



KEEPING IT CENTRAL

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WAI TALKING ABOUT WATER RESTRICTIONS

Hi, with water levels getting low it's time to restrict water usage.

Water restrictions are now in place from Monday 11 December 2017. Hosing restrictions apply to Waipukurau, Waipawa, Otane, Takapau, Porangahau, Te Paerahi and Kairakau Water Supplies.

Because of the demand for water all consumers are restricted to using hand held hoses only on alternate days for watering gardens and lawns.

Consumers whose property numbers are evenly numbered, or on the north/east side of the street can only water on even numbered days. Consumers whose property numbers are unevenly numbered or on the south/west side of the street, shall only water on uneven numbered days. Council recommends watering in the early morning or evening.

Consumers are encouraged to consider their use of water, and to carry out practical water conservation measures during the summer. If you see water running to waste, please consider how this can be stopped.

Please watch out for changes in the water monitoring signs around the district and for updates on Central FM, in the CHB Mail, Council's website and on the Council Facebook Page @CHBDistrictCouncil



HIGHLIGHTS & IMPORTANT DATES

Internal Audit

As part of Council's commitment to ensuring that the community assets and resources that Council are protected, an internal audit plan has been agreed by the Risk and Audit committee for the next 2 financial years. Contract Management is the first area that Council will have audited with it being one of the biggest areas of expenditure for the Council.

Operational Hours – Wednesday 13 December

On the 13 December the Council Office in Waipawa will be closed from 8.00am until 9.30am and the Waipukurau Library & Service Centre will be closed from 9.00am until 9.30am.

Christmas Stories & Sing Along

On Thursday 21 December come along to the Waipawa Library at 10.30am or to the Waipukurau Library at 12 noon for this wonderful event.

Bookscape

Bookscape is the Iread Summer Reading Programme for Years 6-8. Participants read and review 3 books to earn a prize book to keep. You can earn up to 4 books over the summer. Enrol now at the Waipawa or Waipukurau Library!



WAIPAWA POOL

Thank you to everyone who came along to the Public Meeting and also to those who provided feedback and suggestions for the Waipawa pool. Although the outdoor pool will not be open this summer, several ideas have been presented to Council providing residents with alternative options.

Council have agreed to a long term fix rather than spending \$100,000 on short-term repairs. The Committee recommended that \$650,000 be included in the first year of the 2018-2028 draft long-term plan to go towards a long-term redevelopment.

Consultation on the Long Term Plan will take place early next year and the public will have an opportunity to make submissions supporting the re-development of the pool.

Watch this space for more information on transport options to get to the AW Parsons Pool from Waipawa this summer, as well as more information on a Waipawa Summer Fun day in January.



For more information go to:

www.chbdc.govt.nz

