



Akatarawa Forest Weekly Event Calendar Friday 23rd September 2016

Date	Organisation	Contact	Vehicles	Activities	Areas to be used
1. Thursday 1 st September 2016 – Friday 30 th September	ARAC	Marcus Steeneken	5 x 4WD	ARAC/GW related activities Orange Hut repairs and maintenance, Rimu Road shelter / picnic area project.	Valley View Rd, Clarkes Creek, Airstrip Dr, Woolshed Rd, McGhies Br, Titi Rd, Perhams Rd, Whakatikei Rd, Hydro Valley, Hydro Rd, Rimu Rd, Pram Track, ToiToi Rd, Clearys Rd, Puketiro Rd
2. Sunday 25 th September 2016	Wellington Family 4x4 Club	Marcus Steeneken	10 x 4WD	4WD Trip	Valley View Rd, Clarkes Creek, Airstrip Dr, Woolshed Rd, McGhies Br, Titi Rd, Perhams Rd, Whakatikei Rd, Hydro Valley, Hydro Rd, Rimu Rd, Pram Track, ToiToi Rd, Clearys Rd, Puketiro Rd
3. Sunday 25 th September 2016	CCVC	Dave De Martin	10 x 4WD	4WD Trip	Valley View Rd, Clarkes Creek, Airstrip Dr, Woolshed Rd, McGhies Br, Titi Rd, Perhams Rd, Whakatikei Rd, Hydro Valley, Hydro Rd, Rimu Rd, Pram Track, ToiToi Rd, Clearys Rd, Puketiro Rd
4. Sunday 2 nd October 2016	Kapa Mana Motorcycle Club	Murray Dick	50 x Motorcycles	Trail Ride	Puketiro Forest

Extra caution is required when driving on all the forests roads. Hazards including fallen trees, washouts and slips are likely.

Note:

- **Slip on Clearys Road Closed.**
- **Hukinga Road Closed to all motorised recreation users due to road collapse.**
- **Devils Staircase closed to all motorised recreation users from 1st June to 1st October 2016**
- **Scouring on Hydro Road above Wainui Stream proceed with care.**
- **Extra care needed when using all ford crossings.**
- **Whakatikei causeway culvert washout proceed pass with care.**
- **Whakatikei wetland closed to all motorised recreation users.**

Plantation Forestry

Valley View Forest

- Harvesting Lindsays from marker 11 and spring road. Obey signage. Do not approach working machinery unless authorised by the harvesting crew. This operational area off limits to recreational use.
- Road maintenance machines and trucks working along Valley View and Lyndsays roads. Grader working along trucking routes, Valley View, Lyndsays and Airstrip roads.
- Planting to occur in Lyndsays road and Beech Spur road areas.
- Harvesting Woolshed road area. Obey signage. Do not approach working machinery unless authorised by the harvesting crew. This operational area off limits to recreational use.

Hukinga Forest

Puketiro Forest

- Planting occurring in Centre Rd South area.
- Road maintenance Puketiro road, Rallywoods Rd, Drapers road.
- Harvesting in Drapers road area. No access to this area while harvesting in progress. Some disruption to traffic flow on Puketiro road over coming months. Harvesting zone extends to the area around the end of Centre South Rd. Obey signage. Do not approach working machinery unless authorised by the harvesting crew. This operational area is off limits to recreational use.
- **Harvesting at the end of Number 9 Road.**
- Harvesting Main Loop Road area. No access to this area while harvesting in progress. Some disruption to access along Rallywoods road during this operation. Obey signage. Do not approach working machinery unless authorised by the harvesting crew. This operational area is off limits to recreational use.
- Grader operating along Rallywoods and Puketiro roads.
- **Logging traffic along Puketiro, Rallywoods, Airstrip, Valley View, Lindsays and Ragworts roads between 4am and 5pm weekdays. Radio communication on these roads at all times.**

Fire Danger

There are to be no fires lit within the exotic forest estate. Any fires need to be reported to the PF Olsen forest manager immediately.

Whakatikei Forest

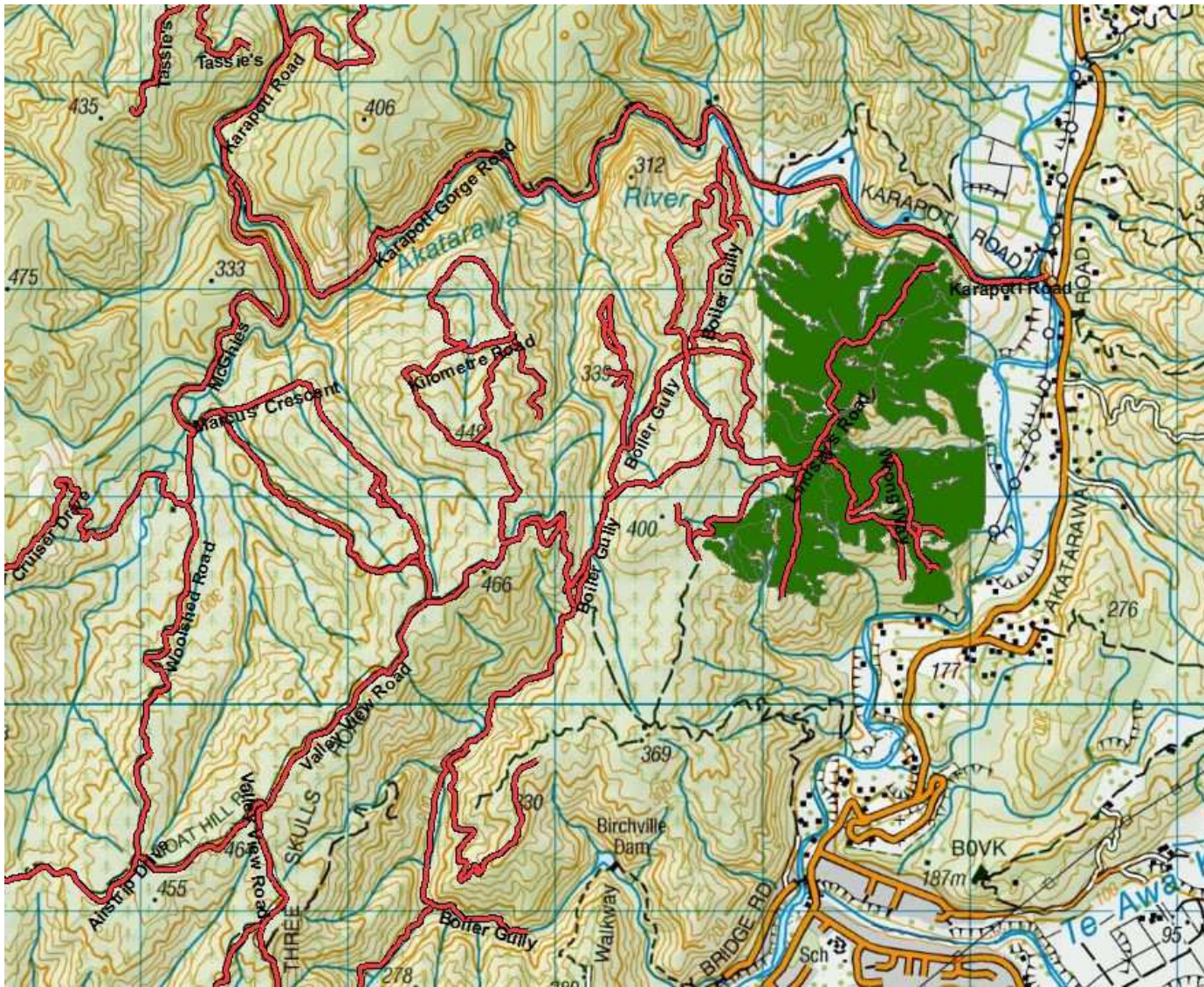
Pakuratahi Forest

- Harvesting underway in Kaitoke, Twin lakes area. This area is out of bounds for the public during weekdays.
- Roding engineering Kaitoke twin lakes area.

**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**

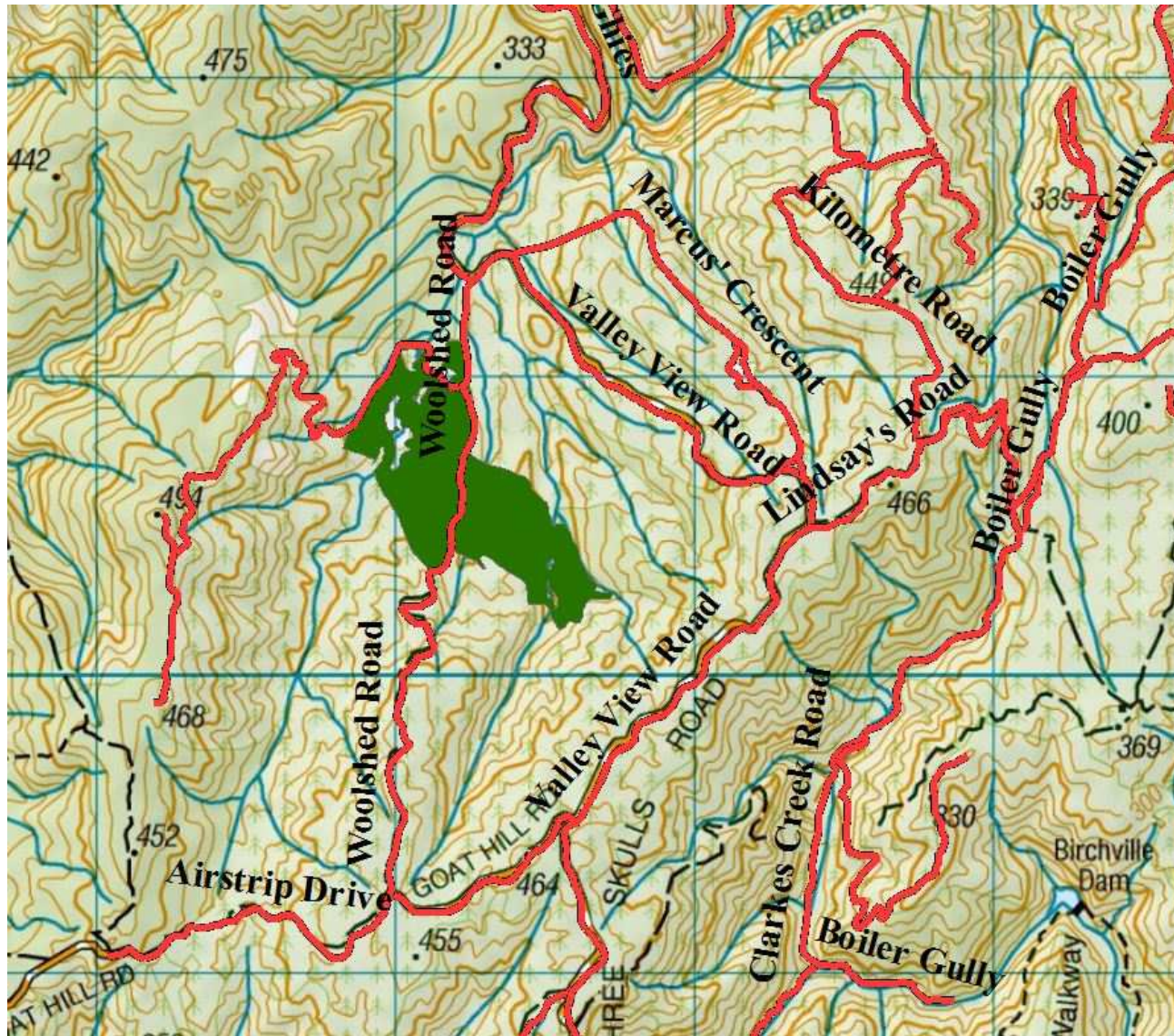
**BEWARE OF MOUNTAIN BIKES AND PEDESTRIANS ADJACENT TO
LOGGING ROADS**

All vehicles MUST give way to loaded logging trucks

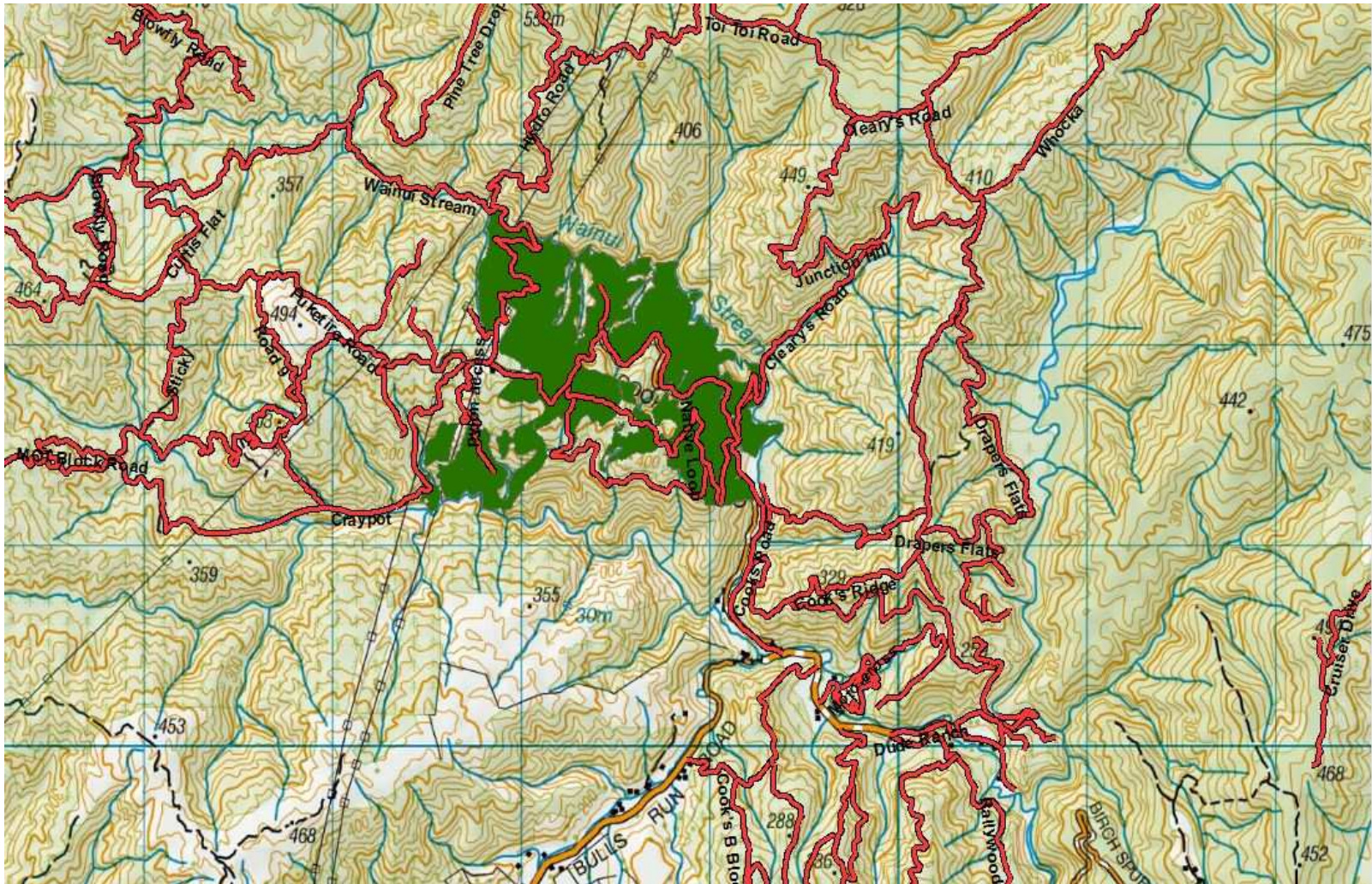


Valley View/Lindsays Rd Logging Sites

Valley View / Woolshed Road

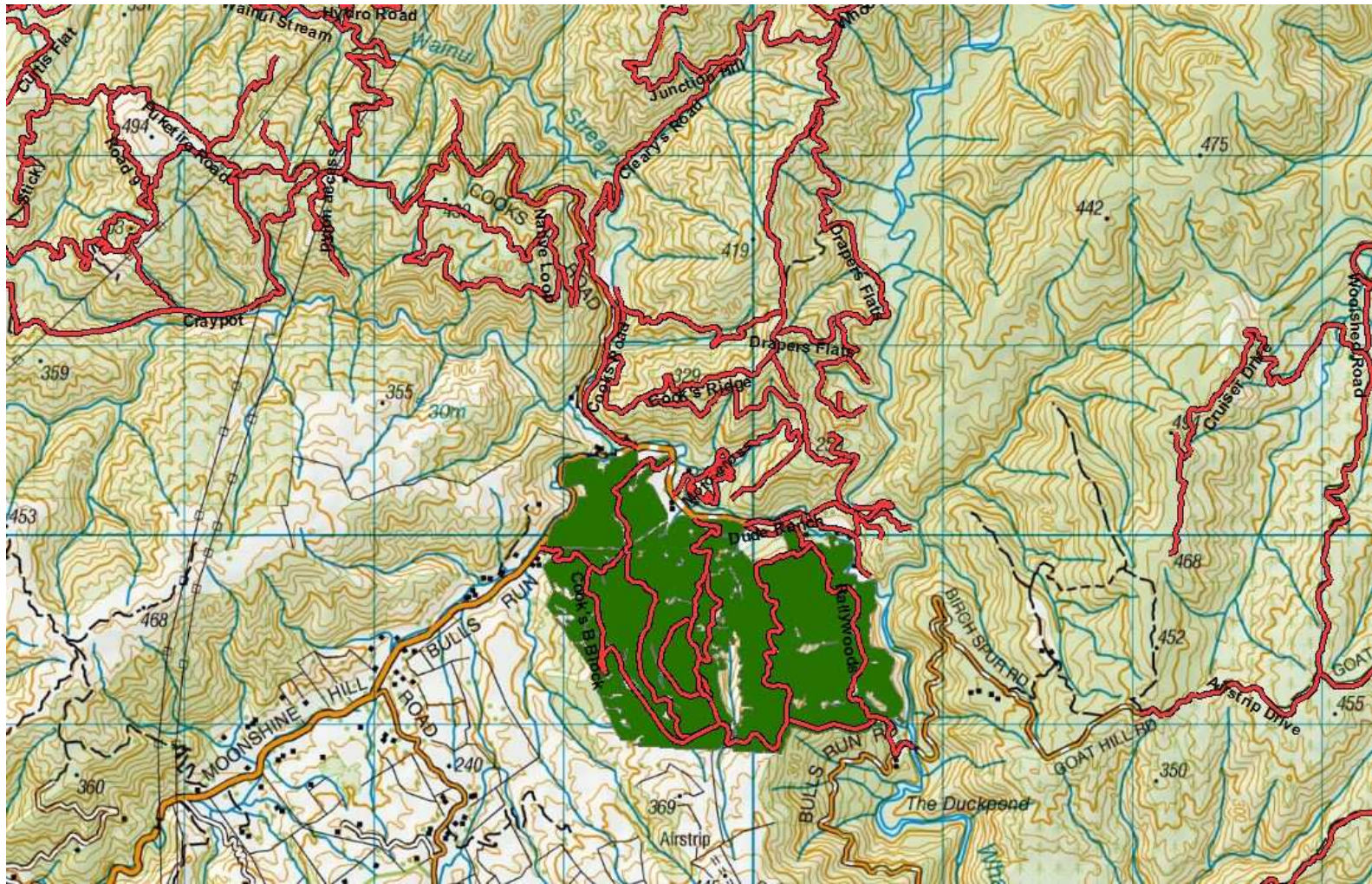


Drapers Logging Site





Te Marua Block.



Cooks Block, Rallywoods Road, Valley View Forest.

Akatarawa Forest Block

- Greater Wellington Regional Council Rangers will be on Duty throughout the Forest
- Hukinga Road Closed to all motorised recreation users due to road collapse
- Whakatikei wetland closed to all motorised recreation users.
- Devils Staircase closed to all motorised recreation users from 1st June to the 30th September 2016.
- Gum Trees to be felled on the KMMC Block week of 25th September to the 1st of October 2016
- Transpower / Broad Spectrum undergoing pylon maintenance in Puketiro / Hydro Road
- New post installed through Valley View



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1. Saturday 24 th September – Sunday 25 th September 2016	Karori Scouts	S McQuoid	5x4WD	Scout Trip	Rimutaka Incline
2. Monday 10 th October 2016	Activation	Ellie Davidson	10 x4WD	Mount Climie Sunset Tour	Tunnel Gully, Mount Climie Road

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 Maymorn, Tunnel Gully, Station Drive

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