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Community Update

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HELLO FROM TODD ENERGY...

Welcome to our June community update – it's hard to believe we're almost half way through 2019.

In early May, I participated on a panel at the Just Transition Summit here in New Plymouth. The first event of its kind, the Summit was an opportunity for Government, business, industry, unions, iwi and the community to come together to discuss and define what a just transition to a low emissions future looks like in New Zealand.

Over recent months I have chaired the committee leading the engagement for developing the Taranaki 2050 Roadmap. Participating in this group has been a great opportunity to gather input from all representatives across our diverse community. The draft Roadmap was presented at the summit and it's a great piece of work to see where the people of Taranaki want to be in 2050 – now we need to start planning the steps on how we are going to get there.

You may also have heard about the Taranaki 2050 Creative Challenge, which invited Taranaki children to share what they think the region could look like as a low emissions economy in the year 2050. More details follow over the page, or check out the Todd website to see some of the art pieces submitted by the children.

At Todd, we have a busy few months ahead. The team is currently preparing for a planned maintenance shutdown at the McKee Mangahewa Production Station, which is scheduled to take place later this month. As always, we have reminded our staff and contractors to drive safely and share vehicles as they undertake shutdown activities. If you do experience any

bad driver behaviour, please contact us and we will investigate. The drilling programme at Mangahewa G continues to make good progress, with operations tracking as planned. We are pleased to advise that our emissions have been kept to a minimum through our new green completions strategy, striving to achieve zero flaring.

In South Taranaki, activity at our Kapuni J wellsite is well underway and I want to thank you all for your ongoing patience and understanding as we continue with the construction of our new access road and work in the road reserve to extend the town water supply to the site.

Soon we will be hosting our mid-year community meetings – these will be held on Wednesday, 12 June at Kapuni Hall, and on Thursday, 4 July at the Clifton Rugby Club.

If you are interested in attending either of these meetings, please RSVP to LHamerton@toddenergy.co.nz.
I look forward to seeing you there.

Until then, if you have any questions or concerns about our activities, please contact the community team on 0800 001 007.

Kind regards, Joanna





High school adventurers battle it out in the National 2019 Hillary Challenge

Five days of outdoor adventure racing including a 2-day rogaine-style wilderness challenge may not be everyone's idea of fun, but for the two teams of Taranaki high school students who took part in this year's Hillary Challenge, the competition couldn't have been better.



Now in it's 19th year, the Hillary Challenge is held annually at the Hillary Outdoor Pursuit Centre, Tongariro, and is open to a total of 12 eight-person teams from across the country, with all teams needing to qualify just to reach the start line.

This year's event, held from 29 April – 3 May, saw Taranaki well-represented with a combined New Plymouth Girls' and New Plymouth Boys' High School team, and a combined Francis Douglas Memorial College and Sacred Heart Girls' College team, both supported by Todd Energy.

"It was a tough five days filled with high rope courses, kayaking, bush bashing, hiking, mountain running and more, and after all the training, blisters and bruises that went hand-in-hand to get to the Hillary Challenge, we placed 4th. This is a huge achievement, and we left everything on the course," says Geordie Vink, from Francis Douglas Memorial College.

"The Hillary Challenge is something we've all worked very hard to get to – it has been a dream since we started the sport of Adventure Racing. We made some valuable friendships and



camaraderie within our team and within the wider Hillary teams. The plan is that we will be back next year wiser and fitter (even more so) to tackle the challenge again with the goal to reach the podium," he says.

Jane Snowden, Todd Energy's General Manager, HR and Community Relations, says it's great to be able to support the Taranaki students who took part in the Challenge this year. It's great to see the New Plymouth Girls' and Boys' team take out 1st place and Francis Douglas Sacred Heart a very credible 4th.

"We've sponsored local high school students taking part in the Hillary Challenge for some years now, and we really enjoy seeing the dedication, commitment and hard-work these young adults put in.

"It's also great to see so many Taranaki students challenging themselves, working together as a team and developing some really strong leadership and decision-making skills in the process."

Taranaki 2050: Young people share their ideas and dreams for the future

Getting young people to share their ideas and dreams for the future was behind the Taranaki 2050 Creative Challenge competition run in Taranaki earlier this year.

The Creative Challenge invited children aged seven to 18 to draw, write, film and share what they think Taranaki could look like as a low emissions economy in the year 2050, forming part of the Taranaki 2050 Roadmap.

Todd Energy, as one of the challenge sponsors, contributed one of the prizes. The prize was won by Sacred Heart Girls' College student, Kenzie Hunt, who secured second place in her category and impressed the judges with her artwork depicting the contrast between what we do, and don't, want to see in Taranaki in 2050.

First place in the same category went to Kate Atkinson, from New Plymouth Girls High School, and third place went to Ben Lilly from Waitara High School. Congratulations to Kenzie, Kate and Ben for their impressive – and very different! – competition entries.



To find out more about the Taranaki 2050 Roadmap, visit www.taranaki 2050.org.nz.

Basketball taking Taranaki by storm

It's not just the fastest growing sport in the country, it's also set to become New Zealand's most popular secondary schools sport by 2020 – and it's taking Taranaki by storm.

This year, the Taranaki Basketball Club, together with the support of players from Taranaki's premier basketball team the Mountain Airs, have launched their very own primary schools programme, the Junior Airs programme.

Laine Hopkinson, Chairman of the Taranaki Basketball Club, says the programme is all about encouraging primary school aged kids into basketball.

"Schools in our region are crying out for an organised coaching programme like the Junior Airs which provides children with the opportunity to improve their skills and understanding of the game, as well as meet semi-professional athletes who are involved in delivering the programme."

The programme has a direct and positive impact on the community says Hamish McHaffie, Community Partnerships and Public Affairs Manager at Todd Energy.

"At Todd, we recognise the importance of getting behind initiatives that create a happy and healthy community, especially a programme like the Junior Airs which has such a positive impact on children's health and wellbeing."

It's not just Taranaki's younger basketballers benefitting from Todd's support, either.

The Paritutu 99ers, will this year be sporting some brand-new uniforms for their Open Men's team which plays in the A Grade Men's League. This particular 99ers team is made up of talented players from Waitara.

The Club, this year celebrating its 20th anniversary, was established in 1999 by Scott Taylor for people to come together and enjoy the game of basketball in a club environment. The team's new uniforms were purchased with support from Todd Energy.

"Through our operations in North Taranaki, Todd connected with Scott back in 2012 and we've enjoyed supporting the club with various activities over the last seven years," says McHaffie.





Celebrating more than 130 years of rowing in Waitara

One of the oldest rowing clubs in New Zealand, the origins of the Clifton Rowing Club began in 1888, when members of the Waitara Boating Club became unhappy with the club rules and regulations – in particular with the fact that they were forbidden to row on Sundays as many of the rowers were employed at the local freezing works and Sunday was their only free day to row.

Fast forward more than 130 years, and Clifton Rowing Club in Waitara is still a strong presence in Taranaki and New Zealand says Club President, Gus Berghan.

"At the recent 2019 Rocket Foods New Zealand Rowing Championships in Twizel, Clifton gained a silver medal in the Men's Senior Coxless Quad, silver in the Men's Senior Single Scull, silver in the Men's Under 19 Double Scull, and bronze in the Men's Senior Double Scull.

"These are great results from a club of our size, in an event at which 757 of New Zealand's elite rowing athletes competed – results that would not be possible without the support of Todd Energy and other sponsors. The Club and its supporters are extremely grateful for the assistance. On behalf of the Clifton Rowing Club and our supporters we would like to thank Todd Energy for funds to assist our Club." Mr Berghan said.

Todd Energy's Community Partnerships and Public Affairs Manager, Hamish McHaffie, says the organisation is proud to be a sponsor of the Club.

"We enjoy supporting initiatives in the communities where we are backing local schools, sports clubs and other community groups.

"The Clifton Rowing Club in Waitara is just one of the many sports clubs across the region that contribute to a healthy and active community."



Fighting the good fight with the Little Fighters Trust

A group of Taranaki locals, passionate about supporting those in need in their community, are the driving force behind the Little Fighters Trust – a Trust Todd Energy is proud to support.

Trust Chairman, Darrin West and his family and friends started the Trust when his son Jackson died in 2012 aged 21 months, after spending most of his life in hospital fighting an uncommon type of leukaemia.

"The Little Fighters Trust offers support to families who have a child with a life-threatening illness, or where a parent has a life-threatening illness that affects the child or children. We also raise awareness and provide resources and connections to families who need it.

"For some of these families, careers are put on hold, sometimes indefinitely, family homes sold to cover treatment costs, entire futures are thrown into turmoil, particularly when treatment is for an extended period – if treatment is even available.

"As a charitable trust, we rely on the generosity of our communities to help us make a difference to our local families. We cannot do what we do without the help of businesses such as Todd Energy and our many other sponsors in the community."

To find out more about the Little Fighters Trust, visit littlefighterstrust.co.nz.

Lifesaving defibrillator installed at Taranaki Retreat

Taranaki Retreat, a community sanctuary created to provide a time-out space for families and individuals to stay, free of charge, when times are tough, is going to be even better equipped thanks to a brand-new defibrillator, installed with the help of Todd Energy.

Jamie Allen, who dreamed up the idea of creating a community safe haven with his wife Suzy following the death of their 12-year-old daughter Carrie, says the defibrillator is a welcome addition to the Retreat.



"We regularly host people at Taranaki Retreat who are more senior in years – and often people who aren't in such good health because of what's happened to them. The nearest defibrillator to us is in Oakura and even with a blue-light dash there and back, there's no way we'd be able to access it in time to save a life.

"We're so grateful to Todd Energy for their generous and caring support which has helped us to purchase and install an AED here at Taranaki Retreat.

"Using an AED within three to five minutes of a collapse can increase the chance of survival by up to 44%, so it is a massive comfort both to our guests and to our team knowing that there is now a defibrillator here on site when we need it. It will also provide a resource for the immediate community too, in case of need," Jamie says.

Todd Energy's General Manager, HR and Community Relations, Jane Snowden, says Todd realises the importance of supporting critical, lifesaving services in the Taranaki community.

"Taranaki Retreat is a fantastic – and much-needed – initiative here in Taranaki, and we're really pleased to have been able to help Jamie, Suzy and the team with the purchase and installation of an onsite defibrillator.

"It's comforting knowing this lifesaving equipment will be available to support the Retreat, its guests and the wider community if it's needed."

Activity update

Kapuni Production Station

June – September 2019
 Routine operations
 and maintenance

Kapuni Wellsites

- June September 2019
 Kapuni J Wellsite Access track construction, bridge construction and Waimate

 West water main extension
- June 2019
 Palmer Road Pipeline
 Inspections

Mangahewa G Wellsite

- June September 2019 Ongoing drilling operations
- June September 2019
 Hydraulic fracturing and well testing

McKee Mangahewa Production Station

June – July 2019
 Statutory inspection and maintenance shutdown of MET2

McKee Mangahewa Wellsites

- June 2019
 Mangahewa C wellsite maintenance shutdown
- June 2019
 Mangahewa D wellsite maintenance shutdown



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