

Taranaki Area Delegate Report
July 2009

All member clubs of Taranaki seem to be happy with no major problems.

Urenui Boating Club has had an incident free year. They are going to have more regular boat checks in the future. I have organized for a Cape Egmont boat check to be sent to them, as Cape's Boat check is pretty stringent.

Cape Egmont Boat Club in conjunction with Cape Egmont Volunteer Coast Guard are in the process of resource consent etc for digging a canal on the south side of the existing boat race for easier launching and retrieving. Cape Egmont Boat Volunteer Coast Guard is in the process of getting a new D.R.V built, which has created a bit of controversy with Coast Guard Central. The Niad Jet rescue vessel they were leasing did not prove suitable for various reasons.

Opunake Boat Club are in full support of the Cape Egmont Volunteer Coast Guard's new D.R.V, as their members are purchasing bigger boats, so need a suitable rescue craft. They are in the process of renovating their clubrooms.

Ohawe have nothing to report.

Patea Boat Club is building a new jetty and storage shed. The local council are in the process of fixing the wall to the entrance of the Patea River.