



TREES FOR SURVIVAL HOLYOAKE AWARD INFORMATION SHEET 2007

BACKGROUND INFORMATION TO AWARD: A total amount of \$1,000 has been generously donated annually, by Holyoake Industries to promote the aims and objectives of Trees for Survival in our schools.

TREES FOR SURVIVAL IS: A Charitable Trust, operating New Zealand wide. The Trust promotes the growing and planting of native trees on designated land to prevent soil erosion, improve water quality and increase biodiversity. Trees for Survival involves

- Communities working together in partnerships:
- Service groups and businesses that sponsor and support the schools.
- School children who grow and plant the trees.
- Regional Councils/Care Groups who select the planting sites.
- Landowners who care for the trees.

TREES FOR SURVIVAL AIMS TO:

- Teach children how to grow and plant native trees through an interactive environmental education programme.
- Actively involve children in the restoration of at-risk land.
- Encourage an interest in environmental issues including soil and plant conservation.
- Educate the wider community about the aims of the Trees for Survival Trust.

HOW TO APPLY AND ELIGIBILITY:

- Applications will be accepted on the official entry form only, which can be downloaded from www.tfsnz.org.nz or obtained by contacting The National Coordinator ph: 09 5205723 or by emailing info@tfsnz.org.nz
- Eligibility for the Holyoake Award requires that a school must have been involved with the Trees for Survival Programme for a minimum of 2 years.
- Applications must be completed in full and include supporting information of the school's involvement in the Trees for Survival programme.
- **Closing date for applications 5pm on FRIDAY 14th SEPTEMBER 2007.**
- **Please post to Trees for Survival Trust, Holyoake Award Application, PO Box 51 684, Pakuranga, Manukau 2140 or email to info@tfsnz.org.nz**

WINNERS WILL BE NOTIFIED BY FRIDAY 12th OCTOBER 2007.

The prize money will be awarded at the Trustees discretion and no correspondence will be entered into.