

NEW LYNN BUSINESS ASSOCIATION

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Committee Update

Mini Networking event

Following the findings of the recent NLBA Covid19/Strategy survey, the executive agreed some new actions in the

planning. One of those is to host mininetworking events. In the past month, there have been three events to share results of the findings of the recent survey and to connect business to business. Thank you to Little Treats and Ruby Café for supporting the business networking activity and also to members who have participated. Below are some of the photos of the events:



















Support the NLBA

The executive and management are mindful that our business people are still working through challenging times. Acknowledging our members and associates is important as we understand, that working together to promote New Lynn and to Shop Local are a focus for all of us. The management team have been promoting a Shop Local campaign, this is a result of Covid19 and our strategy to promote to our local trade area. The work that has been underway is based on a premise that our local community are as much a part of us as are the members and the benefits of shopping local are great. These graphics are part of our advertising and promotional plan as is the upcoming Love Local - a social media video promotion of our businesses.



Avondale to New Lynn Shared Path

New Lynn to Avondale shared path underway

The contract for the work has been awarded to Dempsey Wood. The shared path will cost \$44.3m. It is pleasing to see a kiwi business leading the contract. Dempsey Wood and other local businesses contribute directly back to the area through these works.

The New Lynn Business Association is pleased that this also connects business and that the environment aligned to the works are improved. It's a worthy and good piece of infrastructure for locals whilst there have been some disruptions, it has been well worth the wait says Chair Bahti.

Congratulations to all, enjoy the new pathway connecting us as a community.

Official blessing 1st June 2022

Councillor Mulholland attended the morning blessing and opening of the New Lynn Shared Path from New Lynn to Avondale.

The 2.9km path is a joint project between Auckland Transport, NZ Transport Agency, Auckland Council, and Whau Local Board. It will create a continuous shared path linking New Lynn Station, Avondale Station, Waterview Shared Path and the Northwestern Path which runs alongside the Northwestern Motorway.

Councillor Mulholland says that the path will support connections between the two Whau Ward communities

Avondale and New Lynn. "It is a great link between communities, access to the rail



network and an important addition to the walking and cycling paths in Tamaki Makarau."

Councillor Mulholland says that whilst this is an great project she shares an important message; this fantastic walkway and cycleway connecting people belongs to the community, it is the people who have paid for this project. I feel strongly that we need to thank all workers and teams involved but the biggest thanks go to the public for their contribution.









Wolverton culverts project update

The work on the Wolverton culverts replacement project is almost complete. Replacing the two culverts was a massive piece of construction that has taken 2 years to complete.

While infrastructure projects are not often glamorous, they are often vital in keeping cities functioning. This is the case with the culverts project.

Both culverts were well past expected lifespan as Culvert 1 was constructed in 1984 and Culvert 2 in 1968. The design of the replacement culverts will ensure they are much more robust and better able to cope with predicted climate changes and severe weather events.

The viewing platform looking over Culvert 2 is still to be restored along with

some planting around the area.

Auckland Transport would like to thank the residents and road users of Wolverton Street for their patience during the construction of the culverts. The road is expected to be back to normal within 2-3 weeks.







New recycled trolleys at New World New Lynn

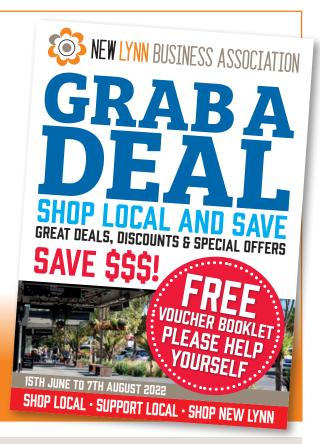
New World New Lynn are doing their bit to push for a more sustainable world, and to continue to provide innovation for their customers, with the introduction of brand new trolleys made from recycled milk bottles.

The large 180L trolleys are made from 152 milk bottles and smaller 90L trolleys are made from 74 milk bottles. These trolleys are 30% lighter and easier to manoeuvre than the previous models. They also offer health & safety benefits for customers when pushing them around the store and for staff carpark managers during collection.



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