



Akatarawa Forest Weekly Event Calendar Friday 12th April 2019

New:

- **Cooks Ridge Rd closed due to Harvesting operations**
- **Any incidents resulting in fire or potential for fire are to be reported immediately Call 111**
- **Rock Garden closed to all 4WD due to track subsidence**
- **Cooks Main Loop is now open for Horse riders and recreational users in the weekends and after operational logging hours, NO MOTORISED RECREATION without authorised permit**

Ongoing:

- **Caution is required when driving on all the forests roads. Hazards may include fallen trees, washouts debris and slips.**
- **Devils Staircase/Rock Garden route difficult terrain experienced riders only**
- **CAUTION Rock slip on Karapoti/Hukinga pass with care**
- **Extra care needed when using all ford crossings.**
- **6km Valley View short cut track to 7km Airstrip is closed**

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| 1. Saturday 13 th April - Sunday 14 th April 2019 | Kapi-Mana Motorcycle Club | Murray Dick | x Motorcycles | Clean up | Puketiro Rd, Clearys Rd, Junction Hill, Toitoti Rd, Hydro Rd, Puketiro Rd, Drapers 1, Native Loop South Centre Rd, Road 9, Dicks Yard, Blowfly Rd, Curtis Flat, Yard Rd, |
| 2. Sunday 14 th April 2019 | CCVC | Dave De Martin | 10 x 4WD | Club Trip | Pram, Whakatiki Forest, Devils Staircase, Pines, Hydro Valley, Hydro, Orange Hut, Ruts, Clearys, Junction |
| 3. Sunday 14 th April 2019 | Manawatu 4WD Club | Jeff Whitehead | 10 x 4WD | Club Trip | In perhams, Titi road, twin gates -fenceline clay banks, hydro valley road. Norms crossing time road, toi toi road, hydro road., whakatikei road The ruts |
| 4. Friday 19 th April - Monday 22 nd April 2019 | CCVC & Wellington Family 4WD Club | Dave De Martin | 10 x 4WD | Club Trip | Puketiro, Dicks Yard, Hydro, Cleary's, Junction, Rimu, Whakatiki Forest, Devils Staircase, Pines, Causeway, Slippery Forest, Ruts, Fenceline, Pram Track |

Plantation Forestry

Valley View Forest

- Roadside mowing operations in progress. Please obey signage and contact operator before passing machine

**Logging traffic along Valley View road between 4am and 5pm weekdays.
Radio communication on these roads at all times**

Hukinga Forest

- Roadside mowing operations in progress. Please obey signage and contact operator before passing machine

Puketiro Forest

- Roadside mowing operations in progress. Please obey signage and contact operator before passing machine
- Harvesting and road construction taking place beside Dude Ranch Road and Cooks Ridge Road for the next 12 months. No access to this area while harvesting is in progress. This operational area is off limits to recreational use at all times.
- Road maintenance Puketiro road, Rallywoods Rd, Main loop Rd.

Logging traffic along Puketiro, Rallywoods roads between 4am and 5pm weekdays. Radio communication on these roads at all times.

Fire Danger

There are to be no fires lit and no cigarette smoking within the exotic forest estate. Any fires need to be reported to the PF Olsen forest manager immediately after calling 111

Pakuratahi Forest

- Roadside mowing operations in progress. Please obey signage and contact operator before passing machine

Mangaroa Forest

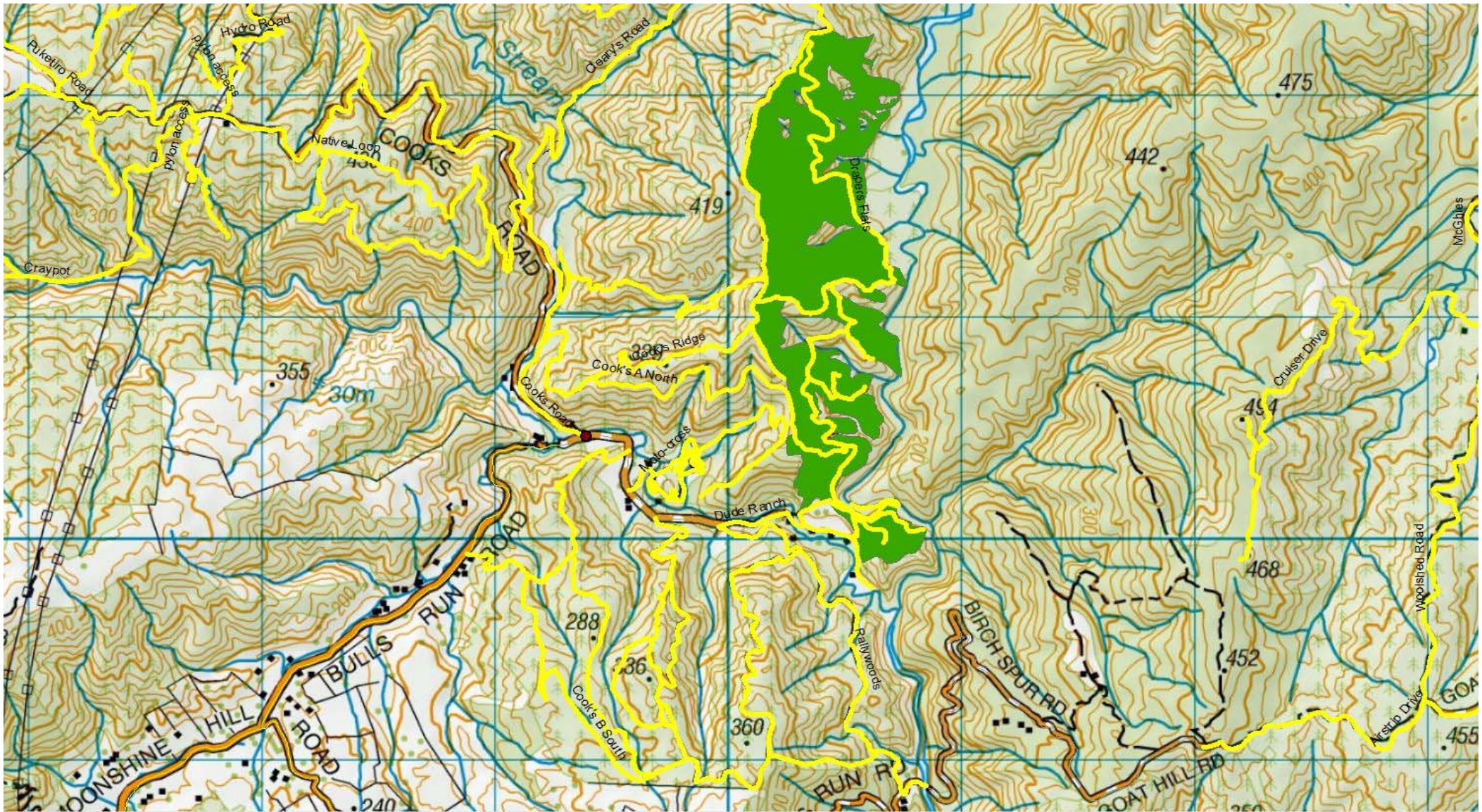
- Harvesting has commenced in Mangaroa Forest, Pakuratahi West. Forest is closed until further notice.

Maymorn Forest

**The speed limit in the Forest is 30kph
Please ensure that you obey this limit.
Not all vehicles are equipped with radios –
Drive to stop in half the clear distance ahead
All vehicles must have headlights on in forest**

**BEWARE OF MOUNTAIN BIKES AND PEDESTRIANS ADJACENT TO
LOGGING ROADS**

All vehicles MUST give way to loaded logging trucks



Harvesting Operations happening on Cooks Ridge Road

Akatarawa Forest Block

- Greater Wellington Regional Council Rangers will be on Duty throughout the Forest.
- **Whakatikei wetland closed to all motorised recreation users.**
- Transpower / Broad Spectrum/ North Power undergoing pylon maintenance in Puketiro / Hydro Road and Hydro Valley Road

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Akatarawa Forest Block

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Pakuratahi Forest

- 22nd - 27 of April.2019



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| 2. Sunday 5 th May 2019 | Plunket Concession ID 1528 | Maddie Murphy- Harris | 3 x 4WD | Plunket Fundraiser Walk/Run <b style="color: red;">Incline access road will be closed to all vehicles during event. Pedestrian Access only | Remutaka Rail Trail, Goat Rock |

Parks

- Greater Wellington Regional Council Rangers will be on Duty throughout the Forest.
- Deer Stalkers Rifle Range – Associated clubs use Range most weekends.
- Horse riding ongoing – route through Station Drive, Goat Rock

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