



Papakura Town Centre Manager **Tracy Shackleton** updates us on a range of projects, programmes and opportunities.

Three amazing murals have been done on the walls in Papakura - two on Countdown's walls and fence and one on the side of an empty building.

These have been done in conjunction with the landlords and business owners, and have had the paint funded by Countdown for their murals.

Talented young artists from The Corner – a (Papakura) local board-funded Youth Innovation Hub in Papakura - did the amazing work and drawings - with hopefully a few more in the pipeline.

Our three amazing artists are, from the top:

- **Sam Evans** for the big mural on the Countdown wall;
- **Pascal Atiga Bridger – Wharepapa** for the stampede mural on the Countdown fence; and
- **Marangai Nissen** for the white flowers on the black wall.



A crime prevention seminar was put on by the Papakura Police and the Papakura Safety Co-ordinator (a fully funded position by the Papakura Local Board).

And a crime prevention booklet of some 10 pages of key actions to take has been also funded by the Papakura local board, Papakura Police and the Business Association

This covers topics such as Nuisance Behaviour, Reporting Crime, Aggressive Customers, Robbery, Handling of Cash, Positive Action, Protecting Property, Truancy and Prevention along with key numbers

If anyone would like a copy, please contact Tracy at the Papakura Business Association

Planters make a grand statement

Twenty beautiful planters now grace the main street of Papakura as the start of a planting beautification project.



Says Tracy,

“Volunteers from our Papakura Business Association Committee and Lions came into town one Sunday and one Thursday night for 10 hours.

“They brought the planters into town, filled them with soil, planted grasses flaxes and pohutukawa, and placed them strategically around town.

“A cluster was put in Centre Court and three concrete planters were kindly donated by Hynds and painted by Pascal Atiga Bridger-Wharepapa to jazz them up.

“Each planter was gifted to a business who became its guardian and will water it every couple of days and clear it of rubbish,” she says.

Caravan available for Hire

\$150.00 per day plus GST

You will need to pick up and drop off
You can get signage done for the sides
Front and Back sign = 800 x 600
Next to Entry Door = 1120 x 925
Under Shop Window = 700 x 525

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