

## Wairarapa Bush Newsletter Trust House Memorial Park



2nd October 2014

# Trust House Wairarapa Bush Vs. Wanganui 2.30 pm

## Cook's Garden Wanganui

This will be broadcast live on  
Eketahuna FM 106.5

## McCarthy Transport Wairarapa Bush U16 Hurricanes Tournament Napier



**Team was placed 3<sup>rd</sup> in the Competition**  
Great Work Team



## McCarthy Transport Wairarapa Bush U16

Are at the Hurricanes U16 Tournament in Napier

**Results:** vs. Wellington Development **Lost 15-7**

Try to Jonas Tamihana Con to Brad Griffith

Vs. Horowhenua Kapiti **Won 33-8**

Tries to Ueta Tufuga, Chester Rothery, Jonas Tamihana Jack Loader,  
3 x pen 2 con Brad Griffith

**Finals vs. Wanganui Won 46-28**

## NZ Heartland U19



### Results to Date

1<sup>st</sup> Game - NZ Heartland 25 - Tasman 15

2<sup>nd</sup> Game - Southland 48 - NZ Heartland 38

3<sup>rd</sup> Game – 4<sup>th</sup> October 2.05 pm vs. Hawkes Bay

## NZ Barbarians Team

Results to Date:

1<sup>st</sup> Game - New Zealand Barbarians Schools 39 - Australian Schools 21

Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> October vs. Fiji @ Porirua Park 1.10 pm





**Thanks to WBS for a successful Day**  
**Wairarapa Bush Jersey Winners were:**

Reefton Dean-Pene

Millie Higinbottom

Thomas Innes

Jack McHardy



**Wairarapa Bush Supporter Club**

The Wairarapa Bush Supporters club continues to increase in numbers and have made a major presence at all the Wairarapa Bush Heartland games. It has been noted that at most away games, the Bush Supporters outweigh the locals. We thank them for their ongoing support and they welcome you to the Gravel Pit after next week's home game vs Buller.

**"Our Rugby – Just Brilliant"**

# The Whistle Blower

Summer is just around the corner. Winter is winding down fast. In the back of our minds is the thought of another year of rugby. Grant Fox famously said that players should never retire at the end of a rugby season. It was his experience that far too many retirements in September and October led to years of regret by otherwise fit young rugby players who yearned for the game.

So I encourage everyone who was involved this year, from College Coaches and Managers right through to beaten and bruised Rep players to delay any thought of retirement until February next year. It's amazing how your feelings can change after a few months of touch rugby and beach cricket. The longing for peak fitness and the camaraderie of rugby will come back.

The Wairarapa Bush Club Rugby Scene is undoubtedly getting stronger and stronger. This year's Senior and Senior Third competitions were the best I have seen. The College rugby scene is exciting and displaying players full of promise and potential. The outlook for local rugby in 2015 is great.

And if you do decide that you can't stand another year of team training and muddy gear, the Rugby Referees Association provides another avenue for you to remain in the game and get another few years out of those new boots you bought last winter. And you only have to look at the playing history of many of our newest Referees to see that there is genuinely a place in Refereeing for those Top Notch players who were once our club scene heroes.

So put a mark on your calendar for 1 February next year – RUGBY. And if you decide it time to stop playing, join the referee ranks and stay involved.

## The Whistle Blower



<http://www.thebottleo.co.nz/specials/>

This link will take you to the current special available from the Bottle-O at any given time.

Just a reminder that on the back of your Wairarapa Bush Season Pass entitles you to 5% off purchases \$20 or over at any Wairarapa Bottle-O store.

And for the Youth season passes – 10% off food and beverages at Café Solway PLUS buy one get one free on buckets of golf balls.



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