

The Karaka Historical Society Inc.

Karaka Museum

Newsletter for our Members

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## WINTER EDITION – 2023

Greetings Everyone

Our AGM was held in May with the existing committee being re-elected.

A reminder that subscriptions are now due for the 2023-24 year.

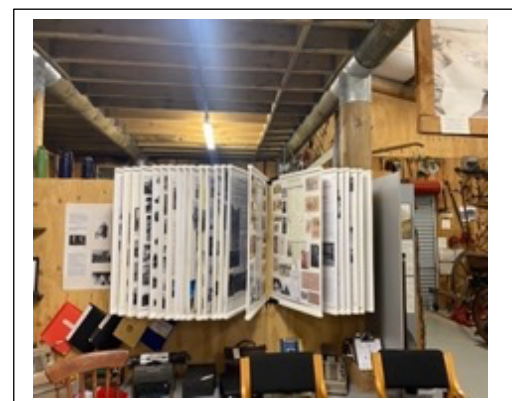
Our annual subscription has been maintained at \$25.00 per family for the 2023 – 2024 year.

Our sincere thanks if you have already contributed. Subscriptions and donations are very much appreciated – all monies go towards maintaining the Museum and the establishment of new displays.

And a special hello to our oldest member,  
Joyce Hill, who celebrated her 101<sup>st</sup> birthday  
last December. Congratulations Joyce!

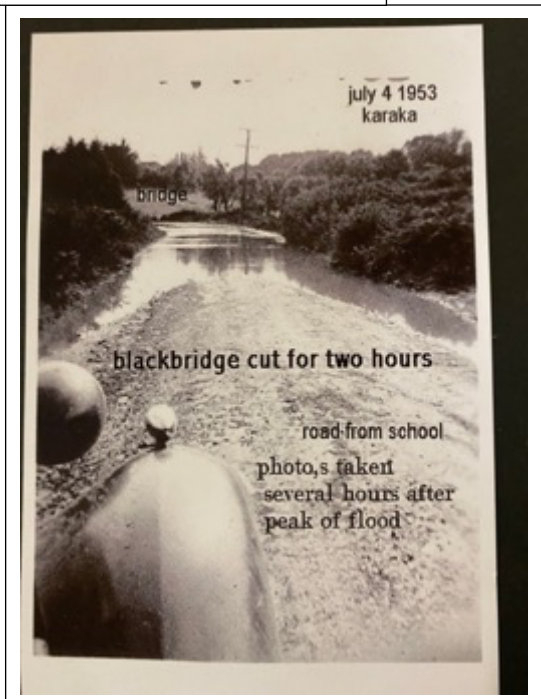
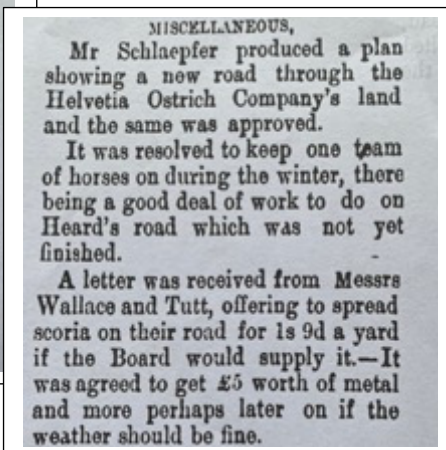


New additions to our displays include our Sports Display cabinet and additional Family Boards prepared by family members.



If you are wanting your “Family Board” displayed and feel daunted by the process – it can be as simple as first compiling it on the computer as a PDF File. We are happy to discuss the process with you.

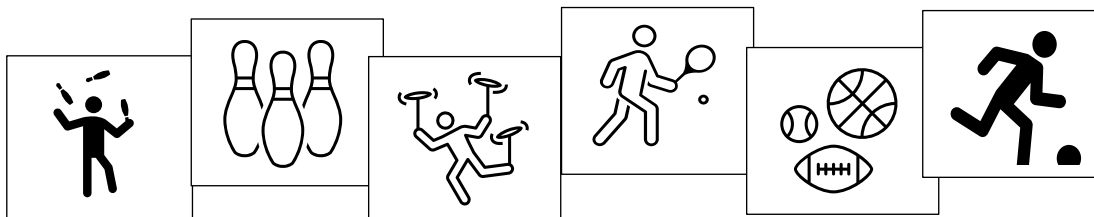
- A few headlines from Papers Past and our archives with the theme of weather and the state of the roads!



**Coming up in October.....**

We are holding an Open Afternoon with the theme “Sports and Activities” It will be held in the Karaka Museum and the adjoining Karaka War Memorial Hall on Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> October, 1.00pm to 4.00pm.  
 If you have any special sporting mementoes eg photos, medals, certificates, uniforms or equipment from your sporting past bring them along.

There will be plenty of opportunity to chat with others, participate in activities and enjoy afternoon tea.



Subscriptions and Donations for The Karaka Historical Society Inc can be made to

ASB Account 12 3031 0013035 00

Registered Charity Number : CC 34473

### Karaka Museum Visits

We welcome group bookings.

The Museum is conveniently located near cafés so plan your group's

“Museum and Lunch” trip today.

Apart from our regular opening times we are happy to open by arrangement for group and school visits. We can organise a programme to suit your requirements.

### Karaka Museum Opening Times

Open: 2nd Sunday of the month: 1pm to 3pm

and 4th Wednesday of the month: 10.00 am to 12.00 pm

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*With kind regards Carol and Judith*

*PS. Penny Twiss has written an excellent article about the Museum - see the August 2023 issue of Valley Voice.*