

# PositiveMoneyNZ



## Newsletter # 9 – from 24th May to 19 June

Welcome to our 9<sup>th</sup> newsletter. You can get previous newsletters from our website on [www.positivemoney.org.nz/Site/Newsletters/newsletters.aspx](http://www.positivemoney.org.nz/Site/Newsletters/newsletters.aspx)

Following is a summary of what we have been up to.

- Attended further screenings of the Four Horsemen on Sunday the 27<sup>th</sup> May and Thursday the 31<sup>st</sup>. We got a good plug from the festival director and handed out 100 fliers at each showing
- Sent [letters to the Mayor and Councillors](#) of Christchurch City Council advising them of the alternative to asset sales and debt. We ask those of you in Christchurch to follow up with your councillor and get their feedback. Point them in the direction of our site
- Posted up a good article from Raf Manji on 4<sup>th</sup> June titled [Monetary dialysis](#) – replacing interest bearing debt with government created money free of interest. It also debunks the idea of government created interest being inflationary
- Posted a good commentary piece [from Chris Trotter](#), who spoke about creating money out of thin air
- Posted a cheeky [1 minute 20 second You Tube clip](#) on our facebook page.
- Spoke at the Wellington Theosophical Society meeting on the 12<sup>th</sup> June. It was a lively debate with positive feedback. They have offered their building as a venue for further meetings.
- Met with Grant Robertson (the deputy leader of the Labour party) on the 15<sup>th</sup> June and received a good hearing. Grant would like a follow up meeting with one of his advisors
- Met with Russel Norman co-leader of the Greens on the 18<sup>th</sup> June. We received a polite hearing

Our upcoming focus is to build up our bases in the cities.

### Wellington

We will be holding [a meeting in Wellington](#) on Monday the 2<sup>nd</sup> of July from 6pm till 7:30 at the Theosophical Hall 19 Marion Street Te Aro. Parking is available at the Marion Street car park (26 Marion Street). The meeting will:

- create a resource pool of people to get the message out there
- identify the expertise provided by those attending and how best that can be harnessed
- brainstorm ideas
- identify upcoming events, societies and groups to talk to
- identify any media contacts within the group
- schedule in times to show documentaries that anyone can attend

After the meeting we will adjourn to the Southern Cross Pub (39 Able Smith Street) for further networking and good idea creation.

### Auckland

Ziv Dumienki is our contact person in Auckland and is doing great stuff with our Facebook site. Ziv is looking at a venue and time for an Auckland meeting. Once we have it scheduled in we will let you know.

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## **Other centres**

If you are interested in either being our designated contact person – or you wish to put your name forward to be part of a group, please let us know. [info@positivemoney.org.nz](mailto:info@positivemoney.org.nz)

## **Facebook**

If you come across items of interest that would be great for our Facebook page, send them to Ziv directly. His email address is [zibidu@gmail.com](mailto:zibidu@gmail.com)

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