

REPORT ON WAIRARAPA LIBRARY SERVICE MEETING HELD 20 MAY 2013 AT CARTERTON EVENTS CENTRE at 9.30am

Present: Cllr Riddell (Chair) Cllr Durbin, Cllr Poulson, Mbr Falleni.  
Officers Lorraine Gittings, Ewan Hyde, Helen McNaught, Mark Allingham.

Matters Discussed:

The imminent launch of the Kotui Library Management system and staff training were discussed. To date all training modules were being worked through at the libraries although SW needed to catch up on Systems Administration. Systems transfer data was being tested and was okay. The Kotui Official Launch on Thursday 6 June at Greytown Library and Town Centre was all in hand with officials from Kotui Governance and an Upper Hutt group attending along with Councillors and Community Board members with Mayor Staples to officiate.

Helen McNaught presented SWDC Library report as she is now liasing between the 3 Libraries. The Martinborough Library move was complete although a new overhead sign was to be erected. Library stats are going down.

Ewan Hyde presented the Carterton Library report and said that it is business as usual. The recent holiday programme of Crafts held 3 days per week averaged 22 children per session. A Winter Warmers programme is planned for the July holidays.

Next meeting to be held in Greytown Town Centre 8 July at 9.30am

Cllr J Riddell  
18 June 2013