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Our Community

Age on the Move

Age Concern Horowhenua is on the move. The not for profit organisation has been helping seniors and their whanau in our community since 2001. The team of seven are excited to be moving into fantastic new premises at 526 Queen Street, Levin on 1 July.

Everything they do is 100% free of charge. There's the Community Support and Elder Safety Services, keeping seniors safe, independent, and resilient. The visiting service and an 'Ageing Well' Programme that focuses on social connection with

others in the community. Health Promotions include exercise classes and workshops, complemented by a grocery service, total mobility scheme assessments and pretty much everything to support everyday living needs of senior members in the community.

Age Concern is embarking on a new chapter moving into their new premises. They intend to set up the new building to a standard enabling them to offer the highest quality of service to the senior community. Any donations, no matter how small, will be gratefully accepted and put to very good use. The organisation relies on membership, donations, volunteers, and the kindness of the community to survive. New members and volunteers are always welcome.



For Information visit:

Age Concern Horowhenua

Monday – Friday 9am – 3pm at 14 Durham Street

or from 1 July, 526 Queen Street, Levin.

Phone 06 367 2181

or email admin@ageconcernhoro.co.nz

If you are involved in a not-for-profit community organisation in the Horowhenua or Kapiti area, and would like to use this page, email Frankie Webb on theforge@xtra.co.nz with your day / evening contact details.

Electra's contribution to its community over the past 100 years

Since its inception in 1923, the Horowhenua Electric Power Board, and now Electra, have been actively involved in supporting their communities. The May and June inserts in Caring for our Community, showcase that support.



- Otaki and Levin Horticultural Society donations.
- Reduced charges for Children's Health Camp Otaki plus a donation.
- A&P show prizes, sponsorship, and exhibitor.



- In 1932 prize donated for electric cookery.
- Donation of monetary prize for electric cookery Reikorangi-Waikanae Women's Institute.
- Donation to Manakau Women's Institute Flower Show.



- Board meeting 24 October 1939 re WWI I – "Power Board's Association suggested a uniform scheme in regard to men on active service and the HEPB agreed to fall in line with this. All men who were willing and able to, be returned to their former position; that superannuation payments be paid by the Board; and that leave accumulate"
- 1947 donation to 'Aid for Britain' campaign.

- Donations to staff social club over many of the early years.
- Staff housing 1951 built. By 1956 the HEPB owned 12 houses and one bach.
- HEPB building lit up for the 1953 Coronation.
- 1960 donation to Levin Industries' Promotion Committee for a coloured film of Levin.



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