



# ANNUAL REPORT

2018 - 2019

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### **BIRKDALE BEACH HAVEN COMMUNITY PROJECT INC**

# **Statement of Financial Position For the Year Ended 30 June 2019**

	Note	2019	2018
		\$	\$
Assets			
Current Assets			
ASB Bank Accounts	3	215,245	107,922
Accounts Receivable	3	10,179	76,672
Prepayments	3	807	1,146
Total Current Assets		226,231	185,739
Non Current Assets			
Fixed Assets	4	17,805	20,413
TOTAL ASSESTS		244,036	206,153
Liabilities			
Current Liabilities			
Creditors and Accruals	5	12,267	8,512
Employee: Provision for Wages/Holiday Pay	6	11,578	11,090
Kids Holiday Programme in Advance	7	1,902	5,087
Grants not yet Utilised	8	55,836	50,912
GST	9	523	2,610
Total Liabilities		82,106	78,212
TOTAL ASSETS LESS TOTAL LIABILITIES (Net Assets)		161,930	127,941
Accumulated Funds	10	161,930	127,941

Chairman: Abull
Date: 19/9/19

Treasure Date:

isurer: 20/9/10

### **BIRKDALE BEACH HAVEN COMMUNITY PROJECT INC**

## **Statement of Financial Performance For the Year Ended 30 June 2019**

Barrager	Note	2019	2018
Revenue		\$	\$
Providing Goods and Services	1	308,961	345,165
Donations, Fundraising and other similar revenue	1	3,656	1,284
Fee, subscriptions and other revenue from members	1	-	-
Interest, Dividends and other investment revenue	1	161	103
Total		312,778	346,552
Expenses			
Volunteer and employee related costs	2	179,552	204,179
Costs related to public fundraising	2	191	2,488
Costs related to providing goods or services	2	82,223	74,795
Other expenses	2	16,825	13,213
Total		278,791	294,675
Profit/(Deficit)		33,989	51,877



# our vision

People in Birkdale Beach Haven, Feel Connected and Valued "We Belong here | Nō konei ake tātou "

# our mission

To create the space for the community to flourish through

Celebrating Diversity
Connectedness
Navigation
Lifelong learning
Building belonging

### CHAIRPERSON'S REPORT 2019

Tēnā koutou katoa

On behalf of the Birkdale Beachhaven Community Project Board, welcome to our Annual General Meeting.

The Board has had an opportunity to further embed its understanding of its role and has enjoyed a collegial and productive year.

One of the highlights of the year was the specific consideration of the Kids@134 Holiday Programme and revisiting the intent and unique space that this programme delivers for the community. The Board spent a lot of time examining the values of the BBCP, the offering of the programme and how it assists families to manage the challenges that the school holidays can bring. We were delighted to reaffirm our commitment and to welcome Emma to deliver the programme. I would also like to acknowledge the herculean efforts of Carla, Rebecca and Annette who kept the continuity going while we took the time to step back and do this introspection. We are very grateful to you.

Our wonderful staff led by Carla have continued to be the highly dynamic and professional face of the day to day delivery of the Project. The Project has many moving parts, and without the sincere dedication that all the team bring to their roles in enabling the community to connect, the community houses would not be the thriving portals of activity that we see today.

One of our key challenges this year has been to proactively and constructively engage with the Council about the status and future of 136 Birkdale Road. We have greatly appreciated the support of the Kaipatiki Local Board in making sure that as key stakeholders we are given the opportunity to discuss this important facility.

It is important that we acknowledge the essential support of our volunteers, without whom our offering to the community would be severely diminished. Catherine Harris continues to be a capable and effective Volunteer Manager and under her guidance both the volunteers and the operation of the facilities flourish. Our sincere thanks to you all.

Phil Walker - Counsellor Anya Black - Massage Marilyn Sheerer -Psychotherapist Mariana Torkington - Art Therapy Simon Tennant -**Psychotherapist** Te Wānanga O Aotearoa Level 2 and 4 Te Reo Classes Te Puna cooking – people living with Mental health in the community East Tamaki Health care diabetes support classes **BBCP** Board meetings Beginners Ukulele Mixed Media Art classes Qi-gong Anya Black - Russian Drama Zero Waste Management Diabetes Self-Management -Comprehensive Health Boomerang Bags Russian play group ANNN - English Circle Spanish for preschool Spanish playgroup Voyage of Self Discovery Youth place making Hui ANNN - Nowruz - Iranian New Year Celebration Matariki Multi Cultural Meal Dancing in the dark

Korean Presbyterian Church Ember - Exercise Class Ember -Craft Class Line Dancing UFO"S and there spiritual mission Multi Media for kids Narcissist be gone - Women **Empowerment** Ember Services - ABEO monthly supervision meeting Ember services - Beach Haven Group - Monthly Supervision meeting Miriam craft class Vigil - Christchurch shooting Friends of Shepherds Park Conscious women's circle Indonesian Muslim weekly Pray group Vatakano monthly meeting Manasi Gupta - women's nurturing workshop **BBCP AGM** Pest Free - Kaipatiki Osho Meditation 60's plus Head Hands and Heart afternoon tea 60 plus head hands and Heart high tea Before school checks -Plunket U3A meetings KLB staff members meeting





# our community house 90

Scrabble HUGG - Haven Ukulele and **Guitar Group** Bridge Club Haumaru Housing - Budgeting Course **Band Practice** Community Cuppa and catch up French Intermediate French Advanced Hand Crafts Guitar - weekly Jam session 60's Plus **ELC Training Group** Yogilates Friday Yoga Birkdale Beach Haven Hand Crafters Yoga Haven Northcote Labour LEC Pilates with Kate Saynor Community Eats - Community Food bank Navel Parents playgroup Oranga Tamariki Family Group Meetings Baravi Koula meetings Birkdale Beach Haven networking meetings Settlement meeting **NEST Antenatal Classes** N7 Police Art and Oils

Water colour Art Class

Baravi Koula - health checks

Peggy squares

Adult - Mandala Art Classes Kids – Mandala Art Classes Art special abilities Group School Holidays Art workshop Staff and Volunteer meetings Legacy Group Man Up Joy's Art Class Matariki Meetings Starting at 60 meeting Yoga - for those living with chronic pain One on One Yoga Mothers support group Zero waste Kaipatiki meeting Births Deaths and Marriages -Weddings October - April North Shore Community House Managers meeting Refugees as Survivors Counselling Marie - Private Counselling Newcomers meetings Mums and Bubs Pilates **Embroidery Group** Little Polyglots -Polish playgroup Little Polyglots - Polish Language Kauri Kids Interviews French - Laurence - beginners Helena – workshops Helena Te Aika - Integrated Counselling Retinal Screening - DHB

Ear Nurse - DHB Diabetes Nurse - DHB None of this would be possible without our funding partners and we extend our warm gratitude to the following;

- Kaipatiki Local Board for their enduring and authentic relationship, we are also most grateful for the regular presence of Adrian Tyler at our board meetings.
- Birkenhead Licencing Trust for their overwhelming vote of confidence in what we deliver through their funding this year, we look forward to a continuing productive partnership
- Lotteries for their continuing acknowledgement of our value proposition to the community in stewarding their funding

Our community is constantly changing and the rate of that change appears to be accelerating. As a Board we have endeavoured to be responsive to that change and the needs of the community. The BBCP is a vibrant, dynamic and welcoming model of how to enable community outcomes and is poised to build significantly on its successes.

On behalf of the Board I thank you all for your contributions and wish the new Board well with its place in the ongoing journey of the BBCP.

### SUZANNE VOWLES

Chairperson



### PROJECT MANAGER - COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT REPORT 2019

Many happy times have been had at the Houses over 2018/2019 years, many memories made, things learnt, problems shared and connections made. Both houses host a variety of classes, events and courses with such diversity catering for all the community.

I thank all people involved in the project for offering volunteer time to support our people and our community to feel part of the houses. More people are walking in - for information, to have a cuppa or because they need support - than ever have before. I believe our number one job is to support, connect and to refer these people on and many are coming back on a regular basis to check in.

It's a pleasure to work with our operations team and late 2018 we welcomed Rebecca Shrubshall as the Events, Programming and Promotions Coordinator to the team. Rebecca hit the ground running and is doing well in this role. Thank you Annette for your passion for the project!

This year Birkdale House welcomed 12,124 people and was booked for 3,691 hours. Beach Haven House welcomed 11,048 people and was booked for 2,057 hours. This is a total growth of 6.3% in people using the houses.

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VOLUNTEER



Each and every volunteer brings diverse skills, a drive to give back and to create a sense of belonging in our community. We offer volunteering tailored to suit each individual to ensure that the most is achieved from their time with us. We are truly thankful for the time donated to BBCP through volunteering and we could not achieve what we are and do without this support.

A special thanks to Catherine our volunteer; volunteer Coordinator. Her commitment to this role is amazing and her ability to ensure the process of volunteering is following through is second to none which ensures we offer positive volunteering experiences.

### MEET THE OPERATIONS TEAM

Carla van Walen – Project Manager – Community Engagement



Community development is embedded in my soul! It is my privilege to lead such an amazing, forward focused, dynamic organisation which stays true to its core values. No day is ever the same and you never know what is around the corner. I love having the opportunity to support the growth of great people and give them the opportunity to flourish in a supported environment which suits their needs.

Annette Herman - Administration



Being able to help support a Community has never been so rewarding, whether the support is through House Hosting or as an Administrator, my role is so diverse and you get to meet so many interesting people every day, you never know who's going to walk through the door. I get to work alongside so many amazing Volunteers and staff members who have taught me so much and made me the person I am today.

**Rebecca Shrubshall** – Events, Programming and promotions



I am proud to be a part of the extraordinary team of staff and volunteers at BBCP. Growing up nearby and now living and working in Birkdale and Beach Haven, I have a strong sense of belonging, whanaungatanga to where I am, and the wonderful people here. It is truly a privilege, and I love being involved in extending a warm welcome, manaakitanga, to guests and regular visitors and helping to bring people together so that they have opportunities to have great experiences and hopefully come to regard this as their special place too.

**Emma Wingrove** – Lead Supervisor – Kids at #134 Holiday programme



I have the pleasure of sharing the school holidays with a fantastic bunch of children from our community. Every day is an adventure when you spend it with children and they always keep me on my toes. I love spending this time with them and ensuring they have a safe and enriching time away from school.

### BIRKUALE SENSORY CARDEN

The pride of Birkdale House. The garden is for all the community to enjoy and has specific areas developed to stimulate the senses. We thank Kauri Kids Birkdale, Birkdale Primary, New Dawn Partnership, John and Cherry as well as our community gardening crew for supporting the "growth" of the garden. We also thank Birkenhead Licensing Trust for funding this project! Watch out stage 2 is in the planning.

### AUCKLAND NORTH NEW COMERS NETWORK.

The Newcomers Network is about creating an inclusive community where all meet around a common appreciation of living together in a peaceful environment. It is a pleasure working with Laure and watching all of the exciting projects unfold to support our diverse communities.

### HEAD HAND AND HEARTS

In partnership with Haumaru Housing, it is a pleasure to offer the 60+ community opportunities to socialise though Kai, entertainment and connections.





**BIRKDALE SENSORY GARDEN** 

SENSORY GARDEN RIBBON CUTTING



480
FOOD BOXES
GIFTED

Thanks to Kerryn, Sally and Sudipta for their time volunteering for Community Eats. This programme is 100% volunteer run with all food donated through Kiwi Harvest and community donations. So many valuable connections are made through people collecting food boxes on a weekly basis.

### community pantry

A place where people gift food and where people take food. It's a simple concept; GIVE | TAKE | RESPECT.

### KIUS AT #134

An affordable, fun and unique holiday programme for all in the community to enjoy, offering supportive employment to our local rangatahi. We pride ourselves on our ability to offer the kids the opportunity to lead their play and our team supports their ideas and allows them to flourish. Emma has stepped into the role of Lead Supervisor and is taking the programme from strength to strength.

### AUCKLAND COUNCIL AND KAIPATIKI LOCAL BOARD

**Adrian Tyler** has been the local board representative for the past two years and has offered us valuable support! Helping us navigate the systems to gain some great outcomes.

**Marilyn Kelly** – Auckland Council Community places advisor. It a pleasure working with Marilyn; meeting on a monthly basis and creating a North Shore team within the community house managers. This has created valuable support networks. Marilyn supported the Kaipatiki Team to host the Auckland Wide community places hui. Here it was obvious the great relationships we had within the centres and how we work together to complement each other.

### FINANCIAL

We have worked hard this year to stay within our budgets and have been successful! A positive bottom line allows us to have a contingency fund to ensure a strong financial future. With great thanks to Leanne and Annette for their commitment, accuracy and support. Also thanks to Lisbeth in her role as treasurer.

### CRANTS

We are very thankful to the **Kaipatiki Local Board** for their ongoing support for Celebrating Communities and the Matariki Kapa Haka Festival. Each of these events are so important for connecting with our diverse communities.

**Auckland Council** - Nga mihi for the ongoing operational funding. We are accountable for this funding and provide monthly Statistical reports and Quarterly Operational reports as well as ensuring that we are compliant with health and safety.

**Birkenhead Licensing Trust** – The Trustees understand and see the importance of community and we thank Marilyn and Stuart for taking the time to come and meet with the team; to hear our story; why each member invests their time into BBCP and what differences we are making in the community. This year the trust invested in operational funding and capital purchases.

Thanks to **COGS** for operational funding



**BBCP SPEAK UP MORNING TEA** 

### community development

One of BBCP's key roles in the community is to ensure people feel connected and valued. To ensure we are connected with the community, we continue to develop relationships with key stakeholders who, in turn, connect with us if they have clients in need. May it be in the form of a blanket and jacket drive, parents struggling to put clothing on their kids' backs or families that

have nothing, BBCP is here and has gained the trust of the community to take the role of Kaitiaki in many forms.

### EVENTS

We have developed an events calendar to ensure we are providing high class, relevant and well attended events that fit our strategic vision.



### CELEBRATING COMMUNITIES.



In March each year, BBCP empowers and supports the community to come alive with events, classes and courses. This year 29 events were hosted by a great variety of community groups and around 2,200 people attended, and all events provided our community with opportunities to socialise. These events involved the whole community, allowing different groups to showcase themselves. Celebrating Communities also enabled BBCP to strengthen and extend its relationship with the community and community groups.

### MATARIKI KAPA HAKA FESTIVAL - BIRKUALE NORTH PRIMARY

Celebrating Matariki in collaboration with local Maori, Schools and Groups, this year's festival showcased 16 local Schools and Early Learning Centres. It was a wonderful celebration with over 920 Tamariki performing, with pride, and over 1000 people watching and supporting. Within the event were opportunities for local schools and groups to share information and fundraise. We are thankful for the help from our local Maori Wardens and involvement from Kuia and Kaumatua.