

# All Points Camping Members Newsletter

September 2020



## AGM,

We have had our club's AGM in Sanson with a good turnout. The meeting was streamed live on Zoom for the first time and this option was taken up. Due to Covid-19 levels we did have a few apologise from Auckland members. The following list is your 2020 to 2021 elected committee.

President, Wayne Ravelich,  
Vice President, Lyn Bennett,  
Secretary, Gary Stoneley,  
Treasurer, Ross Bennett,

### AREA REPS as follows:

Northern, Vicky Holden,  
Auckland, Amanda Kashyap,  
Waikato, Mary Reid,  
North Island Central, Jo Ravelich,  
Tasman / Marlborough, Murray Brown,  
South Island Central, Wayne Searle  
General Committee, Les Convery (Waikato)  
General Committee, Neil O'Gorman (Auckland)  
General Committee, Wendy Barrett, (Manawatu)



I would like to thank the past committee and welcome the new. Thank you all for supporting our club in these vital roles.

While we are talking about the committee, we had our first Monthly Zoom meeting on Tuesday evening. This will become a regular monthly event. This will assist in improving communications and support across the country. The smoother the committee works the smoother the club runs.

**Communication** with you, our members is vital to the success of the club.

We currently have the quarterly magazine, this newsletter and social media. Along with the club official web page [allpointscampingnz.org](http://allpointscampingnz.org) we have a number of Facebook pages. There is the club main page All Points Camping NZ, the popular Chat-Share page and the member only page and regional pages. A lot of information is shared with members on these club and regional pages, including upcoming events. It is well worth club members joining these regional pages.

Auckland and Northland, <https://www.facebook.com/groups/AucklandAPCNZmembers>

Waikato and BOP, <https://www.facebook.com/groups/APCNZWaikato>

Taupo South, <https://www.facebook.com/groups/APCNZcentral>

South Island, <https://www.facebook.com/groups/APCNZSouthIsland>

We will increase these regional groups as time, manpower and member support allows.

## **Upcoming Events**

**SEP 25 AT 2 PM – SEP 28 AT 12 AM**

**Kawerau Weekend Family Camp**

371 River Rd, Kawerau 3127, New Zealand

**OCT 2 AT 12 AM – OCT 5 AT 12 PM**

**Wai-inu Beach Camp**

Waiinu Beach, South Taranaki.

**OCT 23 AT 4 PM – OCT 26 AT 2 PM**

**Spring into Summer - Foxton Beach spring camp -**

Foxton Beach School

**OCT 23 AT 4 PM – OCT 26 AT 10 AM**

**Wentworth Valley Camp**

Wentworth Valley Campground Whangamata

For more details <https://www.facebook.com/AllPointsNZ/events> or contact your Area Rep or a Committee member.

**The FATHERS DAY PICNIC** at Ngati-Toa Domain was a wash-out, with heavy rain and strong winds. 5 of us actually camped there and braved the elements. A hand full of local members did turn up on the Sunday for a chat. It was great to see them and catch-up, meant the weekend was not a total waste. Always good to talk to members, get new ideas and your thoughts on how to improve the club. Not just the “business side” but also the social catching up with fellow campers. If you see a CLUB sticker on a camper, Say Hi, introduce yourself. You never know who you will meet.

Club contact email [info@allpointscampingnz.org](mailto:info@allpointscampingnz.org) or send to me [president@allpointscampingnz.org](mailto:president@allpointscampingnz.org)

**Don't forget the new Club contact number ph 022 328 0973**

**This phone is usually held by the club president as a 1<sup>st</sup> point of contact.**

**As Club members YOU can host a camp or event.**

**Let us know and we can help with organising and promotion and insurance cover.**

*If you have an event in your area let us know so we can promote it here and in the magazine.*

Happy Camping, Wayne Ravelich, President, APCNZ.

# All Points AGM *by Lyn Bennett*

This year the annual AGM of All points camping was delayed a couple of months due too Covid 19 and was held in Sanson on the 29<sup>th</sup> August 2020. We had for the first time ever the nominations for committee done online. This was successful with the new committee announced at the AGM.

Ross and I decided to head down to Feilding a few days early and stay with Gary and Bev Stoneley who had opened their lawn up to several members for a few days before we all headed to Sanson. On the Wednesday night Gary as the outgoing President shouted a pizza tea for all old and new nominated committee that were staying on their lawn or in the area. On Friday we all left the Stoneley's and headed to Sanson Community Hall.

On the Friday night there were 9 vans parked up, some having travelled from The South Island and the far north to attend, we had a social hour in the hall with the obligatory puzzle bought out for those whom wanted to attempt it. Bev bought out a game of Sequence which she challenged Gary and I to a game and soundly thrashed us both (Twice). I have now purchased this game to get practice for next time (lol).

On the Saturday of the AGM several of the members wandered around Sanson checking out the local Shopping and some even indulging in the famous Cream Horns from Viv's café. The AGM began at 1:30 with several members who were also in the area attending, with one of our members from Auckland using Zoom to sit in on the meeting. It was here that the new committee was announced by Gary Stoneley the outgoing President. The executive committee



announced as President Wayne Ravelich, Vice president Lyn Bennett, Secretary Gary Stoneley, Treasurer Ross Bennett, followed by the administrative team of local area representatives and general committee. This committee has a well-balanced admin team of men and women. I offer my congratulations to all new committee members and look forward to a successful year working with you all.

During the meeting Wayne Searle moved that Gary and Beverly Stoneley be granted life time membership for all the hard work they put into the club which was unanimously voted in and accepted by all. Congratulations Gary and Bev.



After the meeting we had a pot luck dinner which was all enjoyed and then another games night hosted by the Stoneley's of Bingo and I am sure everyone who attended came away with something sweet in their pockets.

Sunday arrived all to soon with members going of in their own directions home after several of us visited the local market. Sanson was a great halfway point to hold this important meeting for the club and a great venue.

## Our Club Structure – One club many facets. From the APCNZ constitution:

*The objects of the club shall be the promotion of the interests of the **Members** and other individuals and families in relation to camping in New Zealand;*

- providing the best outcomes for all involved parties,
- liaising with other organisations, agencies and authorities that have a role in managing and directing the future of camping in New Zealand,
- encouraging safe, sustainable and enjoyable camping.



The club's registered office is at 32 Kennedy Avenue Feilding. The club pays \$25.00 per week contribution towards rental of a relocatable office. The power, rates and insurance are not charged to or paid by the club.

<b>Member Support</b>	<b>Events</b>	<b>Lobbying</b>
<b>Websites</b>	<b>Facebook Pages</b>	<b>Supporting Partners</b>

Please remember that the club is managed by volunteers.

Our biggest challenge can be keeping up with what's needed and keeping ahead of what's happening next.

### The All Points Camping Club of NZ owns and manages the following websites:

<a href="http://www.AllPointsCampingNZ.org">www.AllPointsCampingNZ.org</a> or <a href="http://www.APCNZ.org">www.APCNZ.org</a>	This is the club's main website. It provides general information on the club and some of our supporting partners, contact information and a member's only area. The members only area contains documents, a member contact list and detail on discounts etc.
<a href="http://www.StopandStayNZ.org">www.StopandStayNZ.org</a>	This is our 'developing' national network of recommended and discounted places to stop. It includes some highly recommended day stops. The listings are being continually added to
<i>Note: Maintaining our websites and keeping the information current is a challenge due to the time involved.</i>	

### The All Points Camping Club of NZ owns and manages the following Facebook Pages:

<a href="https://www.facebook.com/AllPointsNZ">www.facebook.com/AllPointsNZ</a>	Our public facebook page. Master page for sharing events and news.
<a href="https://www.facebook.com/groups/AllpointsNZ">www.facebook.com/groups/AllpointsNZ</a>	All campers are welcome to join this national support group.
<a href="https://www.facebook.com/groups/AucklandAPCNZmembers">www.facebook.com/groups/AucklandAPCNZmembers</a>	These are private groups for APCNZ financial members. Auckland link currently includes Northland Waikato link includes Bay of Plenty. Pages and links are being updated.
<a href="https://www.facebook.com/groups/APCNZWaikato">www.facebook.com/groups/APCNZWaikato</a>	
<a href="https://www.facebook.com/groups/APCNZcentral">www.facebook.com/groups/APCNZcentral</a>	
<a href="https://www.facebook.com/groups/APCNZSouthIsland">www.facebook.com/groups/APCNZSouthIsland</a>	
<a href="https://www.facebook.com/stopandstaynz">www.facebook.com/stopandstaynz</a>	Facebook page to promote our growing stop and stay network. The place to share those amazing photos and stops.

The club also has a private admin group page for committee use. Meetings are usually held face to face or on Zoom.

### The club is proud to work with a wide range of national businesses to better support our members

<p>Please refer to the following pages for a detailed list of our supporting business partners.</p> <p>Please note that our contract requires that the 8 business partners listed on the reverse of your membership card are not for public information</p>	<p><b>Self containment with NZ Lifestyle Camping</b></p> <p>In May 2017 APCNZ became an issuing authority for certified self containment through our founder Gary Stoneley as the club held no legal status at that time. Initially numbers were small but grew rapidly and started to dramatically change the club focus, detracting from the club's objects. In April 2018 in consultation with MBIE / Standards NZ the self containment scheme was moved to NZ Lifestyle Camping Ltd with testing officers becoming members of the scheme.</p> <p>The majority of APCNZ members join the club via partnership with NZLC and members receive a discount on the processing fees. NZLC also sponsors the club with events, technology and equipment, administration costs, promotion and vehicle use.</p> <p>APCNZ operates from the NZLC office, managed by Gary Stoneley</p>
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# Member Discount Card 2020

Including exclusive, and confidential member discounts provided through



As well the great deals from our supporting partners, your APCNZ membership card gives you access to discounted pricing as listed below. (For new memberships and renewals from 20/04/2020)

**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.

	<b>BEAUREPAIRES</b> Tyres	<b>Discount:</b> Up to 15% off Dunlop, Goodyear, BF Goodrich & Michelin Tyres. <b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.carters.co.nz">www.carters.co.nz</a>
	<b>CARTERS</b> All Building supplies, equipment and advice	<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>
	<b>GUTHRIE BOWRON</b> For an excellent selection of paint and woodcare products, wallpaper and decorating accessories.	<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>
	<b>TORPEDO7</b> Discounts across the range of clothing, camping and outdoors products.	<b>Discount:</b> Present discount card in store see reverse of card. <b>Website:</b> <a href="http://www.topedo7.co.nz">www.topedo7.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>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>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>

*This information is confidential to All Points Camping club members and the suppliers listed and should not be provided to 3<sup>rd</sup> parties without authorisation.*



Stop and Stay

**We are building a network of the best**  
 Overnight and Day stopovers recommended by APCNZ members. Check it out at [www.stopandstaynz.org](http://www.stopandstaynz.org) and add your recommendations

## APCNZ Supporting Business Partners and Member Discounts.



### Enjoy a Lake Taupo cruise on the Sail Barbary Eco Yachts

These eco yachts offer a fantastic experience on Lake Taupo. Prebook through [bookings@sailbarbary.com](mailto:bookings@sailbarbary.com) or phone Tiffany on 073785879 <https://www.sailbarbary.com/> APCNZ member discount applies



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.

Two of the great things about the Star group is the free roadside assistance and their very flexible coverage for accessories and contents. <https://campercare.co.nz/> Ph 0800 965 965

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



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



Phillip at 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 store in **Foxton**. Anything you need for Fishing - Phillip Kettle is the man to ask.



**Save 15%** at all 39 Kiwi Holiday Parks plus travel and tourist attractions throughout NZ.

[www.kiwholidayparks.co.nz](http://www.kiwholidayparks.co.nz)

From 30 July purchase the Kiwi Holiday Parks Card from APCNZ for only \$20.00 (member rate) a saving of \$15.00.



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.

Para Rubber Wairau Road Ph. 09 443 2557

Para Rubber Lincoln Road Ph 09 217 3287

[wairau@pararubber.co.nz](mailto:wairau@pararubber.co.nz)

[lincoln@pararubber.co.nz](mailto:lincoln@pararubber.co.nz)

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[www.allpointscampingnz.org](http://www.allpointscampingnz.org)

### 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.



Lifestyle Gear provide innovative and trendy outdoor and camping products with a focus on being environmentally friendly. Their hardwearing floor mats made from recycled rubber being one of the most popular products. Check out their website at [www.lifestylegear.co.nz](http://www.lifestylegear.co.nz) . Using code **APC10** will give all APC members 10% off all products that are not on already on sale.



Check out the range of product at Petroject for Diesel and petrol vehicles. EFI performance products a specialty. Improve acceleration towing performance.

[www.idrivenz.co.nz](http://www.idrivenz.co.nz) <http://petrojectnz.co.nz/>



APCNZ members have access to totally mobile wifi / broadband at NZ's lowest prices with [Discover Net Mobile Broadband](http://www.discover.net.nz/apcnz) Get 5% off with your APCNZ membership. For the purchase of plans and equipment. Please go to [www.discover.net.nz/apcnz](http://www.discover.net.nz/apcnz) to obtain your discount.



## THE GREAT JOURNEYS OF NEW ZEALAND

All Points Camping Club Members receive 10% off NZ Rail Great Journeys of NZ. This includes the Interislander Cook Strait Ferry. <https://www.greatjourneysofnz.co.nz/> 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. The standard processing fee is usually discounted 50%. 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.



Ecogreen – Ecogreen is a NZ based company that has developed a range of Biological cleaning and environmental solutions. Safe for caravan waste and septic tanks. Check out their products online and contact the company direct to purchase at discounted prices. [www.ecogreen.nz](http://www.ecogreen.nz)



With solar energy solutions starting at just \$89 and weighing in at just 300 grams **AT LARGE ENERGY** have got you covered this camping/tramping season. [www.atlargeenergy.co.nz](http://www.atlargeenergy.co.nz)



For quality and affordable roof top tents visit [www.djoutdoor.co.nz](http://www.djoutdoor.co.nz) Bringing you quality and tested products at an affordable price.

**APCNZ member discount applies**

# Have you used your Discount Card yet? If not, you're missing out!



## How does your All Points Camping Club of NZ Member Discount Card Work?

Simply show the supplier account number on the card to the cashier OR enter the promo code listed on the card when ordering online.

Savings vary per product or service. Below are great comments from two discount card holders.



*"I love my vehicles and really appreciate the discounts I get from our local Repco store. They always have everything I need and now cheaper with your card."*

*Matt, Discount Card Holder*

*"It always surprises us what great discounts we receive at PlaceMakers. We never know until we go through the checkout – it's such a nice surprise!"*

*Tony, Discount Card Holder*

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