

Greater Glen Eden Newsletter June 2016



Wheatbags For soccer

My name is Renee Booth

I am a member of the Green Bay High School First 11 Girls Soccer team and we have recently qualified to go to the Premier National Secondary Schools tournament held in Nelson at the end of August this year.

Because it is in Nelson, it is going to cost a bit to go and as a fundraiser, we are selling wheat bags.

These wheat bags are \$15 each and you can choose what design you want from the photo (we have plenty of each available).

I am able to deliver the wheat bags to you and you are also able to pick them up.

If you are interested, please text on 0274863315.

Any support would be appreciated. Thanks.



Settlers Film Club Presents FRIDAY 3rd JUNE 8pm 'The Lady in the Van' (M) offensive language 94 mins **

Alan Bennett's story is based on the true story of Miss Shepherd (played by a magnificent Maggie Smith), a woman of uncertain origins who "temporarily" parked her van in Bennett's London driveway and proceeded to live there for 15 years.

What begins as a begrudged favour becomes a relationship that will change both their lives.

Filmed on the street and in the house where Bennett and Miss Shepherd lived all those years, acclaimed director Nicholas Hytner reunites with iconic writer Alan Bennett (The Madness of King George, The History Boys) to bring this rare and touching portrait to the screen.

A lot of people have already seen this film and have said they want to see it again, so it should be a good night.

Directed by Nicholas Hytner Written by Alan Bennett from his memoir.

Starring: [Maggie Smith](#), [Alex Jennings](#), [Jim Broadbent](#), [Dominic Cooper](#), [James Corden](#), [Frances de la Tour](#)
**Plus Short film:

TEL: 818 2489 for ticket reservations
\$12 Adult \$10 Senior/Student/ Under 14yrs old
FREE Cash only sorry no EFTPOS
Ticket price includes Tea/Coffee/Biscuits

The **LADY** in the **VAN**



Super Gold Card Concessions Changes

Do you have a Super Gold Card and use it for concessions on Auckland Transport?

There are a few changes occurring that you'll want to know about.

While the scheme isn't changing the great free service offered to seniors, you'll now need to do a one off purchase of HOP card which works like an electronic ticket to get around.

The card will cost you \$10 and a \$5 minimum loading that can be used outside of the concession hours e.g. Monday—Friday before 9.00am.

Please find further info here . . .
<https://www.at.govt.nz/supergold>

First Aid Refresher

Saturday 11th June – 8.30am to 3.15pm

\$90.00

**Enrolment is essential*

A certificated course. Subjects included are Steps of First Aid, CPR, Heart Problems, Shock, Wounds & Bleeding, Diabetes, Seizures, Stroke, Breathing Problems, Soft Tissue, Fractures & Burns.

NZQA units: 26551 & 26552

Glen Eden Community House
Phone: 09 818 2194 Fax; 09 8182192
www: glenedencommunityhouse.co.nz
Facebook: glenedencommunityhouse

ZUMBA®Gold

**Thursday's - 1.00 pm to 2.00 pm
Glen Eden Community House**

*\$5 for 65 and over and \$7.50 for under 65 –
Concession cards for 10 classes at \$40 or \$65 –
Gold-coin donation for Green Prescription holders*

ZUMBA®Gold is a fun, safe and effective total body work-out for the active older adult, people recovering from injury or people who want to increase their level of fitness.

ZUMBA®Gold is modified Zumba with moves at lower intensity and slower pace - easy to follow for everybody.

Phone Kat 021 075-9628 or email
Zumbagoldwithkat@gmail.com

Living with Arthritis FREE Info Session Glen Eden Community House

Thursday 9th June – 12.30pm to 2.30 pm

Information and support including
Tips To Reduce The Pain of Arthritis.

To register please phone 8182194

Govt slashes cost of vehicle rego

The average motor vehicle levy will fall from about \$195 to \$130 per vehicle from July 1st.

You can check how much you will pay by entering your number plate at:

www.rightcar.govt.nz/reg/acc-new

Waitemata District Health Board Candidates

If you want excellent health services in Waitakere Hospital and West Auckland, you need to make sure you vote for candidates from West Auckland. There are always far more candidates from the North Shore than from West Auckland and they get on because the people of North Shore take the time and trouble to vote.

April Community Safety Forum.

The Waitakere Ranges Local Board held a Glen Eden community safety forum on April 20th in response from the community about security concerns.

The forum held at Ceramco Park had an estimated 30 residents attend with representatives from the local board, Auckland Council staff, Waitakere Police, Community Constable, Community Patrols, Pacific Wardens, Neighbourhood Support and the Glen Eden Business Association.

At the meeting I reviewed efforts of our local board to increase community safety and well-being by:

bringing the Community Constable back into the village
mobilising all the security groups into a central office known as the Glen Eden Safety Hub
ensuring that Glen Eden and the Waitakere Ranges local board boundaries excluded the legal sale of synthetic cannabis a source of begging and disruptive behaviour in the past
as well as support for the Business Association and its members concerns for crime and safety in Glen Mall and West Coast Road.

Issues raised publically included concerns over increasing nuisance misconduct such as begging, rough sleeping, public drunkenness, roaming dogs and unsocial behaviour as well as more serious incidents of intimidation.

A particularly nasty assault repeated twice on an elderly woman provoked real concern about the failure of the police identifying and apprehending the offender.

The reduction of services and amenities was giving the town centre a particularly shabby and unsafe appearance was raised and that the local board would also be advocating for this to be addressed.

The Police wished to reassure the public that Glen Eden, generally speaking, was a safe place to live, work and shop, but with room for improvement.

With limits to a 24/7 police response to incidents, there was a clear message from the Deputy Mayor Penny Hulse that community safety and security also requires a cohesive and connected community who watch out for each other and work together for crime reduction.

Following the meeting, a community-led safety plan developed by all partners will be created, which will be made public when completed.

Best regards,
Steve Tollestrup
Waitakere Ranges Local Board
Community development portfolio holder

Over the next few weeks households will be getting the 'new' wheelee recycling bins.

Here are a few things you need to know about them...

- 1/. Don't use them until after July 1st.
- 2/. You can apply for a smaller 120lt or bigger 320lt bin, just go here;
<http://aucklandcouncil.custhelp.com/app/ask>.
- 3/. The 1st day your new collection starts after 1st July is printed on a sticker on the bin (see photo below).
- 4/. The new service is fortnightly (not weekly).
- 5/. If you have a long driveway try the following options;
 - a). Keep your small blue bins to ferry recycling down to the larger bin at or near your gate.
 - b). If you have a tow hitch on your car get one of these; <http://www.sulo.co.nz/shop/binhitch/>
 - c). If you don't have a tow hitch there's this option; <http://eaglesrest.co.nz/products/bin-towa>
- 6/. You put all your recycling into one bin (it get sorted out at a plant) this includes paper and cardboard.
- 7/. Do read the material that comes with the bin!
- 8/. Don't use the bin until after 1st July!

More information about all of Auckland Councils waste collection services including the inorganic collection that will be available to Rodney ward residents after the 1st can be found here...

<http://www.makethemostofwaste.co.nz/>

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

Social Media Marketing for Small Business - Focus on Facebook

- Do you use Facebook to market your business?
- Do your posts generate likes, comments and shares, increase brand awareness and grow your customer base?
- Do you sometimes feel like your Facebook marketing strategy is not achieving the desired outcome?



Join WMB for the Social Media Marketing for Small Business - Focus on Facebook Workshop and learn how to get the most from your social media marketing

Cost : \$25.00 (incl GST) light breakfast included

When: Monday 27th June, 7.30 am - 10 am

Where: WEST - 9 Henderson Valley Road, Henderson

Contact wmb@west.org.nz or phone 8371471 to register or for more information

New Cycling Tracks out West

If you haven't tried the Kowhai Reserve Pump Track - built by volunteers - It's close by and a great place to take the bikes and the kids.

And also a new one from council

Henderson-Massey Local Board has created a 1.4km off-road bike loop at Moire Park.

Starting and finishing at the pump track near the playground off Granville Drive, the loop runs through bush along a trail consisting of gravel, dirt and grass surfaces.

The track is rough in many places. After rain it will be muddy and slippery, and in the drier months it will be hard and fast.

“The new off-road bike track offers riders a challenging course with a variety of terrain close to home. It also takes you through some beautiful bush,” says Henderson-Massey Local Board Chair Vanessa Neeson.

Waste-Free Parenting Workshop

This fun, inspirational workshop is all about reducing waste.

You will learn more about modern cloth nappies, as well as other waste-free parenting ideas and tips.

Date: Wednesday 15 June

Time: 9.30am to 12.00 noon

Where: Ceramco Park Function Centre

Cost: \$35 per couple

RSVP: thenappylady.co.nz

Phone: 027 221 1242—Kate

All attendees get a free pack of cloth nappies valued at \$90.