

OceanaGold UPDATE October 2021

Investing in Our Host Community

One of the most important aspects of the OceanaGold operation in Waihi is providing a benefit to the people and area that hosts us. For many years mining operations in Waihi have supported local charities, schools, sports clubs, and other community groups.

OceanaGold Waihi operates a community investment programme that provides support for organisations, groups, and projects in the Waihi region. The programme can provide in-kind or financial assistance up to \$3,000 for projects and activities. We make donations to charitable community groups. Organisations that do not qualify for donations as a charitable organisation can still apply to OceanaGold

for assistance in the form of sponsorships.

To apply, a short application form needs to be filled out. An electronic version of the form can be found via the 'SPONSORSHIP/DONATION FORM' button at the bottom of the waihigold.co.nz homepage. Physical copies of the form are also available at the Project Information Office at 86 Seddon Street in Waihi.

> FAR LEFT: The OceanaGold sponsored, GoWaihi Beach Hop Warm-up Party in March.

LEFT: Matt Hine, General Manager, presenting the Miner's Choice Award for Best Hot Rod.

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WSP Social Survey and Open Day

As part of the specialist work being completed for the Waihi North Project, WSP, our independent social experts, are collecting data to inform a Social Impact Assessment study.

If you live and/or work in Waihi or the 'local area' (shown on the map), we want to hear from you. An online survey is currently available, and WSP are also holding an open day on Saturday the 30th of October, from 10 am to 12 pm at the Waihi Memorial Hall.

The purpose of the survey and the open day is to gather the perceptions of those with ties to Waihi and the local area on what they think the potential social impacts of the Waihi North Project would be, i.e. impacts on people and their way of life.

You can access the survey from the Waihi Gold website at waihigold.co.nz Alternatively, head over to the OceanaGold Project Office at 86 Seddon St., Waihi between 10 am and 2 pm, Monday to Friday and there will be someone there who can assist vou.

Direct link to survey;

new.maptionnaire.com/q/4ae967jp32o4 The survey will run until the end of October.



This meeting is designed to provide an update to affected residents within the Correnso and Project Martha (including Rex) mining areas about works undertaken since the previous meeting.

Due to ongoing Alert Level restrictions, if the Waihi area remains at Alert Level 2, we will be holding the meeting on Thursday the 4th of

November from 5:30 to 7:30 pm. The meeting will be held at the St. James Presbyterian Church, 76 Moresby Ave, with strict social distancing requirements. Anyone wishing to attend must first RSVP to waihi.info@oceanagold.com or 0800 924 444 as availability will be determined by spacing capacity.

FOR ANY COMMUNITY ENQUIRIES **DURING THIS TIME**

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