



**OCTOBER 2019**

Monthly Community Newsletter supporting Tainui District - Mokau, Awakino, Tongaporutu, Ahititi, and Waikawau

*Thank you*

The O'Sullivan family would like to thank all our wonderful neighbours, friends and community organisations (Tainui St Johns, Fire and Land SAR) who helped in the search for Dennis. The support we received that night was outstanding and it made what was a very stressful situation a little easier to bear knowing everything was being done to locate him.

**We are very lucky to live in such an awesome Community.**

### OCTOBER WHAT'S ON

- Sun, Oct 6: Tainui Search And Rescue AGM 4.30pm at Awakino Hotel
- Sun, Oct 6: Tainui Pig Hunting Club AGM 5pm at Awakino Hotel
- Tue, Oct 8: Hall Committee Meeting. 7pm
- Sat, Oct 12: Brides through the Decades 2.30pm & 7.30pm
- Thu, Oct 15: Domain Recreational Plan 8pm
- Wed, Oct 16: Tainui Historical Society monthly meeting at Mokau Museum 7pm. All members welcome.
- Sat, Oct 19: Crop Swap 9-10am
- Sat, Oct 19: Tongaporutu Community & District Community Pot Luck Tea 6pm
- Fri, 25th - Mon 28th Oct: Mokau Market Pop-Up Shop.
- Sat, 26-27 Oct Mokau Fishing Club Ice Breaker Comp - Labour weekend.

### Steps Linking Te Kauri Road with State Highway 3 Mokau

Following construction of the steps linking Te Kauri Road with State Highway 3 in Mokau, the Waitomo District Council received a number of complaints about the lower section. A site inspection of the completed steps revealed that the design is not appropriate in this high-use environment.

As a result, a change to the design of the lower section is being prepared and the lower section of the steps is to be modified to an accessible stairway standard.

It is planned to have the final design and procurement stage completed in September and October 2019, to be followed by the construction stage.

Should you have any enquiries regarding this matter, please do not hesitate to contact Waitomo District Council's Manager – Local Roads, Joanna Towler, Phone 07 878 0800 or email [Joanna.Towler@waitomo.govt.nz](mailto:Joanna.Towler@waitomo.govt.nz).



### TAINUI TRADING POST



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*The Tainui Trader sincerely thanks Raupuha Stud & Native Nursery for their sponsorship.*

# Community Notices

## CHURCH NOTICES

### St Peters by the Sea

*"It is a good thing to give thanks unto the Lord and to sing praises unto thy name, O Most High; to show forth thy loving kindness in the morning and thy faithfulness every night."* Psalm 92:1-2

Welcome to our fortnightly services:

October 6: Family Communion Rev Singh 2pm

October 20: Family Service Pastor Tutty 2pm

Come and enjoy well-known hymns and warm friendship. Activities are provided for children and toys for babies. A nice afternoon tea follows the service. Enquiries to Mrs Dorothy Lowry (06) 752-9123

### Awakino Christian Church Meetings

Every 2nd & 4th Sunday, Awakino Hall, 2pm

### Ladies Bible Study

Every 1st and 3rd Friday 2pm

328 Mohakatino Rd, enquiries Phone 06 752-9124

### Our Lady of the Wayside Catholic Church Mass

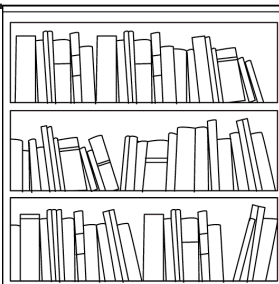
Saturday October 12th at 5pm

First Holy Communion: November 9th

### TAINUI COMMUNITY LIBRARY

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Waitomo District Library  
on 07 878-1028



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# October Tides



Date	AM High	AM Low	PM High	PM Low	PM High
Tue 1 Oct	-	05:14 0.0 m	11:50 3.8 m	17:35 0.1 m	-
Wed 2 Oct	00:10 3.7 m	05:58 0.2 m	12:34 3.6 m	18:20 0.3 m	-
Thu 3 Oct	00:55 3.5 m	06:42 0.4 m	13:20 3.4 m	19:06 0.6 m	-
Fri 4 Oct	01:42 3.3 m	07:28 0.6 m	14:08 3.2 m	19:56 0.8 m	-
Sat 5 Oct	02:32 3.0 m	08:17 0.9 m	15:00 3.0 m	20:52 1.1 m	-
Sun 6 Oct	03:29 2.8 m	09:15 1.1 m	16:02 2.9 m	22:03 1.2 m	-
Mon 7 Oct	04:34 2.7 m	10:29 1.2 m	17:09 2.8 m	23:26 1.2 m	-
Tue 8 Oct	05:43 2.7 m	11:54 1.2 m	18:15 2.9 m	-	-
Wed 9 Oct	-	00:34 1.1 m	06:47 2.8 m	12:58 1.1 m	19:13 3.0 m
Thu 10 Oct	-	01:26 1.0 m	07:42 2.9 m	13:47 0.9 m	20:02 3.1 m
Fri 11 Oct	-	02:09 0.8 m	08:29 3.1 m	14:28 0.8 m	20:45 3.3 m
Sat 12 Oct	-	02:46 0.7 m	09:11 3.2 m	15:04 0.7 m	21:24 3.4 m
Sun 13 Oct	-	03:19 0.6 m	09:49 3.3 m	15:37 0.6 m	22:00 3.4 m
Mon 14 Oct	-	03:51 0.5 m	10:24 3.4 m	16:09 0.5 m	22:35 3.5 m
Tue 15 Oct	-	04:24 0.4 m	10:59 3.4 m	16:42 0.5 m	23:10 3.4 m
Wed 16 Oct	-	04:58 0.4 m	11:33 3.4 m	17:17 0.5 m	23:45 3.4 m
Thu 17 Oct	-	05:34.4 4 m	12:08.3 4 m	17:55.0 6 m	-
Fri 18 Oct	00:21 3.3 m	06:13 0.5 m	12:45 3.3 m	18:36 0.7 m	-
Sat 19 Oct	01:00 3.2 m	06:55 0.6 m	13:26 3.2 m	19:21 0.8 m	-
Sun 20 Oct	01:45 3.0 m	07:41 0.8 m	14:14 3.1 m	20:13 0.9 m	-
Mon 21 Oct	02:38 2.9 m	08:34 0.9 m	15:14 3.0 m	21:15 1.0 m	-
Tue 22 Oct	03:44 2.8 m	09:38 1.0 m	16:27 3.0 m	22:26 1.0 m	-
Wed 23 Oct	05:01 2.9 m	10:52 1.0 m	17:41 3.0 m	23:39 0.9 m	-
Thu 24 Oct	06:15 3.0 m	12:07 0.9 m	18:48 3.2 m	-	-
Fri 25 Oct	-	00:44 0.7 m	07:20 3.2 m	13:12 0.6 m	19:46 3.5 m
Sat 26 Oct	-	01:41 0.4 m	08:17 3.4 m	14:08 0.4 m	20:39 3.6 m
Sun 27 Oct	-	02:33 0.2 m	09:08 3.6 m	14:58 0.2 m	21:29 3.8 m
Mon 28 Oct	-	03:20 0.1 m	09:56 3.8 m	15:45 0.1 m	22:16 3.8 m
Tue 29 Oct	-	04:06 0.1 m	10:42 3.8 m	16:30 0.1 m	23:01 3.8 m
Wed 30 Oct	-	04:50 0.1 m	11:26 3.8 m	17:14 0.2 m	23:46 3.6 m
Thu 31 Oct	-	05:34 0.2 m	12:10 3.6 m	17:58 0.4 m	-

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## #loveMOKAUhall#

Spring has sprung and I think I can say everyone is enjoying a taste of what is coming.

We trialed a Movie Night on the 14th and had 26 people come. Thanks for raffle donations from Kawakawa Kottage Krafts, Whiteb8 Jenny, Heidi Mobile Hairdressing and Brian your Meat Packs went down a treat. Thanks for the loan of the speaker from Maxine and Bruce, although we may need your help to sort the sound clarity out next time. And once again thanks to IT superstar Gareth, had you not tweaked operations we would have had a blurry short wide screen with icons etc across top and bottom. All up we made a small profit after paying Royalties, Hall Hire, snacks and part of raffles. So not bad for a first attempt. Thanks for the support.

Brides through the Decades.. Saturday 12th October. Presented by Mokau Museum. Come along and support this unique event. Info available from Mokau Museum. Look out for the advertising Posters around town. Contact Janice Moynihan.

After applying to Heartland Trustpower for funding toward the Hall Kitchen re fit, we were delighted to accept the donation of a brand new Samsung Fridge / Freezer delivered in lieu of Money. Thanks so much Trustpower, Mokau Community appreciate you giving back..

The Kitchen will soon to be removed ready for installation of the new cabinetry etc. With this comes a big pile of burnable rubbish, and that means a Bonfire for Guy Faulkes on 9th November. Last year there was a great turnout and the Pennington Family came along with a super Guy. See if we can get a few more this year. There will be a sausage sizzle. More details in November Trader.

### HALL HIREAGE FEES..

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Trestle Tables Off Premise \$5 each + Bond  
Chairs Off Premise \$1.00 each + Bond

### What's On @ the Hall October / November

**Tues 8th Oct: Hall Committee meeting. 7pm**

**Sat 12th Oct:** Brides through the Decades. Matinee 2pm. Evening 7pm

**Sat 19th Oct:** Crop Swap. 9-10am

**Fri 25th - Mon 28th Oct:** Mokau Market Pop-Up Shop

**Sat 9th Nov:** Guy Fawkes, Bonfire, Sausage sizzle

**Quote:** *If you are more fortunate than others, Build a longer table, not a higher fence.*

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## TONGAPORUTU COMMUNITY & DISTRICTS

### Community Pot Luck Tea

**Saturday 19 October**

**Tongaporutu Hall**

Doors open at 6pm. Tea at 7pm

*All welcome ~ BYO*

## TAINUI SEARCH AND RESCUE (SAR)

### Annual General Meeting

4.30pm at Awakino Hotel on 6th October

*followed by*

## TAINUI PIG HUNTING CLUB

### Annual General Meeting

5pm at Awakino Hotel on 6th October

*Any enquiries phone Warren Petersen 06 752-5837*

## TAINUI WETERE DOMAIN

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## TAINUI HISTORICAL SOCIETY

### Taranaki Herald

Monday, 2 July, 1883

Wellington and Wanganui papers still harp upon the greater advantages for railway construction possessed by the Taupo route over the Mokau one, quite ignoring the extra cost of making per mile, the increased distance, and the very inferior – although barren – nature of the country it would pass through. This had been exposed so often that we do not consider it necessary on this occasion to reiterate the various arguments against the Taupo line, but will confine ourselves to showing some of the advantages of the Mokau one. Our statements are based on the reports furnished by Messrs Cheal, Clarke, Hursthouse, and Skeet, the latter from his thorough knowledge of the country between Stratford and Mokau, being eminently fitted to form and give an opinion upon the matter.

Besides these we have the reports of Mr Donkin C.E., who has been prospecting this country for the last four years, who has an intimate knowledge of it, and who has stated in the most clear and distinct language that not only a practicable, but a good line can be got through good country capable of carrying a heavy population. As yet the choice lies between two lines – one, for the sake of distinction, we shall call the “coast route,” although it only comes near the coast at a few points; the other we shall call the inland route. The general course of the former, which has been traversed by Mr Hursthouse, is as follows:- From Te Awamutu to Upper Mokau the line is good. Before reaching Mokau the line would run down the valley of the Awakino some distance, then cross over a low saddle to the Mokau; cross the Mokau River, and to the Mohakatino; down the latter until an easy grade can be obtained into the Tongaporutu; up the latter to where a branch of the Mimi comes close to it; down the latter to the open land and thence to Waitara – no engineering difficulty occurring the whole way. The line in this direction would be comparatively short, and sweet, would open up a fair amount of farming and grazing land, and would tap the Mokau coal and lime fields, but would not open the large extent of farming land obtainable by the inland route. The latter would branch off from the New Plymouth-Hawera railway line at Stratford, run easterly about 18 miles to the Mangaehu up this stream, and in a generally north-easterly direction to the Tangarakau and Ohura streams, avoiding both the Waitara and Wanganui Rivers the Tangaraku and Ohura streams being tributaries of the latter, and by the Ohura valley in a generally northerly direction to Mokau. The great advantage of this route would be the opening up of the very valuable land lying east of Stratford, the land being for fully forty miles level or slightly undulating, possessing a grand climate, rather drier than the country nearer Mount Egmont and the land being of very superior quality. To show the easy nature of the route we may state that Mr H.M. Skeet when making a trigonometrical survey of the country cut a pack track for his horses for about

a distance of thirty miles without passing over a hill, and he states positively from his own knowledge of the country that no difficulty exists in carrying a railway line between Stratford and the Mokau. The importance of this statement to Taranaki can scarcely be overestimated. Here we have a large area of most valuable land lying waste, utterly worthless and unproductive unless opened up by railway communication. A good metalled road might open up a portion of it, but the great bulk can only be benefitted by a railway line. It has many times been conclusively shown that the Mokau-Stratford line is shorter, and can be constructed at a lower cost per mile than the Taupo line, besides which it runs through superior country all the way. All, therefore, who have the true interests of the colony at heart – putting aside the rival claims of Taranaki and Wanganui – will be in favour of the main trunk railway being

carried in this direction. Mr Cheal, Government Surveyor, in his report in 1875, states that the country for the first sixty miles from Stratford is good agricultural and pastoral land. In his survey he committed the error of not keeping far enough to the eastward, following up the Makuri and Mangaotuku valleys and into the Waitara valley, instead of crossing to the Mangaehu and the north-easterly as we have above described. Mr Carkeek seems to have fallen into the same error in his first trial, and got into the same difficulty as Mr Cheal, but intends this time to follow the line we have indicated, being assured by the natives that no difficulty exists in that direction. This much has, however, been definitely settled, that, to a certain point, that is so far as Messrs Cheal, Skeet and Carkeek have surveyed in a certain direction, no difficulty as to laying out a line exists, and the country passed through is first class. Beyond this point the natives assert that by following the direction we have indicated no difficulty will be experienced in obtaining a good line and, moreover, it will open up good land admirably suitable for general-purpose. Surely this is sufficient to convince the most sceptical as to the superiority of the Mokau-Stratford over the Taupo route. On the one hand we have a comparatively short, cheap line, running through a good agricultural and pastoral country, on the other we have a long expensive line running through gorges, through plains of scoria, and sandy deserts, where even a rabbit would starve. To an unprejudiced mind there can be no comparison between the merits of the two routes, and those who are in favour of the latter think less of the advancement of the colony than of their own petty gains. We feel confident that when the full information with both routes is laid before Parliament the good sense of our representatives will quickly decide upon accepting the short, cheap, route as against the long, expensive one, the more particularly as the former would pass through good land, while the latter would pass through worthless.

*Researched by Volunteer Eilish Hagenson*

# Community Notices

## WHAT'S HAPPENING AT THE MUSEUM

October is a big month in the life of your local Museum as we are on the cusp of a key event "BRIDES THROUGH THE DECADES" on 12TH OCTOBER.

Ladies, book this is as a must see. Janice and the team of volunteers will take you back to memorable times as they display and model the bridal gowns of local identities. Come, gather and share your own story with others, bring the kids, hell even drag your bloke along, he won't be on the only one there. Posters are up and if you don't have tickets already, they will be available at the door.

Welcome Moewai, Rae-Hinerau and Chrissy whom have joined Amanda in the collections team. The funded project is to go through all the display cabinets cataloguing all the taonga collected over the years and registering these into the Museum Aotearoa electronic archiving system. Sounds simple, but there is quite a lot involved in describing the artefact, identifying its history and significance to the area. Once this groundwork has been set, watch out for the new displays coming next year. We plan to tell three new stories of local significance.

While paid staff help us to focus on large set tasks of the collection, the life of the museum is really down to the many dedicated volunteers. I am so grateful for every faithful member of your committee without whom nothing would get done and all see our job as connecting the museum with our community and to show it proudly to all those who pass by.

Still, there is so much to do and we have two specific roles we are seeking someone to help with. Kerry is collecting the oral history of local identities and while this is an organised good chinwag over a cuppa, once she has this it needs to be transcribed so that it is not lost over time. Does this sound like something you can

do? If so, Kerry would love to hear from you. Also, the museum building itself requires ongoing maintenance and we are looking for a caretaker whom will take this role onboard. This will involve some doing and organising of local trades and volunteers. Does this sound like something you can help us with? If so, pop in and let us know.

**ART GALLERY:** This month The Gallery is displaying the photography from local artist Derek Hughes. Derek has a wonderful talent of capturing landscapes and the natural world and displaying these on various media. Well worthwhile a visit.

On October 18 we welcome back to the Gallery New Plymouth artist Rebecca Beyer. Rebecca's art is a form of storytelling, in particular stories of adventures and journeys which reflect the emotions and interactions of our own lives. Rebecca is a painter and print maker who works mainly in acrylic, lino print and dry point etching. Thanks, Chrissy, for managing the gallery activity for us.

See you at the BRIDE'S SHOW

Ngā mihi  
Murray

**Mokau Museum & Art Gallery's**  
*Brides through the Decades*



**SATURDAY, OCTOBER 12, 2019**  
two shows: 2.30pm \$20 & 7.30pm \$25  
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SOCIETY'S 25th ANNIVERSARY

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**NOVEMBER  
ALL BOOKED**



# Community Notices

## From your Constable ...

The last 30 days have been busy from a policing perspective with a number of incidents in the area including a high number of traffic prosecutions including driving whilst under the influence of methamphetamine, driving whilst disqualified, suspended and forbidden, and careless driving.

Mental Health is still a growing concern nationally and within our community, if you need to talk to someone or need help please don't hesitate to reach out to either me or any of the following support networks:

- Rural Support - 0800 787 254
- Youth Line - 0800 376 633
- Lifeline – 0800 543 354 (0800 LIFELINE) or free text 4357 (HELP)
- Suicide Crisis Helpline – 0508 828 865 (0508 TAUTOKO)
- Healthline – 0800 611 116
- Samaritans – 0800 726 666

It was disappointing to read an article recently regarding an incident that occurred in 2018. It made mention of two members of our community who, although made a mistake, are also hard-working and contributing members to our small community. This matter was referred to the Court where the issue was dealt with. This is the correct forum to address such issues in society, rather than re-litigating it in a public forum generating conflict with people offering differing opinions. As a Police Officer we are often privy to information that is not always made public and we always strive to reach a fair balance. I work hard to keep the peace and at times, that requires us to forgive and move forward.

If you have any questions or are unsure about the changes to the Arms Act and the buy back, please don't hesitate to call me and discuss.

Quad bikes, trailers and tools such as chainsaws are expensive to replace, so it makes sense to reduce theft by taking a few extra precautions.

- Remove keys from unattended tractors and quad bikes- storing them out of sight from the outside of buildings.
- If you are unable to store quad bikes in a secure building, we recommend using a padlock or anchor and chain the bike.
- Avoid leaving tools and equipment unattended in paddocks or near public roads.
- Mark or engrave tools, vehicles and other farm property with an identifying feature such as your farm name.
- Record details and serial numbers of high-value assets and note on SNAP [www.snap.org.nz](http://www.snap.org.nz)

Always report any suspicious activity to me directly or through 111 or 105. If you don't feel comfortable about this, you can always ring the anonymous Crime Stoppers Line on 0800 555 111.

Lastly on a positive note, there was a successful search and rescue incident carried out two weeks ago at Tongaporutu. This was as a result of the many locals' volunteers from FENZ, St Johns, Tainui LandSAR, Taranaki Rescue Helicopter, Taranaki Land SAR, Police SAR and the general community. It was great to see such a wonderful turnout to support and help one of our own.

Cheers, Const. Andrew Murphy

1 Oha Street, Mokau, Cell: 021 191-1266

Email: [andrew.murphy@police.govt.nz](mailto:andrew.murphy@police.govt.nz)

## DOMAIN RECREATIONAL MANAGEMENT (RMP) PLAN

The WDC along with Iwi and the Wetere family are working on a RMP for the land which is the Domain and the Rugby Club.

*Our voices must be unified and heard so the Community has a Recreational Facility*

Calling a meeting for all Domain and Rugby Club members to discuss their part to play in the WDC RMP

15th October 8pm ~ Tainui Rugby Clubrooms

*Looking forward to seeing you there!*

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**Barbara Kuriger**  
MP for Taranaki-King Country

Water is both a critical strategic asset and a source of recreation in New Zealand, and we all know it must be abundant, healthy, clean and cost effective. While we encourage the constant improvement of our waterways, the recent proposals from the Government on Freshwater are short-sighted, and destined to have perverse effects on our primary sector and wider economy.

These wide-ranging proposals will limit the flexibility of New Zealand farmers to adjust to market conditions and change their land use. The effects of this would be far reaching and could restrict farmers from innovating, which is one of New Zealand's key advantages. This means that farmers looking to be on the cutting edge of the market and transition to new crops will be hamstrung and unable to make these transitions.

Marlborough once used to be covered in arable crops, sheep and cattle, but due to New Zealand's flexible land use farmers were able to convert to grapes as they saw market opportunities present themselves. Now Marlborough is famous for its Sauvignon Blanc. The Government's proposals will severely limit farmers' abilities to make these changes, and ultimately our primary sector and economy will suffer as a result.

The only conversions being supported by this document is the planting of more trees. Modelling in the document suggested 68 per cent of drystock

farms in the Waikato/Waipā area would be converted into forestry as a direct result of the proposed regulations.

This is heaping pressures onto a sector that is already at historically low levels of confidence. Despite the mounting pressure in the rural world, the Government has failed to even analyse how much these regulations will cost farmers and the wider economy. Once again this Government appears content to treat our farmers like New Zealand's cash cows and have little regard for their own wellbeing. This document piles more uncertainty onto the sector and many will be struggling to see a way forward.

National established a comprehensive National Policy Statement while in Government and worked alongside our primary sector to clean our waterways, which have been steadily improving, as shown by the Government's own data from Land, Air, Water Aotearoa (LAWA). This analysis of national river quality trends from 2008 to 2017 showed that for eight out of the nine water quality indicators reported on, more monitored sites were improving than degrading.

A large part of this consistent increase in quality is the huge amount of work farmers have already done to improve water quality. We signed an accord with the dairy industry that has seen farmers fence off 98 per cent of their waterways, a distance of Auckland to Chicago and back, alongside spending over \$1 billion in environmental investment over the last five years. This is a major achievement from our farmers but not a story David Parker wants to tell.

It's outrageous that the Government seems hell-bent on putting more and more shackles on the sector that produces 60 per cent of our exports and is the backbone of our economy. If we want first world healthcare, transport and education, we have to sell something to the world to afford to buy our first world affluence. This means we should be encouraging sustainable growth for our industry, not stifling it with regulations in the name of political ideology.

***Authorised by Barbara Kuriger, Parliament Buildings, Wellington***

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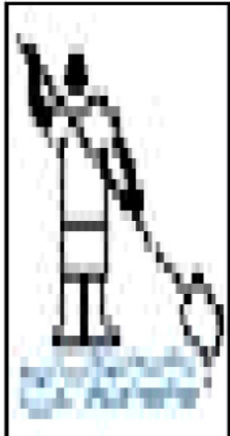
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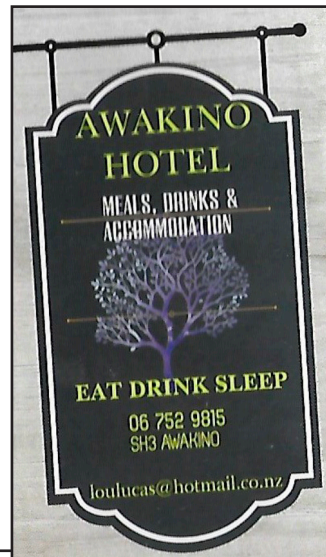
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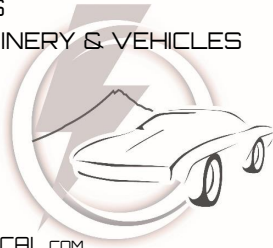
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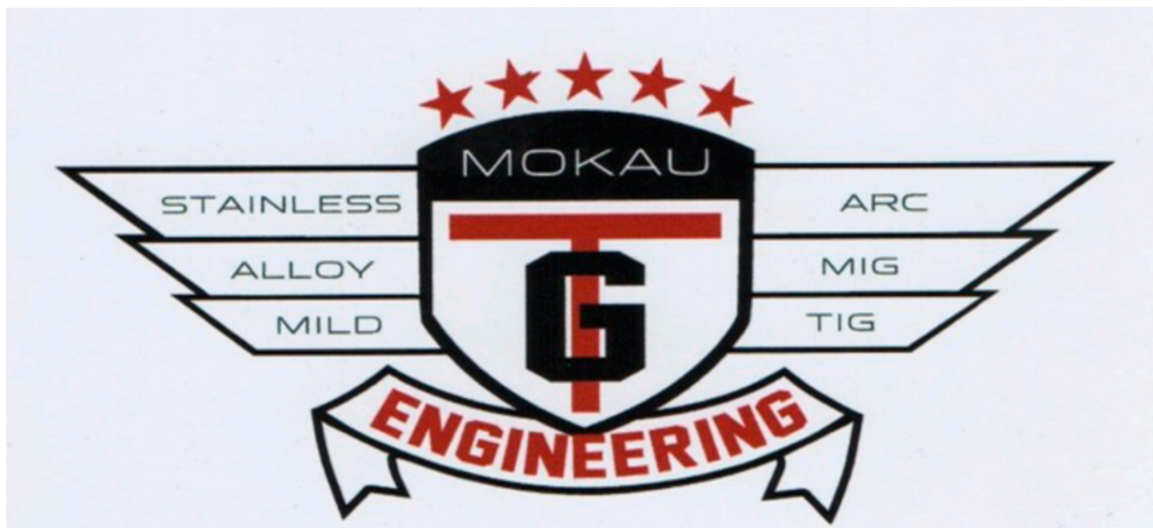
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