

## The Bay of Islands Pastoral & Industrial Association.



### We need more Space – Green Space for our Show.

The Bay of Islands Show is the longest running A&P show in New Zealand, with the first show being held in Waimate North in 1842.

*Objectives of the Association are:*

*To promote, foster and encourage the development of the agricultural pastoral, dairying, farmyard, horticultural and industrial resources of the Bay of Islands and the surrounding areas.*

*To hold an Annual Show of Agricultural, Pastoral and Equestrian events and to encourage competition, the display and exhibition of livestock, horses, domestic arts and crafts and related activities.*

To achieve these objectives the Association urgently needs to purchase land adjoining the Show Grounds, and in doing so secure the future of the Show for many generations.

The Bay Of Islands P&I Association currently owns 3.93 hectares (10 acres) of land including the buildings, stock yards & the main arena.

The adjoining neighbour has kindly let us use some of their land for the last few years.

The Association now has the opportunity to purchase this land which would:

- (a) guarantee us sufficient space for the Show to continue; and
- (b) secure for the Community this important Green Space within one of New Zealand's most historic precinct.

**The Association believes that to secure the future of the oldest A & P Show in New Zealand this purchase is not only prudent but a necessity.**

We need to raise \$780,000 to be able to achieve this goal.

### We need your support!

This purchase would include the "Pony Paddock" (where the ponies are judged), the "Motor Home Paddock" and the "Parking Paddock".

The land purchase will increase the Showground by an additional 8.0265 hectares (19.8 acres).

Attached are 2 Donation/Pledge Forms. We invite you to give consideration to each form and choose the one that you feel most comfortable with. We welcome any assistance that you can provide in order for the Association to secure the future of this fantastic Show and Green Space.

The Bay of Islands Pastoral & Industrial Association is a non profit Organisation and Registered for the purpose of the Charitable Act of 2005 (Charities Commission Registration Number CC20154).

The law relating to donations changed on the 1<sup>st</sup> April 2008. Individuals now can claim a significant rebate on their donations.

All donations will be receipted enabling you to make a claim with your annual tax returns.

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Please also check out our new Website for further information:

[www.bayofislandsshow.co.nz](http://www.bayofislandsshow.co.nz)

**Thank you for your Support.**