

Community Update

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Students, teachers and parents from Waitoriki School, ready to plant trees at Everett Park

HELLO FROM TODD ENERGY...

Welcome to our September community update – I trust the winter has treated you well and you're looking forward to the warmer months ahead.

I am very excited to share the recent news about Todd's partnership with St John Ambulance, who intend on establishing three brand-new ambulance centres in New Plymouth, Stratford and Hawera. The new centres will replace existing facilities which are no longer fit-for-purpose. Each will be operational from December this year in New Plymouth, mid-2020 in Stratford and mid-2021 in Hawera.

St John Ambulance is a much-needed organisation that directly benefits communities right across the Taranaki region, operating 24/7 to provide life-saving services when they are needed most. Todd is very proud to be partnering with St John, and we look forward to continuing to work closely with the local team as they continue to meet the growing needs of our community.

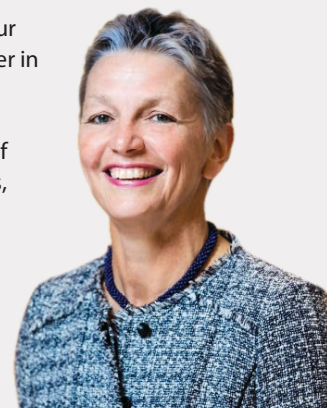
The last quarter has been a busy one for the Todd team. We have finished drilling at our Mangahewa G site in North Taranaki, and the rig will be demobilised in October 2019.

The drilling campaign has been successful and we really appreciate the support from neighbours, landowners and the surrounding community.

Further south, construction of the access track and bridge at our Kapuni J wellsite is now complete and, once again, the team and I are very grateful to everyone for their patience throughout the construction period. The next phase of construction will be the Kapuni J wellsite itself and this is currently scheduled to start in November 2019.

I look forward to seeing you all at our Christmas community meetings later in the year – in Kapuni on Thursday 28 November and in Tikorangi on Thursday 12 December. Until then, if you have any questions or concerns, please don't hesitate to contact our Community team on 0800 001 007.

Kind regards,
Joanna



A new partnership for St John and Todd Energy

Critical ambulance services in the wider Taranaki region will soon be even better equipped to deliver life-saving services to the community thanks to a new partnership with Todd Energy.

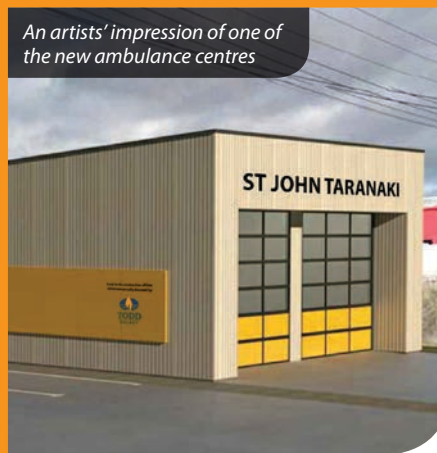
The partnership, announced in early August, will see Todd support St John as it works to construct three new purpose-built ambulance centres in the region. The centres will be located in New Plymouth, Stratford and Hawera and are currently expected to be operational between December 2019 (New Plymouth) and mid-2021 (Hawera).

St John Central Region General Manager, Andrew Boyd, says the new centres will be a significant enhancement of essential St John services across Taranaki.

"In each of these three key locations the current facilities are no longer fit-for-purpose, and the new buildings will not only provide improved functionality for the emergency service but will also provide a space for the many St John volunteers who operate our important community programmes.

Given the critical community service St John provides, it's really important that we have purpose-built ambulance and community hubs, and we're very grateful to Todd Energy for their support in helping us to create these much-needed spaces in New Plymouth, Stratford and Hawera."

An artists' impression of one of the new ambulance centres



Tikorangi Playcentre's new laptop a hit

The children of Tikorangi Playcentre and their families will be able to enjoy seeing and sharing their learning with photos and assessments thanks to the purchase of a brand-new laptop.

Tikorangi Playcentre's Kristie Annemans-Boyd says its early childhood service is parent-led and made up of community minded, committed parents from Tikorangi, Onaero, Waitara and Brixton.

"We're all volunteers at Tikorangi Playcentre, with a passion for our children and providing them the best possible experiences as they grow and develop in their early years.

"We really appreciated the recent community support from Todd Energy, meaning we were able to purchase a new laptop which we use to document our children's

learning with stories, photos and assessments, as well as being able to complete many other regular administration tasks."

Jane Snowden, Todd Energy's General Manager, People & Community, says it's great to be able to support the Tikorangi Playcentre community, which does a fantastic job of bringing North Taranaki families with young children together.



Tikorangi Playcentre President, Chrissie Jeffrey, with Leo and Ella

Pembroke School's basketball teams look the part

Players from Pembroke School's two basketball teams will be looking the part both on and off the court thanks to their brand-new basketball uniforms, purchased with support from Todd Energy.

A 'little country school' at the base of the mountain, Pembroke School's Principal, Junior Togia, says the school has grown rapidly in recent times.

"We have gone from a school of 54 students to over 100 students in a short space of time. We were always having to combine with other schools for sports teams but this year we are so pleased to have all our own teams, including our two basketball teams."

"We are so grateful to Todd Energy for its sponsorship support, which has enabled our school to purchase new basketball uniforms."

Todd Energy's Community Partnerships and Public Affairs Manager, Hamish McHaffie, says the company enjoys supporting local schools and supporting participation in sporting and recreational activities.

"We enjoy backing local schools, sports clubs and other community groups that contribute to an active and healthy community, and we're pleased the students and the Pembroke School community are happy with their new basketball uniforms, which look fantastic."



Pembroke School's basketball players in their new Todd-sponsored uniforms

Zeal provides a platform for Taranaki's youth

Young people in the Taranaki region have their very own platform for creativity thanks to Zeal, a national organisation with a mission to 'positively impact every young New Zealander through creativity'.

Luke Galley, Zeal's Taranaki Regional Manager, says the team has been amazed by the levels of interest and engagement since it launched its Taranaki programme in late 2018.

"Since Zeal launched in Taranaki towards the end of last year, we have been absolutely stoked with how many incredibly talented young people have jumped on board. To date we have run 15 youth-led events in the Taranaki community, including dance battles, live gigs, underground raves, youth forums, all school events and a paint party.

"We have also been able to provide a platform to more than 20 local youth artists and bands, and we have a team of more than 30 young people who volunteer with us, learning a range of skills and developing their own experience in the process.

"We're so grateful to our many supporters and community partners, including organisations like Todd Energy who have helped us purchase a custom-built trailer stage, enabling us to host regular youth events across the region and providing teenagers with positive, safe, fun, and drug- and alcohol-free events that they can lead and invite their mates along to."

Jane Snowden, Todd Energy's General Manager, People & Community, says Todd is pleased to be able to support such a worthwhile community initiative.

"Zeal Taranaki's focus on supporting, encouraging and working with youth is an important part of ensuring we have a vibrant community with a great quality of life here in Taranaki, and we're pleased to have been able to help Luke and the team with the purchase of their custom trailer stage."

One of many fantastic Zeal Taranaki community performances



Event finalists, together with Club President Ian Smith and representatives from main event sponsors, Mighty Mix

A record year for Indoor Sheep Dog Trials

In early July, the TSB Stadium in Hawera played host to the 2019 Taranaki Indoor Sheep Dog Trial Championships, attracting a record number of entries and delivering a weekend filled with solid competition.

Whanganui Centre publicity officer, Brenda O'Leary, says the club was very pleased with the number of new people to the event, particularly maiden and novice competitors.

"Our club is in awe of the wonderful support we get from the many sponsors who support the event both from within Taranaki and even as far south as Wanganui. The event would not be what it is without the many businesses that support it every year."

"This year, the club donated \$3,000 to the Taranaki Rescue Helicopter, and next year the event will be supporting St John Hawera."

Hamish McHaffie, Todd Energy's Community Partnerships & Public Affairs Manager, says Todd has been a proud sponsor of the Trials for the last two years and enjoys seeing such a diverse mix of people getting involved and taking part in this important rural event.

Planting for the future at Everett Park

The popular Everett Park Scenic Reserve in North Taranaki received yet another boost this winter, with a combined effort from the local community resulting in another two planting days in late July and early August.

The planting saw the Department of Conservation and Todd Energy coming together to work with both local hapū and students, teachers and parent helpers from four local primary schools – Waitoriki School and Ratapiko School, who planted on 25 July, and Huirangi School and Kaimata School who planted on 6 August.

Department of Conservation ranger, Ellen Squire, says its third planting with Todd Energy at Everett Park has been a valuable community initiative and a great way to increase the profile of Everett Park.

"It's a great learning opportunity for students who can revisit year after year and see the important process of restoration planting and the physical change they are making to their local environment.

"A big thank you to Todd Energy and the four schools we worked with for their efforts," Ellen says.



The team hard at work, planting at Everett Park

Supporting the next generation of geologists out in the field

A group of keen geological science students from Victoria University in Wellington have been able to put their learning to the test with a field trip to New Zealand's Central Plateau, supported by Todd Energy.

The group of 22 students and 2 staff from the Geology Society of Victoria University spent four days in late August checking out the geological make-up of New Zealand's Central Plateau, covering everything from Mt Tarawera and the Wairakei Terraces to geothermal energy production.

Theo Calkin, one of the Society's postgraduate representatives, says the field trip provided an important educational and networking exercise between students both within and across year groups, and with industry organisations.

"Our highlights of the trip were many – from checking out riverbank pumice deposits to touring Mt Tarawera with representatives from Todd Energy and visiting Mercury's Ngatamariki geothermal power station."

"It was great to get out and develop an understanding of the geology in places beyond our normal range, and to explore an area of New Zealand in a way we wouldn't usually get to. It's great to spend time with other students – from 1st, 2nd and 3rd year through to Masters and PhD students – and to enjoy some fun activities as a team."

Todd Energy's General Manager of Exploration, Ian Brewer, who joined the group for one day of their field trip to share his own knowledge and experience, said the trip was a positive way to support the next generation of geological minds.

"At Todd, we enjoy supporting keen young people with an interest in geological sciences and the natural gas and energy industries, and were pleased to support the students of Victoria University's Geology Society with their field trip this year."



Todd Energy's Ian Brewer and Aaron Johnston (front) with the field trip participants.

Helping support pest-free communities

A recent Todd initiative has seen the communities where Todd operates one step closer to being pest-free with the installation of specialised rat and stoat traps, supplied by Todd Energy.

The traps, which are toxin-free and designed to kill rats and stoats instantly and humanely, have proven popular with landowners in our communities in both North and South Taranaki, says Todd Energy's Community Partnerships and Public Affairs Manager, Hamish McHaffie.

"We know that effective pest management is an ongoing issue for a number of landowners, and as a region Taranaki has a great number of predator-free initiatives designed to help combat this.

"At Todd, our commitment to the responsible management of the environment goes beyond just

our own sites and we're pleased to be supporting local efforts in protecting and enhancing the natural environment with supplying specialised pest traps."



One of the specialised A24 rat and stoat traps in action

Activity update

Kapuni Production Station

- September 2019 – February 2020 T-604 tank refurbishment

Kapuni Wellsites

- November 2019 – March 2020 Kapuni J Wellsite – Phase 2 wellsite, rig camp and stormwater system construction
- December 2019 – March 2020 Kapuni J pipeline installation
- September 2019 KA1/7 and KA9/16 pipeline crossing maintenance, water blasting and painting
- September 2019 Well production testing campaign – KA 1/7/19,20, KA4/14, KA5/10, KA6/11/17 & KA8/12/15/18

Mangahewa G Wellsite

- September 2019 – October 2019 Hydraulic fracturing and well testing
- October 2019 Big Ben drilling rig demobilisation

McKee Mangahewa Production Station

- September 2019 Receiving pipeline maintenance programme – Phase 1, pigging

Mangahewa Wellsites

- September 2019 MHW A, MHW C and MHW D well integrity maintenance and wellhead testing



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