

Draft Bushy Point Restoration Project

Annual Report 2025/26
(1 April 2025 – 31 March 2026)

Welcome to Bushy Point A Native Forest Restoration Project

Had you stood here 140 years ago, you would have been surrounded by forest that covered all Otatarā. Since then native trees, especially tōtara and matai, have been cleared for timber, agriculture and more recently for residential development. Today, small fragments of forest are all that remain.

These forest remnants give Otatarā its special character. They also represent a type of sand dune tōtara and kahikatea swamp forest which is rare in New Zealand. Both forest and wetland provide homes for threatened native birds including kererū/native pigeon and mātātā/fembird, so their conservation significance is even greater.

The Bushy Point Restoration Project started in 2000 when the Otatarā Landcare Group embarked on an ambitious plan to plant 14 hectares of open pasture, so linking two isolated forest remnants. In another 100 years, this will be forest once more!



25 years on, a bigger picture is emerging

The restoration project has grown in more ways than one!

Education

The site is used regularly for educational programmes.

Events

Walking tracks, interpretation panels, viewpoints, seating and regular family events celebrate an accessible community asset for Otatarā.

Planting

The focus on new planting has become supplemented by pest and weed control.

Tree releasing

Barry's Pond has become a drawcard in its own right, now a popular family picnic spot surrounded by native forest.

Barry's Pond

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Walks

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Even over a short period of time, the changes are quite dramatic. Can you imagine how it will look 100 years and more from now?




2011

This is the same view as the drone photo above, taken 14 years ago when the area was newly planted.



2017

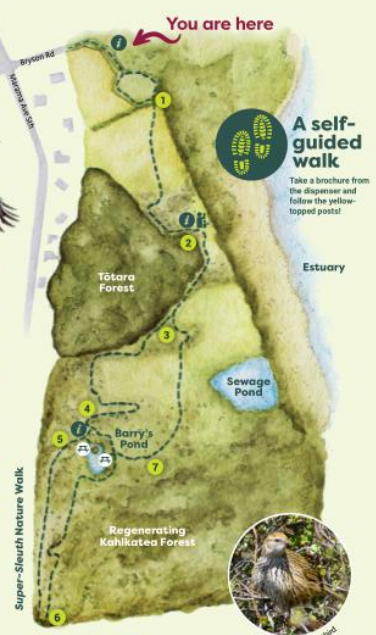
Barry's Pond has been named to recognise Barry Smith's outstanding leadership of this project for over 25 years.



2006

Super-Sleuth Nature Walk

A self-guided walk. Take a brochure from the dispenser and follow the yellow-topped posts!



You are here

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Tōtara Forest

Barry's Pond

Regenerating Kahikatea Forest

Estuary

Sewage Pond

māzōra flower

Otatarā Landcare Group

While Bushy Point remains its biggest single project, the Otatarā Landcare Group has a wider role. It plays an active part in the community, providing advice and organising events that celebrate Otatarā's natural and human history. It runs Pestbusters, an effective community pest control programme and produces Pigeon Post, a regular newsletter full of local interest.

If you can help with weeding, pest control, or planting and with funding, please contact us.
www.otataralandcare.org.nz
otataralg@gmail.com



Timeline of forest development:

- 0-5 years**
Pudduck with rushes
- 5-10 years**
Scattered flax, young cabbage trees and Coprosma plants with grass in between.
- 10-20 years**
Taller plants, denser vegetation, scattered trees with little grass in between.
- 20-50 years**
Dense shrubs, emergent cabbage trees, occasional kahikatea, some ferns and native understorey.
- 50-100 years**
Emerging forest structure in canopy, understorey and ferns.
- 100-200 years**
Tall canopy of kahikatea, with occasional pokaka and understorey of trees, shrubs and groundcover ferns.

Illustrations by David Miles, Helen Stewart.
Photography by Simon Becking, Chris Rogers, Zsófia Kőrösi, Helen Stewart, Jan Denner.

New Entrance Interpretation Sign at Bryson Road, unveiled at the 25th Anniversary event

2025/2026 - Summary of Progress

This report details the progress made on the Bushy Point Restoration Project. The Project is the flagship project of the Otatara Landcare Group (OLG) – www.otataralandcare.org.nz.

The report also contains some wider OLG information where relevant.

- **25th Anniversary Planting event - planted 600 locally grown native plants and covered with combi-guards for rabbit control. Planted 500 at Bushy Point entrance and 100 large podocarp trees as infill near the pond with Otatara School.**
- **Maintained the previous 25 years plantings**
- **Managed major pest control operation with volunteers every 2 weeks from 2007 (6km of trap network for possums, mustelids and rats over 90 hectares).**
- **Work on tracks continued throughout the year.**
- **Continued weed control in planting and other areas – herbicide and hand weeding.**
- **Continued grazing horses and pasture management (cut baleage).**
- **Otatara School plantings and other group visits.**

1. Aim of the Bushy Point Restoration Project

The aim of the Bushy Point Restoration Project is to restore a 14 hectare area of rough exotic pasture between two remnants of nationally significant native totara forest to provide a habitat linkage for native birds and to enhance existing forest remnants and other ecosystems. Also, to raise public awareness of the importance of native forest remnants and to provide a practical long term ecological project for residents of Otatara and Otatara and Invercargill schoolchildren to be involved in.

The project is progressively turning the area of exotic grasses into a functioning, self-sustaining native ecosystem with features and educational opportunities that can be enjoyed by the public of Otatara and Invercargill for the future.

The project is managed by the Committee of the Otatara Landcare Group, an Incorporated Society established in 1999.

The Mission Statement of the Otatara Landcare Group is:

- **To focus attention of Otatara residents and others on the natural features and ecological values of the Otatara environment, especially native forest and wetland flora and fauna.**
- **To promote and, where possible, facilitate the protection, restoration and creation of such features in the interests of scientific appreciation and intrinsic worth and to encourage community appreciation of these values.**

2. Administration

- Annual Report completed by Chris Rance for 2025/26 including compilation of trapping statistics and other statistics.
- Annual accounts separate Bushy Point income and expenditure. Audited accounts to 31 March 2026 to be presented to the OLG AGM on 3 August 2026.
- Monthly Timesheets collated by Barry Smith.
- Annual DOC meeting 7/10/2025 over Pest Permission and new Community Agreement – present Dani Logan DOC - Barry Smith, Chris Rance, Richard Johnson OLG apology Brian Rance.
- Updated OLG website and Pestbusters information. OLG website content regularly updated for publications and news and events.

3. Bushy Point Caretaker

- Caretaker Barry Smith spent 106 hours working at Bushy Point during the year. Barry's contribution over 25 years acknowledged at the Celebration planting on 18 September 2025. Barry is a key figure in ensuring the new initiatives have been successful and key ongoing management tasks and liaison is undertaken.

- Main jobs included: plant area maintenance, releasing and weed control, tree planting, supervising pasture and track maintenance, preparation for planting – positioning plants, track preparation, and planning activity for public planting day (18 September 2025). Pest trap line maintenance in Totara Block, damage liaison, and pest rabbit work. Planning and organising for other visits.
- Liaison with landowners, grazers, Invercargill Rifle Range, DOC, Local Authorities, schools and report writing and maintaining monthly activity spreadsheet.
- Supervising the contract mowing using the Mulcher Mower machine for track work, Undertaking weed control and maintenance with the mower.
- Health and Safety continues to be a focus with Bushy Point. Briefings are held at each public event. The H&S Plan is currently being reviewed.

4. Restoration and Planting

- Plant maintenance and weed control continued throughout the year.
- The 25th anniversary Planting Event was held on 18 October 2025 major planting event (600 plants) was successful with over 60 people attending. The bbq sponsored by GWD Russells was held at the Southland Community Nursery Education Centre with speeches and a cake to commemorate the event.
- Thanks to Barry's meticulous record keeping we know that we have now planted a grand total of 36765 plants at Bushy Point since the year 2000.
- In November/December 2025 a major release spray effort was made on the tussock planting areas and last years planting area – led by Alistair Wilson, Jeff Walker and Brian Rance and Barry Smith with others trampling down the grass in preparation for spraying.
- Preparation spot spraying of 2025 planting area by Barry.
- Growing of 600 eco-sourced plants by Southland Community Nursery, Otatara
- Combi-guard plant covers bought and used to cover plants for rabbit control.
- In February/March 2026 weeding sessions were organised by Douglas Black and run by Geoff Dembo. Plant maintenance continues to be an issue as it is not as popular an activity as planting! Thanks to Geoff for continuing this for another year. Other volunteers Kathy Morrison, Sally and Gordon Duston, Chris and Brian Rance, Brian Denny, Kathy Deacon and Chris Rowe continue to undertake volunteer weed work (see weed control section for more detail). Gordon and Sally Duston and family adopted a specific area for weeding and planting.

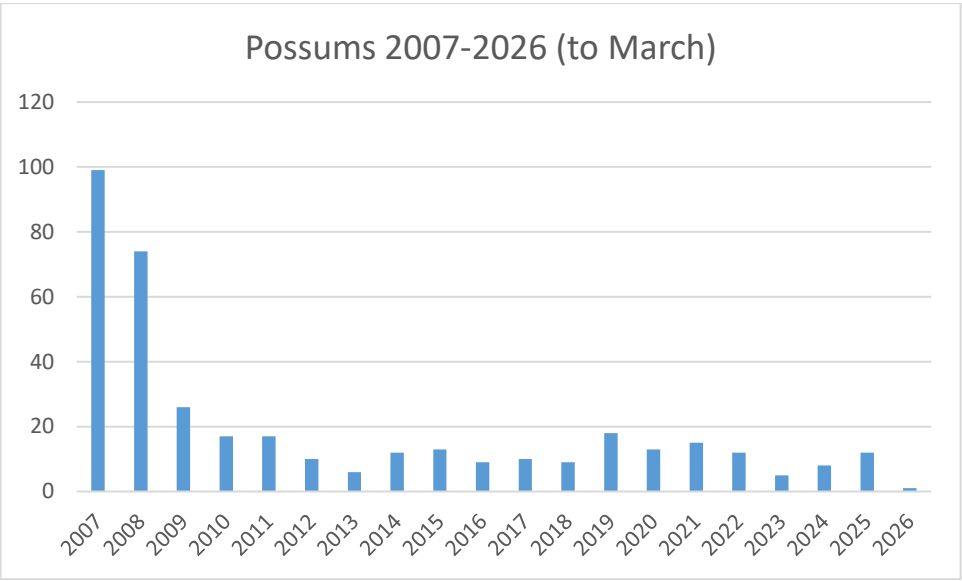
5. Animal Pest Control and Monitoring

Intensive pest control operation continues, taking in the whole of Bushy Point area (90 hectares) has taken place since 2007. The rat, mustelid and possum control at Bushy Point is aimed at protecting the nesting fernbirds, kereru, tui and bellbirds as well as other birds, lizards and insects and plants.

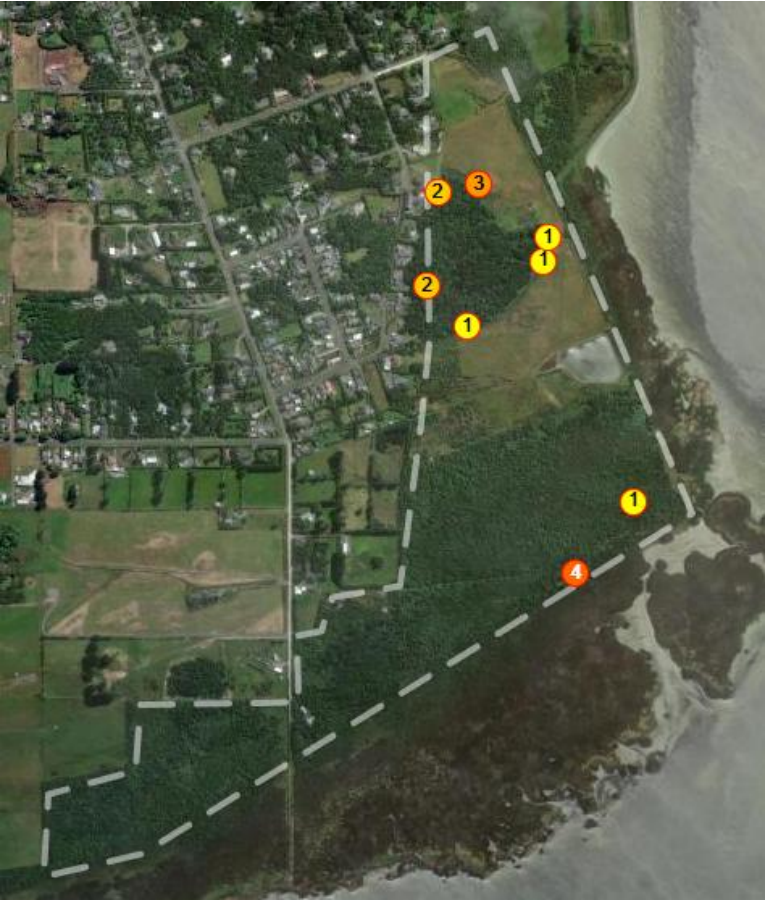
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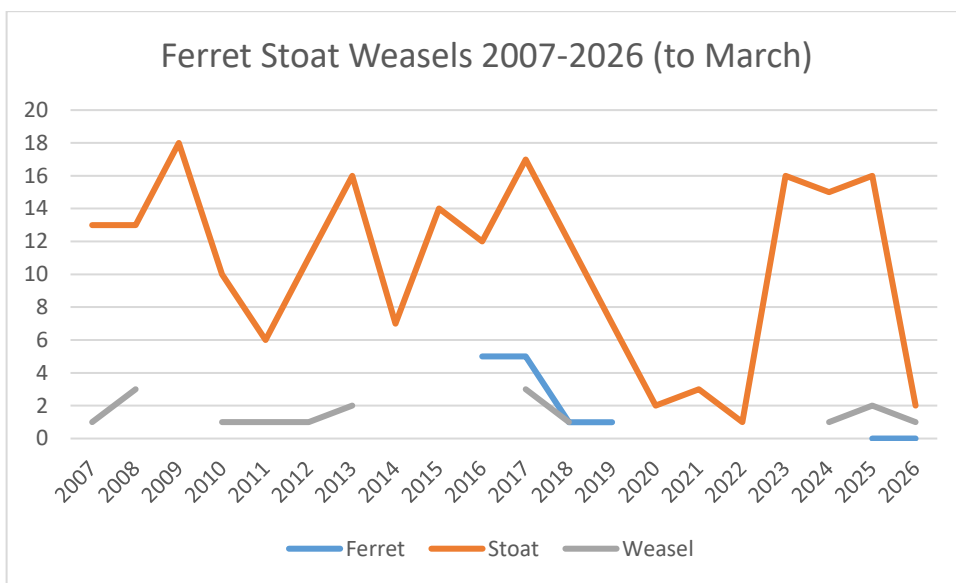
- Pest Control Permission renegotiated with DOC August 2025 (expires 2028), with on the ground control and statistics coordinated by Chris Rance.
- Maintained 8 trap lines through Bushy Point covering over 6 kilometres of track, containing - 90 rat bait stations, 49 possum traps, and 14 stoat traps. Bait stations are set at 50 metre intervals along each track. Added rat traps at each poison station. Bought and placed 2 self-setting traps. In 2025 we replaced all the Possum Master traps with Flipping Timmys, as requested by DOC. Environment Southland EEF funding allowed us to do this replacement.
- Over the year 369 voluntary hours spent on pest control in 2025/26 by Ian Gamble, Pauline McAlpine and Allan Leddington, Don McMurtrie, Brian Rance, Nate Chandrakumar,. This year we did not undertake the huge job of cutting back tracks that was done the previous year, thereby reducing volunteer hours compared to last year. It is a job that will need doing in 2026.
- Trap lines continue to be serviced on average every second week by volunteers, with results since start of trapping in 2007 as shown below. Although possums have been markedly reduced, stoats continually re-invade and rat poison continues to be taken. Rat traps were added to the mix in 2023 while the DOC poison Permission was renegotiated in July 2025 and expires in August 2028.
- In addition, an extension to trapping along the estuary edge called the buffer project was established in 2019 and maintained.
- Five Minute Bird Surveys by Kiri Pullen undertaken annually, funded by ES and rat and mustelid monitoring at Bushy Point were discontinued by Environment Southland in 2024 and that is a real loss for the group. Funding in 2025/26 will allow one bird count and one rat monitor in November 26
- Environment Southland did not monitor possums at Bushy Point in 2025.

Possums and mustelids caught at Bushy Point by calendar year were as follows (note that the 2026 figures are only up to March 2026).



Possum Catches 2025/26 (TrapNZ)



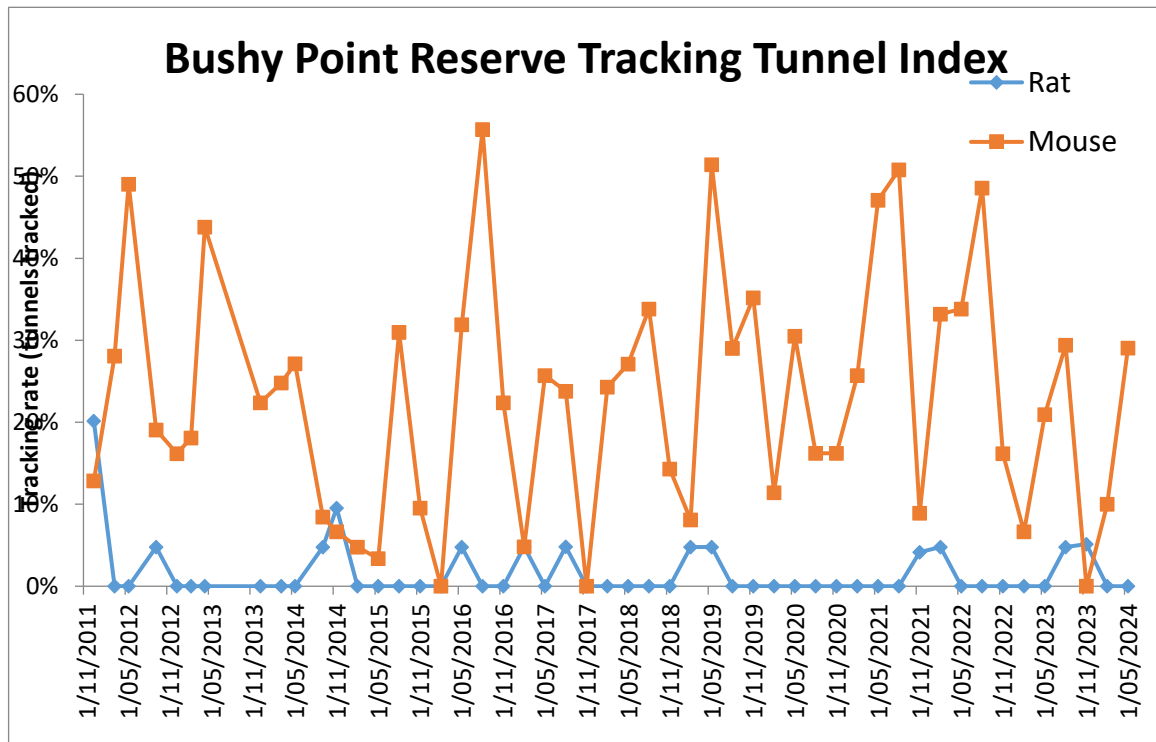


Stoat Catches 2025/26 Trap NZ



- Trapping results are also recorded on the Trap NZ website. Statistics and maps can now use 18 years of data to establish trends in trap catch at Bushy Point. Information on trapping is collected in the form of spreadsheets and this information is available for further analysis.

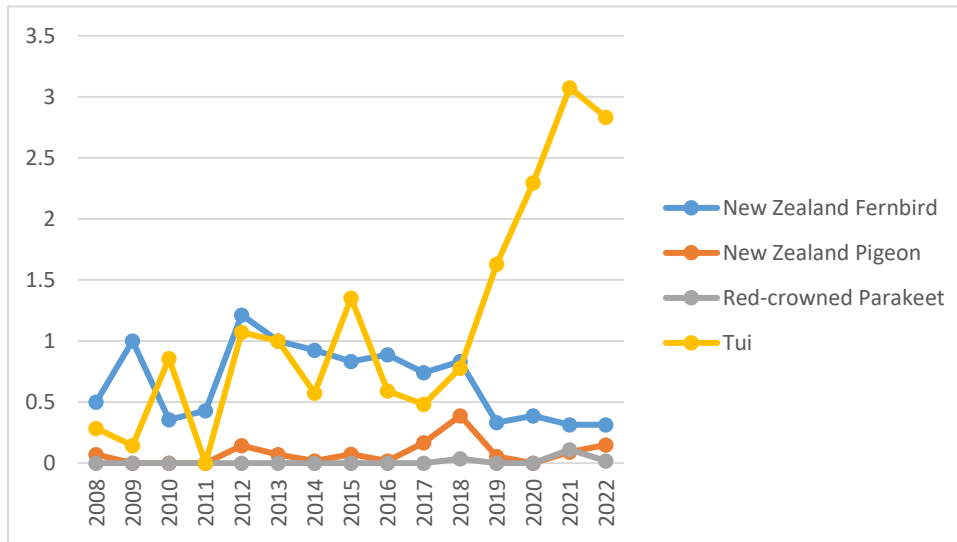
Tracking Tunnel results 2011-2024 (no ES monitoring 2025-26)



Other Monitoring

- Lizard artificial covers, weta motels and seedfall traps are still in place but monitoring by Environment Southland has ceased.
- Bird counts were discontinued by Environment Southland in 2023 but stations are still in place if in the future this is continued.
- Rat, mouse and stoat monitoring by Environment Southland was discontinued in 2024 but volunteers undertook this work in 2024 with a very low rat and high mouse count.

BUSHY POINT BIRD MONITORING 2006-2022 (no ES Bird monitoring since 2022)



Wider Otatara Pest Control – Otatara Pestbusters

Otatara Pestbusters (which encourages pest control on private land by their owners), was continued throughout 2025/26. This project (a sub-group of the Otatara Landcare Group) is run by Dallas Bradley and has nearly 300 members, most doing pest control. Dallas provides a lot of advice to residents. The project builds on the 90 hectares of control at Bushy Point with 45.5 hectares of Invercargill City Council Reserves, the 20 hectares Otatara South Reserve, the 8 hectare Buffer Project along the Estuary margin, and 40 hectares of golf course. Pestbusters supply traps and bait to property owners at a subsidised price. Each person actively engaged in pest control receives a letterbox sign and regular newsletters.

The Invercargill City Council Reserves at Otatara have had pest control under Pestbusters since 2013/14 and traps are being serviced by volunteers. A Memorandum of Understanding has been negotiated between OLG and ICC. Bowman Bush QEII Land is also being serviced by Pestbuster volunteers.

The DOC Otatara South Scenic Reserve was included in the intensive pest control in 2012 and is included in the DOC Pest Permission. This reserve has been intensively trapped for possums, stoats and rats since 2015/16. Thanks go to Peter Simpson for originally spearheading the pest control in Otatara South Scenic Reserve and now Colin Lawrence and Dave Toole supported by Pestbusters.

6. Weed Control

- Gorse, broom and blackberry control continued, particularly at the Bryson Road entrance to Bushy Point
- Hand weeding of plantings from previous years by volunteers in February/March 26 – organised by Douglas Black and Geoff Dembo.
- Spot spraying of areas in preparation for 2025 planting – by Barry Smith.
- The mulcher mower utilised for gorse control in the plantation area
- Herbicide spraying of 2023/24 and 24/25 planting areas by Alistair Wilson and Jeff Walker with support from Barry Smith, Chris and Brian Rance, Sally Duston and Chris Rowe December 2025.
- Continued maintenance at other times by volunteers in their own time
- OLG members Chris and Brian Rance continually advising residents on weeds by visiting their properties
- Annual Chilean Flame Creeper night at Bowman Bush with QEII Rep Jesse Bythell 27 January 2026

7. Infrastructure

- Bushy Point Track mowed monthly as required now by contract to Tim Simpson, track improvements made.
- Equipment shed, and tractor shed
- Track around pond maintained.
- Posts and track markers for self-guided activity trail
- New “You are here” signs created by Helen Stewart and put on marker posts
- Posts for new track alignment and interpretation
- The mulcher mower utilised for trackwork
- Picnic area constructed near pond with picnic table and chairs
- The entrance car park was gravelled, providing a much better hard surface for parking.

8. Interpretation and public access

- New Entrance Interpretation Sign created by Helen Stewart with Cathy Macfie and Chris Rance and Jason Hosking aerial imagery. New “Barrys Pond” sign arranged and erected by Ray Jackson for the 25th Anniversary event in October 2025.
- The Bushy Point walkway continues to be used by individuals and groups.
- Five Interpretation Signs maintained on-site, new brochures for Bushy Point walks produced by Cathy Macfie and Helen Stewart placed at Bryson Road entrance.
- Damage in the Totara Block from mountain bike tracks and jumps fixed by DOC tractor in April 2025. Area underplanted in October 2025.

General Information and Advocacy

- Otatarā Pigeon Post Newsletter published and delivered to all Otatarā residents quarterly, hard copies delivered thanks to ICC funding and digital versions on website at <https://www.otataralandcare.org.nz/publications/>. One copy of the Pigeon Post was sponsored by a real estate business in 2025.
- OLG website updated regularly with events, and includes a “Pestbusters” section -

www.otataralandcare.org.nz

- The OLG email account (otatara@gmail.com) is the avenue for communication with the OLG and items are put onto the Otatara Notice Board Facebook Page to promote events.
- An attempt was made to start an Otatara Landcare Group Facebook page – still a work in progress!
- The OLG is closely aligned with other Otatara Conservation Groups – Bush Haven Native Bird Rehabilitation Trust, Southland Community Nursery and Native Forest Restoration Trust (Oreti Totara Dune Forest).

9. Volunteers and Public Involvement

- Bushy Point 25th Anniversary event and BBQ in the Rances Education Centre - 18 October 2025 – 60 people came and planted. See Pigeon Post Summer 2025 for stories.
- Number of hours for the year – 922 hours (21831 hours in total for the project).
- Otatara School visited for a planting day on 17 October 2025
- 8 Pest lines (over a 90 hectare area) maintained every 2 weeks by a group of dedicated volunteers.
- Bittern Talk and Searching event at Bushy Point November 2025 with national bittern expert Wendy Ambury. Subsequently 3 bittern were spotted on the estuary at the end of the pest lines by Nate Chandrakumar.
- Group visits in 2025/26 include Orienteering events, Home School group June 25, walking group in April.
- Southland Orienteering Club again enjoyed running events at Bushy Point which, while not technically difficult, is the perfect place for those newer to the sport.

On 2nd December 2025 we held an event with 2 easy courses especially planned for students at Hedgehope School. This was then opened up to the public during the evening.

From December 2025 until March 2026 a Semi Permanent DIY course was set up over the whole of Bushy Point and whilst we don't have any numbers of users, it was obviously popular judging by casual comments, seeing people out there and by the squashed grass tracks made into some of the more difficult sites. We reopened this temporarily for a party of about 20 Girl Guides who spent an evening navigating their way round the course in March 2026.

On 2nd March 2026, as part of our MSK After School Have a Go series, 21 students from Y5 to Y13 'had a go'.

It never ceases to amaze me that, at orienteering events, this is often competitors' first visit to Bushy Point. Thanks again, from SOC, for the use of this lovely area.

10. Species Sightings

A number of significant species sightings have been made in Otatara in 2025 – notably fernbirds and kingfishers consistently seen in the Bushy Point restoration area, 3 bittern seen in the estuary from end of pest line, 4 kaka in Otatara, kakariki

commonly seen and a long-tailed bat filmed by a security camera. These are additional to the commonly seen bush birds – tui, kereru, bellbird, grey warbler, brown creeper and fantails.

11. Grazing/pasture management

- Horse grazing has continued in 2025/26
- Baleage taken off 2025/26.

12. Funding

- A Successful Lotteries Application (\$20,000) was submitted by Lloyd Esler and Jeff Walker for 2025/26
- A Successful Community Trust Application (\$2000) was submitted by Jeff Walker for 2025/26
- A successful application for funding for 2025/26 was made to Environment Southland's Biodiversity Fund this was expended in this financial year. Thanks to Catriona Gower ES for assistance and oversight of this funding.
- A successful application for funding for 2025/26 was made to Environment Southland's Biodiversity Fund for 2026/27 financial year.
- A successful funding application was made to Trees that Count for trees for the 2026 planting (\$2500).

13. Expenditure and Income 2025/2026

- General expenditure for Bushy Point 2025/26 was \$13601
- Public Liability Insurance was \$968
- Bushy Point Pest Control Expenses were \$537
- Pestbuster Expenses \$3560 (income \$3091)
- Plants and covers were \$3017
- Labour and Materials were \$8927
- Pigeon Post Newsletter \$1576
- Total grazing and baleage income for Bushy Point 2025/26 was \$3940

14. Key Tasks for 2026/27

1. Strategic and Operational Plans updating with mapping
2. Carrying out the Operation Plan tasks for 2025/26
3. Major Funding accounting- Lotteries, ES, Trees that count
4. Planting Event and BBQ planned for Sunday 4 October 2026
5. Other planting as the opportunity arises, closer liaison with Otatara School
6. Spray releasing of recently planted areas
7. Contract some of the weed control
8. Work days – plant and site maintenance
9. Health and Safety Plan to update
10. Up to 4 Orienteering events a year.
11. Other advocacy events as part of restoration events, school visits and workshops
12. Trapline maintenance required
13. Annual Report for 2025/26 to be completed by July 26
14. Annual DOC Meeting - 30 June 2026

15. Monitoring rat tunnels and bird counts to recommence with funding from ES.
16. Track improvement near pond

15. Acknowledgements

Thanks to the Department of Conservation, Environment Southland, Invercargill City Council, surrounding landowners, OLG Committee, Bushy Point Caretaker, contractors and volunteers for their efforts in making 2025/26 another very busy and successful year for the Bushy Point Restoration Project.

Richard Johnson, Chair OLG – July 2026

25th Anniversary Planting Day 2025 Preparation



Loading up
at the
Southland
Community
Nursery and
volunteers
putting
plants out
on site at
Bushy Point





**25th
Anniversary
Planting Day**

**18 October
2025**

**Laidlaw
Family at
“Barrys Pond”**

Anniversary BBQ and speeches at the Rances Education Centre



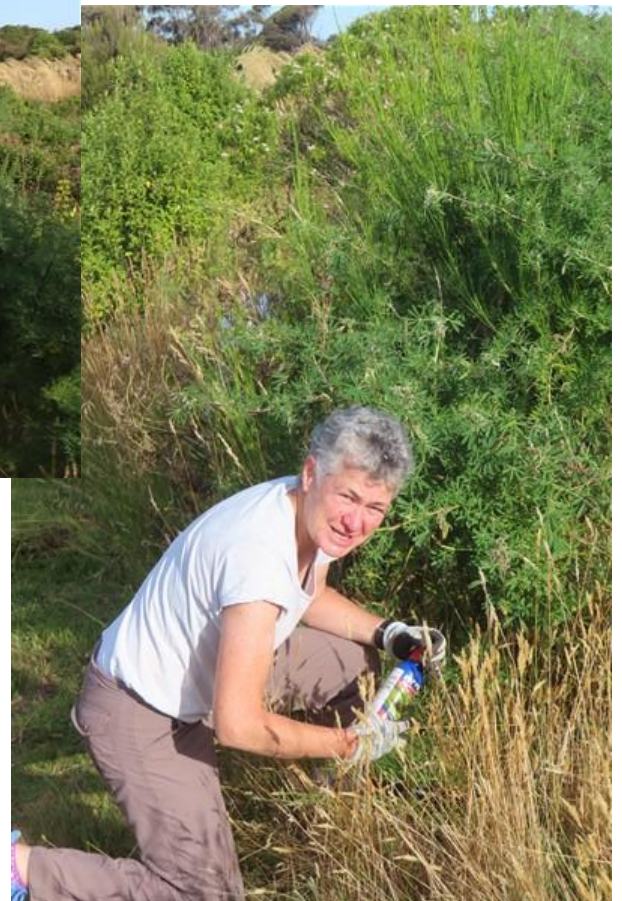
Otatara School Planting 17 October 2025



Bittern Monitoring at Bushy Point November 2025



Tree Releasing Nights February/March 2026



Orienteering Events December 2025 – March 2026



Weed Control 2025



Herbicide maintenance of
planting areas

Mowing weed control

Gorse control





Animal Pest line damage after
the wind storm in October 2025.

Pest lines in winter

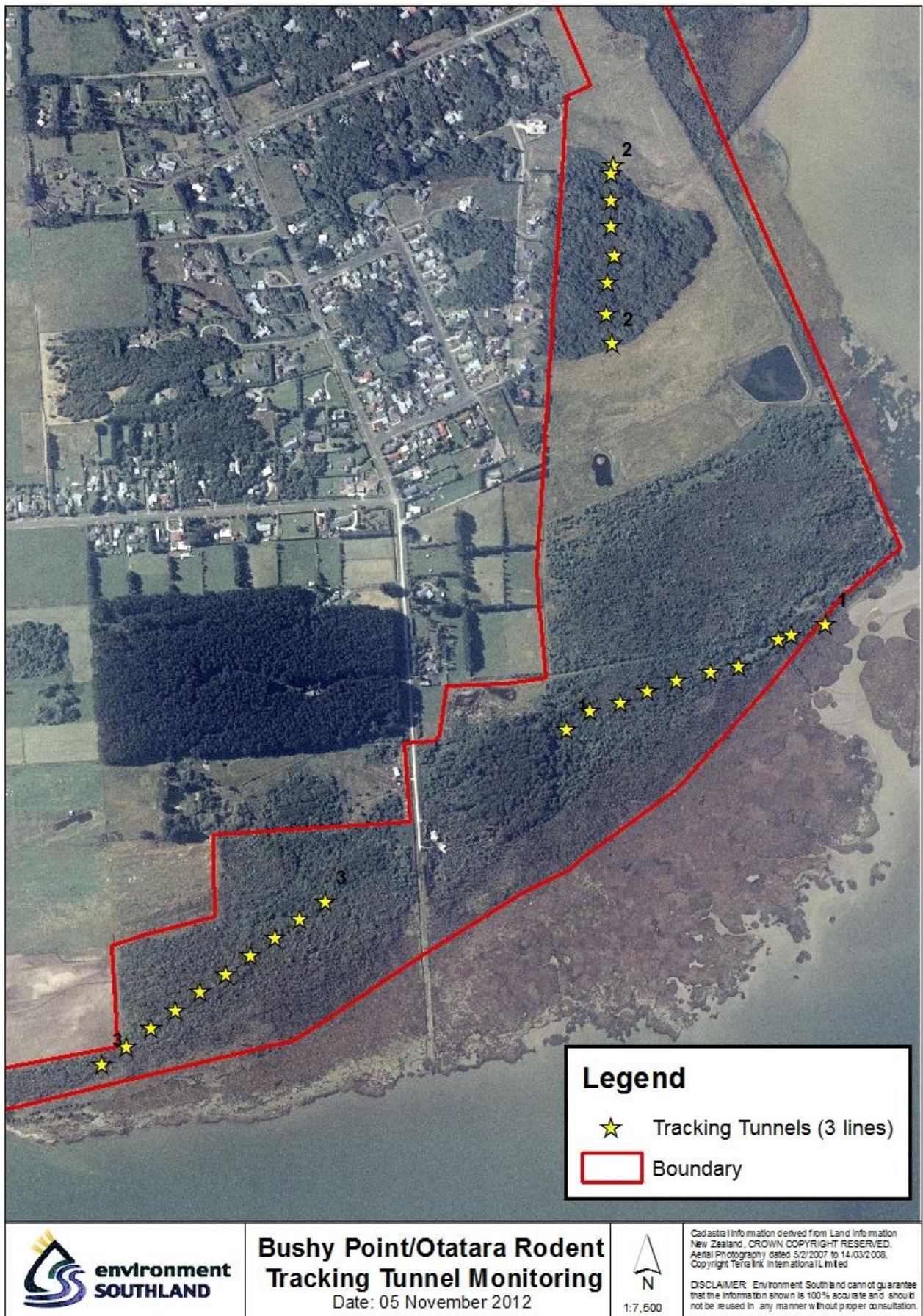
Muddy Walking Tracks in
winter near pond



Damage and repair in the Totara Block



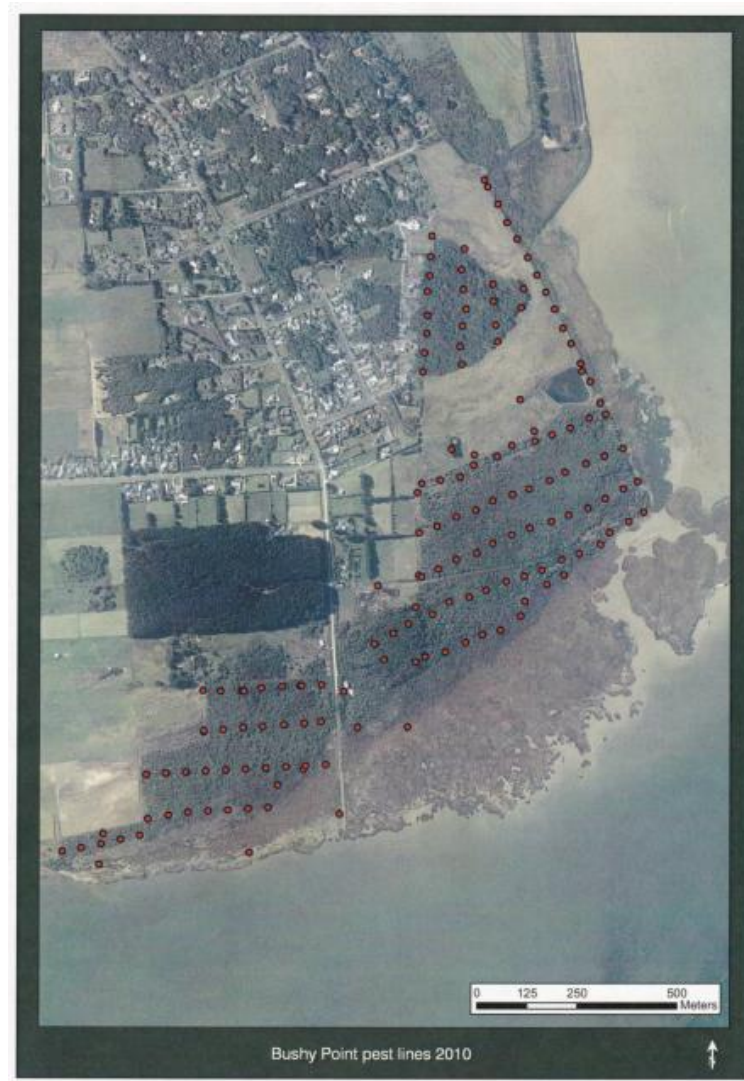
Rodent Monitoring lines at Bushy Point



Map of Bird Count Locations at Bushy Point 2017 - 2024



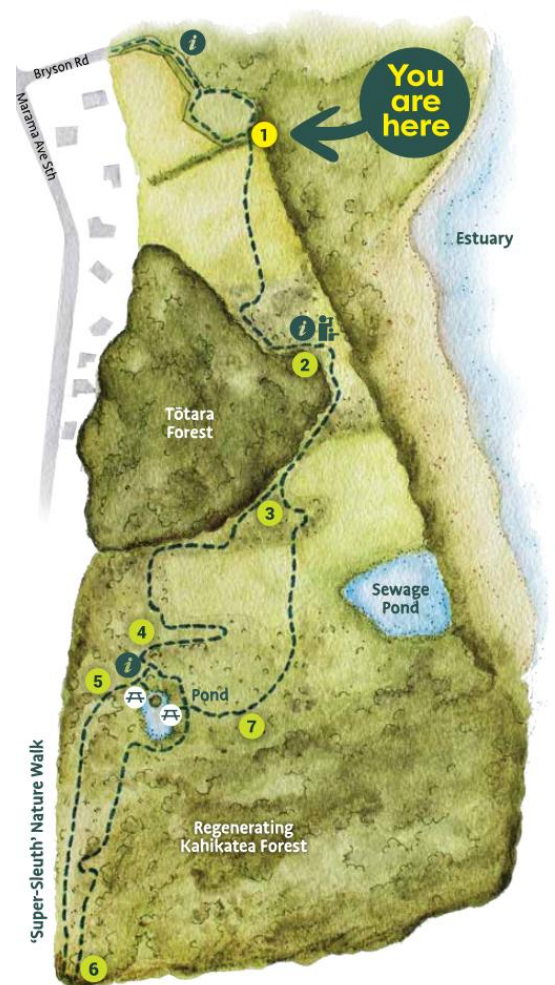
Bushy Point Pest Control Traps and Bait stations 2007-2026



Replacement Possum Traps – Flipping Timmys – put out in 2025



Interpretation Signs



Walk Brochure Bushy Point

A place of history and a living legacy

This is a walk that provides an insight into Otatara as it used to be. It highlights current activities and introduces the restoration project that is progressively restoring paddocks back to native forest and wetland.

Walking times: One-way from Bryson Road at a leisurely pace:

- To viewpoint: 10 minutes
- To pond and interpretation sign: 30 minutes

1 Pest control

Introduced animals harm both native plants and wildlife. A study of Otatara's tūi and kererū showed that 86% of their nests were attacked by predators. The interpretation panel shows the pests we are controlling over the 90 hectares of land around Bushy Point. Monitoring since 2007 has shown consistently low number of rats and increasing bird numbers. Poisons are used in bait stations; please keep dogs on leads.

2 Check out the view!

The white trig structure on the hill marks one of Invercargill's high points, 20m above sea-level. The rolling hills are all that remain of sand dunes which date from the stabilisation of sea levels after the last ice-age some 6000 years ago. Most of the dunes were levelled around 1910 with sand removed as fill to create the embankment that carried a tramway across the estuary from Stead Street to Otatara. The work was done using prison labour.

The estuary is fringed by salt marsh. Jointed wire rush/oio dominates the tidal zone then gives way to coastal scrub, including cabbage tree/tī, mānuka and flax/harakeke. Listen for a short metallic 'tchick' which gives away the presence of rare fernbird/mātā (left).

3 Tōtara forest remnant

Tōtara forest on sand dunes is a nationally significant ecosystem and we are lucky in Otatara to have some of the best remaining examples in New Zealand. Tōtara is a highly significant tree to Māori and its uses are many. Tōtara lives for hundreds of years and provides food in the form of berries and nesting sites for a wide range of native birds and insects.

4 It's planting time!

In September 2011, a three year "Living Legends" national planting project was sponsored by the Tindall Foundation. The project here at Bushy Point saw 10,000 locally grown native trees planted over that time. Planting continues to this day with a total of over 30,000 native plants planted by local volunteers since the year 2000. Check out the Otatara Landcare Group website for planting dates and how you can help!

5 Creating a pond

In September 2006, a pond and wetland area was created. The pond margin features flax/harakeke, sedges and scattered shrubs, including thickets of coprosma to attract fernbird/mātā. As planting extends outwards, it will provide a vegetation sequence from the pond to adjacent wetland and podocarp forest. The wetland is already attracting waterfowl, white-faced heron, black and little shag/kōau and kingfisher/kōtare. Two picnic areas have been created by the pond.

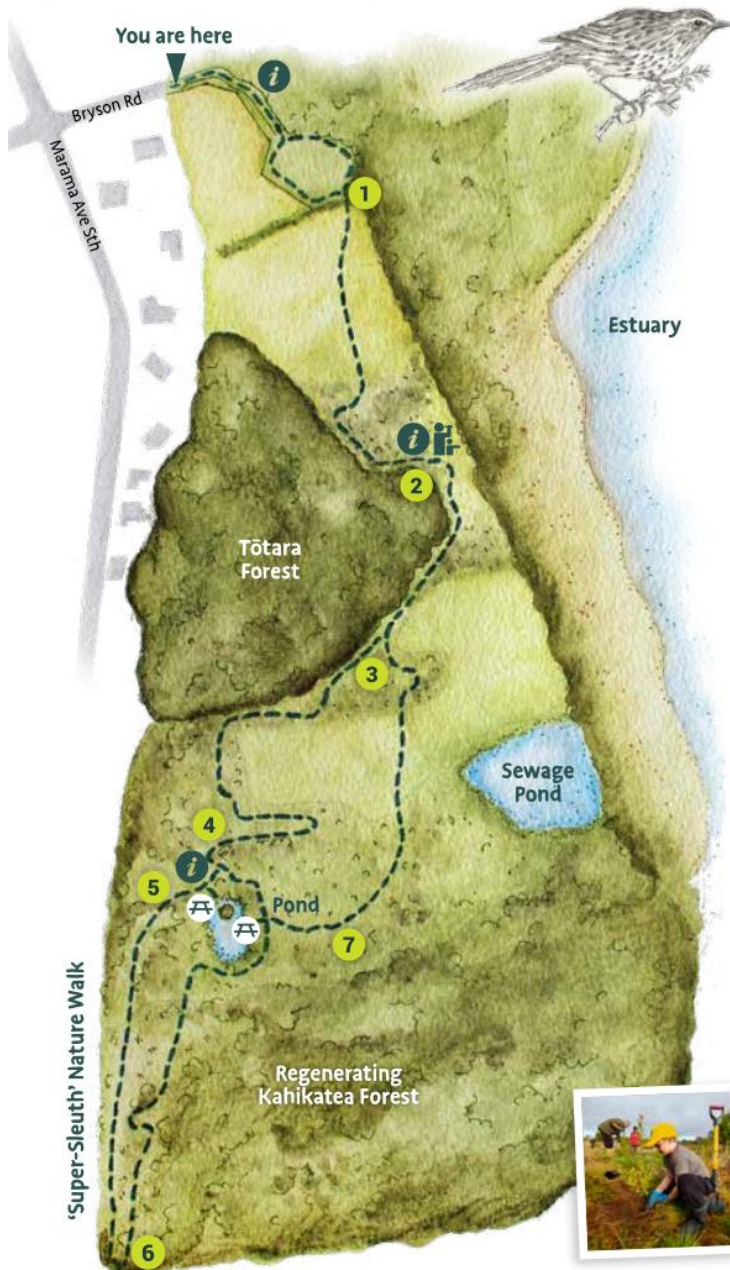
6 Views of the original forest

From here you can look south to see tall kahikatea, mataī and rimu - a reminder of the original podocarp forest that once covered much of Otatara. You can be part of restoring this.

7 Get Involved!

Otatara Landcare Group volunteers have now planted over 30,000 native plants at Bushy Point. Volunteers also service pest lines surrounding Bushy Point every two weeks. If you can help with weeding, planting or pest control, please contact us through our website, below.

www.otataralandcare.org.nz



Learn more about Bushy Point

Follow the yellow topped posts. You'll find interesting information in this brochure specific to each site.



Once you've reached the interpretation sign by the pond, pick up another brochure for our 'Super Sleuth' walk. Follow the fantail numbered posts.

Learning activities

See our website for more fun activities you can enjoy while walking at Bushy Point or at your place:

www.otataralandcare.org.nz



Scan this QR code on your smartphone to take you straight to our website



This project would not be possible without generous financial and material support. Contributors include:

- Department of Conservation
- Environment Southland
- Community Trust of Southland
- Invercargill City Council
- National Parks and Conservation Trust (Transpower)
- ILT Foundation
- Pub Charity



Please return this brochure to the dispenser for other walkers to enjoy

Photos by Jason Hosking, Chris Rance, Janet Hodgetts; Sketches by Gordon Duston, Lloyd Esler; Watercolours by Helen Stewart

Bushy Point

Past, present, future



A self-guided walk

Public conservation land managed by



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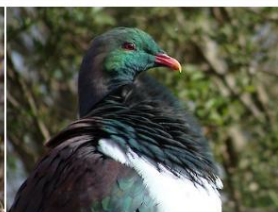
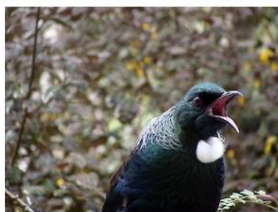


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Otago is a very special place to live.

The area is a natural playground with a rich variety of plants and birds. It has native forest, bush walks, sand dunes, a river, estuary shoreline, pine forests, many restoration projects – all this in an area shared with over 1000 households, close to Invercargill City.

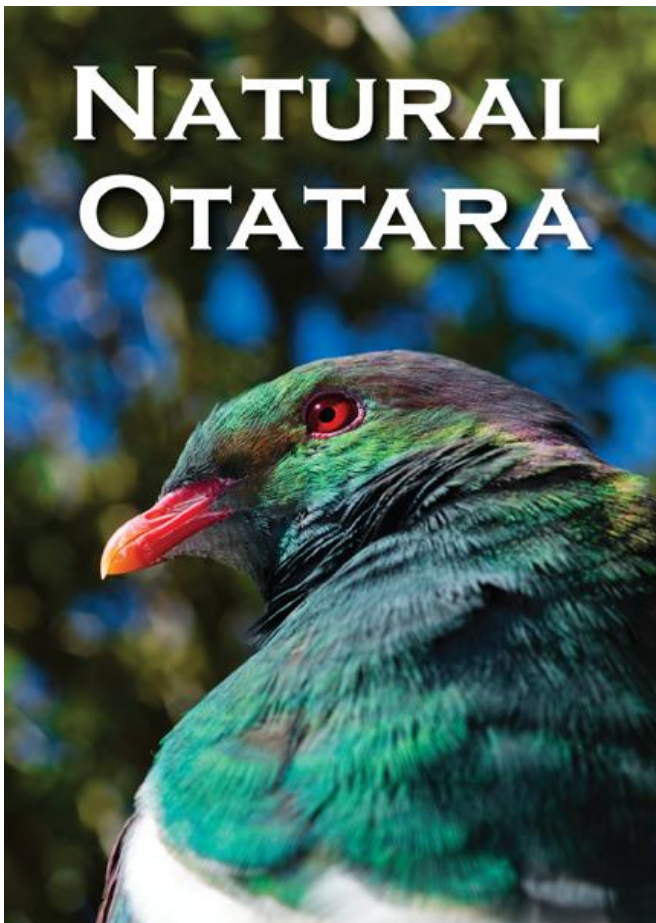
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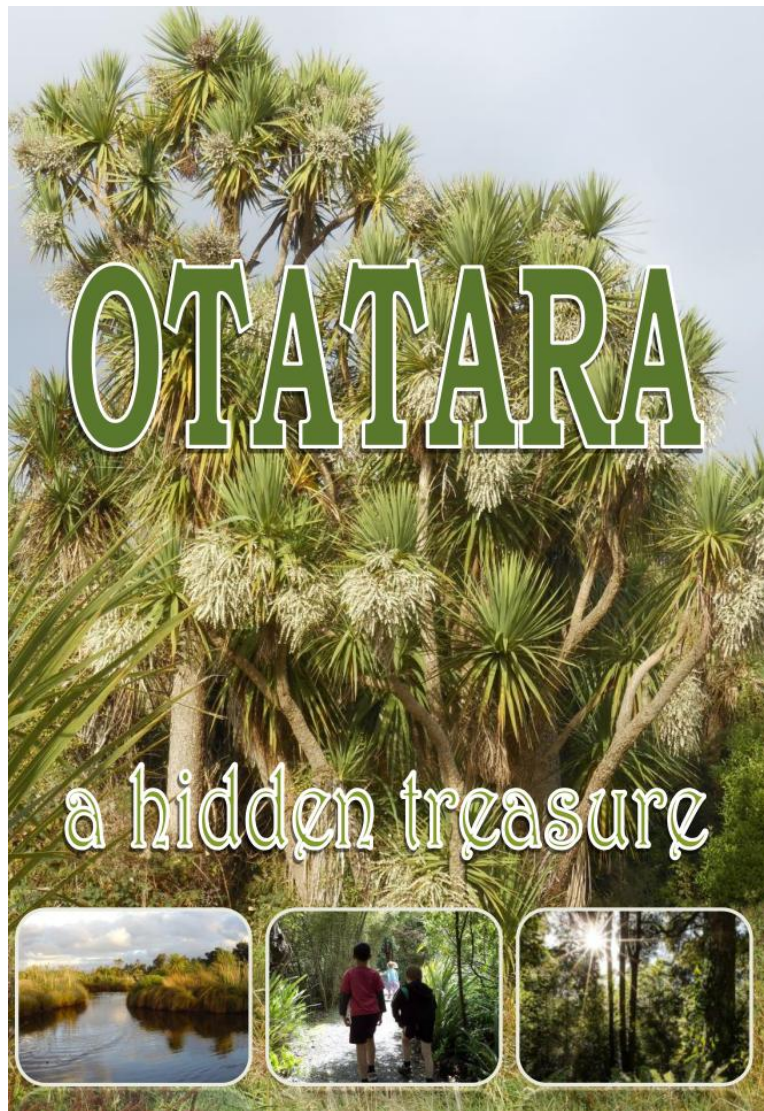
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A draft master plan for the Sandy Point domain for 10, 25 and 50 years has been made public. The plan is open for submissions, with a deadline of January 31 2024. The story on the draft master plan is on page 4.





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