

THE BOYS' BRIGADE NORTHERN REGIONAL TRUST



October 2014

Welcome to this update from The Boys' Brigade Northern Regional Trust.

TRUSTEES MEETING:

The Trustees of The Boys Brigade Northern Regional Trust met on Friday 17 October 2014 at the home of Mark and Darlene Davie out at Waiuku.

GRANTS:

- The Trustees were pleased confirm the payment of \$1,998 being a 40% subsidy of the Course Fee for 9 BB/ICONZ young men who attended the recent NLDC Course – 4 from 1st Howick; 2 from 7th Hamilton; 2 from 1st Waitakere and 1 from Papakura.
- A further 3 start-up grants of \$200 each were approved for new ICONZ Units – a welcome to the BBNZ family to: 'The Upper Room' ICONZ in Newmarket; Henderson Intermediate School ICONZ led by Lincoln Road Bible Chapel; Northcote Baptist Chinese Congregation ICONZ.
- The pens sent out by our Trust last year appear to have been popular! The Trustees have approved another run of these pens which will be forwarded to Officers & Leaders once they have been produced.
- APPLICATIONS by BB Companies and ICONZ Units for grants from the Northern Regional Trust can be made on the Grant Application form which is found in the web site shown below. If you have a project requiring some funding assistance go in to the web site and check out the application form – some assistance may be available.

NATIONAL DIRECTOR: **Michael Good** the BBNZ National Director updated Trustees on the latest developments throughout New Zealand for BB and ICONZ.

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MICHAEL STEAD MEMORIAL LODGE:

A reminder to Officers and Leaders - the Lodge is available for hire for camps for BB & ICONZ for up to 24 occupants. This picturesque property is located beside the Wainora Stream (near Thames) and can be viewed (including showing booking dates) on the all new web site: www.michaelsteadlodge.org.nz

NIGEL HANLON HUT:

This hut located at Piha is available for BB and ICONZ groups. It is for those who enjoy the true "camping experience". There are 8 bunks in the hut and space is available for a further 16 to be in tents. There is no electricity but there is a pot belly stove in the hut. For information and to book the hut, please contact the BB/ICONZ Resource center on (09) 448 1157.

A THOUGHT TO PONDER:

"A good leader inspires people to have confidence in the leader; a great leader inspires people to have confidence in themselves." Eleanor Roosevelt.

Be strong and courageous. Do not be terrified; don't be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go. Joshua 1: 9 (NIV)

Graham Creahan
On behalf of The Boys' Brigade Northern Regional Trust

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|  | <p>The Boys Brigade Northern Regional Trust – a proud supporter of The Boys' Brigade and ICONZ in the Northern Region of New Zealand – from Taupo to Kaitaia</p> |
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