

Date: Monday 8 December 2014
Time: 1.00pm
Meeting Room: Council Chamber
Venue: Orewa Service Centre
50 Centreway Road
Orewa

Rodney Local Board

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Rodney LOCAL BOARD
QUARTERLY PERFORMANCE REPORT
4 MONTHS ENDING October 2014

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1. Executive Summary (content written by Lead Financial Advisor)

1.1 Highlights & Achievements

Local Sports and Parks

Seawall development and renewals

- Significant progress with Algies Bay seawall project, following high rainfall period July to early September.
- Snells Beach, timber seawall development and renewal project; Resource and Building consents in place, tenders submitted and evaluated, waiting for sign off, prior to Purchase Order being raised. Works likely to commence early February, following main summer holiday season.

Warkworth Showgrounds

- Netball court surfacing and perimeter fence completed;
- Toilet block rebuild completed, Watercare connection required prior to opening.

Riverside Walkway, Helensville Local Board project has been completed with support from the Helensville Lions; works including new track linking existing walkway, fencing, retaining walls, exposed aggregate concrete entrance and planting.

Recreation Planning and Programming

- **Auckland is my Playground - Children and Young People** – Youth Advisory Panel appointed two Representatives Tim Matthews and Micah Stininato to the Auckland is my playground steering team. The purpose of the steering team is to oversee the projects being implemented aligned to the Sport and Recreation Strategic Action Plan and I Am Auckland Children and Young People Strategic Action Plan.
- **The Sport Partnerships Conference** – was held on 30 July at the Papatoetoe Sports Centre and featured four key note speakers tackling legal, governance, partnership evolution and facility operations in reference to sport partnerships. The conference was well attended with over 120 people. Notes and resources can be found at www.aucklandsportpartnerships.com
- **Sports Sector Forum** – was held on 20 August and hosted by Council Sport & Recreation Partnerships Team and Aktive Auckland Regional Sports Trust. With 130 attending the forum involved 5 presentations; Sport and Recreation Strategic Action Plan for Auckland, Auckland Council draft Community Facilities Network Plan and Grants Policy, Working together for Auckland – LTP and other planning processes and Aktive Auckland Regional Sport Trust Strategic Plan 2015-2020.

2. Update on key projects and initiatives

(content written by Lead Financial Advisor; departments to highlight significant project or milestone for inclusion)

Recreation Planning and Programming

Advisory Support:

Sustainability of Sport Forums – The Sustainability of Sport Forum is an initiative of the Parks, Recreation and Sport Committee to investigate and understand the systems constraints, issues and opportunities associated with the delivery of community-level sport and recreation that are common across Auckland, particularly in relation to organisations residing on council land. A series of five fora are going to be held throughout the Auckland region and is an opportunity for sports clubs and organisations to inform the Panel about their experiences, insights, issues, opportunities and suggestions for action.

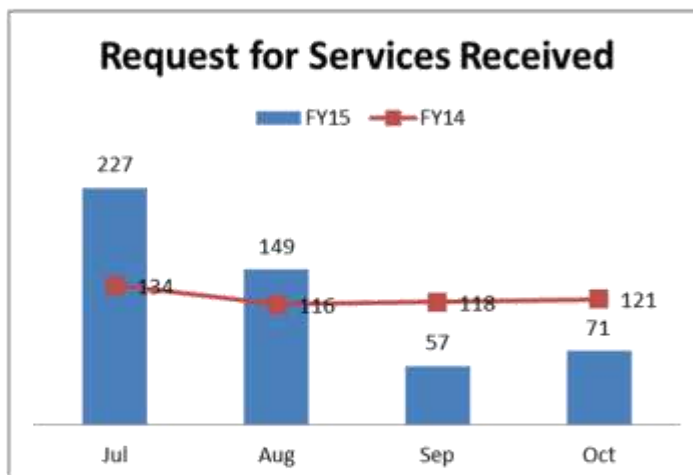
Warkworth Showgrounds and the Mahurangi Sport and Recreation Collective-The Mahurangi Sport and Recreation Collective have formed a working group to consider the options contained in the Multipurpose Building feasibility Study. The working group is made up of one representative from Netball, Gymsports, Hockey, Football and Rugby and chaired by the Collective.

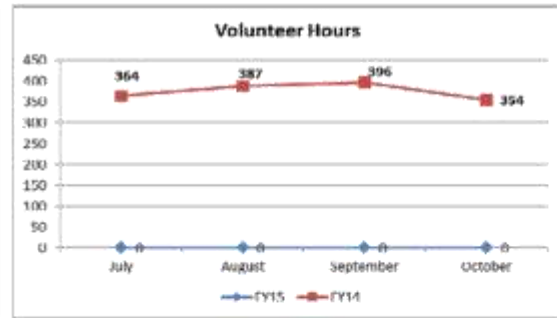
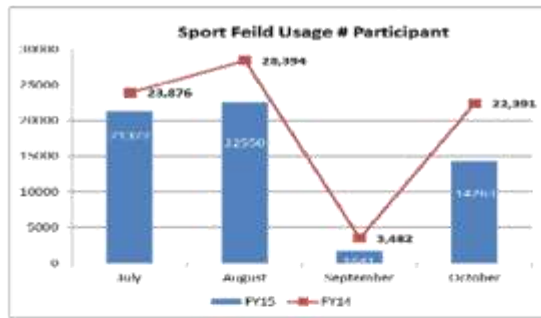
Harbour Sport - have begun delivery against a renewed work schedule for 2014/2015. The key performance indicators align to key initiatives in the Sport and Recreation Strategic Action Plan under the four priority areas – Participation, Infrastructure, Excellence in Sport and Sector Development.

3. Performance report by department

3.3 Parks, Sports and Recreation

(content written by Parks, sport and rec department)





Comments:

Sports Parks Update:

Rautawhiri Park New Lights – this project has just been released for tender due to delays with the Resource Consent. We expect to evaluate the tenders in January 2015 and award accordingly. Physical works are estimated for Feb – May 2015.

Wellsford Centennial Park Lighting - Switch Board Upgrade – the upgrade of the lighting switchboard at Wellsford has been tendered and awarded to DAVCO Ltd. They will carry out the works in February 2015 in preparation for the new floodlights to be installed in 2015/16.

Riverhead W/M Park New Lights – the installation of 2 new floodlights on the eastern side of the #2 field at Riverhead W/M Park has been tendered and awarded to DTZ Ltd. They will undertake this project from Jan – May 2015.

Kaukapakapa Reserve - Swamp Forest Natural Playspace

Design Statement

The community of Kaukapakapa indicated strongly the need for play opportunities within the Village, a drawcard for visitors and education linked to the wetland environment of the area. The Kaukapakapa Reserve Swamp Forest Natural Playspace aims to achieve the multiple aims above through the creation of a feature within the Reserve which combines educational interpretation, seating and picnic opportunities alongside an adventurous and natural-style playspace.

The playspace design follows the principles of natural, interrogative play that provides for open-ended play which develops the imagination. Play with no defined expectations for boundaries. The theme links to the wetland ecology of the adjacent Kahikatea swamp forest remnant and the surrounding wetland floodplain of the river. Play opportunities are designed to be natural in style and blend educational interpretation on wetlands with challenging physical and imaginative opportunities.

Kaukapakapa School

Carpark

Kaukapakapa Hall

Kaukapakapa Grove

Playspace Features

- 1. Educational signage on swamp forest ecology & log pile for insect & birds
- 2. Educational signage on swamp forest ecology
- 3. Boardwalk runs through wetland (seating)
- 4. Boardwalk through Kahikatea grove
- 5. Educational signage on swamp forest ecology & log pile for insect & birds
- 6. Boardwalk runs through wetland (seating)
- 7. Mānuka - bird table
- 8. Educational signage on swamp forest ecology & log pile for insect & birds
- 9. Balance/climbing features across wetland swale
- 10. Educational signage on swamp forest ecology
- 11. Rock stepping platform with oak slats & metal parts
- 12. Natural log play feature
- 13. Log stepping across
- 14. Carved tree trunk climbing feature
- 15. Double slats platform accessed by ramps
- 16. Slatted lean bar with insect/educational feature
- 17. Natural log seating
- 18. Concrete steps/bridge across wetland (seating)
- 19. Balance boardwalk maze
- 20. Concrete steps/bridge across wetland (seating)
- 21. Balance boardwalk maze
- 22. Bridge
- 23. Timber made entry to swamp forest boardwalk
- 24. Flexible swingable arrangements
- 25. Living roof on shelter and entry feature
- 26. Leaf arched path in concrete paving

Key

- Safety surface matting
- Grass
- Safety surface siltfall
- Wetland planting
- Boardwalk
- Concrete paving
- Specimen trees

Concept Plan for Swamp Forest Natural Playspace
Scale: 1: 250 @ A1 1:500 @ A3, July 2012

Enhancement Projects
Kaukapakapa Design & Development Guideline