



KUROW MOTOR GARAGE & SERVICE COY LTD 1920



PHONE **4360 950** TEXT 027 282 0615 WAITAKI VALLEY COMMUNITY CAR

A shout out to Anna and Seanne for making things work despite there being no bank



We welcome the opportunity to offer you a review on your business, personal or farm insurances.

Talk to the team at your local Aon Oamaru branch on

03 434 0080 10 Coquet Street, Oamaru

TO BOOK A COMMUNITY CAR: Phone 027 282 0615 or 4360 950

BUGLE PUBLICATION:

The Bugle is at the Kurow Information Centre - Please send your pieces to kurowbugle@gmail.com and please ensure they are in by strictly 12pm on the Friday before publication or they won't be in until the following issue.



NORTH OTAGO BUDGET ADVISORY SERVICE INC. TE RÔPŨ PENAPENA PŨTEA WHĂNAU O WAITAKI

NORTH OTAGO BUDGET ADVISORY SERVICE:

Have you got money worries? Are your debts piling up? Would you like some help in reducing debts, talking to creditors, or just making a financial plan for the future? We can help, we are a free, confidential, non-judgemental service and we are coming to Kurow on May 26th. Give us a call on **027 365 3959** or **03 434 6196** if you would like to book a one hour appointment.

ST JOHN INFORMATIONAL COMMUNITY MORNING TEA:

Tuesday 8th June, 10am at the Kurow St John Ambulance Station. If you require a ride please phone Trish: 027 472 2674. Guest Speaker: Ostler Wines.

KUROW MUSEUM ARCHIVES:

Kurow Museum Archives has received an information request for which we have been unable to find any details. Should anyone know of - or any information about - **John (Jack) Alexander MATHESON 1890-1927** please mail us at **kurowarchives@gmail.com.** Born in Waitaki on Apr 15 1890 to John a shepherd & his wife Annie. Attended Glenavy School and Waitaki District High School. Worked as a farm labourer and groom in the Kurow area. Fought at Gallipoli and was wounded in action. Died six years after returning from the war on July 5th 1927. A fuller outline is available from Kurow Archives.

FRIDGE TO GIVE AWAY:

I have a fridge in good working order, to give away. Must be collected on Saturday May 22nd. Please phone Pam:4360 677

FOUND:

Kids Kurow Rugby Jersey at the Skate Park. It is at the Kurow Hotel.



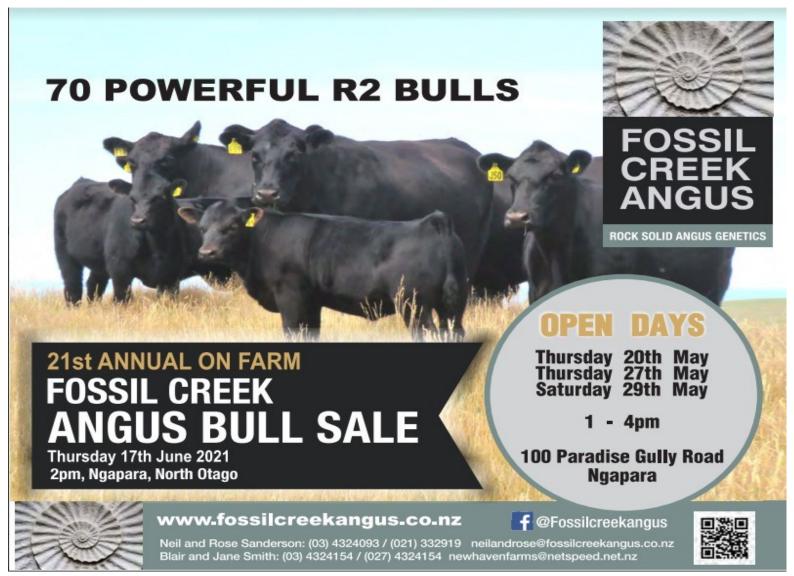
Flu Vaccinations

Currently available for those who are 65years and older.

We anticipate having flu vaccinations available for those under 65 years of age from Monday 17th May onwards.

For parents with children aged 6mths – 4yrs who would like them vaccinated for influenza, please phone the clinic beforehand as these may need to be ordered in. Please phone **03 436 0760** to book in at our Kurow or Omarama Clinics Or **03 976 0503** to make an appointment at our clinic in Twizel

Yours in health, the team at Kurow medical Centre and MacKenzie Health Centre.







Dry Willow \$75 per m3 Dry Willow/Old Man Pine \$80 per m3 Dry Old Man Pine \$85 per m3

Admin.campbellpark@campbellparkestate.co.nz

PH 027 3388 513 A/H 03 4264 963



Jaltaki

Nood Supplies

Phone Dick

ONE SMART COFFEE

Available for events and gatherings

Phone Linda on 027 27 69857



THE Margo Barrett herapeutic Massage Dip. atm **GARAGE DOOR** Remedial Massage Therapist 0221 0221 56 CENTRE margo@mbmassage.co.nz www.mbmassage.co.nz 52 Bledisloe St, Kurow Distributors of DOMINATOR **Houses for Rent** Garage Door Systems We have 3&4 bedroom well insulated family houses available for short/long term rent. New Sales & Service If interested in living on an English historic estate where peace & quiet is In the Waitaki Valley appreciated, please contact us on: Call Brian 0274 335 299 021 104 5506

Keen to know what your property in the Waitaki Valley is worth?

Call me now to book your free appraisal. I'm your local Sales Consultant, based in Otematata.

Ross McRobie M 027 432 9892 P 03 434 3347 E ross.mcrobie@pb.co.nz

Property Brokers Ltd Licensed REAA 2008 225 Thames Street, Oamaru **P** 03 434 3347

Property Brokers[®]



Campbells Butchery quality meat and small goods available at Kurow Foodcentre and West Road On The Spot. For private processing of your cattle and sheep contact Steve on

03 434 8780 Ext. 4

Lakeside Laundries

Behind Otematata Hotel

Open 24/7



Soap dispenser Money change machine 4 washing machines/4 dryers All welcome *Owner Debbie Smith 027 229 4376*



Helen, Chris, William, and Families wish to thank the Waitaki Valley Community for the support given to us with the passing of Brian. Thank you again from Helen.



FREE art sessions for adults in the Waitaki region who are struggling with mental wellbeing or isolation.

Held weekly from the 12:30 till 3 KUROW-Monday, Memorial hall. PALMERSTON-Tuesday, Community Centre. OAMARU- Wednesday, Ara Campus.

WAITAKI CREATIVE WELLBEING

FIND US ON FACEBOOK WAITAKI CREATIVE WELLBEING

EMAIL TEXT/DM TONI WAITAKI@ARTSENTA.ORG 021 1848470



Rural Lifestyle & Property Sales

KITTY CULP Licensed under REA ACT 027 346 0846 kitty@oaoamaru.nz





The next Kurow Churches 5th Sunday of the month Combined Service Will be held on 30th May, at St Albans Church, at 10am Morning tea to follow





BRADYS HANDYMAN SERVICES ALL HANDYMAN WORK & CHIMNEY SWEEPING

PHONE PAUL: 021 202 0804



Waitaki Valley Preschool Fundraiser



Waitaki Valley Preschool are doing a baked goods fundraiser that includes-Large family sweet & savoury pies, lamingtons, family pizzas and jumbo cheese rolls

If you would like to support this fundraiser and stock up the freezer Please phone or text Shelley for an order form: **027 3300 718**

AVAILABLE AT THE INFORMATION CENTRE

Photocopying
Binding
Colour printing
Colour printing
Laminating
KIFI for free
WIFI for free
Community Car bookings
NZTA services
Passport forms

Carpet Cleaner Hire

Now in Kurow



\$45.00 for 4 hours \$55.00 for 8 hours \$75.00 for 24 hours \$20 for 1L of carpet shampoo

All hires have a \$20.00 bond

For any enquiries phone Justine or Puna 03 4360 988 or 027 408 7482

JOIN OUR WINTER MORNING TEA AND CATCH UP MEETINGS.

Age Concern Otago/Waitaki are going to host a morning tea over the winter months on the <u>last Thursday of every month</u>, at 10.00am, at the St Johns Rooms on 47 Gordon Street, Kurow.

The first of these morning teas will begin on the 27th of May.

We will have a morning tea and some entertainment, a game of indoor bowls, cards, music etc.

> All locals and visitors will be warmly welcomed! Add to your calendar's now.

(A gold coin donation is appreciated to go towards costs)

If you require a ride to the St Johns Rooms then please call and ask.

If you have any questions please get in contact with me, Jody, on 027 353 2874 or email jodyandmichael@xtra.co.nz



"The Bellamore Boys"

What other country rugby club has Dad and his three sons all playing rugby on a Saturday.

Kurow Rugby club has just that. Imagine what it's like in the Nowell household on a Saturday morning getting Dad and three boys ready for rugby.

Ben and Emma Nowell farm sheep, beef and deer at "Bellamore" near Lake Waitaki and take the Saturday rugby ritual all in their stride.

Dad Ben, who has played rugby both in Canterbury and Japan, now plays for the Kurow Senior Team and is also co-coach of the team.

His three sons – Jack 8 years, Harry 6 years and Charlie 4 years all play J.A.B rugby for Kurow.

On Saturday morning the boys could be playing at different venues but Mum Emma copes well with help from Grandparents, Bruce and Christine and Barb and Mark to get them to their games on time.

Dad Ben helps out when he can being a referee and encouraging his boys to do their best on the day.



Ben, Jack, Harry and Charlie keep up the good work and your enthusiasm for the love of rugby.

Who knows Kurow could produce another All Black who could follow in the foot steps of a former Kurow Rugby Player who became an All Black- The late Phillip Gard.

Indi Gard

Signation of the second second



scan this QR code with your phone to go straight to our online feedback form

Tell us what you think!

Council's Strategic Direction

What do you think we should be doing to achieve our community outcomes and strategic priorities?

COVID-19 Recovery

What else can we do to support our community?

Climate Change What should we be focusing on?

Waste management

What waste minimisation and education activities would you like to see Council doing?

Indoor Sports and Events Centre Which option do you prefer?

Rates affordability

Should we look at smoothing the rates increases over two or three years?

...and anything else you'd like to tell us

WE WANT To hear From you!

Consultation on Waitaki's Long Term Plan is now open and closes 21 May 2021.

Copies of the Consultation Document and feedback form are available on the 'Consultation' page of Council's website and from Council offices and Waitaki District Libraries.

www.waitaki.govt.nz





Kurow Rugby Club

Premier Grade Draw

8 May 2021	Kurow	Excelsior	2.45pm WCCP1	
15 May 2021	Kurow	Athletic Marist	2.45 pm WCS1	
22 May 2021	Kurow	Maheno	2.45 pm Maheno	
29 May 2021	Kurow	Old Boys	2.45pm WCS1	

Presidents Grade Draw

	22 May 2021	Kurow	Excelsior	WCS1	
	29 May 2021		Union	Ngapara	
t	Follw us for updates @kurowrubgyclub				





Email

027 224 4306

cb.contractors.2017@gmail.com

MAC TIP TRUCK- 5.5 TONNE DIGGER- 13 TONNE DIGGER- 3 TONNE MAZDA TRUCK- SMALL ADVANT WHEEL LOADER (LEVELING BAR, SCREENING BUCKET, GP BUCKET, PELLET FORKS) CABLE LOCATER.

- Land Scaping
 Trenching
 Site Leveling
 LITE ENGINEERING
- Root Raking
 Site Clean Up
 General Farm Maintance

Any Enquires Phone: BRADLEY SIM

We Cover From : Oamaru, Lower Waitaki , Waitaki Valley & Mackenzie Country.



BOB & NIKKY CURRIE CONTRACTING



Tip Truck for hire Cheap winter rates—Sorry no dry hire



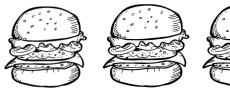
Phone 027 386 5060 or 4360 552

RIVER CAFÉ





Delicious Burgers Fish n Chips Robert Harris Coffee Home Baking Ice creams/Drinks Friendly Service





Phone orders welcome! **03 4360 820**



Lawns, Gardening, Weed Management, Spider and Pest Control, Domestic Fencing, Handyman & Maintenance Work.

Phone or email Justin: 027 914 3722

insideoutpropertycare2020@gmail.com

Kurow Medical Centre

8 Wynyard St, Kurow P: 03 4360760 F: 03 4360780

E: info@kurowmedicalcentre.org.nz W: www.kurowmedicalcentre.org.nz www.facebook.com/kurowmedicalcentre

Providing 24/7 health care and support to the people of the Upper Waitaki and Mackenzie

Kurow Medical Centre and its satellite clinic in Twizel Mackenzie Health Centre and Outreach Clinic at Omarama Community Hall are proud to offer our registered and casual patients the following services:

* Ultrasound performed by a qualified clinician (great for minor fractures, gall stones, kidney stones, heart and lung problems, foreign bodies, blood clots, detecting early pregnancy and much more!) * Minor surgery * Vasectomies

- * Mole checks and removal * Steroid injections * Venesection
- * Aviation, workplace and driving medicals * Botox for Wrinkle reduction
- * Workplace health screening * Counselling
- * Spirometry to diagnose asthma and COPD
- * Hearing and sight tests for adults and children * Ear syringing
- * Liquid nitrogen for warts, verruca's, and skin lesions

* Cardiovascular risk assessment and diabetic checks (funded for eligible patients) * Travel advice and vaccination

- * Cervical smears (funded for eligible patients)
- * Seasonal flu shots and shingles vaccine (funded for eligible patients)
- * Childhood Immunisation * Before school checks
- * Postnatal and six-week baby health check

And much more!

GP consult fees: Under 14yrs Free; Adult \$41.00 Care Plus – Free to eligible patients only

We also offer the following services from external Health Care Providers:

*Podiatry and Ear Health (Kurow only)

*Physiotherapy, Acupuncture and Massage (Kurow and Twizel)

Open Please note our Omarama Clinic has changed to a Thursady.

Kurow: Monday to Thursday 8.30am to 5pm. Omarama: Thursday 8.30am to 5pm. Twizel: Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday 8.30am to 5pm and Saturday 9am to 12pm

Please note: We provide 24/7 on call after hours cover by our doctors and PRIME nurses for all our registered and casual patients!

If you require further information or an appointment, please contact us on: For Kurow 03 436 0760 or for Twizel 03 976 0503 - Dr Tim and Juliet Gardner

Look us up on our website or Facebook page for more information.

The Fishy Tale of Lake Falconer Ayson

In discussing fishing, American author - and frequent visitor to NZ - Zane Grey once wrote that "If I fished only to capture fish, my fishing trips would have ended long ago." I would hazard a guess that those words reflect the philosophy of most of those who own rods of one type or another. Whilst Grey's overall personal attitude left much to be desired during his many visits from the late 1920s, credit goes to Grey for placing New Zealand firmly on the international deep-sea fishing map. Grey never trout-fished the South Island but did so on the Tongariro River. So enamoured was he, that he tried to buy the entire river for his personal use. He almost succeeded.

Native to Europe, brown trout were first introduced to NZ in 1867 from England via Tasmania. Of the trout and salmon ova shipped to

Tasmania in 1864, only the trout eggs survived the 3-month journey. It took three years for the Tasmanian breeding programme to be successful enough to enable exportation of trout eggs to NZ and South Africa. The first successful trout hatching was in Christchurch on October 10th 1867.

Descended mainly from Californian Steelheads, 1883 saw the introduction of rainbow trout to NZ; bred by the Auckland Acclimatisation Society, then initially released in Lakes Rotorua and Taupō. In their native environment, rainbow trout – like salmon – migrate to sea. We do not understand why NZ rainbow trout do not migrate.

Salmon's introduction was more fraught.

"On 20 January 1868 the Celestial Queen was loaded in London with 834 boxes containing 220,000 salmon ova and 14,500 trout ova. They were stored in a 16 ft by 12 ft ice house that was 11 ft high (4.9 m x 3.7 m x 3.4 m). Lined with sheet lead, it was insulated by 9 inches (225 mm) of charcoal and packed with blocks of ice from Wenham Lake, Massachusetts.

Live gudgeon, tench, carp and oysters, a dozen Dorking fowl eggs and a bundle of Scotch heather were also carried on board. On 2 May, after a voyage of 103 days, the Celestial Queen arrived in Port Chalmers. The ova were in 'excellent condition', but the fish had died. The tench had been accidently thrown overboard while their water was being changed. The fate of the two oysters that were still alive is unknown.

Neither the Atlantic salmon nor the brown trout survived in New Zealand waters. However, the brown trout taken to Hobart in 1864 had survived, and their progeny had been brought to New Zealand in 1867. The first quinnat or Californian salmon (Oncorhynchus tshawytscha) ova arrived in New Zealand on the steamship Vasco de Gama on 5 November 1875. Much augmented, these are the basis of today's salmon fishing." (Nigel Isaacs; NZ History)



Salmon history now moves to the Hakataramea River. Credit is due to the largely forgotten man who persuaded the government of the day to invest in large-scale salmon hatcheries. Lake Falconer Ayson was born in NZ two years after his parents emigrated in 1853. Amongst his many roles were farm labouring, fencing, ploughing, harvesting and shearing. Living in Duntroon, he became a rabbit inspector working throughout the Waitaki area. During these times he became an avid trout angler.

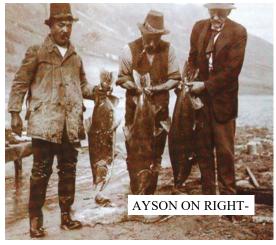
We do not know why Ayson made a sudden move to Masterton in 1886 to take up the role of curator of the Wellington Acclimatisation Society. It may have been his meeting with Francis Pillans, an Englishman who farmed in South Otago. Pillans had experience in fish culture, which may



have piqued Ayson's interest. In 1898, the government put Ayson on a sailing ship and set him loose on the fishing world.

Prior to Ayson's voyages, large amounts of time and money was spent in attempting to introduce Atlantic salmon to NZ waterways. None were successful. Including the 1875 arrivals. Travelling to Europe, Britain and North America, Ayson's new knowledge would have a direct impact on the scientific management of marine fisheries.

Whilst in North America, authorities offered chinook and sockeye salmon ova to him. Returning to NZ, Ayson pushed forward his belief that instead of attempting to introduce salmon to many waterways as had been done in the past, concentration should occur in one river only. That river would be the Hakataramea where the first salmon arrived in December 1900. Ayson was to return to North America several times in the early 1900s to escort new batches of chinook ova. Once incubated, they released huge quantities of salmon fingerlings into the Hakataramea and Upper Waitaki Rivers. Within two years, adult Chinook were returning to the Waitaki River mouth.



Ayson's belief was that once salmon established themselves, their migratory patterns would take them up other rivers along NZ's east coast. This is indeed what happened. His attempts to introduce Atlantic salmon continued with the construction of a large hatchery on Southland's Waiau River. Success did not follow. In fact, no one world-wide has acclimatised Atlantic salmon in the wild.

Neither Ayson's or the salmon story ends here, but we should rightly remember Lake Falconer Ayson for his enthusiasm and determination to establish salmon populations in NZ waterways. Whether the right or wrong of his efforts should be debated in today's PC world is irrelevant when looking at the popularity of trout and salmon fishing in NZ. Any dedicated washer of flies and lures will understand that.

The final salmon thought I leave to the late great Joan Rivers; "A female salmon lays three thousand eggs a year - and has yet to receive a Mother's Day card from one of them." A thought to ponder!

Wayne Reid for the Kurow Archives Group kurowarchives@gmail.com



Saturday 22nd May 9am-2pm



37 Gordon Street, Kurow

Electric Golf Trundler, Mobility Scooter, Lawn Bowls, Small Tallboy, Oak Tea Wagon, Oak Morris Chair, Cake Plates, Tupperware, Jigsaw Puzzles, Picnic Table, Children Books, Bags, Kitchenware, Wool, Patchwork Fabric, Crystal Glasses, Couch, Cocktail Cabinet, 2 Man Tent, and many other odds and sods

Cash payment preferred

Specialising in rural real estate and lifestyle blocks

Barry and John are available and only too happy to assist you with all your real estate needs. All queries and friendly chats are treated in total confidentiality

Please get in touch at anytime, we are happy to help where we can

Barry Meikle Rural Sales Consultant M 027 436 5131 E barry.meikle@pb.co.nz

John McCone Rural Sales Consultant M 027 221 9133 E john.mccone@pb.co.nz

Property Brokers[®]

Proud to be here

pb.co.nz ertyBrokers Licensed REAA 2008



Thank You

Karate Do New Zealand

The Kurow Karate Club would like to thank the Kurow Masonic Lodge for helping us out, and enabling us to train in the lodge for the past 29 years. Thanks Grant



Phone Doug: 027 5100 556





ALL FENCING STYLES & EARTHWORKS

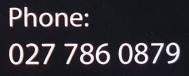
CERTIFIED FENCING CONTRACTOR WITH NZ FENCING ASSOCATION

FREE QUOTES Phone: 021 640 748 www.highcountryfencing.co.nz









Email: john.rapsey14@gmail.com



Gifts & More NZ Post Bike Hire Afterpay

18 Bledisloe Street, Kurow 03 436 0 575 Mon-Thur 9am-5pm Fri 9am-7pm Sat-9am-4pm Sun10am-4pm www.feliz.co.nz

TWIN FISH

Love your bungalow Love your farmhouse Love your villa Love your modern build

Recycled native timber currently in stock: Rimu

Owen King, Joiner SH83 Otekaieke, Waitaki Valley

022 243 6470

officetwinfish@icloud.com



One stop shop for Gas. Locals Supplying Locals 45kg gas bottles regularly delivered

Otematata-weekly Omarama - weekly Twizel and Tekapo -2x weekly Kurow – fortnightly Oamaru- daily Mon-Fri And all areas in between.

Down load the App Ph 0800 433 4574 Order online - Rockgas.co.nz or www.hiflo.co.nz

Need Gas installed check out www.hiflo.co.nz or phone 03 433 0011 or info@hiflo.co.nz we have an experienced team in Oamaru and Twizel.





rockgas

rockgas

Tree Felling- Logging Land Clearing Cartage-Firewood

Truck and trailer FW logs Pine **\$1200** Poplar **\$1200**

Firewood WINZ QUOTES AVAILABLE Split Pine **\$70**m3 Split Poplar **\$70**m3 *We no longer have dry wood*

Delivery charge may vary pending location



DIG IT MACHINE HIRE 0800 716 052 Excavator Dry Hire



We have several sizes of excavator available up to 14 ton Transporter and truck hire also available

Call for rates and availability



- Large or small
- Prompt service - Reasonable rates
- Domestic and commercial Free quotes

Try the friendly team at ELECTRO SPEC 2007 LTD

Phone Mark 027 264 0404



WAITAKI GLASS AND GLAZING

"Craftsmen in Glass"

Up the Valley once a week—We won't be beaten on quality or price

"Experts for replacement double glazing with over 45 years experience, 10 years unconditional guarantee on labour and materials"

CALL TODAY-FREE QUOTE

Phone 03 437 2448 03 434 1440

or 027 434 1010

waitakiglass@gmail.com DeGeest Yard, 3 Main North Road, Oamaru

PUNA KERR SHEARING



For all your shearing crutching and tailing requirements Phone Puna and Justine on



03 4360 988 or 027 408 7482

LOOKING AFTER THE LOCALS

MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT GROUP

The Waitaki Mental Health Support group meet twice a month in Kurow and seven times a month in Oamaru.

We meet to give and receive Peer Support in the face of or surviving mental distress.

Phone or Text 027 282 0615 for more details.



surveying • planning • engineering

Contact: Cameron Leckie

Phone: (03) 434 8020 Cell: 021 496 780 Office: 27a Coquet Street, Oamaru Email: cameron@surveywaitaki.co.nz Web: www.surveywaitaki.co.nz

OFFERING A WIDE RANGE OF SURVEYING SERVICES

- Subdivision & Boundary Adjustment
- Land Development
- Precision Farm Mapping
- Easements
- Resource Consent & Council compliance

DRAFTLINE IN Patrick Coll NZCD Arch

10 Beswick Street, Timaru P 03 688 8455 E office@draftline.co.nz www.draftline.co.nz

FOR ALL YOUR ARCHITECTURAL DESIGN & DRAUGHTING NEEDS

Otago Rural Support Trust

When circumstances beyond your control lead to a rural business crisis — be it financial, climatic or personal — the Otago Rural Support Trust is ready to assist. Services are free and confidential.

Phone 0800 787 254

Painting– Exterior & Interior Phone Greg on 027 740 9552



RuralSupport

Check out www.kurow.org.nz

For events, and to reacquaint yourself with the Valley or to read the Bugle Online



COLIN DAVIDSON

AUTO ELECTRICIAN

Batteries • Alternators • Starter Motors • Computer Diagnostics • Air Conditioning

Automotive Electrical on Tractors, Trucks, Boats, Cars and Caravans

www.waitakiautoelectrics.co.nz • 027 4633 822 • 13 Grey Street, Kurow

SOUTHERN LAND CKL 03 443 5577

Email vergne@southernland.co.nz

Vergne Wilson RPSurv, B.Surv, NZCE (Civil) Registered Professional Surveyor

Weekly in Kurow and surrounding districts. Please phone to discuss your project

Subdivisions * Boundary Relocations * GPS Surveys Farm/ Property Mapping * Contouring * Vineyard Set out * Land Development Engineering * Resource Consents

DEVINE CONSTRUCTION LIMITED

-New builds -Renovations -Concrete Work -Alterations

-Re-Clads -Roofing/Spouting -Insulation -Windows/Doors



Phone Toby: 022 102 4988



QUALITY WORK GUARANTEED FOR ALL YOUR EARTHMOVING NEEDS MACHINES AND COMPACTORS FOR HIRE CALL GARY ON: 0274 373 668 OR (03) 4360 778 WEB: <u>www.garyhawkins.co.nz</u>

The Just F**king Doing It Tour

with Emily Writes & Rebecca Keil

> June 7th, 7:30 PM @ The Kurow Hotel

Kurow

Plunket & Women of Kurow

Tickets available at www.emilywrites.co.nz