



2023 Activity report

Advocacy

Submissions on plan change at Harvey Terrace, and PS14.

Deputation to CHCH West Melton Zone Committee.
Representation on co-governance establishment committee.

Engagement on Avon Park Development, city to sea pathway and Wainoni Landing.

Presence at I Love New Brighton, Richmond Gala, & Estuary Fest.

Community Waterways Partnership.

Promotion of Ōtākaro Trapping collective.

Produced election videos of candidates in the local body elections.

Speaking engagements to 2 x U3A Groups and WEA.

Planting groups forum.



2022/23 for AvON has been the year of rubbish! Literally!
With a slight shift in our lens to river care we have started by launching a number of initiatives to clean up the years of rubbish that lays at the bottom of the Ōtākaro Avon. One of them has been with Healthy Rivers NZ and his boat, and the other with "Without Waste" to sort the rubbish and collect data along side schools and community groups.

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Projects and Events

Mother of All Clean Ups 2.5 tonnes of rubbish - 60+ groups.

In River Rubbish Clean 22 sessions 2.1 tonnes of rubbish & 5 community engagements.

5000 Trees at Horseshoe lake.

Continued with Dudley/Banks Ave planting and maintenance.

Matariki in the Zone.

Walking Festival.

PACE intern for communications project.





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Tamariki Led Projects

The Pareawa Banks Ave crew are working on their track and long term plan, as well as kaitiaki of the swale situated beside their new school. With the Avon Park Development Plan now agreed, the Whaitu tamariki are excited to have provided feedback to the plan and for a space that has been set aside for them to continue their plans.

While Christchurch East School have been working on their presentation to bring a sustainable dog park into the Avon Loop.



Avon Loop Planning Association celebrates 50 Years by planting 50 Kahikatea with the Christchurch East tamariki.

"fail to plan, you plan to fail"



Projects In Planning

World Rivers Day 2023
Evans Way at Lois Place
Printable Map for libraries and hubs
Wider upstream network hui
Tributary and stream clean up project
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Community nursery
The Confluence

Thank you

