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KEEPING KAPITI SAFE

Kapiti Community Patrol (KCP) is a volunteer organisation helping to make a safer community.

Described as the extra "eyes and ears" for the police, KCP volunteers cover Paekakariki to Otaihanga including Paraparaumu and Raumati.

Volunteer duties are varied and can include day and evening patrols of four hours duration, working in pairs in the branded Community Patrol vehicle. Driving around they observe, record and report matters of concern directly to police. KCP volunteers have also assisted local Police in missing person searches.

The KCP are involved in a "Safer Plates" promotion. Car registration plates can be stolen to put on other vehicles used for illegal and criminal activities. In an ongoing initiative,





Constable Andi Noble with Patroler Helen Cook





KCP have replaced standard screws with tamper proof screws on more than 200 vehicles.

As a registered charity KCP exists on volunteers who donate their time and from funding donated by local businesses, the Paraparaumu Raumati Community Board and the Lions Club of Kapiti.

Kapiti Community Patrol are are always looking for funding opportunities and also new volunteers.

If you would like to know more about KCP or, if you are 18 years or older and would to be considered to join our patrol team or in an admininstrative role please:

email commpatkapiti@gmail.com or visit www.cpnz.org.nz

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