



Newsletter - December 2018/January 2019

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The Coastal Futures Hub is taking a break over the holiday period.

While the Hub may be closed, work is continuing behind the scenes.

The community seminars we mentioned in the previous newsletter will also be postponed for the holidays.

We will be back in touch in the New Year to talk about the upcoming activity in the community.

From all of us here in the Coastal Futures team, we hope you have a safe and relaxing holiday season - we'll see you again in the New Year.



Staying in touch

While the Hub is closed, keep an eye on our Facebook page or check out our website for updates:

www.facebook.com/coastalfutures

www.coastalfutures.nz

You can also email us at:

coastalfutures@regeneratechristchurch.nz



Learning about climate change

In Term 4, the Coastal Futures community facilitator, a specialist teacher, a local community scientist and the wonderful Year 7 & 8 teachers and students at South New Brighton School spent time learning about climate change.

Here's some of the feedback from the students:

If one person can make a difference, imagine more! - Remy, 11

After this programme, I felt guilty but guilty wasn't a bad thing because it pushed me to do the right things - Alex, 12

It only takes one person to make a big difference - Jasmine, 11

I love this programme. So many schools should do it - it only takes one person to make a change - Myah, 11

Climate change is overwhelming but this programme has helped me realise that I can make a difference - Wil, 13

I think Pak'n'Save should have stickman carry a reusable bag - Rua, 12

I'm gonna scooter more on rainy days but not on, like, really stormy days! - Rua, 12

Putting art work or posters around South Brighton and New Brighton will make a change - Nadia, 13

YOUTH POSTER COMPETITION

Design a poster with a phrase about
why we love living here.

Poster competition winners!

A drumroll please...

The judging panel has selected the winners of our poster competition. Thank you to everyone who entered! All the entries were fantastic and the judges found it extremely hard to decide.

The winning entries were created by Shakaiya McLeod, Bridie Stephens, Skye Trist, Lola Riley, Grace Chamberlain and Kahlo Schaffer.

You can view the six winning entries and photos of the judging session on our Coastal Futures Facebook page: www.facebook.com/coastalfutures.

All entries are also on display in the Coastal Futures Community Hub window. We'd also like to hang large poster versions on high-profile fences (on main streets) around the community - please contact us if you have a suitable fence we can use.

Thank you very much to our judges, Kim Lowe and Sue Walls.

