

NEWSLETTERHot on the Scent

January 2020

Happy New Year and Best Wishes to everyone.

I hope everyone's hunters are back in work after their break and you have been enjoying this great riding weather.

Our Sunday Rides have now sadly come to an end for this season but what a great success they all were, a huge thank you to all the hosts and to all the riders who supported them.

NZHA Audit of the Kaipara Hunt Kennels 23 January 2020. This takes place every 2 years, two senior members of the NZHA management team will inspect the kennels. The headings in the inspection

1 Legal Aspects, 2 Identification of Hounds, 3 Hound Accommodation, 4 Flesh house (killing area), 5 Hound health and husbandry, 6 whelping Facilities, 7 kennel records, and generally how we present our kennels to the outside world.

A working Bee was held on Saturday, a huge thanks to all that helped.

Bonanza Trek 24/26 January at Matheson Family Farm at Helena Bay. places are filling fast. Just a reminder to all Kaipara Hunt members that many hands make light work, this is one of our major fundraisers so help out where you can.

KUMEU SHOW: We are really struggling to get enough people to help this weekend 14/15 March. The \$10,000 that we make from manning the gates for two days is way to good a fundraiser to loose. It is nobody's fault that it clashes with other events but if you cannot attend and there is any chance you could send somebody in our place please consider it. We will loose this fundraiser if we don't keep to our commitment. Please as a member of Kaipara Hunt don't let this be someone else's problem.

Call Inga 021 434 004

Opening hunt will be on the 29th March at Mike and Karen Smales off Golden Stairs Road at Maungaturoto. The card is slowly coming together.

Looking forward to seeing everyone at the trek.

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Bits and Bobs

TREK HELPERS NEEDED

We would appreciate if members can bring some baking along for the trek lunches and dinners. If anyone can help with set up from 1pm on Friday, and pack up on Sunday that would be great! We will need the usual help at meal times, so please let us know when you can help, there will be a roster.

THE HOUNDS

Hounds are working up well with 3 new entrants showing promise and the older hounds going well. The Northern Districts Hound Show is being held at Pio Poi, King Country on 3rd April and we will be taking a few hounds there. Can't wait for season to start!!

Go Hare

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Subs 2019/2020 were actually due in August 2019, please make sure these are paid asap, see attached renewal/membership form

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HELP NEEDED



URGENT! We need your help please!

To volunteer at the Kumeu Show 2020. A great weekend, food & good company provided. Please contact Inga with your availability to help with our big annual hunt fundraiser, We need to put the roster together ASAP call Inga 021 434 004

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