

Kia Ora...

Welcome to our second Quarterly newsletter! This quarter has been packed with exciting and memorable events, but not to worry the next quarter is just as good.

The Wrangler Encounter Race Team have been tearing up the track and are half way through the NZ MX Nationals having competed at the Taranaki and Rotorua rounds over the past month with the final two rounds coming up in March. Despite some setbacks and bike troubles the race team continue to have a great attitude and a willingness to just keep riding, we take our helmet off to you.

The Father Son Camp in February was a true success and our camp attendees can attest to that. From relay races and tricky treasure hunts to creating meaningful experiences and bonds between father and son, the Father Son

Camp will be making a comeback in July so keep an eye out for that.

We kicked off the year with the first Dirt Bike Encounter program for the year in late February where we saw 6 awesome youth begin their dirt bike journey to discovering their potential.

With so many events coming up this year we can't wait to have you along. To learn more about what we are doing and where we are going head along to our AGM on June 23rd at the Daily Café in Te Puke, 2-4pm, we would love to see you there.







Andre 'BFG' Whitehead is our on call good bloke. From being a regular donor to letting Encounter use the family track you can always count on Andre to lend a helping hand.

In his early days he was a camper 'causing' ruckus and as much noise as he could on his dirt bike.

Today you can find Andre with his bees, running the family bee business, with the Encounter crew helping out with Encounter Success days, camps and participating in the Get Real nights. One thing you can be sure of is Andre truly does live life wide open!

Andre is an integral part of our organisation and is always keen and ready to be there when needed.

So cheers Andre for being an awesome volunteer, you and our many other volunteers are part of what makes Youth Encounter such an epic organisation.





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Being the latest addition to our range of lifechanging programs, Encounter Success has seen multitudes of personal and professional growth as well as quality team building and the ability to (by the end of the day) fly high and successfully ride a dirt bike.



We have some more encounter success team building days coming up soon and our new encounter success initiative premieres on Saturday 5th of May, it's our Ladies Learn to Ride Day! This event is for all our ladies out there who are keen to learn to ride but don't consider their significant other the best teacher. Mary and the Encounter Success team will coach you step by step to reach your dirt bike riding dreams with great catering and an easy going learning environment.

So all you ladies out there be ambitious and get in quick to take hold of this fantastic opportunity to join us on our Ladies Learn To Ride Day.

If you would like to know more check out the March 2018 DRD Magazine or contact Tracey for more info. Otherwise register here now https://goo.gl/753VoJ.

DUNATION IS A GIFT

This Quarter we have received a MASSIVE gift from Fulton Hogan. March the 6th saw us collect a brand new buggy from their Auckland yard. This buggy will help us get our medics around the track quickly when needed and for our encounter success initiatives. Our heartfelt gratitude and thanks to Fulton Hogan for their generosity in helping Youth Encounter fulfil our mission.



Every donation is a gift that we are so blessed to receive whether it is a physical contribution to help our services or \$\$ donation. We value your support to Youth Encounter more than you can imagine and so we have launched a new way for you to support us and the work we do in your community - Regular Donor.

If you would like to support Youth Encounter on a weekly/monthly basis here's how you can do that in three easy steps...

- Commit weekly/monthly to making a regular donation
- Set up an automatic payment (Youth Encounter, 02 0452 0048320 00)
- Watch your community flourish with more young people making good decisions with the help of your generous donation.

Want to know more? Call Tracey on 021559702

UPCOMING CAMPS

We have some fantastic camps coming up over the next few months for all ages.

Young Adults Camp | 20th-22nd of April

Designed for ages 17+ Young Adults Camp is the place to be for epic riding, quality yarns, and connecting with God.
Register here - https://goo.gl/iTa4UF

Winter Wind Out | 1st-4th of June

If you're a teen this is the best way to spend Queens birthday weekend!
Register here - https://goo.gl/cRW3SZ

Father Son Camp | 20th-22nd of July

Connect with your parent or child in the best way possible. If you would like to attend keep an eye on the website as registrations will be opening soon.

Want to know more?
Contact Tracey Christian
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IMPURTANT DATES



WEEKLY EVENTS 18

TUESDAYS & WEDNESDAYS

Dirt Bike Encounter 1on1 therapy sessions Bookings available Contact Tracey for details

WEDNESDAYS

Team Encounter Connect Get Real ride night & BBQ Contact Mary for further info

THURSDAYS

Dirt Bike Encounter Program

MARCH 2018

APRIL 2018

FRI 20th - SUN 22nd Young Adults Camp Register here https://goo.gl/iTa4UF

MAY 2018

SAT 5th

Ladies Learn to Ride Day Register here https://goo.gl/753VoJ

JUNE 2018

FRI 1ST - MON 4TH

Winter Wind Out 18 - Youth Camp Register here https://goo.gl/cRW3SZ

SAT 23RD

AGM - 2-4pm at the Daily Café in Te Puke. Let Tracey know if you can make it tracey@youthencounter.co.nz or 021599702

JULY 2018

FRI 6TH - SUN 8TH Young Adults Camp

FRI 20TH - SUN 22ND

SAT 24th **Encounter Race Team** Father Son Camp Rnd 4 MX Nationals Registration opening soon Taupo

Want to know more? Contact us today:

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