

## 9. RICCARTON/WIGRAM COMMUNITY AFFAIRS COMMITTEE - REPORT OF 23 APRIL 2001 MEETING

The Board was in receipt of the report of the Community Affairs Committee meeting of 23 April 2001.

### 1. GLOBE

Jane Mulholland, Community Recreation Adviser, showed a video taken of the GLOBE event.

GLOBE was a celebration of the cultural diversity of the community held at Ray Blank Park on Saturday 10 March with over 2,000 people attending. The event brought many people from a plethora of ethnicities together to celebrate their culture. GLOBE also gave these people an opportunity to demonstrate what was unique about them and educate the wider community.

This event was a partnership between the Riccarton/Wigram Community Board and the Fendalton/Waimairi Community Board with Riccarton/Wigram contributing \$7,000 towards the staging of this event.

The Board **decided**:

- (a) That GLOBE be held as an annual event at Ray Blank Park in conjunction with the Fendalton/Waimairi Community Board.
- (b) That GLOBE be staged between mid January and mid February to take advantage of the warmer mid summer weather.
- (c) That the GLOBE Planning Committee also have two community representatives.
- (d) To thank the staff involved for their work on the GLOBE project.

### 2. GARDEN GALA

The Community Recreation Adviser reported that the Garden Gala was staged on Friday 16 March at Riccarton House. It targeted older adults in the Riccarton/Wigram Community. With over ten local community groups promoting their various activities, this event offered the chance to try new activities and learn more about groups/activities in the area. By staging this event at Riccarton House it also promoted one of Christchurch's most historic building and surroundings. An estimated 400 older adults attended this event.

The Riccarton/Wigram Community Board provided \$3,000 for this event with the Leisure Unit contributing \$1,500.

The Board **decided**:

- (a) That the Garden Gala be held as an annual event at Riccarton.
- (b) To thank the staff involved for their work on the Garden Gala Project.

### 3. STRENGTHENING COMMUNITIES ACTION PLAN

It was reported by the Community Development Adviser that the following outcomes were achieved from the Strengthening Communities Action Plan, which was a one off planning document. The SCAP project for Riccarton/Wigram has been replaced by the Social Planning Matrix that the Advocacy Team and Community Board use to establish priorities and allocate resources.

<b>SCAP Funding and Achievements</b>	<b>Funds</b>	
Sockburn OSCAR programme established end 1999	20,000	2000/01
Halswell Liaison Group established 1999		
Meeting for Broomfield, Youth and Halswell Liaison Groups	1,500	1999/2000
Residents Group Assistance Fund	5,000	1999/2000
Hornby Youth Worker (Part) Salary for 2001/02	10,000	2000/01
Neighbourhood Support Groups Assistance	1,500	1999/2000
Parenting with Confidence Seminar (August 2000)	1,500	1999/2000
Parentwise Follow-up <sup>(1)</sup> (May 2001)	500	1999/2000
Warrior Kids Programme <sup>(1)</sup> (2001)	1,500	1999/2000
Domestic Violence Promotion <sup>(1)</sup> (2001)	3,000	1999/2000
11-13 year old Activity Programme (Hornby)	5,000	1999/2000

<sup>(1)</sup> These three programmes are subject to an earlier recommendation in this agenda.

Many of the other actions in the Plan were funded by other sources and have become priorities within the Social Planning Matrix.

The Board **decided** to use the SCAP community consultation process again next year.

The information was **received**.

Other matters considered by the Committee are recorded in clause 12 of this Board report.