



# Anderson Park Community Plan

2018-2021



It takes a village to raise a kid



# Contents

Our Vision ..... 3

Community Profile..... 4

Our Community ..... 5

Our Priority Areas ..... 6

Kids Wish List..... 8

Vege Garden & Community Sports ..... 9



## Our Vision

An inclusive community operating in harmony with each other. A community that is child focussed, safe and provides support and activities for our young people.

One of the main focuses of the Anderson Park community plan is children and young people. Over one quarter of the Anderson Park community is under fifteen years old, which is why young people and children are such a big focus for us. We want our roads and streets to be safe for our children to play on and around.

We want pathways, activities and support for our young people when they are in and leaving school. Our kids say Anderson Park is a friendly place with lots of trees and outdoor space. They like that everyone you see has a happy face.



# Community Profile

**1482**

TOTAL  
POPULATION

**33.3**

YEARS OLD IS  
THE MEDIAN AGE  
(HALF ARE YOUNGER,  
HALF ARE OLDER)

**231**

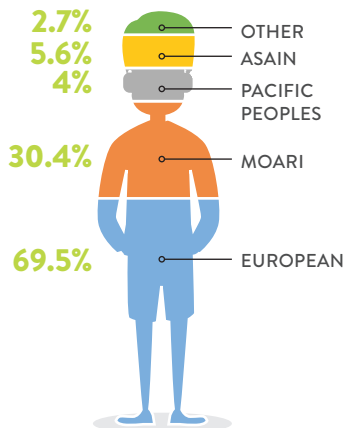
PEOPLE AGED 65  
AND OVER

**403**

PEOPLE AGED 15,  
OVER ONE QUARTER  
OF THE POPULATION

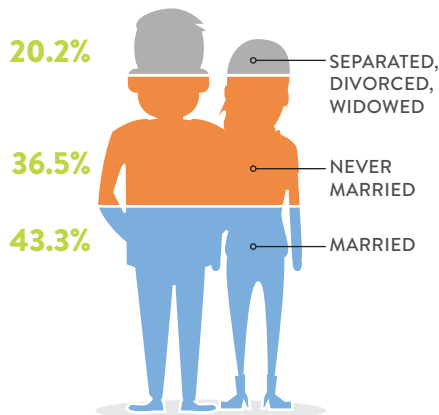


## ETHNIC GROUPS



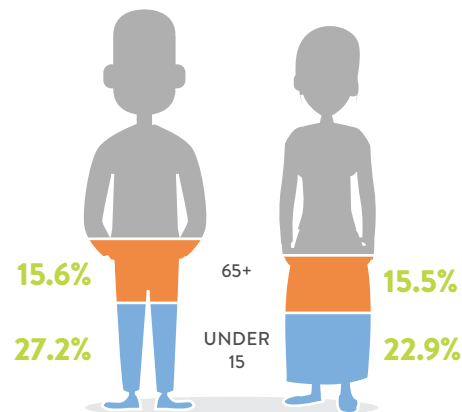
## RELATIONSHIP STATUS

FOR THOSE OVER 15



## AGE BREAKDOWN

ANDERSON PARK      HASTINGS



# Our Community

- 1 SCHOOL PARK
- 2 KINDERGARTEN
- 3 GARDENS
- 4 KOHANGA REO
- 5 CHURCH



# Our Priority Areas



## 1. SAFETY OF OUR CHILDREN

We want our streets and neighbourhoods to be safe for our children to be children.



## 4. HEALTHY, ACTIVE LIFESTYLES

We want to create activities that encourage healthy, active lifestyles for all.



## 2. KNOWING OUR NEIGHBOURS

We want to ensure we all know our neighbours.



## 5. A PLACE FOR EVERYONE

We want to have a place where everyone can go and access the support they need.



## 3. YOUTH OPPORTUNITIES

We want to focus on providing opportunities, activities and support to our young people.





PRIORITY AREA	ACTION	COMMUNITY	COUNCIL	PARTNERS
<b>SAFETY OF OUR CHILDREN</b>	Improving the safety of our roads		Traffic calming measures (speed bumps, pedestrian crossings) A seat and a shelter for the bus stop on Lipscombe crescent	Police Maori Wardens
	Promoting awareness and engagement with neighbourhood support groups	Promote groups	Enable community neighbourhood support groups	
<b>KNOWING OUR NEIGHBOURS</b>	Activities to get to know our neighbours	Community events • BBQ's • picnics • children's games		Local Businesses (sponsorship and prizes) Anderson Park Action Group
<b>YOUTH OPPORTUNITIES</b>	More activities for our young people	Sports Groups	Promote Youth Council	Sport Hawkes Bay (Sports groups and courses)
	Providing support to those young people leaving and who have finished school		Promotion of Council services through posters and social media	Youth Service Providers (Support services)
<b>HEALTHY, ACTIVE LIFESTYLES</b>	Promoting use of the community garden (healthy eating)	Talk to neighbours Community event at garden	Sponsor seeds Provide a public water fountain	Churches / Hawkes Bay District Health Board (Healthy cooking course)
				Local businesses e.g Bostocks (sponsor seeds)
	More sports activities and groups	Run sports teams within community		Sports Hawkes Bay (Sports groups and courses)
<b>A PLACE FOR EVERYONE</b>	A community hub where people can go to access services	Pick location: School, gardens, park, courts		Youth Service Providers Social Service Providers
	Upgrading the Anderson Park playground to cater to kids of all ages		Provide equipment like Flaxmere including Splash pad and BBQ. (also refer to kids wish list below)	
	Have the vegetable gardens more user friendly	Ensure equipment is looked after Identify and plant fruit and vegetables that the community will use	Build and maintain toilets in garden	Anderson Park Action Group



# Kids Wish List

- **Basketball Court**

- Beat Box
- Bigger Field

- **Bigger Better Playground**

- **Bike Track**

- Bungee Jumping
- Flip Out

- **Flying Fox**

- Gym Ice Skating
- Indoor Soccer Fields
- Laser Force
- Library
- Maze

- Medical Place

- **More Playground Equipment**

- More shops - Pita Pit, Red Rat, Burger King, Warehouse, KFC
- Outdoor Stadium Theatre
- Pet Shop
- Pirate Ship
- Planet Look Out & Learning

- **Public Toilets**

- Robots
- Roller Blading

- **Skate Park**

- Sports- Soccer, Softball, Rugby, Cricket, Yoga

- Splash Planet

- **Swimming Pool**

- **Splash Pad**

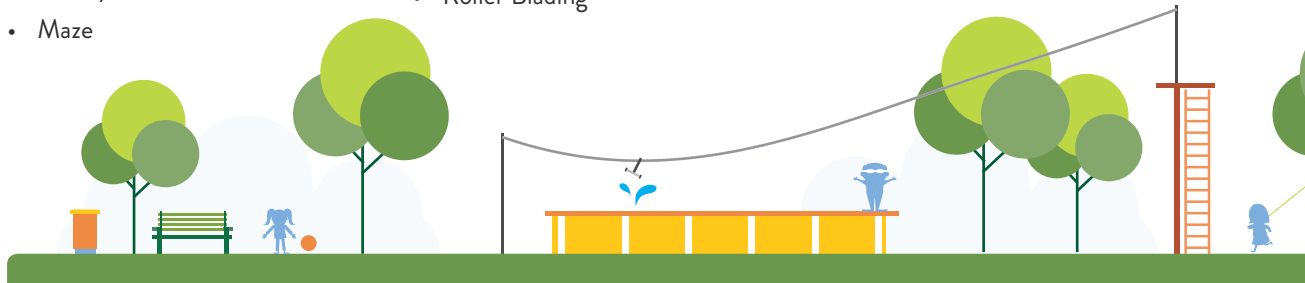
- Time Zone
- Treehouse

- **Water Fountain**

- **Waterpark**

- Zoo

Most requested 'wishes' in **bold**





# Vege Garden Wish List



Basic Greens

Carrots

Cherries

Fruit Trees

Herbs

Potatoes

Pumpkin

Root Crops

Salad Ingredients

Seasonal

Vegetables

Silverbeet

Squash

Strawberries

Watermelon

Tomatoes





FOR OUR YOUNG PEOPLE TO LEAD AND JOIN. ● THE FOLLOWING ARE COMMUNITY SPORTS WE WANT TO BE AVAILABLE

**Cricket**  
**Touch rugby**  
**Netball** **Soccer**  
**Basketball**  
**Community Sports**  
**Ripper rugby**  
**T-ball** **Softball**  
**Ki-o-rahi**

# Programmes and Activities

*we would like to run out of a community hub*

Anderson  
Park  
Community

DOMESTIC VIOLENCE SUPPORT

DRAWING GROUP

YOUTH GROUPS

HEALTHY COOKING CLASSES

BREAKFAST CLUB

DRUG SUPPORT

MUMS GROUP

HOMEWORK CLUB

KIO-RAHI

PARTIES

ARTS CENTRE

MEETINGS

ZUMBA

GAMES

COMMUNITIES STUFF

MUMS GROUP

DADS GROUP

MUSIC GROUP

SHOWS



***For more information contact***



Hastings District Council  
Community Connector   
06 871 5000