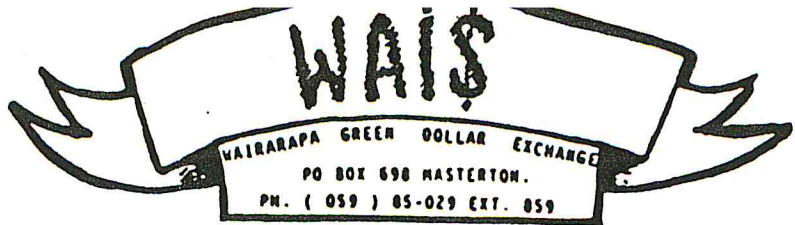


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WAI\$WORDS

Wairarapa Green Dollars Newsletter August 1991

Greetings!

Yes! Here it is at last! Isn't it exciting never knowing when your next WAI\$WORDS will arrive and what it will look like. Soon it may become regular, standardized, predictable but hopefully never boring. Now we don't want you feeling that we are completely incompetent when it comes to computer operating and putting out regular newsletters. Our policy is to put out monthly newsletters due out by the second week. This should give us enough time after closing the previous months transactions to print statements and an updated directory and to compose, print and distribute WAISWORDS after discussion at our committee meeting.

One unplanned change in the coding of job numbers in the directory has led to some confusion. The system will be restored to one of 3 digits but with each item being given a unique number similar to the Dewey Decimal System.

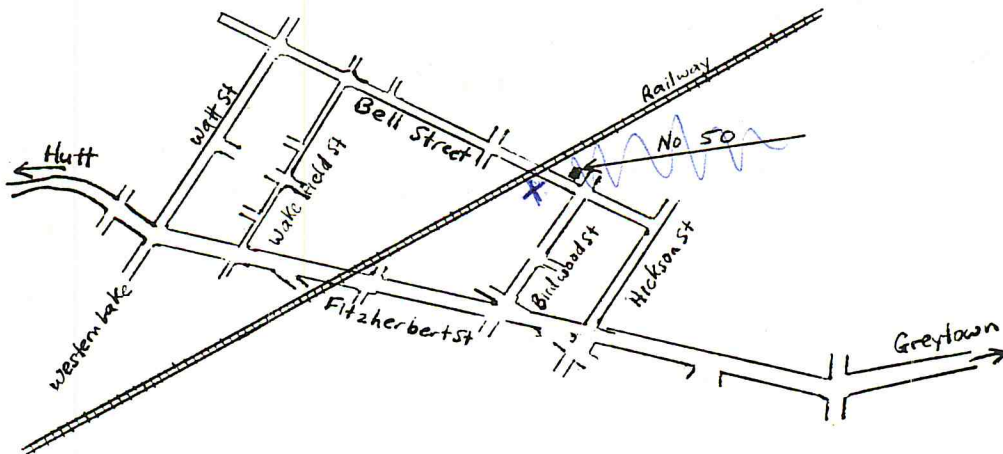
Our membership is now well over 50 which is almost the same as the Wellington exchange that was started over two years ago!

Our next Trading Evening has been organised for our SOUTHWAI\$ members who want to trade, join or just learn more about the exchange.

Wednesday 28 August
7.30 pm
St Teresa's School Hall
50 Bell St, Featherston

Car pooling for Masterton people departs 6.45pm from Eric's 50 South Road Ph 81750.

The map below may (or may not) help you get there! (FEATHERSTON, that is!!)



This extract is from a letter written by one of those who was present at the Trading Evening at Ian's:-

"Thought on the way home from the meeting.

Would it be on for Wai\$ to lease area of suitable land, pay someone to prepare it, get members working bee to plant it in spuds, pay someone to look after crop, let members buy on dig-your-own basis. All transactions in Wai\$.

Only a slight extension. Considerable possibilities for community farm development but for now...just spuds. See how it goes.

What a great idea! Who has got a suitable patch of land? Does anyone have planting machinery/expertise? Would you be able to look after it? Would someone like to take overall responsibility to co-ordinate it? We need to move soon to to do it this season. Phone or write to one of us.

Keep those ideas coming we may not be able to tackle all of them but with our combined skills and resourses we should be able to find willing helpers within our growing membership.

Committee meetings are held on the 1st & 3rd Wednesdays each month beginning at 7.30pm. At present most are held at Dennis & Mary's but we may make more use of Purnell in the future as we now have an office there. A desk has been borrowed along with Ian's answerphone. We are seeking to purchase a filing cabinet. Any ideas! We are also considering a new phone number.

The committee have been thrilled with the reponse to the trading evenings and believe we need to have at least one each month. We decided to make the 28th of each month a regular trading day thus ensuring a variety of days of the week. [Trade-off those unneeded Xmas presents 28 Dec]. Other dates will also be advertised. These occasions are easy to organise so let me (Hayden) know when we can come and trade at your place!

At trading days; WAI\$ dollars & Kiwi dollars can be used, instructions will be given on "How to Trade" and new members can join-up. Bring a plate for a shared supper for the Trading Evenings.

These activities are a lot of fun and can be a great social event. About \$W300 was turned over at Ian's (02/08/91). Even if you have nothing to sell you may be tempted to buy some of the; plants, seeds, produce, preserves, wool, meat, books etc. on offer. Remember spending green dollars is completely painless and is even good for you and the rest of the WAI\$ people.

See you there!
Hayden.

TRADING DAYS PROGRAMME

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>Hosts</u>	<u>Venue</u>
Wed 28 August	7.30-9.30pm	St Teresa's School	Hall 50 Bell St Fstn ②
Sat 31 August	10am-noon	Malcolm & Joy Russell	61 Opaki Road Mstn ③
Sat 14 September	10am-noon	Eric McCutcheon's	50 South Road Mstn ④
Sat 28 September	to be confirmed		Eketahuna
Mon 28 October	" "	" "	Masterton
Sat 9 November	4.30 - 8.00 pm	Att and Helen Dew	13 Costley Street Carterton

Proposed Garden Tour:

Taranaki Rhododendron and Rose Festival from 1/11/91
6 days! Travelling costs only! Pay with WAI\$ dollars!

Those going must make own accommodation arrangements.

Enquiries to: Barry Longhurst WAI\$ No 1029.

Find WAI\$ words!

Wai\$

Results next month!

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Our next month's newsletter will contain a full directory for trading.