



# ONEMANA RATEPAYERS ASSOCIATION

PO Box 390  
Whangamata 3643  
ratepayersonemana@gmail.com

## SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING REPORT

The Special General Meeting held on 26 March was well attended with representatives from 27 households plus 22 proxy votes.

### Security Camera

The current objects of the Association do not cover the use of ORA funds for items such as a security camera. However, after some discussion, both for and against the installation of a security camera, the following motions were approved:

That a sub committee consisting of Steve Wilcock, Stephen Bertram, Stan Alder and Graham Squire be appointed to pursue the various options and report back to the AGM.

That a Special General Meeting be held at Labour Weekend to discuss the sub committee's recommendations and to alter the constitution to include property and personal protection.

### Freedom Camping

The main issue was around the policing of the Freedom Campers and the following motion was approved:

That the following people be appointed as monitors of the Freedom Camping bylaws – Diane Perry, Ruhi Pene, Valerie Rapley and Stephen Bertram.

### Community Garden

Following a brief discussion the following motions were passed:

That the establishment of a community garden in Onemana would not proceed.

That the committee pursue the option of the planting of fruit trees and setting up of a garden surplus stall.

### End of Summer Picnic (the event formerly known as the TGTG picnic)

We have received both positive and negative feedback about the end of season picnic. The details of the picnic were sent out with tongue in cheek and in a light-hearted manner and were viewed as such by some people. For those of you who were upset by the wording, we sincerely apologise as we obviously did not set out to offend people. This event has apparently been held in the past and we were resurrecting it as a way of getting people together – obviously we got it wrong.

### Believe it Or Not? Quiz Night Friday 13 May 7 pm at 444 Onemana Drive

Bring a small plate of finger food and whatever you want to drink – tea and coffee provided. Get your team together or come along and make up a team on the night. The quiz will be a simple True/False type quiz. Please RSVP to Anne on (07) 865-8833 by Monday 9 May.

Please note the change of email for the association.

(see top right corner of this notice)