

Report to the Taihape Community Board Hui 16th June 2021

1. Design, lead, and project manage 1 large scale event annually within the Taihape Ward. The Taihape Community Development Trust continue to have discussions with A&P for our next big event in 2022.
2. Support and collaborate on place making activities within the Taihape Ward. Discussions held with vendors/suppliers for CCTV with a price for quotes have been obtained to progress with this 3-year plan. This is a major project that has brought about a minor issue which we are working through.
3. Support and collaborate with relevant parties to produce a collective Welcome Pack for persons moving to Taihape. The feedback from the Real estate sector remains the same from April report where the packs are highly sought after and a positive addition to their office due to their high sales. Any available stock will be available to the Information Centre, Medical Centre, TAS, St Josephs and lawyers. The pack is still more reflective of our community.

Maintaining working relationships with TCB and RDC to keep information current. Rangitikei District Council have been in discussions with the Co-ordinators to streamline the Welcome Packs to on-line and reducing the number of brochures that are included in the hard copy welcome packs.

4. Support the aspirations of Council on the Economic Development activities being undertaken in the Taihape Ward. The trust will continuously feedback to council any improvements that is important to keep council connected with the community. We advised that the Taihape businesses should be included on the Facebook page of "Shop Local Rangitikei".
5. Design, produce and manage a regular community newsletter within the Taihape Ward. Taihape Community Development Trust continue maintaining and delivering on the newsletter to the community.
6. Facilitate and manage an online and social media presence that integrates all the 'intended level of service' deliverables within the workplan. Our online presence is our website Taihape NZ our Facebook pages Taihape NZ and Gumboot Day.
7. Support the aspirations of Council on Youth development and the provision of opportunities within in the Taihape Ward. (excluding Youth Zone). Discussions have started back with the Taihape Area School principal and a work programme is in development.

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