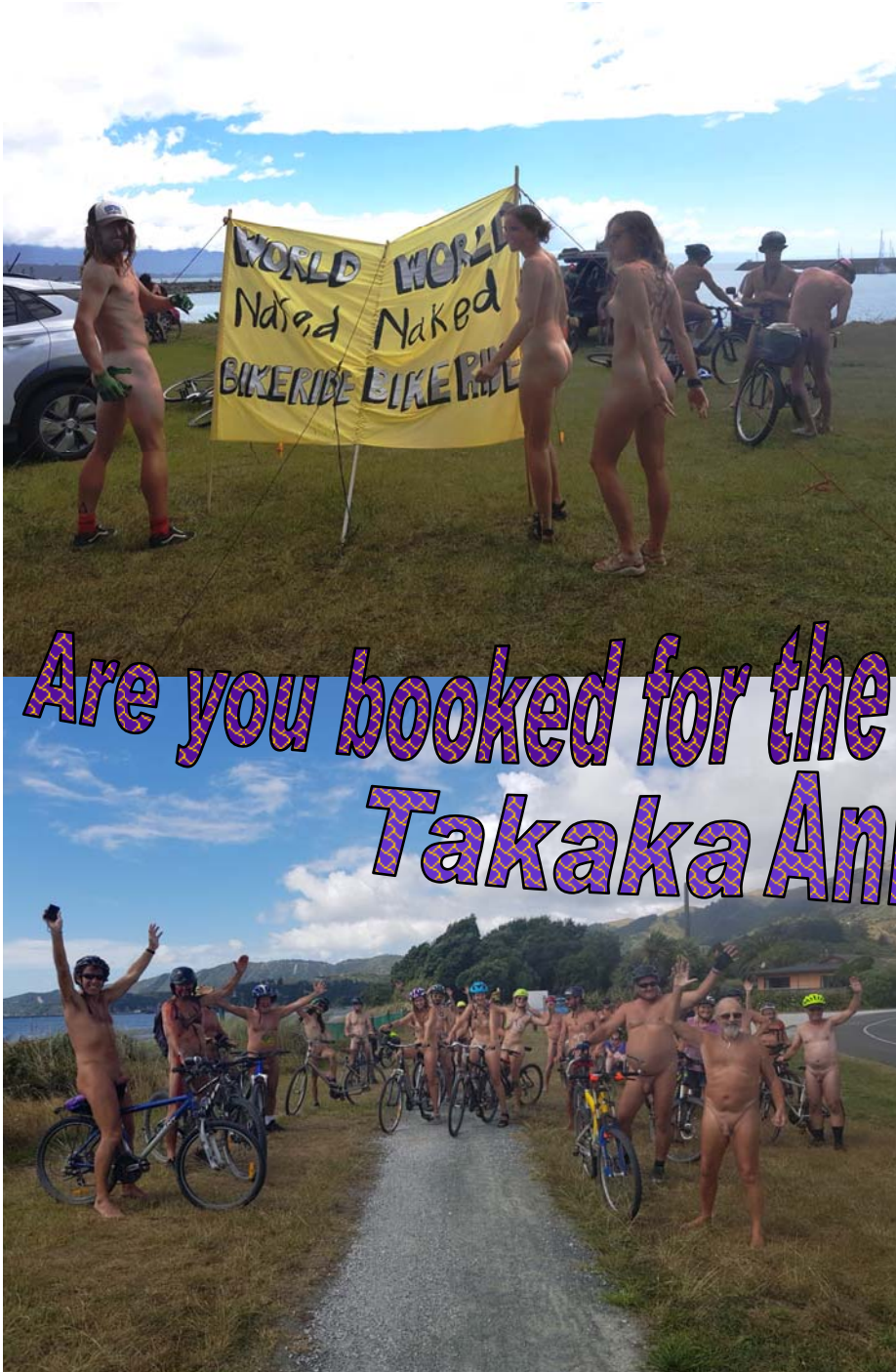




Free Beaches NZ

News from the raw edge!

February - March 2024



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Are you booked for the **20th** Takaka Anniversary Ride?

Sat March 2nd 2024

Preparation

Sun March 3rd 2024

2pm, the RIDE!

See page 9 for *all* the details!



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Would you like to get hold of the free New Zealand Naturist Calendar?

NEW ZEALAND NATURIST FEDERATION



CALENDAR

2024



Each of the month's pages have several photos from a specified club source. However, the Free Beaches page (November) has no more than two people in any picture. It features the top-right picture used on this page. (Can we do better next year?)

This is the dropbox link to the whole calendar - which has 26 A4 landscape pages, in a 60 Mb PDF download!

<https://www.dropbox.com/sc/fi/hpxjhfvlkk3phvlqgrx48/Calendar-High-Quality.pdf?rlkey=q2xv82sij7vs0dnvfxlqwpsnz&dl=0>

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Reminiscing

In mid January it occurred to me that I haven't done my 15-year reminiscence on the state of naturism 'today'. (And, of course, I'm a bit short of copy for this issue!)

It so happens that 15 years ago, I took over the newsletter editorship of our then recently re-named organisation. (The *Free beach Group* had become *Free Beaches NZ* around 2005, after the 'headquarters' had moved from Wellington to Christchurch, and the late Joyce Fleming became President).

My first *Free Beaches* newsletter was published in October 2008, with only two regions mentioned on the events page at the back: Wellington and Christchurch.

Since then we've been able to expand our shores to bring Auckland back (more or less) and include Dunedin. Eventually we became one of the NZ Naturist Federation's members, after on-going debate. In 2020 our society was amalgamated with that of the *NZ Naturists*, previously known as the Federation's 'Supporters Group'.

But apart from a boost of over a hundred with that amalgamation, during most of the decade the Free Beach membership has remained overall, fairly static.

Why is that? I've asked myself from time to time. After we started (in 1975) numbers grew rapidly to around 800 as I recall, after just a few years into the 80s. Well, although it has been pretty patchy, there now seem to be more people in total choosing to do their own thing at the beach - that is; there's not so much perceived need to join anything, to go to a 'free' beach! After all we have over 300 possible venues listed on our website.

That said, a vital purpose of our being is to let both the public and the police on the beat know of the 'rules'! In the early '80s the NZ tabloids especially, would routinely publish pictures like this one.



In 1981 the new Summary Offences Act did a couple of useful things: it removed any forensic difference between the genders (so females cannot be prosecuted for simply being 'topless' in public) and it backed off 'exposure of the person' (which only applied to males).

However, in this country there's still no official promulgation of these subtleties; we still have to discover these changes the hard way: by low level court convictions being overturned by better paid layers! For that reason, in my view by far the most important legal change we've ever had, is Andrew Cook's successful effort to 'sell' the UK's recent police guidelines, for dealing with cases of public nudity; to our very own Police Commissioner, Andrew Coster, last year. But our 'new' Commis-



St Leonards - in its heyday

sioner has promulgated those guidelines to the rank and file police on the beat, here! At last we've potentially eliminated that notorious gap between the law and the lore!

Another factor is the appearance of various naturist niches around the country, including things like the World Naked Bike Ride events - although until last year, nearly all of them occurred in the South Island. This year Takaka celebrates its 20th ride, following its establishment by Victoria Davis. The first NI event at Papamoa Beach occurred around 2012, but fizzled out after two or three attempts, largely due to press-supported antagonism from some Tauranga locals.

But now it looks like it may be possible to establish a North Island tradition at the Waihi Beach township; again due to the diligent work of Andrew Cook, of Hauraki Naturally - a new web-based naturist niche near Ngatea.



In the Far North there are several naturist home-stays but despite a number of attempts, no one has been able to afford land to establish a Federation-style club anywhere around Whangarei. (Maybe it's also due to the 'relaxed attitude' there, in combination with the availability of accessible beaches and rivers and the traditional Maori attitude to body-agency, that 'hold sway' in the Far North...)



Indeed, it has been the ability to obtain land by most clubs until the early 80s - always with a lot of hard work on the part of the members - that has allowed this country to maintain a viable naturist population even though the federation of clubs is now down to about 17, owning their own land.

In the South Island, on the other hand the Alpine Lakes club (with no land of its own) which has been an effective mainstay of the southernmost Free Beach region, largely centred around Waitai and Warrington Beach.

Another of the niche venues for naturism are various annual festivals around the country - a notable one being *Kiwi-Burn* held on a property near Marton toward the end of each January, between the Auckland and Wellington Anniversary weekends.



These sorts of events are the ones where young people make it evident that naturism is not dead among youth! But maybe the cost of joining a 'main club' these days, could be restricting youth membership, in particular...

Am I right, approximately? What do you think?

What changes to 'naturism' could help, do *you* think? (JL)



A Comfort of Naturists



A collection of thoughts on nudity, naturism and society's difficulty in accepting people with a clothing-optional philosophy

Training the AI.

If we don't do it, nobody will, and that might make things worse.

There seems to have been a change recently on the Bluesky platform. When I joined Bluesky in September 2023, there was (and still is) the facility to label your images before posting them.

There are four settings you can categorise your images as.

Select nothing and it will be considered suitable for all ages, select "Suggestive" for pictures meant for adults, select "Nudity" for artistic or non-erotic nudity or select "Porn" for sexual activity or erotic nudity.

While not perfect, as one person's nudity is another person's pornography, it seemed a good attempt at self-regulation and filtering content others might not want to see.

There was a school of thought amongst some members of the Bluesky nudist community that there was no point labelling their images as there is nothing inherently wrong with simple non-sexual nudity and that adding labels to their image perpetuated the lie that nudity was something to be ashamed of.

I took a more conciliatory approach and decided to label my images so as not to upset any of the more delicate members of the wider Bluesky community. For the system to work best, it required individual users to set their own moderation settings to filter the content they see. Users can choose to hide, warn or show posts that fall under the following categories:-

- Explicit Sexual Images - i.e. pornography
- Other Nudity - Including non-sexual and artistic
- Sexually Suggestive - Does not include nudity
- Violent / Bloody - Gore, self-harm, torture
- Hate Group Iconography - Images of terror groups, articles of events, etc
- Spam - Excessive unwanted interactions
- Impersonation - Accounts falsely claiming to be people or organisations

With regard to the nudity categories, it seems these match reasonably well with the settings available to label images.

I am not sure how Bluesky labels or decides on violence or hate speech; I assume their AI filters scan the content.

All of this seemed to be working smoothly until, around the beginning of December 2023 I posted an image and shortly after, my post had a warning that, "This post has been labelled" - with a link to appeal the decision.

The post was an AI-generated image of a naked couple standing in front of a Christmas tree that I had posted as part of a conversation about how some AI image generators are getting some very simple things wrong like, the number of fingers or arms people have. In this instance, the AI had drawn the female of the couple quite well. The bearded male seemed to have had an unfortunate accident to his genitals which seemed to have been based on female anatomy rather than male, although the scrotum seemed intact.

Before posting the image, I labelled it containing "Nudity (artistic or non-sexual)" as was appropriate.

The irony that an AI algorithm had deemed inappropriate a non-sexual image generated by an AI algorithm did not escape me. I appealed the decision based on the fact that the original image was obviously AI-generated, had been labelled as containing nudity and had no sexual content nor was it explicit or even slightly sexually suggestive.

I have continued to label my Bluesky images according to the options given to me by the platform, and all images that contain a hint of nudity, even images where genitals are not shown, have been tagged by their AI as "labelled," with an option to appeal. Some appeals have been successful but not all.

A number of my naturist connections on the platform had noticed the same messages appearing from similar posts and there were some discussions around what was happening and what could be done about the obvious mislabelling of non-sexual nudity posts.

It was pointed out to me by a fellow Bluesky member, that the images were being relabelled as "This post contains explicit sexual images" and while this is not easily discerned on Bluesky, the Graysky app clearly shows the warning. Graysky is a 3rd party Bluesky client with additional features.

To check the system I posted a simple black and white image of myself working in my garage, with no genitals visible. Sure enough, within a few minutes, the image came up with the "This image has been labelled" warning with the option to appeal. I checked the image on the Graysky application, and there it was, complete with the warning that the post contained explicit sexual images.

Interestingly, since updating the app on my phone, the "Your image has been labelled" no longer appears and the "appeal the decision" button has disappeared into the menu.

If you have your Bluesky moderation settings to warn or hide "Sexually Suggestive" and "Explicit Sexual Images" and to show "Other Nudity" and you label your images appropriately, then any of your images that subsequently show a warning are likely to have been re-categorised.

Bluesky can use whatever system it likes to moderate the platform, while we have to abide by its conditions.

AI needs feedback to refine its effectiveness. If errors are not challenged early on then we risk amplifying these biases and embedding them permanently into their outputs.

It is incumbent on all of us to challenge the AI ranking of our naturist images where they have been labelled explicitly sexual, not just in Bluesky but across all situations where AI is trying to categorise nudity. If we do nothing, then the inability to separate non-sexual nudity from explicit content is perpetuated.

"AI is good at describing the world as it is today with all of its biases, but it does not know how the world should be."

— Joanne Chen

Thank you for reading. Have a comfortable day.

Nudes' awakened!

Brits have nude awakening as six million love getting naked to escape their jobs

WARNING: NUDITY - British Naturism says people are getting their kit off more than ever as getting naked apparently provides a much needed escape from the daily nine to five grind



It's a nude awakening as more Brits than ever just love getting their kit off.

British Naturism, which turns 60 this year, reckons we're increasingly accepting of the lifestyle as society has become more liberal.

And to celebrate their birthday the group challenged members to do 60 activities in the nude – from a 5k run or playing golf to a skydive or taking part in a ropes obstacle course.

Naturists invade Robin Hood's home with 'wobbly bits' on show as swingers plan orgies.

Andrew Welch, at British Naturism, said: "It has an appeal for those who want to get back to nature. Throwing off your clothes, getting naked and jumping into a river is very natural. When I spoke to people about naturism 20 years ago there would be a lot of barriers.

"People love that escape from daily life. It allows them to take themselves out of their nine to five job. As well as being more accepting – there is a healthy proportion of people saying we would like to have a go as well."

More than six million Brits now describe themselves as naturists or nudists, up from 3.7million in 2011, a poll found.

Believe it or not, there are some idyllic beaches in the UK. If you're all about feeling free and at one with nature you might be interested in heading to a nudist beach. There are plenty around Britain to enjoy where you can kick your kit off and dive in the sea unencumbered.

Brits getting naked is also Hollywood royalty, Emma Stone's bag too; it turns out as she's obsessed with X-rated dating show Naked Attraction.

Brendan McFadden 31 DEC 2023

A recent report from ticketing platform Eventbrite, highlighted by British Naturism (BN), indicates a 32% rise in UK visitors to events mentioning 'naked' eg: naked yoga, over the last year. This trend extends beyond the naturist community, suggesting a broader societal shift. Experts link this surge to a growing desire for body acceptance and mental health benefits through nudity. Seen as a rare insight into public attitudes, they suggest further growth in such events.

Textiles' interested!

A few months ago I was emailed by the secretary of a society named All Points Camping NZ. They have a quarterly magazine called Camping the Kiwi Way, that includes various articles on that subject.

They are now considering including the mention of naturist clubs and venues as an alternative to their members' traditional options.

I've had a look at their site: www.campingthekiwiway.org and it does indeed have a wide range of places to try! It also categorises the various places in a way that is designed to clarify the type of campers most likely appreciate their time there. Then there are articles from various visitors with their personal experience of their time at that particular venue.

Well, it seems to me that here's a potential source of visitors at least, with a fairly high chance of 'conversion' - even if it's only temporary - to our cause.

After all, we generally have to rely on our own members deciding to let on to their friends and neighbours, just why they're never around the house at the weekend...

Here we've got a large group of people where maybe a half of them be might be likely to 'give it a go' considering that, after all, they're the ones in the minority in this environment! We know from experience, most people prefer to go along with the majority in their environment, it's just that they may need some time to adjust. Those with small children of course, would have a head start! (JL)



Hi John, Just a little note about Canty's mid-winter lunch in June. Would Canterbury members prefer a restaurant meal, or a pot-luck at local house? Linda

New Brighton (Beatty St entrance) - shot from all directions



Todays forecast was 30 and we got that easily. The only question is was this the temperature in Celsius or the speed of the Nor Wester in MPH or wave height in inches?

Please remember a wave is measured from the mid point so a 30 inch wave is as tall as me trough to crest. When breaking it was taller.

In total about 15 people turned up although several did not stay long. This included 3 prospective members. A few brave people had a swim but the waves were quite vicious and several people got rolled and bowled. The pictures don't really show its true form.







A great day despite the wind!

Allan Geeves

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Alpine Lakes Southern Free Beaches Xmas Party - Saturday, Dec 9 2023



Gordy with loins already girded for his big day with Paul, Russell, Julie and the Lady Mayoress, Lynn herself!

Another great evening was had by all when members of Alpine Lakes and Southern Free Beaches got together to celebrate another successful naturist year. A wonderful feast included yummy desserts and yet again we got a visit from Santa to double check that we had all been good this year.

Thanks to Gordy for donning the santa suit this year and it was noted that he had very strong knees!

Also thanks again to our friends from Alpine Lakes for hosting Southern Free Beaches again this year and we have enjoyed all of our naturist events we have done together.

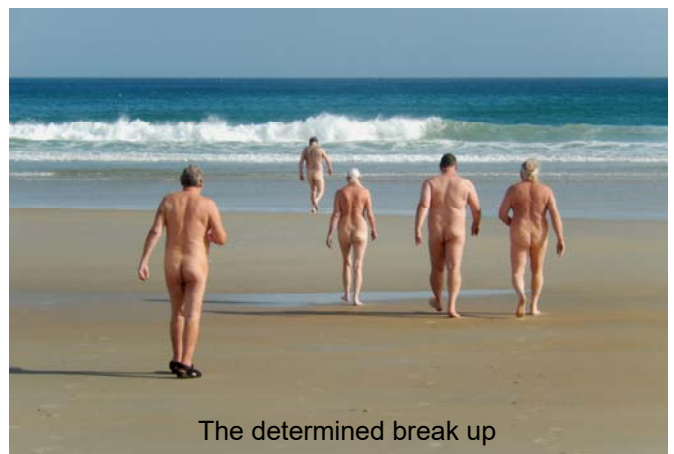
Also I would like to take this opportunity to thank everyone else who has attended our naturist events this year. It has been great to see you all and your support is very much appreciated. Hope to do it all again in 2024.

Yours naturally, Julie Patterson, Southern Free Beaches

Summer solstice swim - Friday 22, 2023



The psych-up huddle



The determined break up



Yes, we're nearly there!



But the Lady Mayoress begs to differ

Our usual hardy bunch showed up for yet another Summer Solstice Swim at St Kilda Beach on Friday 22 December.

This year there were no lifeguards to scare us so we headed down to the flags and got ready for the waves.

Thanks again to Peter for showing up as he is one of our regulars at our Summer Solstice swims.

Look forward to doing it all again in 2024.

Yours naturally, Julie Patterson, Southern Free Beaches

Hawkes Bay's Naturist Club ventures out to Ocean Beach again

On Jan 20th the local club decided to have their annual beach day at HBs main naturist beach. So on the due day I girded my loins, checked my brolly and sallied forth to Ocean Beach to record the event.

Nearly obeying the universal principle of avoiding the midday sun, I arrived a little later than midday - in the teeth of a bit of a gale. But only once did I have to chase the ex-brolly cum windshield! Given the path restriction caused by a high tide though, the 300m trek along the very soft sand was rather more of a challenge than the wind.

A couple of well-anchored Free Beach flags were out the front, making the destination easy to find. At least a dozen HBNC members had been there from before midday when I arrived a couple of hours later. By mid-afternoon - at 33°C - most of the gathering decided they could no longer resist a dip and Roni got her camera out for the record.

At pack-up time a lovely little trolley which I had noted on my arrival, came into it's own. It turned out to be Roni and Ian's useful toy. Driving on Ocean Beach has now been made illegal, so the otherwise normal use of Nick's ute to ferry the miscellany sun-shades, boogie boards, lunches, sun umbrellas and yellow flags, has become an ineligible option!

JL



Ian S



John Lowe



Ian S



John Lowe

I'm now taking registrations for riders in the 2024 World Naked Bike Ride at Waihi Beach, on **Saturday 16 March, 2024**.

The big change to the event this time is that we are being hosted by the Waihi Beach Hotel, which will be our pre-ride preparation area and our venue for post-ride drinks and lunch. This will be the 3rd WNBR at Waihi Beach and it is growing in popularity each time. With the after-ride social time at the hotel, this one should be a blast!

On the next page is our 2024 poster. If you want to register for the event, the URL is <https://www.wnbr.nz/take-part> We appreciate riders registering because it gives us an idea of numbers for organisation purposes.

All other information about the WNBR is on the website: www.wnbr.nz

Cheers!

Andrew Cook (Rok)

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HAURAKI NATURALLY





The Programmes

The 20th year, 2 day Celebration!

Takaka

Saturday, 2nd March, 2024

- 11:00am-12:45** Bush and Beach walk, Milnthorpe Reserve.
- 1:00 pm** Lunch at Mussel Inn
- 8:00 pm** Prep bikes with lighting effects and placards for the Night Ride
- 9:00 pm** Night ride through Takaka, to Rototai Beach for swim and bonfire!

Sunday, 3rd March, 2024

- 1:00 pm - 2:00** Preparation time. Body painting, preparing bikes, flags & banners. Pre-ride briefing, clarification of rules & expected behaviour, wet weather contingency if required.
- 2:00 pm - 2:40** The ride.
- 2:40 pm** De-briefing, announcements, prize-giving, social at Kiwi Spirit Distillery
- 5:30 pm** BBQ at Autumn Farm

Waihi Beach

Saturday, 16th March, 2024

- 10:30 - 11:20** Preparation time. Body painting, preparing bikes, flags and banners.
- 11:20 - 11:30** Pre-ride briefing, clarification of the rules and expected behaviour, wet weather contingency plan if required.
- 11:30 - 12:30** The ride.
- 12:35 onwards** De-briefing, announcements, prize giving, social time over drinks and lunch at Waihi Beach Hotel bar and outdoor picnic area.

Waitati

Sunday, 10 March, 2024

Meet at the Waitati Hall at 12 noon for an idyllic ride around the village.

A Forest Walk

WNBR Riders are invited to join us for a naked forest hike on the day after the ride.

For Takaka Riders, Sunday 3 March. A pleasant 30 minute walk through the bush reserve of Milnthorpe Park to the beach for a picnic lunch and swim.

For Waihi Beach Riders, Sunday 17 March. An easy hike along a Kaimai track. Two hours in and two hours back. Bring some lunch, enjoy a skinny dip at a swimming hole and take in the beauty of this idyllic forest.

Bring: Walking shoes, water bottle, lunch, sunscreen, insect repellent, towel.

FURTHER DETAILS REGARDING MEETING TIME AND PLACE WILL BE POSTED AT THE FINISH LINE AFTER THE RIDE





Southern Free Beaches

Naturist Retreat



Where: *Berwick Lodge – Berwick*

When: *Friday 16th Feb to Sunday 18th Feb 2024*

Cost per person for the weekend is:
\$75 per adult / \$40 per child

There is no catered meal on Saturday night this year but SFB are providing free kayaks, sauna and sausage sizzle for those who are keen (otherwise you can bring your own food)

Or if you just want to come for a visit, Berwick Lodge charges \$15 per person for the day

For more information or to RSVP:

please contact:

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Far North Emu



In Northland, on the road to East Beach only 4 km from S H 1, is Rosco & Gerri's Emu farm which offers direct access to the Rangaunu Harbour. Relax on a deck or go kayaking in the ocean estuary. Alongside the trees there's plenty of room for vans, tents & other accommodation.



Their fascinating and unique decorations are not just inside.



Rosco & Gerri's farm has plenty of room for parking, whatever vehicle you arrive in. On-site accommodation includes a caravan with double bed and nearby external toilet. Outside, along with the bird life, two kayaks are available for exploration of Rangaunu Harbour, which is easily accessed through the mangroves on their southern border. Nine km further along Kaimaumau Road there's easy access to East Beach. Park and walk 200m north.

Find them at 388 Kaimaumau Road Waiharara, Far North, 0486; contact options: ostemu23@gmail.com or phone number: 027 651 8885. They're only 13 km north of Awanui (which is 6km north of Kaitaia); turn right 3km north of Waiharara, into Kaimaumau Rd. The farm is 4km east, with its entrance on the right.

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(Please book, as otherwise management may cancel.)



Alex is our local liaison person — contact via:
022 196 6365 or aht-fbnz@pm.me

* Please note that the Naturist Days of 1st and 3rd
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holidays, *including* those of Christmas and New Year.

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North Island ~ Events Calendar

AUCKLAND

February

Thu 15 th	Parakai Springs*	10am - 7pm 150 Parkhurst Rd, Parakai \$26 (20% discount with ID card)
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March

Thu 8 th	Parakai Springs*	10am - 7pm 150 Parkhurst Rd, Parakai \$26 (20% discount with ID card)
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* **Parakai Springs** visitors, **please book or check** 0800 468 766 (HOT POOLS) as it is **not available** for nude use **after** mid-December until mid-February. But outside School months, it **can still be already booked!**

WELLINGTON

February

Sun 25 th	Peka Peka Beach & BBQ	1 pm (If wet, then 3pm at Chris': BYO BBQ) 021 375 119 - cburt@xtra.co.nz TBC
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South Island ~ Events Calendar

CHRISTCHURCH

February

Sat 3 rd	Beach Meet Spencerville	1.00pm For enquiries Michel: 021 159 8426
Sat 10 th	Beach Meet Taylors Mistake	10.00am For enquiries Michel: 021 598 426 - low tide: 11.40am
Sun 18 th	Beach Meet Woodend	1.00pm For enquiries Linda: 027 249 8483
Sat 24 th	Ashley Gorge Picnic	10.00am Meet at picnic area, top of main area - enquiries Linda: 027 249 8483
	Skinny-dip down Moonbeam	8.30pm Beatty St South New Brighton, for enquiries Michel: 021 598 426 (TBC)

March

Sat 2 nd	Beach Meet Spencerville	1.00pm For enquiries Michel: 021 159 8426
Sun 17 th	Beach Meet Woodend	1.00pm For enquiries Linda: 027 249 8483

April

Sat 6 th	Beach Meet Spencerville	1.00pm For enquiries Michel: 021 159 8426
	Burwood Pool	6.30pm For Enquiries Beatrice 027 483 3493
Sat 20 th	Burwood Pool	6.30pm For Enquiries Beatrice 027 483 3493
Sun 21 st	Beach Meet Woodend	1.00pm For enquiries Linda: 027 249 8483 (final beach day)

May

Sat 4 th	Burwood Pool	6.30pm For Enquiries Beatrice 027 483 3493
Sat 18 th	Burwood Pool	6.30pm For Enquiries Beatrice 027 483 3493

June

Sat 1 st	Burwood Pool	6.30pm For Enquiries Beatrice 027 483 3493
Sat 15 th	Burwood Pool	6.30pm For Enquiries Beatrice 027 483 3493

Dunedin

February

Fri 16-18 th	Berwick Naturist Retreat	4pm Friday, to Sunday afternoon (see pg 10) for more: contact Julie 027 471 8941
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March

Sun 10 th	WNBR - Waitati	Midday, from Waitati Hall. For more: contact Julie 027 471 8941
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Please note that the newsletters from some other Federation clubs are available on request to me, for our members. (JL)