



Porirua Activity Centre
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To Who it may Concern

Kiwi Community Assistance has been supporting Porirua Activity Centre since October 2012. Porirua Activity Centre is an off-site education facility, for College students who are struggling in mainstream. We have a roll of 20 students from the five Colleges in the Porirua area. Many of our students come from low income families, do not have breakfast and several of them do not eat an evening meal. As part of our holistic approach to our students we provide them with a lunch every day. This guarantees, for some, one meal a day as well as assisting in their concentration during class time and general wellbeing. Kiwi Community Assistance has provided vital support through weekly donations of food to PAC. We greatly appreciate this support. It has reduced the weekly food expenses for the Activity Centre, so we are able to direct that funding into other areas of schooling and support for the students. Kiwi Community Assistance has also provided a range of clothing that has been suitable to use for the students at the Activity Centre. This has been very useful when students have required a change of clothes after being caught in the rain, on the way to school, or providing clothes for them to take home as they have not had suitable clothing for school. We have also been given small household items for the kitchen at PAC. These are used in the preparation of the meals that we cook. The support that we have received through donations of food and clothing is greatly appreciated. While it may appear small to some, the support we have had has been invaluable to the students who attend the Activity Centre. This is where the impact of the support we have received is most obvious. Thank you is never enough when it comes to supporting the young people in our community!

Yours sincerely
Nicky Parsons
Director
Porirua Activity Centre