



Akatarawa Forest Weekly Event Calendar Friday 28 May 2010



Date	Organisation	Contact	Vehicles	Activities	Areas to be used
1. Saturday 29 May	Wellington Family 4x4 Club	Ash Ansell	10 x 4WD	Club Trip	Valley View Rd, Clarkes Creek, Airstrip Drive, Woolshed Rd, McGhies Bridge, Deadwood Ridge, Titi Rd, Perhams Rd, Whakatiki Rd, Hydro Valley, Hydro Rd, Rimu Rd, Pram Track, ToiToi, Clearys Rd, Puketiro Rd, Cooks Rd, Bulls Run Rd
2. Sunday 13 June (to be confirmed)	Featherston Family 4x4 Club	Rod Lonsdale	10 x 4WD	Club Trip	Valley View Rd, Woolshed Rd, McGhies Bridge, Hydro Valley, Pram Track
3. Sunday 13 June (to be confirmed)	Cross Country Vehicle Club	Charles Odlin/Stewart Burrell	10 x 4WD	Forest Refresher Tour	Valley View Rd, Clarkes Creek, Airstrip Drive, Woolshed Rd, McGhies Bridge, Deadwood Ridge, Titi Rd, Perhams Rd, Whakatiki Rd, Hydro Valley, Hydro Rd, Rimu Rd, Pram Track, ToiToi, Clearys Rd, Puketiro Rd, Cooks Rd, Bulls Run Rd
4. Saturday 26 & Sunday 27 June (to be confirmed)	Kapiti Car Club	Bruce Sollitt	Approx 30 x Cars	High Speed Motorsport Event	Valley View Rd

Firewood

Consent for the Use of Property to Collect Firewood – Akatarawa Forest

Date	Personnel	Vehicle
Saturday 29 – Sunday 30 May	Michael Keay Paul Bretheron	Land cruiser ESW840 4WD YP9748

Would all holders of firewood permits ensure they carry their permit with them. There have been reports of unauthorised removal of firewood and Rangers will be inspecting permits in future.

Commercial Firewood

Personnel	Vehicle
Bart Krynan	Blue Daihatsu, CKY296
J and B Jones	Nissan ATD423, Isuzu ECD982, Toyota ZN4025
Sofala Fiu	Toyota Van DHG658
Alan Barrett	Toyota Hi-Lux XF2135
Stephan Barrett	Daihatsu small truck LS6195
Kieran Nelson	Toyota Hi-Lux TO8932 or NAZ703
Kevin Turley	Ford Explorer CBZ 238
Alan Gray	FAQ2150
Kane Russo	Ute LILJEN
Lance Guthrie	Mitsubishi OB4481 & Toyota FJ40 YAK1
Brent Mitchell & David Forman	Hilux RC9148, Hilux FDD 642
Patrick Armstrong	Ford TC2324, CJP909
Jamie Denzel	Nissan Narava, PF6969
Paul Jones	ISUZU Tip Truck, TM656

Parks

Akatarawa Forest Block

- **Tobins Limited** – Pylon maintenance (blasting and painting) will be carried out during the year (weather dependant) by Tobin's Ltd. Vehicles and crew will be entering and exiting Maungakotukutuku gate
- **Akatrack Wellington** – walk concessionaire will be operating in the Akatarawa Forest. Walkers will enter Karapoti, Hukinga Valley and exit Cederholm Creek
- **Electrix Limited** – is working in conjunction with United Group on the Pylons off Hydro Road
- **Police dog training school** – will be ongoing on the roads within the Valley View area, Valley View Forest

Puketiro Forest Block

- **United Group/Tobins Limited** – Line maintenance (blasting and painting) will be carried out during the year (weather dependant) by Tobin's Ltd. Vehicles and crew will be entering Cooks Rd, Puketiro Rd and exiting Cooks Rd
- **Adjoining Land Owner** – Graham Peck will be accessing private property via Cooks Rd and Puketiro Rd
- **B Hall** – Tractor/haymaker access to Dude Ranch via Bulls Run Rd for haymaking
- Log 5 moving to 17.1km (just west of Hydro Road) early next week.

Please have all consent forms in before 3pm Wednesday

Plantation Forestry

Valley View Forest

- Log 36, Boiler Gully 10.5 Lindsay's Road working as ground based crew
- Log 6 at 7.0km Valley View Road working Maori Redoubt north side only
- **Road works Valley View Road week beginning 31 May**

Puketiro Forest

Hukinga Forest

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Whakatikei Forest

- Silvicultural crew working
- **Some commercial firewood contractors are now using large trucks-take care during weekends**

We have had complaints from the logging truck drivers about opposing heavy vehicles.

Please ensure all heavy vehicles entering Valley View are advised of the logging truck movements.

We have had incidents of vandalism to contractors gear. Please be alert for unauthorised personnel within the forest blocks.

The speed limit in the forest is 30kph – please ensure that you obey this limit. Not all vehicles are equipped with radios – drive to stop in half the distance ahead.

All vehicles MUST give way to loaded logging trucks



Pakuratahi Forest Weekly Event Calendar Friday 28 May 2010



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Commercial Firewood	
Personnel	Vehicle
Bart Krynan	Blue Daihatsu CKY296
Ian Wate	Mazda (brown) UN1268

Please have all consent forms in before 3pm Wednesday

Parks

Pakuratahi Forest Block

- **Police dog training school** – will be using the Maymorn forest for ongoing training entering and exiting via Gabities
- **Horse riding ongoing** – route through Maymorn, Tunnel Gully, Station Drive, Kaitoke Hill Track and Pylon Loop Track
- **Rimutaka Incline Railway Heritage Trust** – Will be using the Maymorn gate to access private land

Plantation Forestry

Pakuratahi Forest East

- Silvicultural crew working

Mangaroa Forest

Akatarawa Forest map
<http://www.gw.govt.nz/how-to-get-there/>

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