



Kia ora TCSG

Bye bye winter, hello spring! September marks the start of Motorcycle Awareness month so watch out on social media for reminders on looking twice for motorcycles.

In this month's update we remind you to sign up for ShakeOut, NZ's national earthquake drill and tsunami hīkoi, and we profile another successful Agricultural Safety Challenge.

Finally, we analyse recent coverage highlighting concerns around the lack of regulation to help reduce NZ's alarming rates of alcohol related harm.

For more information, check out www.npis.org.nz. If you have any questions, don't hesitate to contact us.

Keep safe out there.

Ngā mihi nui

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September signals the start of the motorcycling season, and **Motorcycle Awareness Month**.

What messages as a rider and driver can we all promote to keep motorcyclists safe?

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ShakeOut is held across the world to remind people of the right action to take during an earthquake — Drop, Cover and Hold — and to practise a tsunami hīkoi (evacuation) if in a coastal area.

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Several NZ health experts have been questioning the government's inability to implement **effective measures to curb alcohol related harm**. Action in this area is needed even more than ever.

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Another successful **Agricultural Safety Challenge** was held recently, with Waitara High School becoming the 2019 champions. Interactive activities at this event included how to enhance mental wellbeing for the rural sector.

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