

**Date:** Wednesday 19 February 2025  
**Time:** 10:30 am  
**Meeting Room:** Whau Local Board Office  
**Venue:** 31 Totara Avenue  
New Lynn

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## Whau Local Board Open Workshop

### NOTES ATTACHMENTS

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# Community delivery work programme update Quarter 2 2024/2025

Whau Local Board – 19 February 2025

Pepe Sapolu-Reweti  
Community Broker, Community Wellbeing





## Agenda

### Performance

- Libraries and community hubs
- Community places and arts

### Updates FY2024/2025, quarter 2 by:

- Our people
- Our community

### Highlights from our people and our community

## Work programme activity updates

Community delivery work programme updates for quarter 2:

ID	Activity	Presenter
<b>Our people</b>		
499	Hub Services Whau	Catherine Davidson
1056	Library Services Whau	Catherine Davidson
485	Building Capacity: Community Leadership Whau	Rosetta Fuimaono
487	Placemaking: Kai across the Whau	Rosetta Fuimaono
490	Diverse Participation: Ethnic Voices Whau	Rosetta Fuimaono
491	Diverse Participation: Pacific Voices Whau	Rosetta Fuimaono
492	Placemaking: Community Hubs and Houses Whau	Rosetta Fuimaono
1280	Age Friendly Whau Seniors	Rosetta Fuimaono
4074	Placemaking Community	Rosetta Fuimaono
493	Māori Responsiveness: E Tu – Responding to the key aspirations and priorities for Māori	Pepe Sapolu-Reweti





## Work programme activity updates

Community delivery work programme updates for quarter 2:

ID	Activity	Presenter
3858	Welcoming Communities	Lisa Diggins
494	Youth: Youth development Whau	Kat Schuster
498	Activation of Community – Led Venue Partners	Jamie Adkins
486	Community arts broker programme Whau	Sarah Graham
<b>Our community</b>		
488	Operational grant for Te Toi Uku	Sarah Graham



## Performance: metrics and libraries

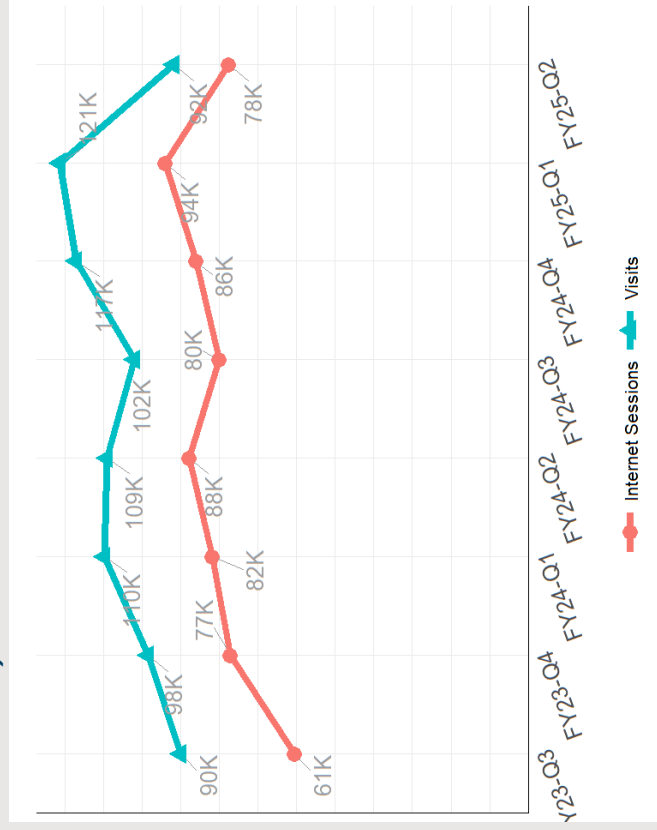
Libraries in Whau Local Board area:

- Avondale Library
- Blockhouse Bay Library
- New Lynn War Memorial Library

Across these libraries this quarter:

- 60 Skinny Jump sign-ups
- There are no integrated facilities offering council services in this area.

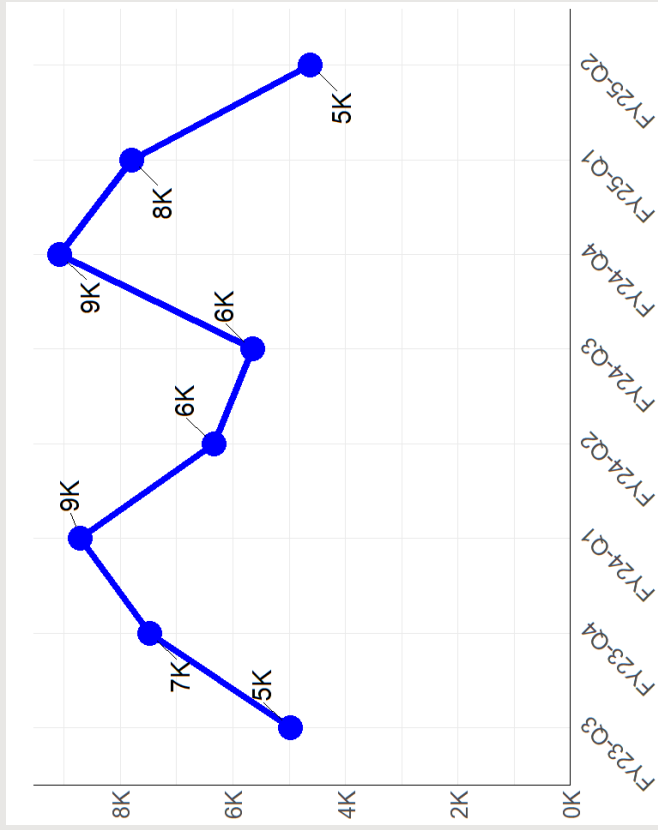
Number of visits and internet sessions (PC and WiFi)



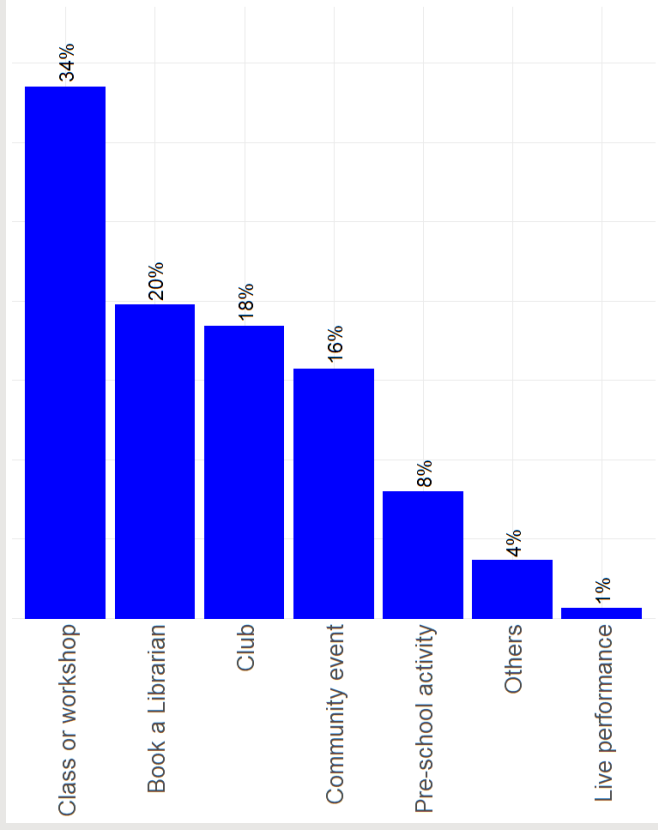
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# Performance: Library Activities

Number of participants for programmes and events



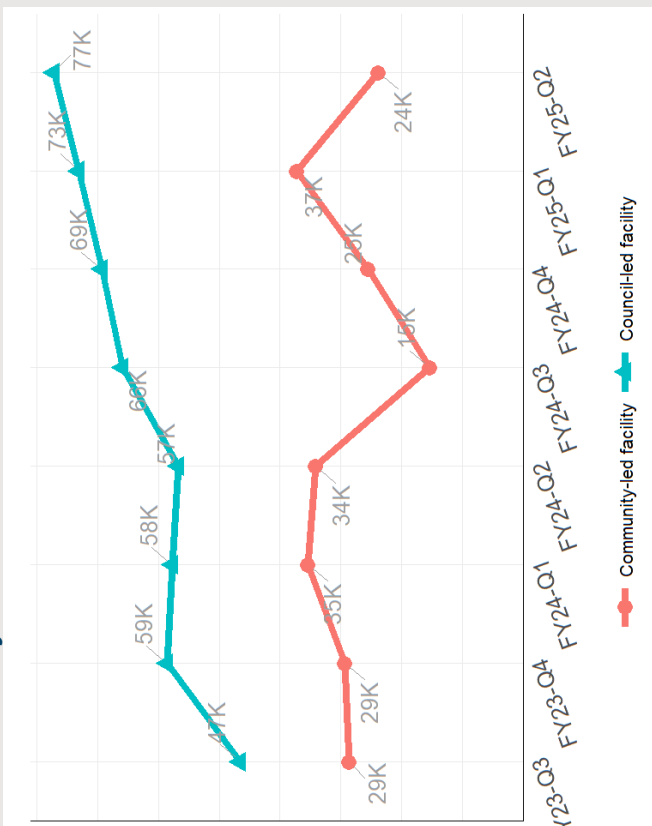
Breakdown of activities delivered



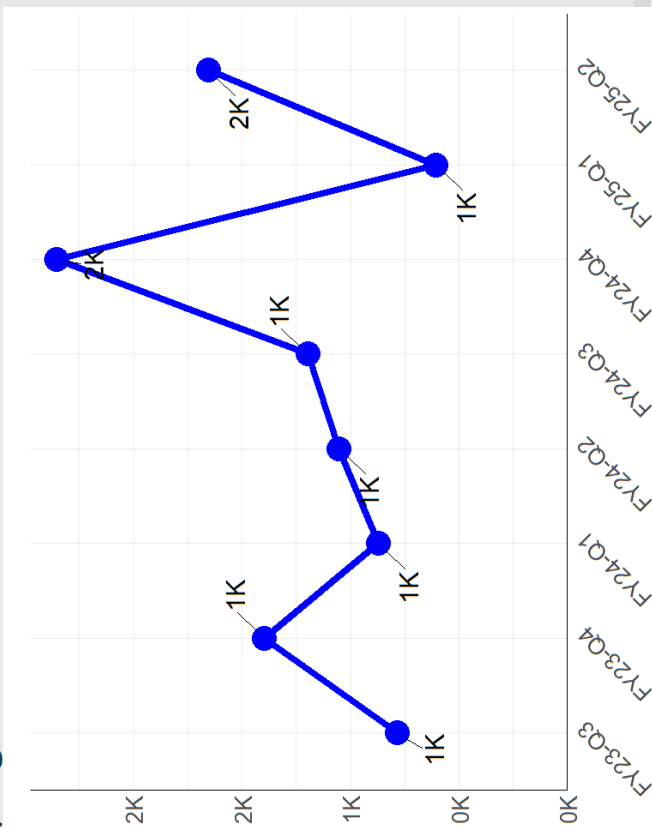


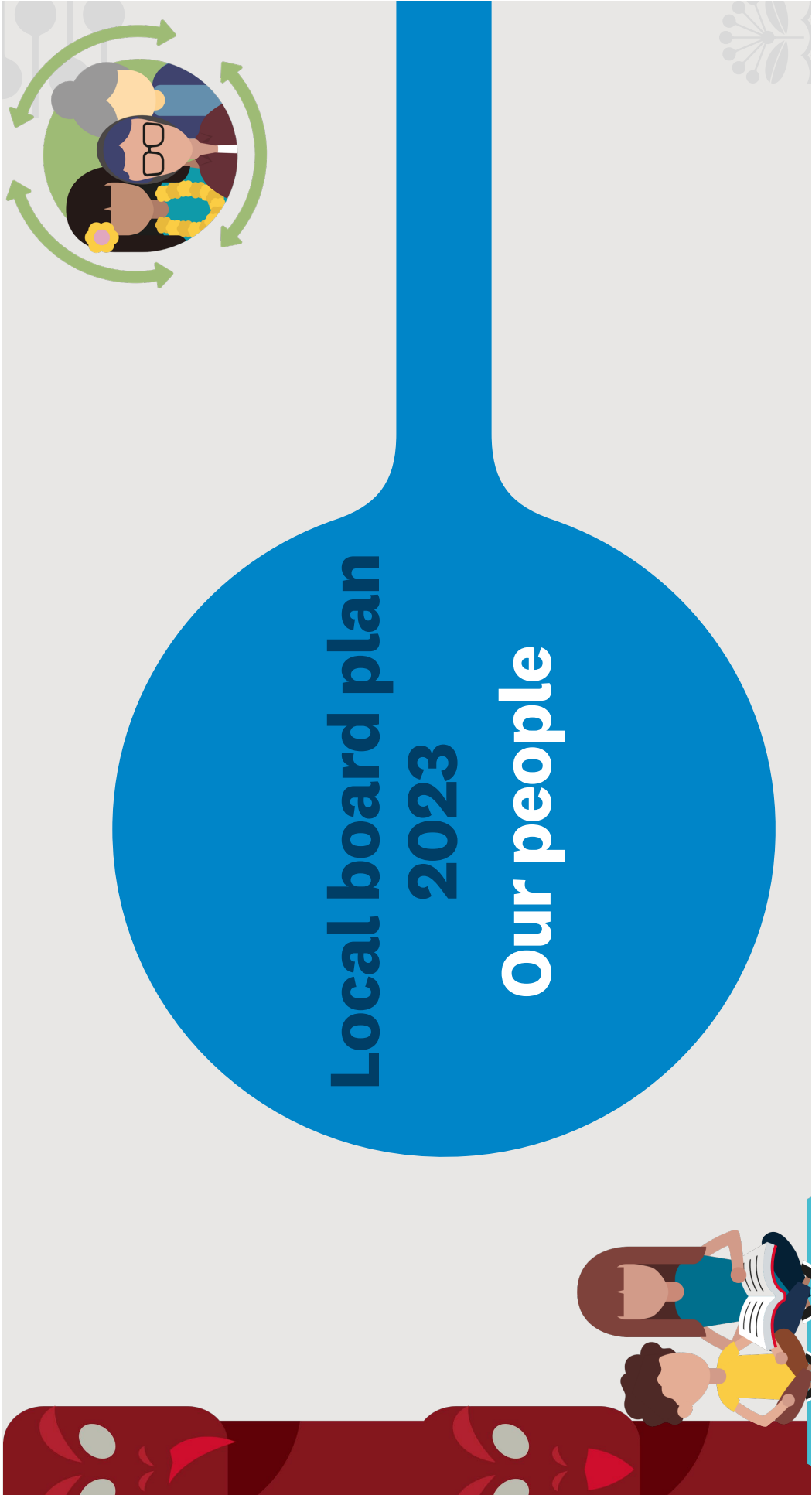
# Performance: Participation

Number of participants at council and community led facilities



Number of participants in arts and culture programmes





# Catherine Davidson



499 – Hub Services Whau  
1056 - Library Services Whau

**Local board plan objective:**  
Greater whanaungatanga in our  
communities to promote  
belonging and wellbeing

# Whau Libraries and New Lynn Hub event highlights



Art Battle at  
Community Centre



Volunteer day at  
Avondale



Siva Afi activation  
in square

# Whau Libraries and New Lynn Hub event highlights



Sustainable  
Saturdays



Avondale Diwali



New Lynn Fibre  
Friday



# Rosetta Fuimaono



- 485 – Build Capacity: Community Leadership
- 490 – Diverse Participation: Ethnic Voices Whau
- 491 – Diverse Participation: Pacific Voices Whau
- 1280 – Age Friendly Whau Seniors

**Local Board plan objective:** Ensure the voices of multi-cultural groups, community-led groups, age friendly interest groups and organisations representing people with disabilities are heard

- 487 – Placemaking: Kai across the Whau
- 492 – Placemaking: Community Hubs & Houses
- 4074 – Placemaking Community

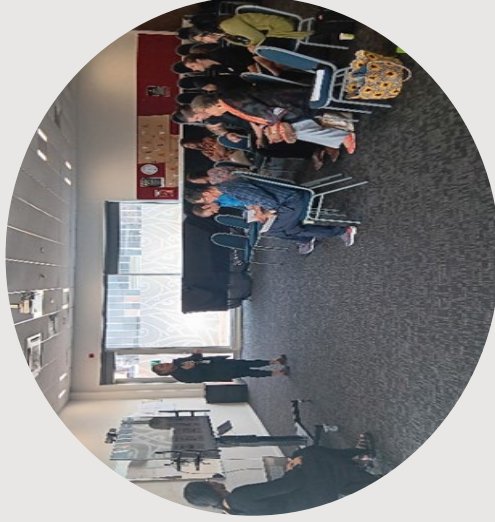
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## 485 – Build Capacity: Community Leadership



New Windsor Ethnic Ladies Group



Community Waitakere  
Open Door Meeting

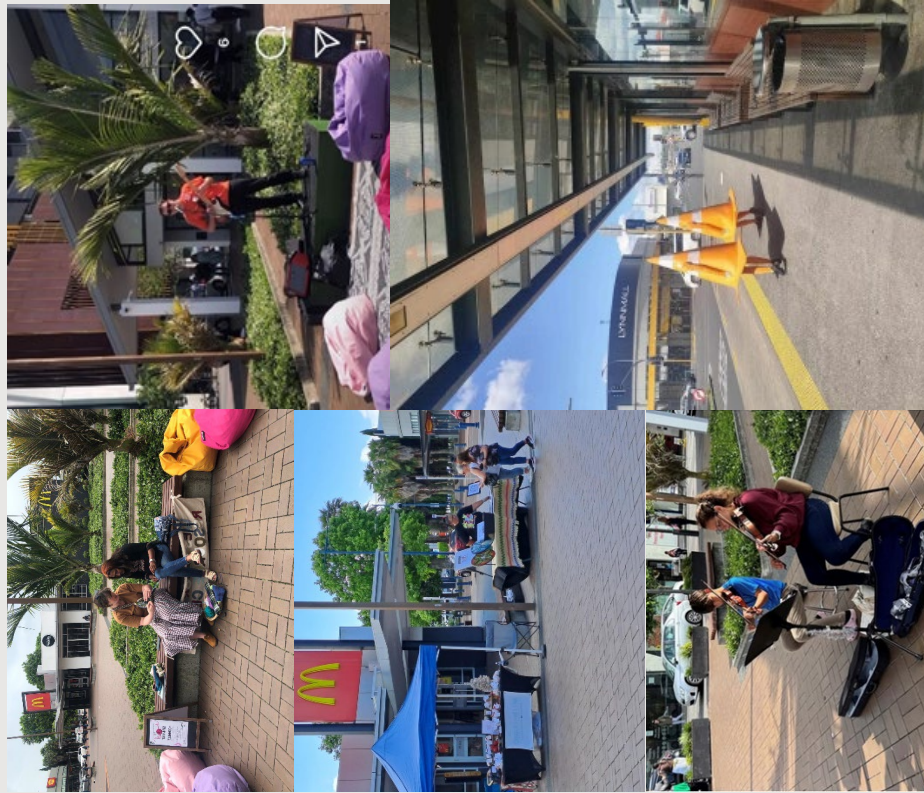
**Other activities delivered:**

- Community Waitakere regrouping with Ko Taku Reo management
- New Windsor Community Hub – policies and new board members recruitment
- Patiki Hub co-Ordinator: monthly cultural supervision to support the mahi and programmes in the community
- Avondale Collaboration hosted three monthly network meetings

Ambria Neighbourhood held monthly meetings and hosted the Ambria Family Day in November



# New Lynn Town Centre Square and Transport Hub Activation



Coordinator appointed: organised activities included:

- Markets
- Professional musicians, buskers, students, mother & son duo
- Co-theatre physical cones
- Sit and knit bench
- Positive response, people stopped by to watch each music session, stopping and sitting on beanbags provided.
- Lots of interest so far, particularly among local musicians who are looking to expand their music CV.
- The most noticeable thing is the joy & excitement on people's faces when they hear the music
- Having an Instagram account has helped to gain the interest of the young people
- Some activities cancelled at last minute, e.g. Christmas Carols (due to bereavement)



# Pooch Patrol



## From Conception to Launching

- Active Pooch Patrol steering group
- Regular meetings
- What's App group
- Facebook Page – 95 followers
- Successful Launch on 14 November at Craigavon Park in Green Bay.
- Ongoing reporting – pooch patrol code for reporting

## Next Step

- Steering group to meet and discuss ongoing coordination/administration
- Group Planning
- Community Event

## 490 – Diverse Participation: Ethnic Voices Whau



Community Patrols  
Workshop



Diwali Celebration  
in partnership with  
Disha



Whau Youth Ethnic  
Award

### Other activities delivered:

- Collaborated with organisation to deliver Whau Ethnic Day, Diwali, Empower Parents Training, and Let's Protect our environment
- Hosted Drowning Prevention, Food Scraps workshops, and Whau Seniors Event
- Sponsored Zumba at Glenavon Hub, and Yalda Night

## 491 – Diverse Participation: Pacific Voices Whau



Niue Village Show -  
highlight



Niue Language Week  
Whau Pasifika Grants



Pacific Governance  
Training Sessions

### Whau Pasifika sponsored and supported:

- ActiveZone Pacific performances, 10 Māori & Pasifika local businesses through the Pacific Business Hub, Cokana Fashion Advanced Sewing Classes, 'Dressed in Confidence' programme
- Development of the Niue Bilingual Unit at St Leonard's Road School
- Visits by Lino Nelisi (author) to St Leonard's, New Windsor, and Te Kura o Patiki Rosebank schools, to promote reading and celebrate Pacific Language weeks, funded.



## 1280 – Age Friendly Whau Seniors



### **Whau Seniors Providers Network** meetings:

- West Lynn Garden, speakers Hub & Houses
- Avondale Community Fale, speaker manager CAB Avondale.

### **Whau Age Friendly Grant recipients:**

- Yoga and Art - Art & Tea for Seniors at Kainga Ora Community Lane & Avondale Library
- Amitabha Hospice Services, two free weekly programmes for seniors and their whanau.

**The Patiki Hub** coordinator met with Kainga Ora to discuss a senior's group at Highbury Triangle Community Lane apartments.

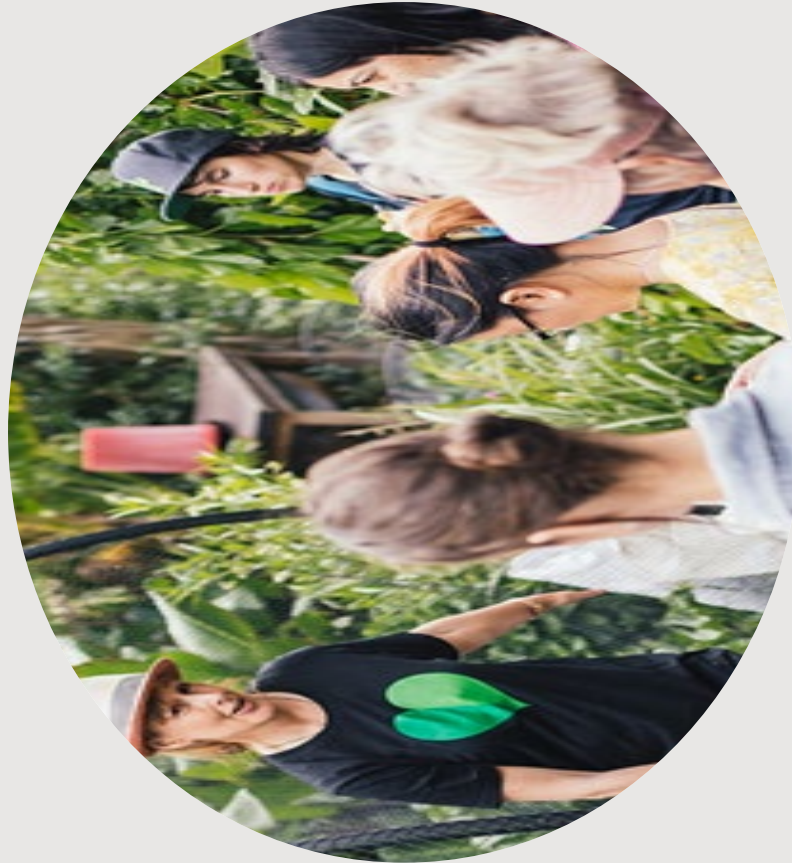
**New Windsor Hub:** Bingo for seniors, meditation classes  
**Whau Ethnic Collective** – hosted a Whau Ethnic Seniors Event, over 150 people attended

**Green Bay** Seniors Event in partnership with Haumaru Housing

**Kelston Hub** Seniors and the community enjoyed an end of year Christmas celebration



## 487 – Placemaking: Kai across the Whau



Hope Teaching Garden

- “Second Bite” project, 37 tonnes of food scraps collected and distributed to 5 West Auckland Compost Hubs.
- Volunteer engagement continues at Hope Garden, increased interest in ‘swap a bucket bokashi’.
- Food forest being trialed in parks at Avondale College, Intermediate and Primary, Fruitvale School, Northall Park, and with Te Kawerau A Maki.



Attachment A

## 487 – Placemaking: Kai across the Whau



Fruitvale School

- Green Bay, Fruitvale, and Rangeview Intermediate compost hubs, food processing, system designs.
- Working bee at Fruitvale to clear the stream, and further planting into garden beds/banana swales.
- Banana pups from Henderson refuse donated to schools for swale development.
- Supported Kelston Girls and Boys Schools with growing and composting.
- Met with Avondale College to discuss curriculum development and credits for composting for NCEA.

## 492 – Placemaking: Community Hubs & Houses



Homeless Network  
Meeting Glenavon

- **Glenavon Hub** collaborated with Eco-Matters, Recreators, Artisan Haven and Pacific Vision Aotearoa to deliver workshops teaching sewing, craft and resin pour. The annual event “Ladies Night” attended by many
- **Green Bay** Halloween event hosted over 700 attendees, the Christmas event enabled the community to participate in craft making, games and free photos with Santa.



## 492 – Placemaking: Community Hubs & Houses



### **New Windsor Community Hub Yoga**

**New Windsor Hub** celebrated Niue Language Week, and Niue Day with Matua Pasifika and Niue Village Show Day in partnership with Whau Pasifika, Diwali Celebrations and New Windsor Christmas. Hub coordinator was a nominee for two EcoMatters Awards: "Growing the Movement" and "Cultural



**Patiki Hub** runs weekly Cook Island dancing and hosts regular with Te Kura o Patiki and community to maintain and strengthen relationships in the community. Provided 1400 breakfasts for 40-70 tamariki in O2.

## 4074 – Placemaking Community



- Community Waitakere: planning Neighbours Day 2025 campaign in March 2025. Theme is 'Let's Celebrate'.
- Sport Waitākere worked with schools: New Windsor Maori bilingual unit, Iqra, Fruitvale, and Kelston Girls to promote physical activities.
- Five schools attended the annual Kōtiro Day at Eastdale Reserve. 80 girls participated in Weetbix challenge, Waitākere Gymnastics and others.
- Supported disabled students at Oaklynn, ran Regional Sport Trusts funds sessions.



## 4074 – Placemaking Community



- Supported New Lynn Library Play activation in October school holidays.
- Supported Synergy Sport to access funding, and plan the Dragon Boat celebration
- Delivered Winter Field Days across Whau, 700 students participated.
- Ran a successful 5 & 6 3v3 basketball tournament with 100 children.
- Worked with Owairaka Athletics Club to run Whau Cluster Athletics Day, 400 ākonga competed for their school.



































