

Meanwhile, at Ferrymead....

## **By early June 2011**

- Ferrymead Park had re-opened at Easter –patronage down
- Tamaki Heritage Experience had ceased
- Urgent Tram track and overhead repairs had been completed – reserve line remains out of use
- June 13 event still to come - more damage and disruption
- Trolley bus shed inaccessible (“red stickered”)
- Income from lease of trams to City had ceased
- Money running out for completion of Birney 15
- Fundraising underway for new tram barn to house city trams - \$40K raised and building consent lodged.



Ferrymead Reserve Line - still awaiting repair

# Trolley bus shed closed

R1 / L2 ASD

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Low wall	Roofing Failure

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Facility/Tenancy Name and Address  
Trolley Bus Barn  
50 Perryman's Lark Drive

This facility was inspected pursuant to the Civil Defence Emergency Management Act 2002.  
Inspector ID: Bryan McMillan  
Date: 1/7/2011  
Time: 1:45 pm  
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Months of wrangling with insurer to get make safe work done!





June 13 earthquakes - trolley bus shed, library



Tram damage - Only a model – fortunately!





Cracks in  
traverser wall



Trolley bus emergency repairs done – access regained





Site for new tram shed



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Fundraising continued



## Paintings by Don McAra

*Some of the paintings donated by Don that were sold and funds added to appeal total*



## Cases of Wine from Waipara "Stolen Windmill" Vineyard for sale

*The Society was donated 10 cases of white wine by Mr Graeme Allen - 5 of each of Sauvignon Blanc @ \$100 per case and Reisling @ \$125 per case. This has now all been sold.*



**Donated picture from Graham Lees (Perth W.A.)**

*Dunedin No 11 passing Christchurch Cathedral, September 2010.  
500mm x 600mm framed.*





**Below are images of the remaining 6 pictures that are still available.**









# Bravo Lachlan!

THE SOCIETY owes real thanks to this five year old boy who, according to his parents, Vanessa Rowan and Mark Jansen, is a huge fan of the Christchurch trams. Concerned for the welfare of the refugee trams at Ferrymead he decided he would like to raise some money for their shelter. He set up a fudge stall at the end of his drive and raised \$35.00.

Thank you, Lachlan, what a great thing to do! We really hope that the trams will be running again in the City and we are looking forward to seeing you coming in for a ride.



# The shed gets under way

*(foundation work undertaken by THS with donated materials)*



First sod turned 15 Oct 2011













Extra concrete makes great paths!





TotalSpan contractor takes over







Up in less than one week!



Fitting the doors took a little longer!







Volunteers hard at work track laying – concrete beam preparation





Placing concrete the old way – saved the cost of a pump!









Steel plates set in concrete for rail attachment





Rail supply







Front end loader makes rail moving easy



But rail tongs still useful





CTL's Andy Rowe – track welder supremo



The all important connection to the traverser















# Bringing in the trams





Crane power





People Power









Electric Power





Last track set to go!







Some shingle for the floor – assisted by Kitson No. 7













# Donors and Supporters

The Society would like to acknowledge the many individuals and organisations who have contributed money, materials, time and effort towards the erection of this building.

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