



## Akatarawa Forest Weekly Event Calendar Friday 12<sup>th</sup> October 2018

### **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**
- **Slip on McGhies Road pass with care**
- **Harvesting works underway in the Cooks Ridge and Dude Ranch area on Saturday October 13th**

### **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 <sup>th</sup> October 2018 - Sunday 13 <sup>th</sup> October 2018 | CCVC                       | Steve Mercer   | 10 x 4WD | Club 4x4 trip | Perhams, Titi Rd, Whakatiki Rd, Norms Crossing, Hydro Valley rd, Orange Hut, Ruts, Slippery Forest, Hydro Rd, ToiToi Rd, Rimu Rd, Hydro Valley Rd, Perhams |
| 2. Sunday 21st October 2018  | Levin 4WD Club             | Jeff Whitehead | 10 x 4WD | Club Trip     | Perhams, titi, whakatiki, pram track, mcghies, valley view, airstrip, woolshed, pukitero, clearys, hydro, rimu   |
| 3. Sunday 16th December 2018   | Le Trec<br>Concession 1392 | Karena Fellows | Horses   | Horse Trek    | Puketiro, Blow fly, Curtis Flat  |

# Plantation Forestry

## Valley View Forest

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

## Hukinga Forest

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## Puketiro Forest

- Harvesting works underway in the Cooks Ridge and Dude Ranch area on Saturday October 13<sup>th</sup>
- 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

- Roading Contractors working on the Back Road

## **Mangaroa Forest**

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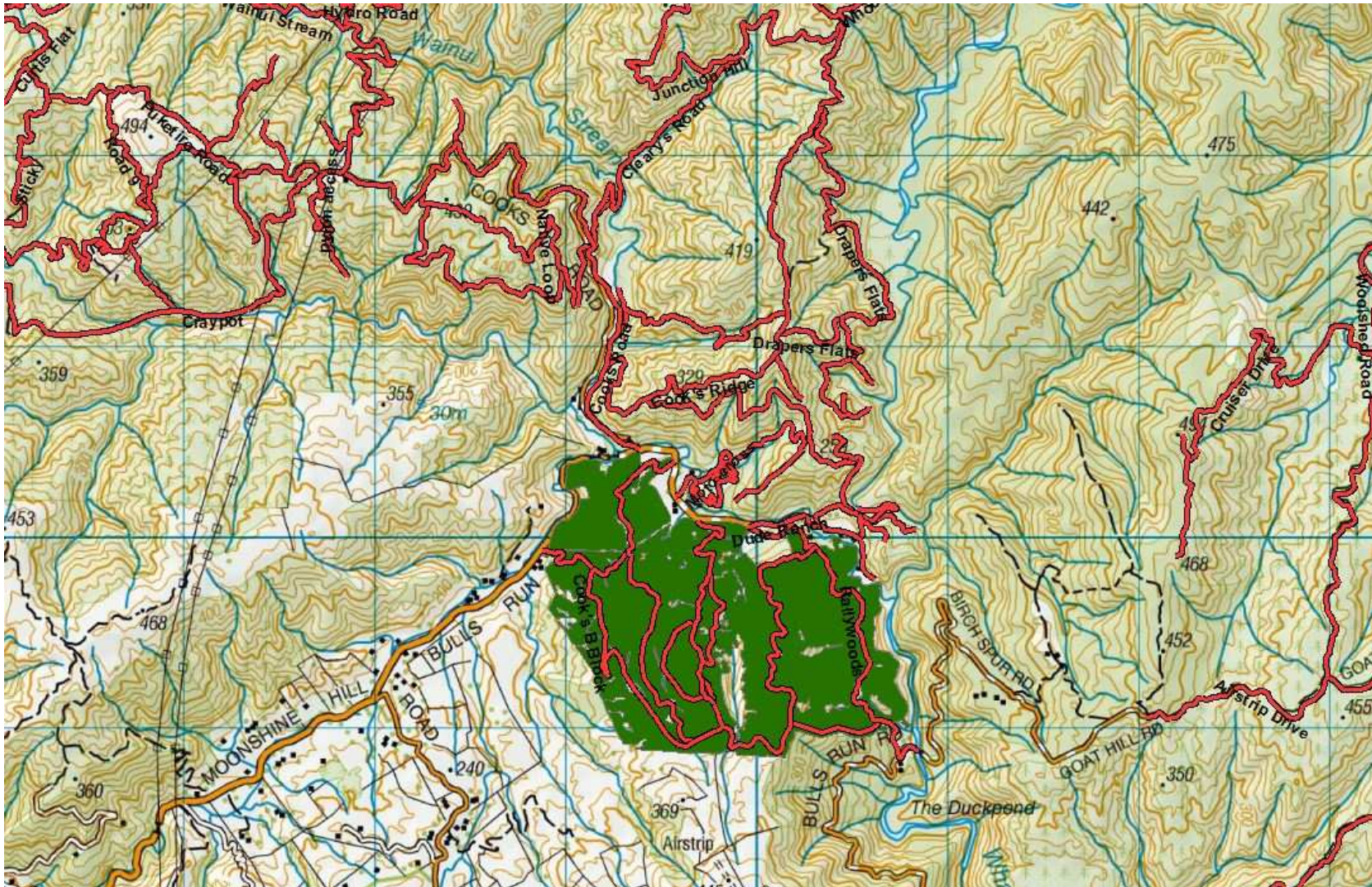
## **Maymorn Forest**

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

**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**

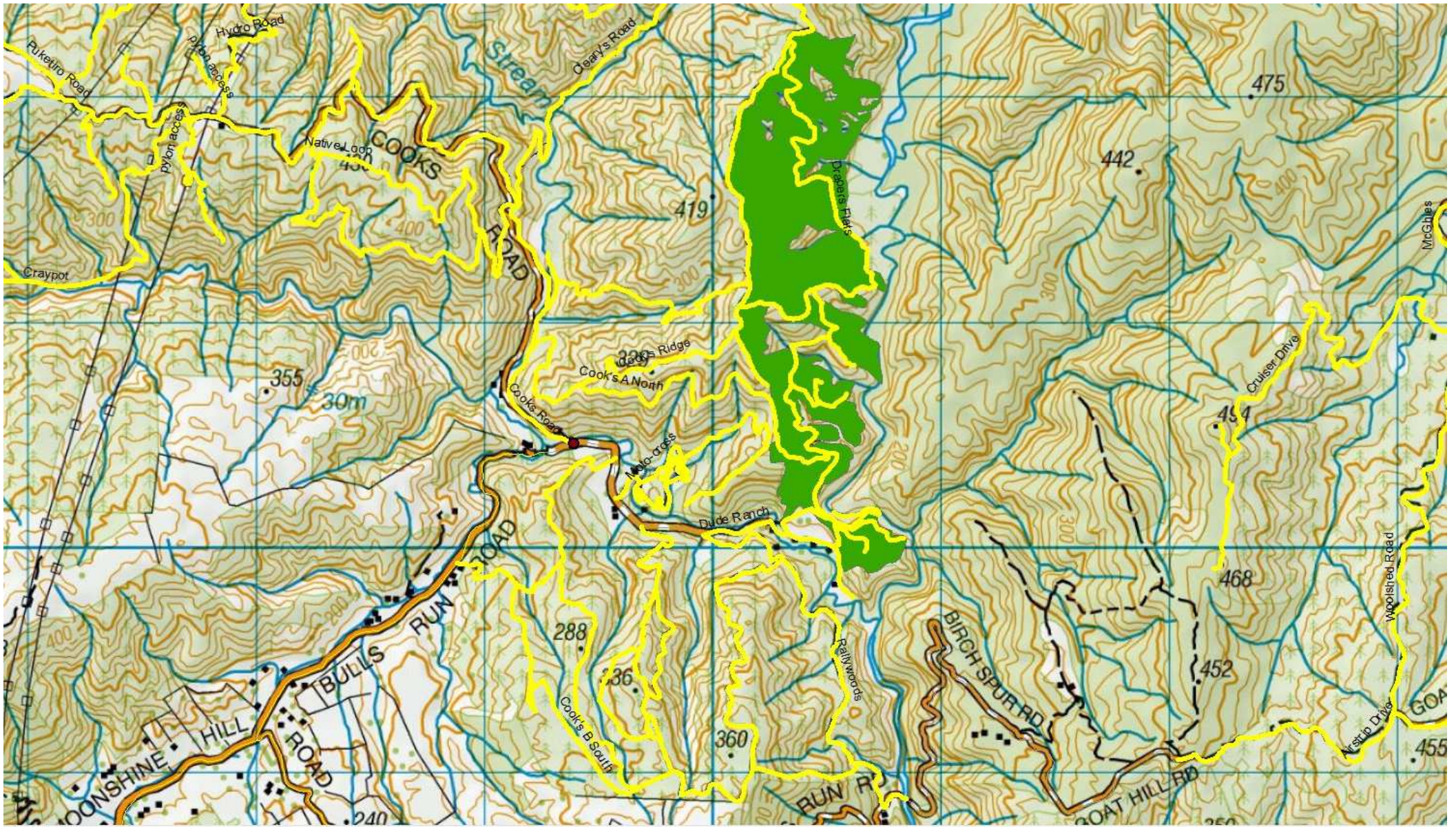
**BEWARE OF MOUNTAIN BIKES AND PEDESTRIANS ADJACENT TO  
LOGGING ROADS**

**All vehicles MUST give way to loaded logging trucks**



**Road banners in place, radio contact required**

Cooks Block, Rallywoods Road, Valley View Forest.



Harvesting Operations happening on Cooks Ridge Road



Puketiro Forest, 11km Rallywoods 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



## **KNE Feral Ungulate Hunting Schedule Akatarawa and Pakuratahi Forests**

### **Akatarawa Forest Block**

- 7th-14th of March

### **Pakuratahi Forest**

- 21<sup>st</sup>-28<sup>th</sup> of March 2019
- 22<sup>nd</sup> - 27 of April.2019



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|--------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------------|----------|--------------|-----------------------|
| 1. Saturday 10th November 2018 | Trentham Harriers<br>Concession 831 | Mark Bassett | 4 x 4WD  | Fun Run Walk | Rail Trail, Back Road |

## Parks

- Greater Wellington Regional Council Rangers will be on Duty throughout the Forest.
- **Harvesting has commenced in Maymorn Forest, Pakuratahi West. Forest is closed until further notice.**
- **Bio Security Contractors along Rail Trail**
- Roding Contractors working on the Back Road
- **Deer Stalkers Rifle Range** – Associated clubs use Range most weekends.
- **Horse riding ongoing** – route through Station Drive, Goat Rock

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