

Newsletter - Spring 2020

The Trustees of Te Awahohonu Forest Trust, managing Tarawera C9 land, are pleased to report the payment of the twenty ninth distribution to owners.

Please ensure you check the information is correct on your dividend statement that will be sent out in November so payment can be made to you in December 2020.

2020 ANNUAL REPORT

This has been sent to all beneficial owners who we have current addresses for. If you have not received yours in the post please email cara.dee@gkl.co.nz to ensure we have your correct details and can get one out to you.

RONGOĀ WĀNANGA

The Trustees recently visited the forest with rongoā expert Pa McGowan. The purpose of this day was to assess what rongoā was on the block, and help plan for next years wānanga. The land the Trust has is rich in rongoā and we look forward to sharing this knowledge with you at the wānanga early next year. More information to come.



FARM UPDATES

The farms are looking in good shape following a mild winter and warm spring. Lambing has gone well and all stock is in optimal condition. Market prices are the big 'question mark' for this year with COVID-19 unsettling global markets, however prices have been holding reasonably well up to now.

THE ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING (AGM)

HAS BEEN POSTPONED UNTIL 13 MARCH 2021

DISCOUNT CARDS

Are available to beneficial owners and their direct whānau.

Please email cara.dee@gkl.co.nz

if you require additional cards.

EDUCATION GRANTS

Applications for 2020 Education Grants are now closed. Further grants will be available to apply for early in 2021.

An update will be sent closer to the time.

COVID-19 has affected many people in various ways. The Te Awahohonu Forest Trust has been able to support over 50 of its beneficial owners or direct whānau with a Pūtea Manaaki COVID-19 Grant.

For more information visit the website under 'Benefits for Owners' –

www.teawahohonu.co.nz