

OUR VISION – TŌ TĀTO TIROHANGA

To create a thriving and enduring ecosystem of trails and regenerating landscapes on Te Pātaka o Rākaihautū Banks Peninsula

VALUES

Kaitiakitanga | Stewardship

We foster responsible recreation for future generations

We enact kaitiakitanga by

- Ensuring all activities contribute to environmental enhancement
- Taking a long term view of the impact of our work
- Being mindful of our social impact

Mahi tahi | Partnership

We act in partnership and collaboration

We enact mahi tahi by

- Working alongside partner organisations to ensure effective and efficient achievement of goals to improve Banks Peninsula for all
- Understanding and respecting the aspirations of mana whenua

Rangatiratanga | Leadership

We influence the future of recreation, protection and regeneration

We enact rangatiratanga by

- Honouring the legacy of Rod Donald who was known for his honest, collaborative leadership and for his passion for Banks Peninsula
- Being committed to action
- Being bold and agile
- Being honest, transparent and respectful

ACCESS WĀHI URU

Creating an enduring network of walking and biking trails to foster deeper connections between people and place and that enable low carbon recreation

BIODIVERSITY RERENGA RAUPOE

Supporting the protection and regeneration of Te Pātaka o Rākaihautū by encouraging native biodiversity on a landscape scale

KNOWLEDGE MĀTAURANGA

Creating stewards of Te Pātaka o Rākaihautū through knowledge of flora and fauna, geology and history

WHAKAAROTAU | OUR PRIORITIES

WĀHI URU

- Te Ara Pātaka is nationally recognised as a walking and biking route from Christchurch to Akaroa with a network of connecting side-routes, shelters and huts.
- Use the Rod Donald Hut as a gateway to increasing the range of people accessing Banks Peninsula.
- Maintain and enhance the Little River Rail Trail as a nationally recognised Ngā Haerenga Heartland Ride and as a walking and running route.
- Supporting the Head to Head Walkway to become a continuous pathway around Whakaraupō/Lyttelton Harbour.
- Foster a network of biking trails which invites people of all ages and abilities to explore the Peninsula whilst benefitting and connecting its communities.

ACCESS

RERENGA RAUPOE

- Protect and enhance biodiversity along Te Ara Pātaka, Little River Rail Trail, Head to Head Walkway, and at Trust-supported huts and shelters.
- Support and initiate the protection of biodiversity values.
- Support and encourage the protection and regeneration of native vegetation to restore indigenous biodiversity and improve ecological resilience from the impacts of climate change.
- Support and provide for coordinated pest and weed control to protect native species and increase ecological integrity.

BIODIVERSITY

MĀTAURANGA

- Deliver the Banks Peninsula Walking Festival in a way that encourages exploration of the flora, fauna, geology and history.
- Increase access to quality information about trails, geology, history, culture and biodiversity.
- Enable new research and the sharing of existing research.

KNOWLEDGE