



# Algies Bay Residents and Ratepayers Association

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## December 2022 Newsletter

Summer has arrived and we're all looking forward to spending time at the bay doing all those things we enjoy. One of those things is the New Year BBQ as shown in the photo above.



### Annual Breakfast BBQ

The annual breakfast BBQ will be held on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> January starting from 8.30am on the beach reserve, weather permitting.

Should the weather be unsuitable for this event, then a notice will be posted on the reserve along with email advice to people currently on our list. (If you do not receive our email notifications, contact: [admin@algiesbay.co.nz](mailto:admin@algiesbay.co.nz) to be added).

Please remember to bring your own plates, utensils, cups, seating etc. for the breakfast BBQ. If you have friends/family visiting, bring them along.

The band will be in attendance again.

Come along and mix and mingle and enjoy the facilities we have here in Algies Bay.

This event is put on by the Algies Bay Residents & Ratepayers Assn, and we couldn't do it without our sponsors:

Anna Carmichael, New World Warkworth  
Wayne Atkins, Mahurangi Marine  
Sarah Howlett, Harcourts  
Jennian Homes  
Rushworth Café, Wynyard Quarter

A gold coin donation would be welcome.

A Membership Subscription table will be set up for those wanting to pay their \$10 for the 2022/23 period.

### Security around the Bay

As a follow-on from our email notification last week regarding the undesirable happenings experienced over the last few months, we strongly recommend everyone follows good security practices around their homes.

Last week the sign at Highfield Garden Reserve was cut down and removed. Thankfully the Police located the sign and are dealing with the offenders. After some repairs, the sign will be reinstalled.

If you witness any strange or unacceptable behaviour, we recommend you don't approach but report to the Police by dialing 111.

## **ABRRA AGM 2023**

The Annual General Meeting is to be held on Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> April at the Betty Paxton Room, Mahurangi Community Centre, Snells Beach, starting at 10am.

Representatives from Auckland Council and the Rodney Local Board will be attending.

We encourage all residents to attend as it's an opportunity to hear about the past and future year's activities planned.

If you would like to become an active member of the Algies Bay Residents & Ratepayers Assn, we will be looking for someone to take over the role of secretary. Nomination forms will be circulated closer to the AGM.

Refreshments will be provided at the conclusion of the AGM.

## **Dogs on Beach and Reserve over Summer**

If you are unsure of Auckland Council's current dog rules, [Click Here](#) to access their user friendly browser to find out where and when you can walk your dog.



## **Etiquette on the Reserve, Ramp and Beach**

To keep the Bay and beach a safe area for children and adults alike, we encourage

everyone to be mindful when using these public spaces.

- Be careful when using vehicles on the beach (eg: no hooning).
- Patience on the boat ramp, especially during the busy times.
- Ramp only to be used for launching/retrieving of boats. All other preparations to be done in parking zones away from ramp.
- No parking in the bay beside the BBQ, opposite the toilets.
- Keep your speed under 5 knots when motoring between the yellow 5kt buoy and shoreline.
- Be sure to wash down your boats carefully especially if they are left in the water for some time to avoid invasive species, such as Mediterranean fan worm, being transported to other locations.
- No swimming around the ramp where boats are being launched/retrieved.
- No fish carcasses to be thrown overboard near or on the beach.

## **Final Message for 2022**

We wish everyone all the very best for the festive season. Relax and enjoy our wonderful Bay and what it has to offer over summer.

Most of all take care on the roads and water by keeping yourselves and others safe.

