



Welcome to the Waiwaste pānui

Kia ora from a very chilly Waiwaste hub. We hope you're all managing to keep warm!

We'd like to take this opportunity to thank all the wonderful people who come to our hub every day to pick up kai for their clients. Everyone is so cheerful, hardworking and appreciative, and you really do help to make our day brighter. You all do such amazing mahi, our community is lucky to have you.

*Ngā mihi, Victoria and
the Waiwaste team*

Te Koru Kai

We're stoked to be partnering with lovely Claire and her team at Te Koru Kai. Once a fortnight one of our vans and a volunteer go out with Claire on her food scraps pick up on Masterton's east side. The scraps are then delivered to a farm, and the households that participate are given eggs in return - such a great way to ensure our kai cycle is sustainable. Go Claire!





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thanks!***

A big thank you to The New Zealand Food Network for their support. They deliver beautiful kai to us every week, which we then distribute to the seven foodbanks and other groups in our community. Big aroha to Courtney and her team for all their mahi. And thanks to Ayla from UCOL for the awesome photo of some fries from NZFN, cooked up for a student meal!

Volunteer Spotlight

Owen Marron



This is the fabulous Owen. Sports fan, jokester and all around good guy, we'd be lost without him. (He also looks mighty sharp in a suit). Owen has been with Waiwaste for three years and volunteers with our friends at Masterton Foodbank too, where he is also much beloved. When asked what he likes about volunteering at Waiwaste, he said 'the team! And being involved with a well intentioned organisation who redistributes all the food from the supermarkets out to the community and those who need it'. Good on ya Owen, you're the best.



VOLUNTEER WEEK

We had a great winter warmer soup party in June to celebrate Matariki and our brilliant volunteers for Volunteer Week. Erin and his trusty sidekicks, Mike and Roger, cooked us three different types of soup which were all delicious, and a great time was had by all! Big, BIG thanks to all our volunteers, past and present, for all you do - we couldn't do this mahi without you.



**KEEN TO VOLUNTEER WITH WAIWASTE? CONTACT LAURA AT
LAURA@WAIWASTE.ORG.NZ OR ON 0204 925 000 AND COME AND MEET
THE TEAM!**

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