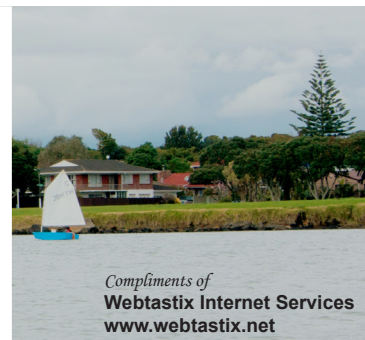


# MANGERE BRIDGE

## VILLAGE NEWSLETTER



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What's on in the bridge

# MANGERE BRIDGE COMMUNITY PICNIC AT OUR FARM AMBURY REGIONAL PARK

## SUNDAY 20 NOV 11AM-2PM

Pack a picnic & mat  
**BRING YOUR**  
friends & family

**NIBBLE & CHAT**  
in a farm paddock

Compete in  
**TEAM GAMES,**  
races, and relays

Come celebrate our  
**COMMUNITY**

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friends  
of the farm  
FAMILY FUN

### MONDAY

Guides 6-8pm.  
CMA Day Care 9:30am - 12:30pm  
Methodist Church Hall.  
St John Youth - 6:30-8:00pm.  
Wriggle & Whyne 9:30 - School Term only,  
MB Library  
Senior Citizens Housie, 1pm Bridge Crt Hall  
Plunket Playgroup 9am - 11:30am  
Mangere Bridge Playcentre  
9.15am-12.15pm, Domain Road

### TUESDAY

Keas 6-7pm / Cubs 5-7pm  
Plunket Playgroup 9am - 11:30am  
Mangere Bridge Walking Group 9am  
Meet @ Village noticeboard - 027 201 1981  
Mangere Historical Soc 1:30pm  
St James Hall Church St [3rd tuesday]  
Library Bookclub 10:30am [2nd tue]  
Mangere Bridge Playcentre  
9.15am-12.15pm, Domain Road  
Waterlea Indoor Bowling Club - 7:15pm  
New Members Welcome

### WEDNESDAY

Brownies 6-7:30pm  
Tibetan Buddhist Class 7:30pm  
Plunket Toy Library 9:30 - 10:30am  
Yoga 6.30 - 8 pm Mangere Mtn Education Ctr.  
Mangere Bridge Plunket Indoor Bowls  
7.20pm Mangere Memorial Hall  
Mangere Bridge Playcentre  
9.15am-12.15pm, Domain Road  
R&R Meeting 7.30pm [2nd wed/month]  
St James Church hall  
Library Tea & Topics 10:30 - 11:30  
[4th wed/month]

### THURSDAY

Plunket Playgroup 9am - 11:30am  
Art Group, 9am - 12:00, Memorial Hall  
Scouts 7-9pm.  
Bridge Park Tennis Club Night 6:00pm  
Senior Citizens Travel Club, Day Trips  
phone 526 0250 [1st thur of month]  
Mangere Bridge Walking Group 9am  
Meet @ Village noticeboard - 027 201 1981  
mainly music 9:30am  
St James Hall - 622 2807

### FRIDAY

Sing-a-long storytime 10:30am Library.  
Playball 2-5 years 9:15-9:55am,  
Mangere Bridge Scout Hall, Taylor Rd  
Mangere Bridge Playcentre  
9.15am-12.15pm, Domain Road  
Probus, Mangere Bridge bowling club  
phone 634 6091 [4th Fri of month]

**SATURDAY:** Plunket Toy Library 9:30-10:30am

**SUNDAY:** Village Boutique Market 9am-1pm

### Opening Hours

Monday - Friday 8am to 6pm  
Saturday 9am to 3pm  
Sunday 10am to 2pm

Phone: 09 636 4249  
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We are in the middle of the village shops  
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**Mangere Bridge Pharmacy**  
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# village happenings

with Kate

## village focus

Things are well underway for this year's Santa parade; we are still taking registrations so please contact me if you would like to register.

We had registration night for Bridge kids athletics last night and I was blown away by the response. This kicks off next week so if you have not registered but would like to attend please pop on down to Swanson park at 5pm next Wednesday, athletics will run from 5.30-6.30pm.

You may have noticed that the hanging baskets were not looking so good, unfortunately the watering system had been turned off but thanks to many wonderful helpers we managed to repot them all yesterday and get them back up in the village.

### Upcoming events 2016/17

**Live music at the café strip:** Every Thursday night 6-9pm

10th November - V twin and Big singles

17th November - Soul Bridge

24th November - Desotos

1st December - Jono heaps

15th December - Carols in the square

22nd December - V twin and the Big singles

12th January - Soul Bridge

19th January - ben Deverell

26th January - Fred baker

2nd February - Silt

9th February - V twin and the Big singles

16th February - Jono Heaps

23rd February - max and Tasi Duo

2nd March - Ben Deverell

9th March - Fred baker

16th March - Desotos

**Food and wine festival 2017:** The date has been set for 5th March

**Teddys bears picnic @ Naomi And Bill Kirk park:** 26th March 2017

kind regards

*Kate Adams*

Village Manager

Mangere Bridge Progressive Business Association

## REPAIRS

24hr Service - zips, hems, pockets etc.

**Joan**  
Phone 636 9498  
Mangere Bridge

## Mangere Citizens Advice Bureau

### Time to Spare or Skills to Share?

### Volunteer for your local Citizen Advice Bureau.

The CAB is all about the client – making sure that individuals do not suffer through ignorance of their rights and responsibilities and that their local and national communities are responsibly developed.

Volunteers are the life-blood of the CAB and Volunteerism is a valued principle under which we work. In New Zealand over 2,400 Volunteers deliver the service to clients. The primary way we work with clients is by asking them questions while we actively listen to the answers to find out what information, advice and support they really need. It takes a team to support our clients and currently we are seeking a few more Volunteers to become Bureau Interviewers at the CAB Mangere and/or the CAB Otahuhu.

You can visit, phone, or email the CAB Mangere for more information on how to get involved. We are situated in the Mangere Town Centre behind the Library (Orly Avenue side). Phone 275 6885 for an appointment or email [mangere@cab.org.nz](mailto:mangere@cab.org.nz)

## Bridge Kids Athletics Dates

9th November

16th November

23rd November

30th November

7th December

14th December

1st February

8th February

15th February

22nd February

1st March

8th March

15th March

22nd March - Prize giving

## Life Coaching

Aaron is a great guy. He likes people. He's got an OK job - earns reasonable money, But he feels like something is missing. It feels like he's coming up against a kind of invisible brick wall.

Life Coaching

First 10 people 1 hour No Charge

He's tried to work out the reasons but can't seem to get a handle on what's happening

He'd heard from a friend about Life Coaching and decided to try it out.

Could this be similar to your situation? Find out

Call or email Peter Judd, 029 634 1709 or [peterjudd.lifecoach@gmail.com](mailto:peterjudd.lifecoach@gmail.com)

### Copy Deadline for December 2016

Deadline for the December Issue is the 22nd November. To ensure that your article makes the December issue please email your articles to [articles@mangerebridge.co.nz](mailto:articles@mangerebridge.co.nz). We cannot guarantee a definite delivery time for the Village Newsletter, however we will do our best to have it delivered before the advertised upcoming events.

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### Contact

Chris Lockett  
66 Kiwi Esplanade, Mangere Bridge  
Mobile: 021 259 5516  
Home: 636 4929



## Bridge Community Church

### BRIDGE COMMUNITY CHURCH NEW BUILDING PROJECT

You may have noticed changes at our Bridge Community Church (Baptist) site in McIntyre Rd. For some time we have been planning a major redesign and extension of our building, and work has begun. We are looking forward to having a larger and more flexible facility which the community will benefit from and be proud of. Our building will be a place of activity for Mangere Bridge, and expanding our existing facilities will provide better and more fit-for-purpose spaces for a wide range of activities. We anticipate opening the new church centre in mid 2017.

During the rebuild we are holding our Sunday worship services and programme for children at St James Anglican Church and Hall, at 11:10am. We want to express our gratitude to St James for their generous offer to share their facilities during this period of construction.

David Jenkins, Pastor, Bridge Community Church



Architect's concept

## Silver Sneakers

Exercise, For Goodness Sake

Take a break, get in shape with Kimi and friends for a fun hour of fitness.

Try something different and get your best results; smart movements that combine stretching, cardio and resistance training.

Kimi has enjoyed any year's teaching group fitness classes and brings her experience and enthusiasm to every class. Qualified Group Fitness Instructor and First Aider

Silver Sneakers Senior Fitness

Thues & thurs 9:30 - 10:30am

Senior Citizens Hall

3 Pearce Street, Onehunga

Ph Kimi 630 0629, kimi.w.nz@xtra.co.nz

First Class FREE, thereafter \$5/class

## Library Book Chat!

2nd Tuesday every month  
10:30am

Our monthly book club meets to discuss what they've been reading – good or bad. Please join us for a cup of tea or coffee and some lively discussion!

### Opening Hours

Mondays	9am-5pm
Tuesdays	9am-5pm
Wednesdays	9am-5pm
Thursday	9am-7pm
Fridays	9am-5pm
Saturdays	10am-4pm
Sundays	9am-1pm

## Your Business

Do you have a business that you want to advertise to the Mangere Bridge Community?

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## Important contact details

Citizens Advice Bureau	275 6885
Mangere Bridge Post office	636 9645
Village Management Office	634 4250
Emergencies	111

<b>Mangere Bridge Community Information Services</b>	
Village Newsletter	021 815 184
Mangere Bridge Website	021 815 184
Articles	<a href="mailto:articles@mangerebridge.co.nz">articles@mangerebridge.co.nz</a>
Advertising	<a href="mailto:shane@mangerebridge.co.nz">shane@mangerebridge.co.nz</a>
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