



## October 2023 All Points Camping Club Newsletter



Hello fellow Campers,

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## **Monthly Club** **President's report**



Welcome to another month. As the weather improves club events are increasing in numbers, thanks to our wonderful regional reps. If there is a camp in your area and you are unable to attend for the duration of the camp, you are welcome to pop in for a visit and cuppa to meet the local team.



The club has joined **Keep NZ Beautiful**. Our club philosophy of responsible camping and leaving no trace fits well with keeping New Zealand beautiful. We are planning some events next year for camping and cleaning. This will involve selecting a site or three, camping for the weekend and tidying the venue. If you have any suggestions of a camping site that would benefit from some attention, please let us know.

With the Freedom camping and self-containment changes taking effect many councils and local authorities are either reviewing or implementing camping bylaws.

The clubs executive committee have been working on a submission document that can be sent to councils to outline what we think is required in a camping bylaw. Some areas of concern are the number of

camping sites available for all campers not just those that are certified self-contained. The length of permitted stay, education before enforcement, and much more. This document/submission will be sent as a general guideline submission pointing out areas of concern and possible remedies. Some local authorities will also get a more district relative submission as each region is different. For example, the camping site at Foxton Beach is different to the site at Otaki Beach and under different councils although on 40km apart.

## **AGM Camps**

With the club's AGM on Saturday the 4<sup>th</sup> of May, we will again have a number of camps around the country for this important event. At this stage there are plans for Taranaki, The Bay of plenty and Canterbury. There is still time to add to this list of camps. As usual the AGM will be held online with Zoom for all to attend.

**Memberships, new and renewals** are now being processed on a Monday or Tuesday. It may take a couple of days for your membership renewal to be acknowledged. As volunteers there is always family and work to consider as well as club matters and there are only so many hours in a day. Please bear with us.

Enjoy your camping.  
Wayne Ravelich  
APCNZ President



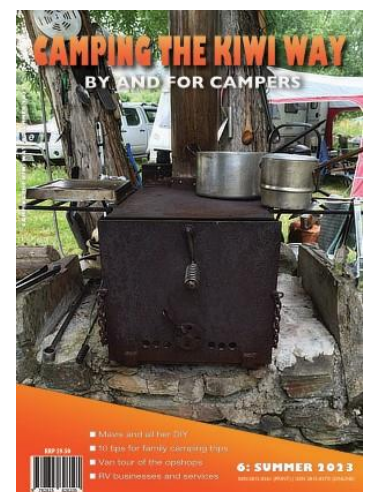
The **Stop and Stay** listing can be downloaded and printed by region or page. This can give you a hard copy if you are out of internet range.

Where is your favourite park over or **STOP and STAY** location?  
Recommend it here <https://form.123formbuilder.com/4710632>

## **Magazine Update**

With the Camping the Kiwi Way Summer issue due out in early December, Mirium is busy getting everything together and ready for the printer. All club members get a free digital copy of the magazine to be viewed as a PDF or flip book on your devices. Many of us prefer to read this great camping publication in hard copy around the camp site. You can subscribe to the quarterly magazine at <https://www.campingthekiwiway.org> and will receive your copy in the post. You can also read back issues at the same web address.

Miriam is always looking for new and exciting things for the magazine. By campers, for campers. Share your experiences and ideas with others. Send them to [editor@campingthekiwiway.org](mailto:editor@campingthekiwiway.org)



## **Canterbury/South Canterbury.**

Thanks to the Canterbury crew for supporting the Marlborough team at the Nelson Motorhome Show. Was a great opportunity to promote the caring, supportive, social group that we are, and we got to soak up some sun as well.

Oxford event: Dec 8-10.

A chance to do some Christmas shopping at nearby Oxford Market or run away from it like me! Trevor is our All Points Host for the weekend and it's not too late to book. Anyone is welcome whether in a tent or?? Families welcome, or those on their own. Check the Events page for more details or contact me. Non and new member's welcome.

Coffee meet and Greet

Hornby Club, Wednesday 13 December

We can sign you in if you are not a member. Excellent parking.

Option to stay on for lunch or go shopping in the Hornby Mall.

Xmas New Year

Planning is underway for a camp at Motukurara's Waihora Domain. Fresh water and toilets available. Dump station at nearby Tai Tapu. \$10 a night.

Your chance to ride the Rail trail to either Birdlings Flat or Little River. Watch out for the Event on the Facebook page or contact me. Non and new member's welcome.

Any questions contact Linda 0272770752 or email [ersunmyne@gmail.com](mailto:ersunmyne@gmail.com)

## Club Shop

**Summer** is close! There has never been a better time to show that you are proud to be an All Points Camper. You can help us to raise the profile of the club this summer by being proud and being seen.



Check out the club polo shirts, tee shirts and sweatshirts in the club shop at [www.apcnz.org/shop](http://www.apcnz.org/shop). We have kept the price as low as possible because promotion of our club is super important to us.

Tees \$31.00, Polo shirts \$36.00 and hooded sweatshirts \$48.00 (polo shirts are also come in black and white.)



While on the club's online shop it's a great opportunity to check out the other products that we sell at markets and shows or renew your annual subs. We have a good selection of camping themed clothing, and mugs plus our popular branded coaster/bottle openers.



## Club Events

Do you have suggestions for new All Points camps or events?



The club is asking campers to please register online for organised events through our club website

[www.apcnz.org/events](http://www.apcnz.org/events) .

**Don't forget this weekend's, On the Harbour camp.**

**24 Nov, 3:00 pm – 26 Nov, 1:00 pm 426 Tuapiro Road, Tahawai, Katikati, Bay of Plenty**

Lovely private venue within a sheltered area off the road, but right across the road from the harbour for an early morning swim. No facilities so campers must be self-contained and need to bring own water.

\$5 per person per night

#### **December 2023**

- Fri 1 -Sun 3: **Pre-Christmas camp Battle Hill** 1 Dec (Margaret/Helen)
- Sat 9 – Central (Feilding) **Drinks and BBQ** from 4pm at Gary and Bev Stoneley's
- Sun 10 - Club Stall at **Feilding Christmas Market** and Parade
- Sat 9 - Sun 10: **Pre-Christmas farm stay**, near Ashley Gorge, Canterbury (Linda)
- Fri 8 – Sun 10: **Jones Landing, Waikato** (Lorraine)
- Fri 29 Dec – Tues 2 Jan – **New Year camp** in Wellington area – location TBC (Margaret/Helen)

#### **January 2024**

- Fri 5 - Sun 7: **Egmont Country Music Festival**, Ninia Park Over, Taranaki (Denise)
- Fri 19 - Mon 22: **Whanganui Vintage weekend** (Margaret/Stuart)
- Sat 26 – Sun 27: **Knottingley Park and Arboretum**, Waimate, Canterbury (Linda)

#### **February 2024**

- Fri 2 -Tues 6: **Morison's Bush**, Wairarapa (Helen)
- Fri 9 - Mon 12: **CampFest**, Bulls (Gary/ET)
- Sat 10: **Marlborough Wine and Food festival** - looking for a camping venue (Marty)
- Sat 23 – Sun 24: **Orton Bradley Park**, Charteris Bay, Canterbury (Linda)

#### **March 2024**

- Camp at **Nelson Creek**, West Coast (Andy)
- Sat 23 – Sun 24: **Mount Somers** Holiday Park, Mount Somers, Canterbury (Linda)

For more details check the EVENTS page at <https://www.allpointscampingnz.org/events> or keep an eye on the Hello Club calendar for prospective events.





## **Facebook & Web** **pages**

The Facebook regional member only page is for financial club members to share local information and receive club information on local events and gatherings.

### **The Member only Facebook Page**

[All Points Camping Members Area](https://www.facebook.com/groups/3447433362160592) <https://www.facebook.com/groups/3447433362160592>

**Privacy note**, only committee and Reps have access to member details to approve group access.

### **Member and non-member Pages**

[All Points Camping Club](#) The clubs main web page.

[Stop and Stay NZ](#) This page is our clubs stop and stay listings.

[All Points Camping NZ Camping Club](#) The clubs main **Facebook page** that also has event listings.

[All Points Camping NZ - chat, share](#) The public page for all campers.

[Campingthekiwiway.org/](#) The Magazine web page

[NZ Lifestyle Camping](#) Our associated Self-containment issuing authority with everything you need to know about self-containment and a list of testing officers.

[The Club shop](#) with club merchandise and camping related items.

## **Promotions – Events, Shows, facebook, flags and more.**

We are continually working to promote our club and ensure that our profile is out there in the community. This is done in a variety of ways with flags and signage at events or out camping, posts on social media and attending large promotional events like the Waikato and Nelson Motorhome shows. It's important to be seen plus boost contacts and membership.

For the recent **Nelson Show** members from Canterbury, Marlborough and the North Island got together to host a stand and promote the club. The Nelson show was a reasonably relaxed atmosphere more so because we had Marty and Diana's caravan on site. Over two days we spoke with prospective members, developed new business partnerships and sold club product. By having products displayed on the stand more people stop and create an opportunity to talk about the club and what we do.

For the Nelson Show the club put together a 2<sup>nd</sup> (attendees) prize together with Bluebridge Cook Strait Ferries and Pure Milford (Milford Sounds cruise).

Congratulations to our new member Sarah James on her winning prizes from the Nelson Show.

**Do You want to be a Business Sponsor or advertise your products through our national networks?**



**Member newsletter / [Camping the Kiwi Way Magazine](#) / Social Media**  
**Or our rapidly growing [Stop and Stay](#) accommodation network**

Contact [info@allpointscampingnz.org](mailto:info@allpointscampingnz.org) to find out more



## **Regional Reps**

Are dedicated campers there for you in your region with local knowledge, advise and support. These fellow campers offer their time and experience free of charge to improve camping for us all. All they ask is your support when organising camps and events in your region. If you wish to host a local camp or event, they are there to help.

# Club Contacts

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## Member Discounts and Offers.

### Have you been using your All Points Camping Club membership discount card?

The savings are considerable but will not be on all items in store. **Please show your membership CARD** when purchasing from retail stores and tell the staff you are with the All Points Camping Club. Many of our discounts are contracted through the "CSC Buying Group" so you may need to quote this.

- **You must have the new APCNZ membership card to access the supplier discounts.**
- *If you would like to upgrade your club membership discount card to enjoy the full range of benefits, please send a stamped self-addressed envelope to APCNZ Member cards, 32 Kennedy Avenue Feilding, 4702*

# Club Member Discount Card



As well the great deals from our major supporting partners, your APCNZ

membership card gives access to discounted pricing, provided through











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**Instore** - at the checkout, show the supplier account number (if listed) on the reverse of the card.

**Online** – enter the promo code listed when ordering online.

**Can you find the new discount suppliers for All Points Camping Club members from September,**

 	<p><b>BEAUREPAIRES</b> Is changing to Advantage Tyres.</p> <p>Check out the advert at the end of this newsletter.</p> <p>We congratulate the Advantage Tyres team on their rebranding.</p>	<p><b>Discount:</b> Up to 15% off Dunlop, Goodyear, BF Goodrich &amp; Michelin Tyres. <b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.beaurepaires.co.nz">www.beaurepaires.co.nz</a></p>
	<p><b>BIG SAVE</b> NZ's Number 1 furniture retailer. Whatever your taste, style or budget, you will find the furniture to meet your needs at Big Save Furniture.</p>	<p><b>Discount:</b> 30% off normal retail ticket and 5% off Every Day low pricing <b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.bigsave.co.nz">www.bigsave.co.nz</a></p>
	<p><b>BUNNINGS</b> All building supplies, equipment &amp; advice</p>	<p><b>Discount:</b> Excellent discounts off trade supplies - varies with each product <b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.bunnings.co.nz">www.bunnings.co.nz</a></p>
	<p><b>CARTERS</b> All building supplies, equipment &amp; advice</p>	<p><b>Discount:</b> Up to 15% off most retail items <b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.carters.co.nz">www.carters.co.nz</a></p>
	<p><b>COFFEE CLUB</b> The Coffee Club have 66 locations across NZ, a delicious all-day menu, and excellent coffee.</p>	<p><b>Discount:</b> Save 10% Off the total bill Present your discount card (show supplier logo) in store to redeem. Not valid with other discount offers. Excludes alcohol and retail products. <b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.csc.org.nz/coffee-club">www.csc.org.nz/coffee-club</a></p>
	<p><b>GUTHRIE BOWRON</b> For an excellent selection of paint and woodcare products, wallpaper and decorating accessories.</p>	<p><b>Discount:</b> Great discounts redeemable instore at all retail shops. Discounts vary per item <b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.guthriebowron.co.nz">www.guthriebowron.co.nz</a></p>
	<p><b>HIREPOOL</b> Hirepool has the most extensive range of equipment of any hire company to meet the requirements of almost any job.</p>	<p><b>Discount:</b> 15% off Hirepool equipment instore and online. <b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.hirepool.co.nz">www.hirepool.co.nz</a></p>
	<p><b>IDEAL ELECTRICAL</b> A huge range of quality electrical products for the residential, commercial &amp; industrial sectors.</p>	<p><b>Discount:</b> Discounts compare favourably with trade pricing <b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.ideal.co.nz">www.ideal.co.nz</a></p>



	<b>MICO PLUMBING</b> Plumbing supplies and equipment	<b>Discount:</b> Up to 30% off most plumbing products in the trade section of Mico stores. <b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.mico.co.nz">www.mico.co.nz</a>
	<b>NOEL LEEMING</b> Discounts on selected appliances and technology items.	<b>Discount:</b> Excellent discounts available <b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.noelleeming.co.nz">www.noelleeming.co.nz</a> <i>Discounts exclude ALL Apple &amp; Dyson products. T&amp;C apply</i>
	<b>PITA PIT</b> At Pita Pit you'll find only the best, natural fillings and ingredients sourced from a team of suppliers, farmers, bakers and artisans throughout NZ.	<b>Discount:</b> 10% off most of the Pita Pit menu. <b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.pitapit.co.nz">www.pitapit.co.nz</a> Excludes existing discount offers, Value Pita and Kids, Uber Eats and other delivery providers.
	<b>PITSTOP</b> Servicing, repairs, safety checks, and WOFs from Pitstop stores throughout NZ	<b>Discount:</b> 10% off a variety of products & services <b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.pitstop.co.nz">www.pitstop.co.nz</a> view online Click 'read more' by the EZY Service logo
	<b>PLACEMAKERS</b> All building supplies, equipment and advice	<b>Discount:</b> Varies with products <b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.placemakers.co.nz">www.placemakers.co.nz</a>
	<b>REPCO</b> NZ's largest supplier of automotive and marine parts & accessories	<b>Discount:</b> 10% off retail pricing on most items held in stock (excluding specials and one-off promotions) <b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.repco.co.nz">www.repco.co.nz</a>
	<b>TORPEDO7</b> Discounts across the range of clothing, camping and outdoors products.	<b>Discount:</b> Varies with each product. Present APCNZ CSC discount card in store. <b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.torpedo7.co.nz">www.torpedo7.co.nz</a>
	<b>WAREHOUSE STATIONERY</b> Your one-stop-shop for stationery, office products, furniture, art&craft, print & copy solutions, plus more.	<b>Discount:</b> Simply present your APCNZ CSC discount card in store and ask the staff member to scan the barcode to access a range of discounts. <a href="http://www.warehousestationery.co.nz">www.warehousestationery.co.nz</a> Ph: 0800 222 246

*The supplier's information above is confidential to All Points Camping club members and the suppliers listed above and should not be provided to 3<sup>rd</sup> parties without authority.*

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<b>AFFORDABLE CARAVANS</b>	Affordable Caravans in Christchurch offers a considerable range of new used caravan parts and very efficient NZ wide delivery. A 10% discount applies to All Points Camping Club members for purchases. If buying online use the code ALLPOINTS. <a href="http://www.affordablecaravans.co.nz">www.affordablecaravans.co.nz</a>	



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We are excited to welcome Bluebridge Cook Strait Ferries as supporting partner. With a growing reputation for service and a commitment to improving and meeting travellers needs while supporting many not for profit organisations it's got to be good. Year round savings apply. **Discount code ALLPOINTS**

Check out the new APCNZ member login [www.bluebridge.co.nz/allpoints](http://www.bluebridge.co.nz/allpoints) **Save 15% off peak**



If you have a pop top, caravan, motorhome, motorcycle, classic or prestige car contact John at STAR Camper Care Insurance or talk to one of the team.

Tell them you are an All Points Camper member and receive member discount.

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You must advise the consultant that you are an APCNZ member and provide your membership number.



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Whether streaming movies or operating your business NetSpeed offers a high level of customer support. Find out more at <https://secure.netspeed.net.nz/apcnz/> or contact [NetSpeed](https://www.netspeed.net.nz/) on 0800 638 773



Darrell is the man to talk to at OZTent NZ. The OZTent range is so easy to put up or attach to a vehicle. Also agents for Weber Barbecues and part of Heatrite (Plumbing, Gas, Heating) in Palmerston North it's a great company to have supporting us.

[www.oztentnz.co.nz](http://www.oztentnz.co.nz) Check out the videos online.



Phillip at **Foxton RV & Marine**, formally, Tackle Tactics could be considered a fishing expert. "NZ's leading supplier of quality Surfcasting & Fishing gear." Check out their website and mail order store <http://www.tackletactics.co.nz/> or pop into their new workshop in **Foxton**. Anything you need for Fishing or RV repairs - Phillip Kettle is the man to ask. Ph 06 363 5957



## All Points Camping Member Discount Card

Your APCNZ member discount card is recognised at most RV and camping chains. Offers are provided by most leading camping, caravan and motorhome retailers throughout NZ. Remember to show your card when purchasing but remember that discounts may not always apply

**Members, can you help us to grow our campers support network by recommending a Supporting Business?**



For our Auckland members 2 great stores at 112 Wairau Road, Wairau Valley, Auckland and 254 Lincoln Road, Henderson, Auckland offer member discounts on most products in store.

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Para Rubber Lincoln Road Ph 09 217 3287

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members should complete a standard booking and the Discount code **APCNZ1** should be entered on checkout page.



As an existing APCNZ member save \$20.00 on our self containment processing and issue fee. This applies only to members personal vehicles and not resellers.

Go to [www.nzlifestylecamping.com](http://www.nzlifestylecamping.com) to locate your nearest self containment testing officer, access guidelines and parts.



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CAREFULLY**



**KEEP NZ  
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**PROTECT  
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**SHOW  
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