



## Maui Dolphin Day!

It was awesome to see so many smiling faces out on Saturday, celebrating our marine environment together! Maui Dolphin Day was brought to you by the Whaingaroa Environment Centre and Xtreme Zero Waste with support from the Department of Conservation (DOC) and our wonderful sponsors: Raglan Lions, Wild Coast Yoga and Paella Catering.

Thank you to our stallholders - DOC, Timebank Raglan, Backyard Bounty, Karioi Project, Plastic Free Raglan, Sustainable Coastlines, Soccer, Coast Care, Raglan Community Board/Raglan Naturally, Forest & Bird, Dolphin Defenders /World Animal Protection, Green Party, Hamilton EV and KASM.

Thank you to our performers - Te Roopu Aroha Ki Te Reo, Raglan Area School, Lost Tribe Aotearoa and our amazing MC - Matua X-Man

Thank you for the amazing food - Raglan Kindergarten, Te Roopu Aroha Ki Te Reo, Homeschool crew, Paella Catering. Special mention to Rob (decorations), Peggy (Let's Face It), Felix (sound), Jasmine (stage management), Genevieve (facepainting), Ellie & Scott (photographers) and Felipe (videographer) and to all of our AMAZING volunteers - THANK YOU!

Finally, thank you to everyone who attended - you are the reason we put it on, and we couldn't make it happen without you!



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## Another epic Recycled Raft Race!!

Raglan Coastguard and Raglan Surf Lifesaving – your continued support ensuring the safety of our participants is hugely appreciated.

The prizes were as follows: First Prize: Veterans of Combined Forces, Second Prize: Woolstons Weapon, Third Prize: Xtreme Zero Waste.

Best Raft: Waitetuna Warriors, Best Junior Raft: Matapihi Kindergarten

Big thanks to all the other rafts who entered: Xtreme Thunder, Raglan Junior Surf Superhero's, Te Uku Tide Riders, Sea Shepherd, The cone ranger, Eco Hospitality 1, Eco Hospitality 2, The Butterflies and The Love Boat.

And huge big big thanks to our sponsors! Without your wonderful support, this event would not be possible!

Whaingaroa Organic Kai (WOK), Orca Restaurant & Bar, Cyclery Raglan, George's Beach Club, Lifted Pilates, Harbourview Hotel, The Wharf Kitchen & Bar, Jo's Takeaways, Ali's Turkish Kebabs, Fresh Fish Takeaways, The Shack, Zinnia, Pirate Pizza, Raglan Book Shop, The Herbal Dispensary, La La Land, Raglan Surf Company, Raglan Supervalue, Atamira, Jet Collective, Ulo's Kitchen, Anexa Vets Raglan, Raglan Backpackers, Iso Bar, Bizworx, Raglan Palm Beach Motel, Raglan Four Square, Rangitahi, Aeronavics and Motide. Xtreme are so proud to host this event, the rafts get more and more creative every year! Well done to you all, awesome seeing so many children working hard on their rafts, and out there on the water.



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