



June 2024

LUNCH WITH DAME THERESA GATTUNG - “Breaking the Glass Ceiling”

The funding team is hard at work organising a lunch with Dame Theresa Gattung. With Dame Theresa’s experience as a CEO, Chair of Boards, entrepreneur, philanthropist and in investment, Theresa has recently launched a professional matchmaking service, this is one lunch you won’t want to miss.

We are currently finalising the details. However, the date will be Sunday 15 September. Mark it in your calendar now, we will let you know more once everything is finalised so you can get priority on buying your tickets.

AFTERNOON TEA WITH JO MCCARROLL- if you’re planning to go to this event, please do not hold off getting your tickets as past experience has shown that they go fast. Our last Garden Party was sold out several weeks prior to the event and we had a waiting list.

Tickets are on sale at the Arts Junction, either pop in and buy them or you can purchase tickets online from the Arts Junction website. Many thanks once again to Katch Katikati support.

ABBEYFIELD WBOP - ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

Thursday 25 July, 2.00p.m. At the Community Centre in Beach Road, Katikati

OUR GRATEFUL THANKS TO OUR VOLUNTEERS

Firstly thank you to Melva and Mikayla who are on our funding team. They do an enormous amount of work with Natasja, who is on the Abbeyfield Committee and is the team leader of the funding group. These three not only dream up the fundraising ideas but as they work with a nil budget, must find the resources and

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finances to run the events. And they drag their husband/partner along to help us on the day of the events our thanks to them too.

Thank you to Pauline, Elizabeth and Helen for running a stall at the KatiKati Plant and Produce Market every Friday and at Waihi Beach Saturday Farmers Market over the summertime. Pauline and Elizabeth not only make all the produce for the stall but also attend the Friday KatiKati Market rain or shine. Our thanks also to Theo who grows a huge amount of the fruit and veggies to make the products for the market. Also thank you to people who donate jars, their excess fruit and veggies.

A very special thank you to the team of people who volunteer to help at our events and activities. We have a list of people who have put their name forward on numerous occasions. Your support and help are vital to ensure that the fundraising events run smoothly and all the tasks that need to be done are achieved.

Also, thanks to Lynda Smyth who spend an amazing number of hours with the Funding team organising the Afternoon Tea Part in mid-February. She also roped in her family and friends to help and our thanks to them too.

Thank you to the Abbeyfield WBoP Committee Members for their time and continued commitment from the beginning to where we are today. They are an amazing team, always ready to step up and undertake what is required to make things happen. When they say they will do something they do.

We have only achieved what we have because of the many people who step up to help us when we need help. It's because we have had such amazing support that we are able to progress our build. There are so many of you it would be a huge list if we were to name you all, however, please accept our thanks we would not be where we are today if not from everyone who gives their time and skills. Thank you.

Please don't hesitate to contact Natasja or I should you have any questions, suggestions, ideas for fundraisers or would like to know more of our progress.

THE BUILD

Tenders have now closed and we are waiting to hear who the successful tender will be. Meanwhile we are busy raising the small shortfall.

Warmest regards to you all.

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A STAKE IN ABBEYFIELD



Having bought our section on Wills Road, KatiKati and raised \$3 Million, we are left with a small shortfall of \$280,000. You can help us raise the final amount we need by having a Stake in Abbeyfield.

A group of well-known KatiKati Artists have created the stakes all beautifully painted to go into the Abbeyfield Garden.

For a \$5,000 donation or more, you can have your name or company name on your preferred Stake. Ask one of the team members about the Stake in Abbeyfield project and we can show you the Stakes.

Six Stakes have now been sponsored.

Can you please help us achieve our goal and sponsor a Stake in Abbeyfield?
Or if you prefer to donate big or small, it all helps us to achieve our funding target.

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<p>To make an online donation for your Stake or to donate:</p> <p>Abbeyfield WBoP Kiwibank: 38-9019-0720156-00</p>	<p>Please use your name as the Reference</p>	<p>Email treasurerabbeyfieldwbop@gmail.com With your details. We can send you a Tax Receipt and contact you to discuss your preferred Stake and the Name to go on the Stake.</p>
<p>If you prefer to make a cash donation, please talk to one of the Team or contact Peter, Treasurer at treasurerabbeyfieldwbop@gmail.com or Carole, Chairperson at abbeyfieldwbop.chair@gmail.com or phone 02745 79686</p>		

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