action on 09 520 5295.

# Volunteers needed for the Glen Eden Safety Hub

Do you have a spare 3 or four hours a week and would like to support your community by being part of our Glen Eden Safety Hub Team?

The safety Hub needs volunteers as Hub assistants. The position requires you to meet and greet people and take their police and security inquiries to pass on. Simple really. You'll work from the centre of the town and be part of the awesome Hub team.

Sound like you?

Get in touch with Sharon Davies at the Local Board office and leave your details with her. Phone: 813 9150

### **Babies Out West Brochure Reprint**

Waitakere Health Link secured partial funding to support the reprint of 10,000 copies of the popular Babies Out West Brochure. This print run will be the fourth time the brochure has been updated and printed and continues to be in high demand throughout West Auckland.

The Babies Out West brochure provides information about services from pregnancy and childbirth to counselling and parenting education available in West Auckland

We continue to receive positive feedback on this brochure:

- "We find your brochure on, Babies Out West, incredibly helpful as it covers so much of what families are requiring. It is helpful for us as we have a paediatric area here in the Emergency Department, so it keeps us up to date with the latest information and available supporting services in the community. We hope this service will always be available for the families out west."
- "I think it is an awesome resource and will be useful to the mothers we work with."
- "Love the new 'Babies Out West' brochures, such an awesome resource!"

The bulk of the brochures are distributed through Waitakere Hospital maternity, midwives, and Plunket, but available at all health and social service organisations in the west and CABs, Libraries, GPs, kindergartens, day cares etc.

Contact Waitakere Health Link for your free copies of the Babies Out West Brochure ph 839 0512 or email info@waitakerehealthlink.org.nz

### **GIVE A KID A BLANKET (2016)**

is a Community Activated Art Action by Bernie Harfleet & Donna Turtle Sarten.

With what seems to be an even harder winter coming, many families in NZ are facing the winter cold in cars, garages, sleep outs. Children are at risk. Blankets will be collected till 1st August.

We need blankets, duvets, sleeping bags etc. New or pre-loved.

These we will get to kids and their families across Auckland through public health nurses.

If you can help please check the list below for a drop off point near you and make contact.

Please go to the project Facebook page to like and share this project far and wide and help make a difference.

Drop off people and places in West Auckland: West Coast Rd (Parrs Park area): Tiffany 0212408577

Titirangi: Tonic skin body spa 402a Titirangi Road, Titirangi Village.

- The Sleep Store, 31 Portage Road, New Lynn
  - Glen Eden, Pat 813 4625
  - Kelston: Karen 0274751167

If you would like to be apart of this project, or have blankets to donate, please e-mail us at badwakk@xtra.co.nz or you can contact us via the project Facebook page:

https://www.facebook.com/Give-a-Kid-a-Blanket-1612453109010058/

Waitakere City School of Dance will have a new Beginners Jazz class on Tuesdays at 3.30pm with Brooklyn, and a Beginners Hip Hop class with Courtney on Wednesdays at 3.30pm starting from Term 3.

Please contact us if you are interested in either or both.

Phone: 827 7142

Mobile: 021 035 4262

E: <u>info@dancewaitakere.co.nz</u>

www.waitakerecityschoolofdance.co.nz

# Learners Driver Licence Workshop

## Want to get your Learners Licence? Are you between the ages of 16 to 24?

Tuesday 9th August
Wednesday 10th August
9:30am - 3:30pm
HubWest Community Centre
Toru room, 27 Corban Avenue

This **FREE** workshop will provide you with a better understanding of the road code, and will help you to sit your learners licence with greater confidence.

The licence process is designed to make you a safe driver on our roads. The restrictions at each stage of the licence help you learn new skills without the extra pressure of things like driving at night or with passengers in the car.

Please RSVP by 5th August 2016 at **AT.govt.nz/youngdrivers**