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## ARCHAEOLOGY IN NEW ZEALAND



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## **Archaeology Week 2019**

The dates for New Zealand Archaeology Week 2019 are 27 April to 5 May. Already a number of groups and organisations are planning a variety of events around the country.

The basic objective of New Zealand Archaeology Week is to increase public awareness of archaeology in New Zealand. Archaeology Week promotes the work of New Zealand archaeologists both at home and abroad as well as promoting the importance of protecting our archaeological heritage. The types of events that would be appropriate for New Zealand Archaeological Week could include a special exhibition at a museum, public talks on archaeological work in New Zealand or abroad, historic walks promoting the archaeology of a town, archaeological site visits and/or visits to an excavation.

NZAA has funding available for volunteer groups to help with costs associated with putting on events. If you would like a little bit of extra help with your events then please email me at:

[archaeologyweek@nzarchaeology.org](mailto:archaeologyweek@nzarchaeology.org)

NZAA will review each request on a case by case basis. The website for New Zealand Archaeology Week is presently being set up and once on line you will be able to see what is happening around your area.

As per previous years I am seeking Area Coordinators to help facilitate and manage Archaeology Week 2019. I would like to thank those who have already volunteered to be Area Coordinators in the Hawkes Bay, Thames, Wellington and Christchurch. Presently, I am seeking Area Coordinators for Dunedin and Auckland.

Please contact me at the address given above for more information or to discuss possible events and/or interest in New Zealand Archaeological Week 2019.

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