



## WAIKAWA BEACH RATEPAYERS ASSOCIATION

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### NEWSLETTER - STOP PRESS

#### CHANGED DATE FOR AMBROSE

The date for the Ambrose Golf has been put back one day to Friday 03 January at Levin Golf Club commencing about 9.30am. This is a great day and an ideal way to introduce younger person to the game of golf. It is 9 holes. For details contact

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#### REMINDER AGM

The AGM of the Association will be held at 3pm on Friday 27 December at the Hank Edwards Reserve. In addition to the normal business, Councillor Christine Mitchell (Horowhenua District Council) and hopefully a representative from Horizons Regional Council will attend. This will give residents an opportunity to discuss the contents of the notice displayed on the beach Notice Board and our web site with reference to Coastal Inundation Hazards and Land Information Memoranda (LIM's) and the state of the beach access.

The committee would also like to hear your views on the latest NZTA's proposal for the intersection of Waikawa Beach Road and State Highway 1 which is also on our web page [www.waikawabeach.org.nz](http://www.waikawabeach.org.nz)

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Some old photos to fill the page supplied by past Secretary Erica Wyatt.

#### Top Picture

*Boat Day in the 1980's before the old bridge was washed away by a flood in March 1990. This was before the days of OSH as the bridge had no handrails and looked as though it fall into the river at any time*

#### Bottom Picture

*After the bridge was washed away. The Ratepayers Association put a lot of pressure on the Council to replace the bridge and a replacement further downstream was opened in January 1992*

