

# DCL

Development Christchurch Ltd.

## COMMUNITY UPDATE

### NEW BRIGHTON AUTUMN EDITION

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An update on progress on the New Brighton Regeneration Project

#### BEACHSIDE PLAYGROUND

Since the Beachside Playground opened in December 2017, DCL has been listening to the community's feedback and we have taken this feedback to the playground's design team.

New play equipment, seating, shading, and artwork were some of the themes that we have picked up on from the community's feedback.

These additions will require the playground to close for around 6 weeks after the end of the school holidays in July. We will soon be giving more information on the timing and the nature of these works to the community.

We will also keep you updated on the status of the iconic whale's departure from the old playground site. 🐳

#### NEW BRIGHTON RESIDENTS' SURVEY

In March, DCL launched the New Brighton Residents' Survey. It is the first in a series of annual surveys designed to track community perceptions of New Brighton as the Regeneration Project progresses.

This survey establishes a benchmark against which future surveys can be compared.

This will help us understand changes in the community's thoughts and feelings about New Brighton as the Regeneration Project progresses.

#### DCL INFORMATION HUB

DCL runs an Information Hub at the Coastal-Burwood Community Board Rooms to serve as a space for the community to discuss the New Brighton Regeneration Project with staff and have a cup of tea. We are always happy to hear your comments.

The Hub is open 10am – 4pm every Tuesday at the Coastal-Burwood Community Board Rooms on Union St – opposite Point Break Cafe and Backpackers.



Local artist and 'Sand Man' Peter Donnelly at the hub with Richard from DCL

#### N.B. BUSINESS & LANDOWNERS ASSOCIATION

The New Brighton Business and Landowners' Association is a non-profit organisation that advocates for and promotes the interests of businesses and landowners. For more information, contact Paul Lonsdale at [plonsdale@me.com](mailto:plonsdale@me.com)



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## CHRISTCHURCH HOT POOLS

In the coming weeks Development Christchurch Limited (DCL) will lodge consent applications for the hot pools. Once lodged, this will be a key step forward in the process to build this exciting facility. The pools will be situated to the north of the Beachside Playground, which opened in December last year.

Preparation for the consenting process comes at the conclusion of public engagement that began in 2016. A series of workshops were held throughout 2017 and early this year, where designs for the pools were presented to local community members and interest groups.

A total of four workshops have been held, where workshop attendees were able to discuss the evolving designs with the project team. Engagement with the New Brighton community helped inform the designs. Some of the most popular themes that came through during the public engagement were:

- Adequate seating and shelter from the elements
- Accessibility for all
- Natural theming that suits the surrounding environment and reflects the cultural heritage of the area
- A range of pools at different temperatures

The Christchurch Hot Pools will be a premier attraction for residents and visitors alike. It will feature a variety of pools that will cater for families and visitors of all ages and abilities.

Construction is expected to take approximately 12 months once consents have been granted.



## CONTACT US

We are always keen to discuss the New Brighton Regeneration Project with the community.

You can contact us by email or phone. For more information, refer to our website [www.dcl.org.nz](http://www.dcl.org.nz)