



## Libeau Descendants Special Event: Family Reunion/World Cup October 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> 2011

7 April 2010

Dear Family,

Over the past year the idea to hold a family reunion has been discussed. It is 20 years since the 150th Reunion was held and it will be another 5 years for a 25<sup>th</sup> Anniversary.

As the Rugby World Cup is being held in 2011 and many of the cousins are enthusiastic about Rugby, a decision to hold a major gathering has been made. Now that the dates and times for the Rugby World Cup have been finalized the Reunion will be held on Friday 7<sup>th</sup>/8<sup>th</sup> leaving on 9<sup>th</sup> October 2011.

Tentative accommodation bookings have been made at Wainui Heights. This complex accommodates up to 88 people and there is also the option of caravan and tenting sites available. To confirm this we need definite returns as soon as possible from those wishing to attend.

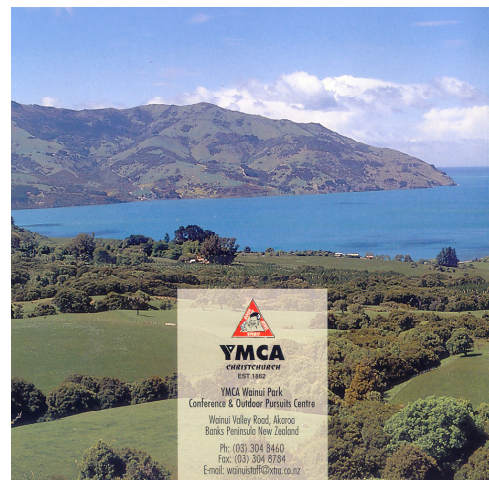
Arrangements have been made to have a large screen to view the Quarter-Final games. Transport can be arranged for those who intend to travel to Christchurch on Saturday night.

**Wainui Heights** is the closest venue to Akaroa that will allow us to be accommodated as a group.

The proposed programme will include a welcome dinner at French Farm on the Friday night, time to socialize on the Saturday, explore family sites in Akaroa and Duvauchelles, and take part in a Tree Planting ceremony to acknowledge 170 years since the arrival of the Comte de Paris. It is hoped to launch a re-print of the Family book on the Friday night.

The evening meal on Saturday will be at Wainui enabling us to watch the Rugby as well as enjoy each others' company.

There will be time on Sunday to enjoy some of the activities available in Akaroa and on the Harbour.



### **Accommodation:**

The site catches all day sun, has great space for a large gathering. The complex is made of 3 wings and has good access for unloading.

There are 2 rooms with 2 beds each  
18 rooms with 4 beds each  
12 bunk dormitory

The costing for accommodation is dependent on the number attending but once over 50 the cost would be less than \$30 a night.

Continental breakfast will be provided at \$7.00 a head.

Dinner on Saturday - Main and desert \$20.00

There will be a BYO policy for drinks.

The Friday night dinner will be ' pay individually' at the French Farm Winery.

To indicate interest for the weekend function, find out more information and receive a registration form - please return the slip below or contact Bruce Fuller at

Address: 25 Hamel Ln, Kaiapoi 7630

Email: [treasurer@libeau-family.org](mailto:treasurer@libeau-family.org)

**Registration needs to accompanied by \$100 deposit.**

The committee are really excited about and look forward to seeing as many as can make the Reunion.

Kind regards

Patricia Stoneman

President

PS. To attend the reunion you need to be a financial member of the Libeau Descendants Society.

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Detach and send to the Secretary, 25 Hamel Ln, Kaiapoi 7630

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