



February-March 2020

Kia ora and hello everyone

While summer is meant to be drawing to a close, hot days and water shortages seem far from being over, and our weather patterns continue to be challenging.

It's meant that we've had to re-double our health & safety efforts, ensuring that everyone is properly hydrated and having fire-fighting equipment close at hand.

As we always do, we kick off with a Health & Safety focus, and this issue includes an article I was asked to write for the Business Leaders' Health & Safety Forum on safety leadership and what Treescape® has been up to. We've made great progress, but we wouldn't have done so without the support of our people and our customers. Thank you.

We have an article on two of our Auckland based team, Abby and Luke who have secured their National Certificates in Horticulture, Level 3. Well done guys.

On the innovation front, we've been very busy. Whether it's another complex crane job by our talented Australian team, the expansion of our Permeteq™ product to the Wellington waterfront, or taking part in The Green Pavlova Conference (May 2020), being the leaders in the arboriculture industry requires a constant focus on doing things more efficiently and sustainably.

Lastly, we hear from Brandon Whiddett, Treescape®'s co-founder, on innovation and his approach to design. A great and inspirational way to finish off this month's newsletter.

Take care, all the best, and thank you for your support of Treescape®.

Kind regards



James Fletcher
Treescape® CEO

Health & Safety

Safety leadership in practice

We often talk about Health and Safety initiatives, but rarely have a chance to summarise actionable steps to success.

This short article does it brilliantly.

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Green Asset Management®

Our People



Left: Abby Wilkinson with James Fletcher
Right: James Fletcher and Luke Roberts

Raising professionals

Being with Treescape® means never stop learning. We are proud for Abby Wilkinson, our foreman and Luke Roberts, our training officer, to complete their Certificates in Horticulture Level 3.

Well done, guys!

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Meet the Founder

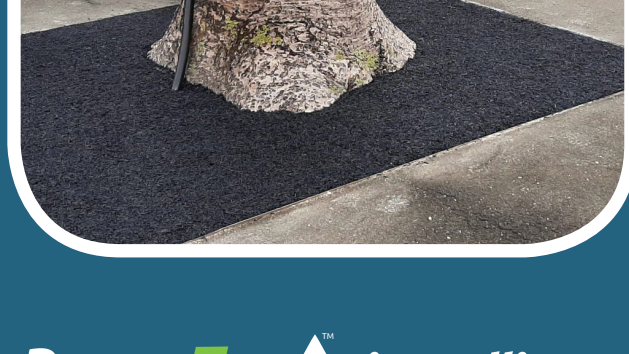
Interview with Brandon

Innovation has always been at the forefront of Treescape® operations – right from the very beginning.

When Brandon Whiddett started Treescape® in 1981 with Ed Chignall, he came to the conclusion pretty quickly that they needed to do things differently to become a long-term sustainable business.

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Innovation



Permeteq™ in Wellington

Wet Pour Permeable Surfacing

If you're in Wellington and wandering along Oriental Parade, you may notice the trees have a swanky new surround. Not only does it look great, it is officially confirmed to be an anti-slip surface.

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Save The Dates

Green Pavlova 2020

incorporating the World Urban Parks Asia-Pacific Congress



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Green Pavlova 2020

Coffee, Cookies and e-Bike. Find out what we are bringing to the table at this year's Green Pavlova and why you should attend.

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Australia



Complex Crane Job

Large hazardous tree removed safely. What is so unusual about it? Busy street, clash of traffic control sites, closely parked cars and 11kVA power lines. Despite all this, the job done safely and in timely manner.

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