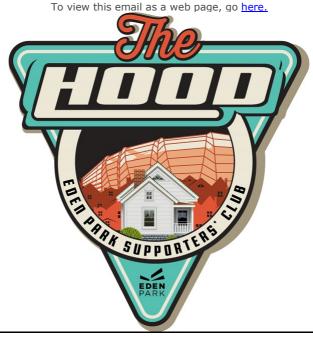
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## What's happening in The Hood

After the inaugural Day-Night test last month we randomly selected 30 families from The Hood and invited them to play backyard cricket on the same pitch both the BLACKCAPS and England had just fought on. The afternoon was popular for all ages <u>as can be seen here</u> and we hope to hold a similar event again soon.

We were lucky enough to have caffeine saviours Kokako visit us recently to offer The Hood members a free cup of joe on a Saturday morning. The event proved popular and neighbours were able to enter a competition to go in the draw to win a year's worth of free coffee courtesy of Kokako. The lucky winner was Simon Kaneko as pictured here with Olivia from Kokako.



Our 'Paint a House' in The Hood promotion sponsored by Resene and Master Painters New Zealand received hordes of entries from residents nominating themselves and also their neighbours for this great prize. This week we awarded the prize (valued at \$10,000) to Mary O'Donnell and John Dunsmuir who received multiple nominations. Mary and John have been described as the most extraordinary neighbours after living in the neighbourhood for 13 years. Nominees say they're always busy looking after their neighbours' fix-it jobs which means their own home could do with a lick of paint.

"I can't think of anyone more deserving or who would appreciate this more than Mary and John. Mary is the neighbour you wish you had, always offering you a ride or fruit and veges from her garden, or to feed your cat or water your lemon tree if you're going away. John is too busy to do anything at home because he's always at someone else's house helping to build a deck or start a car or mow a lawn." - One of their neighbours.

Thanks to our sponsors for making this fantastic competition possible and bringing some colour to our community!



Lastly, over the Easter long weekend we hosted some alternative New Zealanders on our hallowed turf as part of an April Fool's prank. <u>Click here</u> to see the coverage on the NZ Herald website however rest assured New Zealand's national stadium is in safe hands and we won't in fact be grazing sheep on our historic grounds. We do make a pretty good team of farmers though and we have even received interest from potential export partners along with orders for cutlets!



Stay safe in these conditions and have a great weekend in the Hood!



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