



Akatarawa Forest Weekly Event Calendar Friday 6 August 2010



Date	Organisation	Contact	Vehicles	Activities	Areas to be used
1. Saturday 21 & Sunday 22 August	Cross Country Vehicle Club	Ian Dixon	15 x 4WD	4WD Club trip	Valley View Rd, Airstrip Drive, McGhies Bridge, Perhams Rd, Whakatiki Rd, Hydro Valley, Hydro Rd, Rimu Rd, Pram Track, ToiToi, Clearys Rd, Puketiro Rd, Cooks Rd, Bulls Run Rd
2. Sunday 22 August	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 7 – 8 Sunday August	Mike Keay	Toyota Landcruiser, ESW840

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
Frank Tyson	WA2737 Daihatsu Delta

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

Please have all consent forms in before 3pm Wednesday

Plantation Forestry

Valley View Forest

- Log 36, harvest at Boiler Gully 10.7 Lindsay's Road completed – loading out last of stocks
- Log 36 crew moving to Maori Redoubt turn off at 7km Valley View road with the large hauler.
- Log 6 moved to 6.5km Valley View Road (east Airstrip Drive) working as a ground based crew.
- Planting Valley View
- **Please stay off Lindsay's Road past the kilometre road junction. Road very soft and wet.**

Puketiro Forest

- Machinery moving over next week to prepare skids in Centre South
- Log 36 moves on completion of Maori Redoubt harvest
- Roadworks on Battle Hill loop track

Hukinga Forest

Whakatikei Forest

- Silvicultural crew working

Spicer Forest

- Orienteering event Saturday 22 August
- **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 6 August 2010



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

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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

Mangaroa Forest

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

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