

AVCA Newsletter



Committee

We currently have 6 people on the committee and are always open to more volunteers. If you have skills with **Funding/Grant applications** or **Web pages** and would like to join the committee please let us know. Many hands make lighter work!

Arapuni Town Branding

Thanks to those who have contributed their thoughts to this and those who attend the council held meeting on **Monday 9 May at 6.30 pm.**

Neighbourhood Support

This idea has been mooted to the village after a spate of burglaries and seems to be supported initially. We will invite the local NHS representative to a village meeting for all interested to attend.

Meeting date and time to be confirmed

History Group

Is anyone interested in forming a group to gather history relating to Arapuni Village? Come along for an idea sharing chat at the regular Residents @ Rhubarb get-together.

Sunday 12 June at 2.00pm. At Rhubarb Café.

Midwinter Festival

Save the date: Something for everyone. Watch your letterbox for more details to come.

Saturday 16 July at 4.00pm. Village Hall (inside or out, depending on weather)

AGM - Save the date:

The AVCA Annual General Meeting has been pencilled in for **Saturday 3 September, 2.00pm.** All Welcome, including current financial members. Subs are due at the meeting.

Committee Members 2021/22

Raewyn Calvert	Chair-person and Council liaison
Liddy Aislabie	Secretary
Lesley Hutton	Treasurer
Heather Cheer	Funding / Grants
Jill Bradburn	CD, Phone Tree, Newsletter
Juliet Green	Membership

Contact us at:

- arapunivillage@gmail.com
- www.avca.co.nz
- Arapuni Village Grapevine (FB)
- Hall suggestion box

Welcome Juliet Green: Kia Ora, I am Juliet and moved to our slice of paradise 6 months ago. I was drawn here to be part of a wonderful community, and to enjoy the relaxed pace of life. I love it here and my dog Nala, (who is a Border Collie/Golden Retriever X) and I, are enjoying making new friends, the beautiful walks and outdoor life and being able to unwind and enjoy the fresh air of Arapuni village.

I have worked in the design industry for many years, opening my own interior design business when the children were young and then moving into the kitchen and interior joinery design industry, which I love. I have three children, who are now amazing young adults, who keep me sane (now we are through the teenage years!!) and are my pride and joy. Having recently joined the committee, I haven't had a chance to contribute much to AVCA at this stage, but I am looking forward to becoming involved and having the opportunity to meet more of our wonderful people in the Arapuni community.

Summary of dates for your calendar:

Town Branding	Monday 9 May 6.30pm	Council rep will attend to guide us
Residents @ Rhubarb	Sunday 8 May 2.00pm	a monthly chance to meet old and new
	2 nd Sunday February to November	
History Group	Sunday 12 June 2.00pm	anyone interested in joining this?
Yoga	Wednesday and Fridays 6.00pm	
Social @ Bowling Club	Thursday evening	watch the Village Grapevine FB for updates
Midwinter Festival	Saturday 16 July 4.00pm	details to come!
Neighbourhood Support	TBC	ideas to improve what we already do
AGM	Saturday 3 September 2.00pm	pencil in the date
Rangitahi event	TBC	postponed until Spring
High Tea	TBC	a fun week-day get-together