Dante Road

(Reference Goggle Images Dante and Guppy New Zealand Police Dog Trust website)

Dante Road was named after an early Police dog "*Dante*". Constable Colin Guppy and his dog Dante were part of the New Zealand Police Dog Training section situated in the Trentham Military Camp. Dante was nine months old when he arrived in New Zealand from Surrey England with Sergeant Frank Riley and his fully trained dog Miska. The 31 January 1957 UH Leader reads "*Two weeks ago we published a short article on the training of police dogs at Trentham and today we were again privileged to see these dogs working. Dante the new-comer who has only been in training five weeks gave a demonstration of his intelligence under his coach Constable C Guppy and no doubt that within a short while he would be able to take his place with Mischa his mate*".

Theme Miscellaneous (Police) - Trentham

Davis Crescent

(Reference UH City Recollect website Maidstone Park 1947 St Joseph church in background P5-94-1183)

Davis Crescent was named after Phillip David Davis junior. Phillip (1871-1952) a local landowner was the founder of Maidstone Park and member of the Upper Hutt Town Board (1910-1912). P D Davis operated a store on the corner of Main Street and Station Street (renamed Geange Street) which was formerly the Cobb & Co stables. Davis Crescent was recorded in the Wises NZ Post Office Directory 1959 & 1961-1962 volumes.

Theme Upper Hutt Settler (Landowner) - Elderslea

Dawn Grove

Dawn Grove was named after the Dawn Cecily Duncan. Dawn's husband Peter James Duncan (1923-2003) was a resident in Upper Hutt and the developer of the Sunnyview subdivision in Brown Owl along with his business partner Sir George Alan Chapman (1929-2017). The partners formed a company, built commercial property, light industrial buildings, shopping centres, housing units and the Sunnyview subdivision in Brown Owl. The meaning of Dawn is the first appearance of twilight in the sky before sunrise.

Theme Developer (Duncan connection) – Brown Owl

Delaware Grove

Delaware Grove was named after Delaware a state in America. The state takes its name from Thomas West 3rd Baron De La Warr an English nobleman and Virginia's first colonial Governor. American state or place name theme was used for the Totara Park subdivision. The foot bridge from Harcourt Park over the Hutt River into Totara Park is accessible from the walkway at the end of Delaware Grove.

Theme United States of America – Totara Park

Deep Creek Road

(Reference UH City Recollect website Swimming hole Mangaroa c1970s P3-319-1395)

Deep Creek Road no longer exists. Deep Creek Road was situated in Mangaroa and was recorded on the 1957 Heretaunga Electoral Roll. In Mangaroa there was a swimming hole known to locals as Deep Creek. This swimming hole was a section of the Mangaroa River situated near the dip on Parkes Line Road near MacLaren Street.

No longer exists

Deller Grove

(Reference UH City Recollect website William Deller Silverstream P2-931-2181)

Deller Grove was named after William (Pop) Deller. William (1878-1961) and Charlotte Valentine (nee Gailer 1878-1938) had a dairy farm in the Pinehaven (Sunbrae) district. In 1912 Pop began delivering milk to the residence in the Pinehaven and Silverstream area. Their son James Stephen (Jim) Deller (1912-1995) continued milk deliveries in the family delivery vehicle.

Theme Upper Hutt People - Silverstream

Denver Grove

(Reference Goggle Images Bronco Buster sculpture Denver Wikipedia the free encyclopedia)

Denver Grove was named after Denver in the state of Colorado America. Denver was named after the former Kansas Territorial Governor James W Denver. It is the capital and most populous municipality of the state of Colorado. The "*Bronco Buster*" western sculpture is situated at the Denver capital grounds. American state or place name theme was used for the Totara Park subdivision.

Theme United States of America – Totara Park

Diamond Grove

(Reference Goggle Images Hope Diamond Wikipedia the free encyclopedia)

Diamond Grove was named after the Diamond gemstone. Diamonds have the highest hardness and thermal conductivity of any bulk material. The name is derived from the Ancient Greek word "adamas" meaning "proper", "unbreakable". A large flawless diamond is known as a paragon. The most famous coloured diamond is the Hope diamond. The stone was purchased in 1666 by a French gem merchant who sold it to King Louis XIV in 1668. In 1791 it was stolen and later recut. In 1839 it was owned by London banking family "Hope". It had many owners until it was given to the National Museum of Natural History In Washington USA. It is reported to be insured for $250 million. Gemstones and Crystals was the continuing theme for streets in the Birchville/Timberlea subdivision and were based on the geological feature of Emerald Hill.

Theme Gemstones and crystals

Dolphin Square

(Reference Goggle Images Opo Dolphin Wikipedia the free encyclopedia)

Dolphin Square was named after the famous Dolphin Opo. There are nine different species of these aquatic mammals found around New Zealand including the Hector and Bottlenose dolphins. Opo (1955-1956) the famous friendly bottlenose dolphin use to follow boats and played with the children of Opononi on the Hokianga harbour. In 1960 a stone statue of the dolphin was erected in Opononi. The 16 December 1964 Upper Hutt Leader reported that the north end "*Dolphin" dairy had a large colourful mural of a Dolphin on the wall. The manger Mrs Utting stated that she got her inspiration from her niece who was one of the first to become friendly with the famous dolphin*". Dolphin Square was developed in the late 1950s.

Theme Miscellaneous (NZ History) - Trentham

Donegal Grove

(Reference Goggle Images Donegal Ireland Wikipedia the free encyclopedia)

Donegal Grove was named after County Donegal in Ireland. Donegal Castle in Ireland was the seat of the O'Donnell dynasty. The developer Kevin Joseph Regan (1936- 2010) included a little bit of an Irish theme (including Carlow Grove) to the subdivision at Birchville. Emerald Isle is the poetic name for Ireland and this may have influenced the naming of the Donegal Grove as it came off Emerald Hill Drive.

Theme United Kingdom (Irish) - Birchville
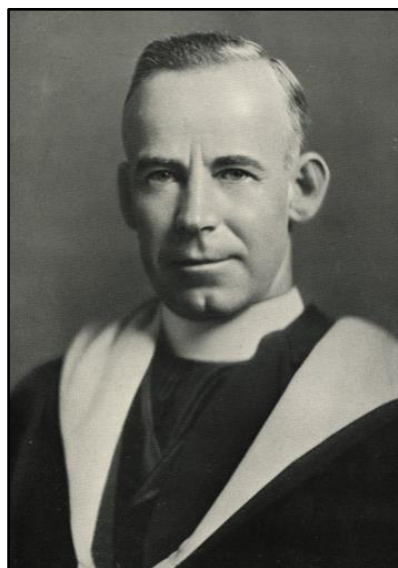
Don Griffin Grove

(Reference UH City Recollect website CIT Staff Principal Don Griffin UH Leader 1994 10 10 12)

Don Griffin Grove was named after Donald John Griffin. Don was a pharmacy tutor and head of the School of Pharmacy (1970-1975) Deputy Principal (1975-1985 CIT) and Principal (1985-1995 CIT) of the former Central Institute of Technology. The New Zealand Campus of Innovation and Sports (NZCTS) development on the former CIT site includes Don Griffin Grove.

Theme Upper Hutt People (Central Institute of Technology) - Heretaunga

Dowling Grove

(Reference UH City Council Recollect website St Patrick's College Father Dowling P3-552-2176)

Dowling Grove was named after Father John W Dowling. He was the first rector (Principal) of St Patrick's college from 1931 to 1937. St Patrick's college were the previous owners of the developed land. Dowling Grove as recorded on the Wises NZ Post Office Directory 1961-1962 volumes.

Theme Church (Roman Catholic) - Silverstream

Du Pont Lane

(Reference Goggle Images Du Pont General Motors Wikipedia the free encyclopedia)

Du Pont Lane was named after the Pierre S du Pont. Pierre (1870-1954) bought General Motors stock and was elected director then board chairman and later president of General Motors. The General Motors New Zealand factory was originally situated in the same area as Du Pont Lane.

Theme Miscellaneous (General Motors)

Duncraig Street

(Reference Goggle Images Duncraig Castle Scotland Wikipedia the free encyclopedia)

Duncraig Street was named after Duncraig Castle a mansion in Lochalsh in the west highlands of Scotland. It is situated 1 km east of the village of Plockton on the south shore of Loch Carron. It was designed by Alexander Ross and built in 1866 for Alexander Matheson a Scottish business and Member of Parliament. The Silverstream subdivision theme was International historical country houses and castles. Sunbrae Estate was developed on land previously owned by William Deller.

Theme Houses and castles - Silverstream

Dunleith Grove

(Reference Google Images Dunleith Mississippi Wikipedia the free encyclopedia)

Dunleith Grove was named after Dunleith a mansion and historic Inn in Mississippi America. Built in 1855, it is Mississippi's only surviving example of a plantation house with fully encircling colonnade. The previous building on the plantation called Routhland dates back to 1790s but was burnt down in 1855. A new house was built in 1856 and a later owner Alfred Vidal Davis renamed the house with the Scottish name of Dunleith. The Silverstream subdivision theme was historical houses and castles. Sunbrae Estate was developed on land previously owned by William Deller.

Theme Houses and castles - Silverstream

Dunns Street

St. Margaret's Presbyterian Church Silverstream

(Reference Google Images St Margaret's Church Silverstream website)

Dunns Street (Road) was named after James Abraham Dunn. James (1888-1969) was a farm manager residing in Whiteman's Valley Road Silverstream between 1918 and 1954. James's 1st wife was Laurie (nee Ballinger 1887) and 2nd wife Gladys Florence May (nee Keech 1895-1975). In 1920 James owned land in the Township of Silverstream. I was informed that the Dunns Street was named after an engineer. There was a John Dunn who was a road site engineer for the Works Department. I believe this engineer was John Stephen Dunn (1904-1989) who in 1946 resided in Wainuiomata with his wife Margaret (nee Canning). Dunns Road (Street) was recorded in the 1946 Leader newspaper and the Wises NZ Post Office Directory 1955 & 1959 & 1961-1962 volumes. St Margaret's Presbyterian Church is situated in Dunns Street Silverstream.

Theme Upper Hutt Settler (Farmer & Landowner) - Silverstream

Dunrobin Grove

(Reference Goggle Images Dunrobin Castle Wikipedia the free encyclopedia)

Dunrobin Grove was named after Dunrodin Castle in Sutherland Scotland. It is a stately home in the Highland area and seat of the Earl of Sutherland and clan Sutherland. The origins of Dunrobin lie in the middle ages and the gardens were added by Sir Charles Barry between 1835 and 1850. Dunrobin Castle belonged to Lord George Granville Sutherland Leveson Gower the 2nd Duke of Sutherland who was the patron of the early settler Richard Barton. There are other streets in the Trentham district with connections to Lord Sutherland. The Silverstream subdivision theme was International historical country houses and castles. Sunbrae Estate was developed on land previously owned by William Deller.

Theme Houses and castles (Barton connection) - Silverstream

Dunsandel Grove

(Reference Goggle Images Dansandel Castle & Dansandel House Lord Belmont Northern Ireland blog)

Dunsandel Grove was named after Dunsandle Castle and Dunsandle House in Ireland. Dunsandel Castle was built in the 15th century. The castle was extended in the form of a manor house c1650. Dunsandle Castle is one of 18 castles in the immediate vicinity and is near Kiltullagh, Athenry, County Galway. The main Hall is used to reinact medieval celebration and is surrounded by native Irish woodland. Dunsandle House near Athenry, County Galway was a five bay, three storey country house built ca 1780 now in ruins and roof-less. The Silverstream subdivision theme was historical houses and castles. Sunbrae Estate was developed on land previously owned by William Deller.

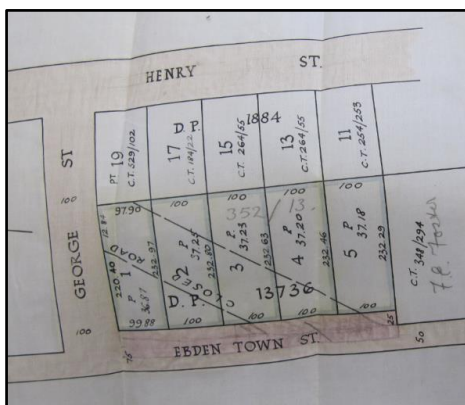*Theme Houses and castles - Silverstream*

Eastern Hutt Road

(Reference UH City Recollect website Eastern Hutt Road Murray Maxwell collection A3773 by Aldersley)

Eastern Hutt Road was named as it was the road situated on the eastern side of the Hutt valley. The road begins south of Silverstream off Ferguson Drive on the east side of the Hutt River and ends at the top of the turnoff to the Wingate railway overbridge. The early Eastern Hutt Road that separated Upper Hutt from Lower Hutt was referred to as the Taita gorge. The first railway bridge came over the Hutt River, over the Eastern Hutt road and up against the hill where the Silverstream Railway Museum is situated.

Theme Upper Hutt Landmark (Place) - Silverstream

Ebden Town Road (Street)

(Reference Archives NZ Wellington ABKK W4069 box 33 51/916 Streets Upper Hutt taking land image saved as 2014.428.jpg)

Ebden Town Road (Street) no longer exists. Ebden Town was named after William Ebden (1822-1889) an early settler who owned land in the Hutt district. An original plan was to establish a new town and railway station in the area to be named Ebden Town but the plan failed. Mr Ebden is recorded as having a mill in the area and in 1943 built six houses for his workers at a cost of £360 each. The date is questionable as William Ebden died in 1889. The 1968 Leader reported that Ebden Town was to be renamed Ebdentown Street.

No longer exists

Ebdentown Street

(Reference UH City Recollect website House Ebdentown Street Main Street Negs Upper Hutt 001)

Ebdentown Street was named after William Ebden. William (1822-1889) was an early settler who owned land in the Upper Hutt district. He wanted to establish a new town in the area and name it Ebden town but the plan failed. William's wife was Elizabeth Cecilia (nee Overton 1815-1891). William's brother was George Ebden (1817-1885) who married Susan (nee Worsell 1830-1894) and they had 7 children. A Mr Ebden is recorded as having a mill in the area and in 1943 built six houses for his workers at a cost of £360 each. The date is questionable as William Ebden died in 1889. Perhaps it could have been a different Mr Ebden and the image of the cottage in Ebdentown could be connected to the story of the workers houses. Ebdentown Street was recorded in the Wises NZ Post Office Directory 1955 & 1959 & 1961-1962 volumes.

Theme Upper Hutt Settler (Landowner) - Ebdentown

Ecclesfield Grove

(Reference UH City Recollect website Aerial map of Ecclesfield Reserve P7-10-258)

Ecclesfield Grove was named after Isabel Ecclesfield. Isabel (1868-1930) parents were Esther (1842-1925) and Robert Ecclesfield (1823-1905) and they had 6 children, Thomas born 1864, Elizabeth Eva born 1866, Isabella born 1868, Esther Meta born 1871, Robert George born 1873 & Edith born 1875. Esther Mary North (1892-1968) inherited land from her Aunt Isabel Ecclesfield. In 1965 Esther donated the property to the Forest & Bird Society and the reserve was named Ecclesfield Reserve.

Theme Upper Hutt people (Landowner) - Pinehaven

Edelweiss Grove

(Reference UH City Recollect website 1972 Alpine flowers first day cover stamps Nancy Green collection)

Edelweiss Grove was named after the Edelweiss plant. Leontopodium alpinum commonly known as Edelweiss is a well-known mountain flower. It is used in folk medicine for abdominal and respiratory diseases. It is a national symbol for Austria, Switzerland, Slovenia, Bulgaria and Romania. The Timberlea subdivision used the street naming theme of plants. The 1972 6 cent stamp was the Alpine plant of the North Island Edelweiss.

Theme Plant - Timberlea

Edgar Grove

(Reference Goggle Images Edgar the Peaceful Wikipedia the free encyclopedia)

Edgar Grove no longer exists. Edgar Grove was named after King Edgar also known as Edgar the Peaceful. Edgar (943-975) was king of England from 959 to 975 AD. Edgar's coronation did not happen until 973 when he was crowned at Bath Somerset England. The Kingsley Heights subdivision used the street naming theme of Royal families and dynasties.

No Longer exists

Edmund Lomas Grove

(Reference Goggle Images Karori Teachers College Architecture centre website)

Edmund Lomas Grove was named after Edmond Kerry Lomas. Edmund's (1881-1943) parents Margaret (1859-1938) and John Mitchell (1851-1933) Lomas resided near the river at Maoribank between 1921 & 1933. Edmond was educated at Otago University M.A. 1906, M.Sc. 1908 and the principal of Wellington Teachers College. The Wellington Teachers College was situated in Karori Wellington.

Theme Upper Hutt people (Education) - Birchville

Elizabeth Avenue

(Reference Goggle Images HMS Queen Elizabeth Wikipedia the free encyclopedia)

Elizabeth Avenue was named after HMS Queen Elizabeth. The HMS Queen Elizabeth was the lead ship of her class of dreadnought battleships for the Royal Navy in the early 1910s and was often used as a flagship. She served in World War I as part of the Grand Fleet and served in WWII but was scrapped in 1948. The 1939 Birch-Tree subdivision recorded Elizabeth, Hood and York streets. HMS Elizabeth, HMS Hood and HMS York were all Royal Navy ships. Elizabeth Avenue was recorded in the Wises NZ Post Office Directory 1955 & 1959 & 1961-1962 volumes.

Theme Miscellaneous (Royal Navy Ship) - Heretaunga

Elm Street

(Reference Goggle Images Elm tree Wych Elm leaves & seeds Wikipedia the free encyclopedia)

Elm Street was named after the Elm tree. The Elm is a deciduous and semi-deciduous tree and the leaf has doubly serrated margins. The tree originated in central Asia about 20 million years ago. Elm Street was part of the Waldegrave Park Estate situated in the Ebdentown district. The subdivision theme was trees due to the streets beginning at Pine Avenue. The 06 October 1908 Timaru Herald newspaper article reads "*The Authorities of Upper Hutt Township have timber on the brain. They have just obtained authority to lay out some new streets and have named them, Willow Grove, Poplar Grove, Hazel Street, Elm Street, Oak Street and Park Street*". Elm Street was recorded in the Wises NZ Post Office Directory 2 1955 & 1959 & 1961-1962 volumes.

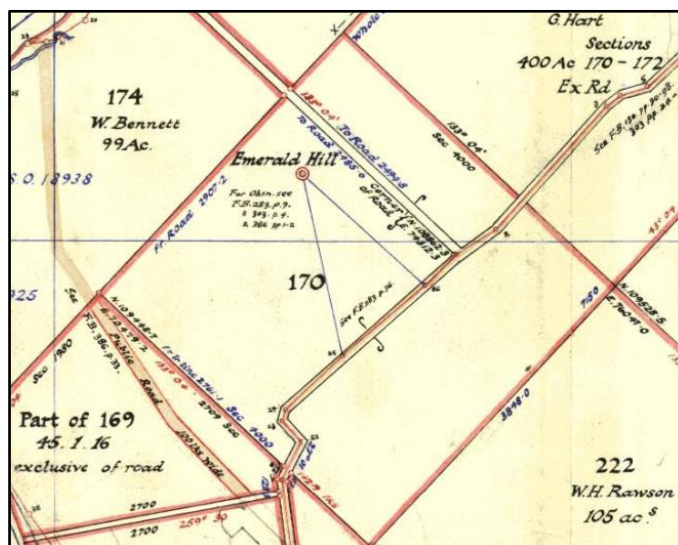*Theme Tree - Ebdentown*

Elmslie Road

(Reference Goggle Images Rev Elmslie NZ Presbyterian Archives Research Centre website)

Elmslie Road was named after Rev Dr John Elmslie. He was the grandfather of Geoffrey Danzil Mallaby Goodwin the Director of Goodwin and Chichester the developer of the subdivision. Geoffrey's parents were Sophia Catherine/Katherine (nee Elmslie 1867-1939) and Edward Mallaby Goodwin (1858-1931). Sophia's parents were Jessie (nee Mitchell 1836-1878) and Rev Dr John Elmslie (1831-1907) and they had 6 issue. Dr Elmslie's and his second wife Jeannie Harper (nee Anderson 1854-1936) had 2 Issue. Rev Dr John Elmslie with white beard joins the Sunday school teachers of St Paul's in Wellington.

Theme Developer (Goodwin connection) - Pinehaven

Emerald Hill Drive

(Reference Akatarawa S.D. 1864 Upper Hutt Plan WNC_SO_10985_1_5.jpg)

Emerald Hill Drive was named after the Emerald gemstone. The emerald is known as a soft stone and is a variety of mineral beryl with a yellow-green to blue-green colour. Gemstones and Crystals were the theme for streets in the Birchville subdivision influenced by the name of the hill. In 1840 the early New Zealand Company surveyors named the area Emerald Hill due to the geological feature of its all seasons colour. On Section 170 the surveyors placed a survey trig on Emerald Hill

Theme Gemstone and crystals - Birchville

Eunice Lane

Joan Wilkinson (nee Adcroft, 1933) and Eunice Nicholl (nee Ratcliffe, 1933)

(Reference Goggle Images Eunice Nicholl 24/3/1971 page 33 Gisborne Photo news website)

Eunice Lane was named after Eunice Ethel Nicholl. Eunice (nee Radcliffe 1914-1980) and Hercules (junior) Nicholl (1923-2005) of Heretaunga were the parents of Clarence John (Clary) Nicholl. Clarence was the developer and named the land after his mother.

Theme Developer (Nicholl connection) - Silverstream
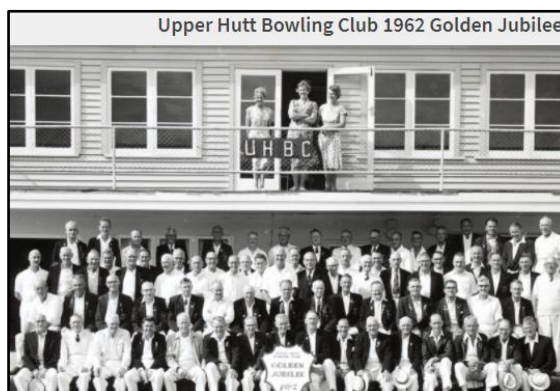
Evergreen Crescent

(Reference Goggle Maps website Evergreen Crescent Upper Hutt)

Evergreen Crescent's naming origin is unknown. Evergreen Crescent may have been named after the evergreen pine trees that grew in the area before the subdivision was developed. Evergreen Crescent comes off Pinehill Crescent. The Developers were Harwood Pacific (Associated Property Holdings) and the contractors were M & M Construction. Dudley G Hercock wrote a book on the history of Upper Hutt School titled "Evergreen is our valley".

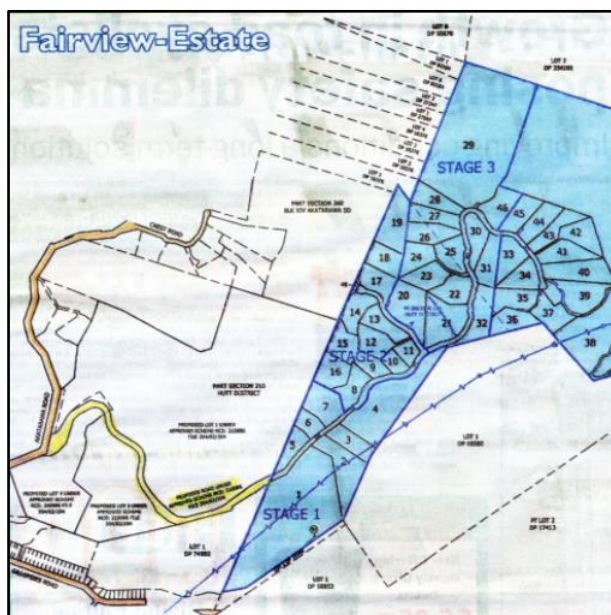*Unknown*

Exchange Street

(Reference UH City Recollect website 1962 Golden Jubilee Upper Hutt Bowling club collection)

Exchange Street was named after an exchange of land boundaries between the Hutt County and the early established Upper Hutt Town Board. One inherited and published story states that Exchange Street was named after the early telephone exchange situated in the same area. Exchange Street was drawn on a 1908 plan of the "Upper Hutt Township Estate". Three years later the 13 March 1911 New Zealand Times newspaper article reads "*A telephone exchange is now open at Upper Hutt between the hours of 9 am and 5 pm*". The street existed before the telephone exchange was established so this rules out the inherited story. Drawn on survey maps of sections 120, 121 and 122 is marked an unused road (Military Road and Old Military Road). This road goes on right angles from Queen Street corner north-west across Exchange, Ebdentown and Henry Street. Lands and Survey correspondence from land owners indicate that there might have been some other exchange of survey bounders to correct the problem of the split sections. Exchange Street was recorded on the Wises NZ Post Office Directory 1955 & 1961-1962 volumes. The Upper Hutt Bowling Club is situated in Exchange Street.

Theme Miscellaneous - Ebdentown
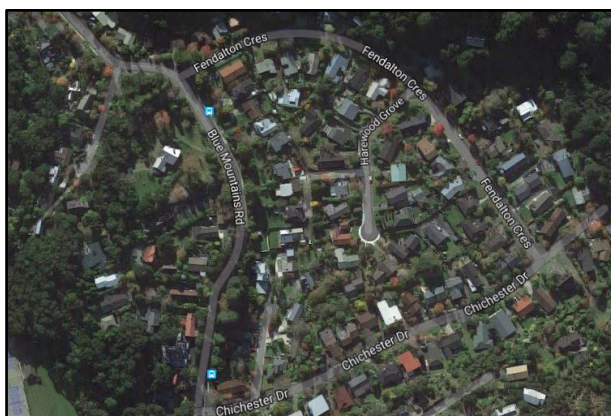
Fairview Drive

(Reference UH City Recollect website Fairview Farm UH Leader 2014 12 24 01)

Fairview Drive was named after the Fairview Farm property. The Fairview farm was owned by Robert Edward (1931-2013) and Joan Margaret (1933-2015) Perry. The developers of the farm land made a decision to retain the name of the farm. It describes the tranquil feeling one gets when passing Akatarawa cemetery off Akatarawa Road then up the hill and into the Fairview Estate subdivision.

Theme Upper Hutt Landmark (Farm) - Akatarawa
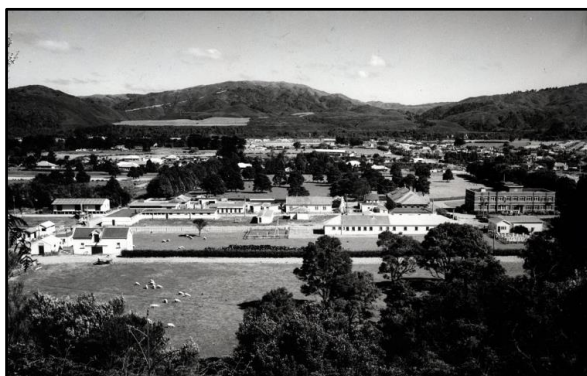
Fendalton Crescent

(Reference Goggle Maps Fendalton Crescent Pinehaven Upper Hutt)

Fendalton Crescent was named after a suburb in Christchurch. In 1954 Grimes and Browning Ltd purchased land from Herbert Willard Lyda to developed the Fendalton subdivision. They used a Canterbury theme when naming the streets as they planned to establish a community similar to Christchurch. Fendalton and Harewood are both suburbs in Christchurch. Fendalton in Christchurch was originally known as Fendall Town and named after an early settler Walpole Cheshire Fendall (1830-1913). By 1880 Fendalton was the common name used for the Christchurch suburb.

Theme Miscellaneous (Christchurch Canterbury) - Pinehaven

Fenwick Crescent

(Reference UH City Library Recollect website Wallaceville Research Centre 1953 collection Animal Research Centre 37)

Fenwick Crescent was named after the original Fenwick Crescent situated inside the former Wallaceville Animal Research Centre. The new Fenwick Crescent situated on the same site is part of the new Wallaceville Estate subdivision. The farm manager of the Animal Research Station between 1949 and 1969 was Leslie George Ranfurley Fenwick (1905-1982). Leslie's wife was Flora Thelma Fenwick (nee Sutherland 1907-1980). Leslie and Flora were resided at the Research station. The photo of Wallaceville Research Centre was taken in 1953 when Leslie Fenwick was the farm manager.

Theme Miscellaneous Wallaceville Research Station

Fergusson Drive

(Reference UH City Recollect website Sir Bernard Fergusson portrait P3-12-54)

Fergusson Drive was named after Brigadier Bernard Edward Fergusson, Baron Ballantrae KT, GCMG, GCVO, DSO, OBE. Sir Bernard Fergusson (1911-1980) was the 10th Governor General of New Zealand from to 1962 to 1967. His father Sir James Fergusson was the 6th Governor of New Zealand from 1873 to 1874. It was Sir Bernard Fergusson who declared Upper Hutt a City in 1966. Lady Fergusson was Margaret (nee Grenfell 1920-1979). The first road from Wellington to Upper Hutt was completed in 1844 and continued through Upper Hutt to Te Marua. Various sections of the road and in-between have been given different names and over the years have changed numerous times. The road through the Upper Hutt district has been recorded as, New Zealand Company Road, Company Road, Military Road, Old Military Road, Great North Eastern Road, Wairarapa Road, Hutt Valley Road, Hutt Road, Main Hutt Road, Main Road North, Main Road South, and finally Fergusson Drive. The exception is the section through the Central Business district of Upper Hutt which is called Main Street.

Theme New Zealand Governor General – Upper Hutt district
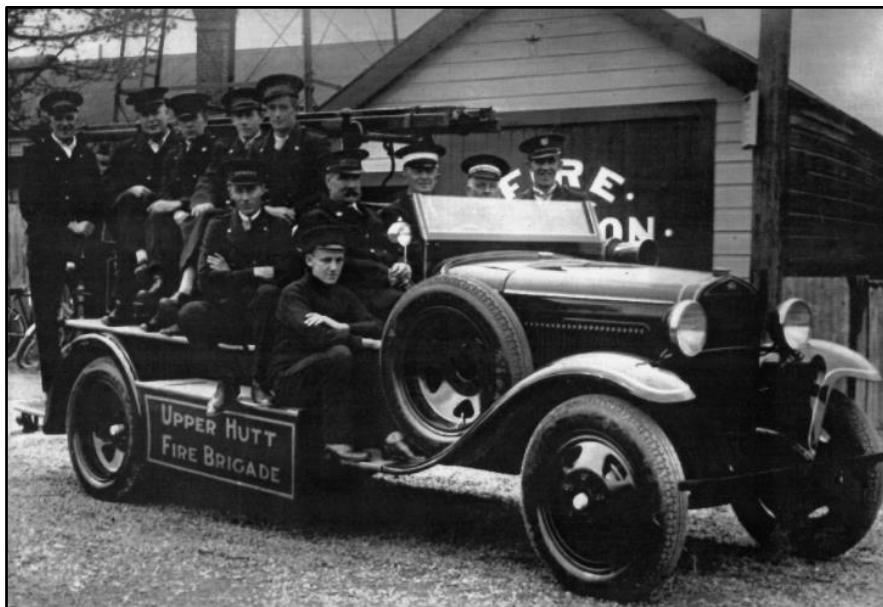
Field Street

(Reference Google Images William Hughes Field Wikipedia the free encyclopedia)

Field Street was named after William Hughes Field. William (1861-1944) married 1893 to Isabel Jane Hodgkins (1867-1950). William was a Member of Parliament from 1900 to 1911 & 1914 to1935 for the Otaki Electorate. He served in Parliament for 10 terms. William was also a Director of the Upper Hutt Township Land Company Limited (1907-1920). Field Street was recorded in the Wises NZ Post Office Directory 1955 & 1959 & 1961-1962 volumes.

Theme New Zealand Parliament (Member) - Silverstream

Fire Station Lane

(Reference UH City Recollect website UH Fire Brigade outside Fire Station P3-464-1784)

Fire Station Lane was named as the lane was situated next to the Fire Station. The lane, leads to the back of the Fire Station where there was at one time housing for the Fire Station employees. Fire Fighters pose on the Upper Hutt Fire Brigade truck outside an early Fire Station.

Theme Upper Hutt Landmark (Building) - Trentham

Flavia Grove

(Reference Goggle Images SS Flavia Wikipedia the free encyclopedia)

Flavia Grove naming origin is unknown. Flavia is an ancient roman name meaning "blonde". Flavia is the name of the Roman Catholic and Eastern Orthodox saints, Flavia Domitilla and Flavia. A ship was built in 1947 and named Media. It was sold in 1961 and renamed SS Flavia then in 1969 it was refitted and renamed Flavian. In 1982 the Flavian was sold and renamed Lavia but caught fire and sank in 1989.

Unknown – Clouston Park

Flora McCurdy Walk

(Reference Upper Hutt City Council Recollect website Flora McCurdy P1-1454-3844)

Flora McCurdy Walk was named after Flora Mary McCurdy. Flora (1886-1987) was the daughter of Mary Annie and Angus John McCurdy. In 1918 Flora was a volunteer at the temporary Influenza hospital set up at Upper Hutt School. Her father Angus was the first Mayor of Upper Hutt and editor of the Hutt Valley Independent newspaper.

Theme Upper Hutt Settler (McCurdy connection) - Ebdentown
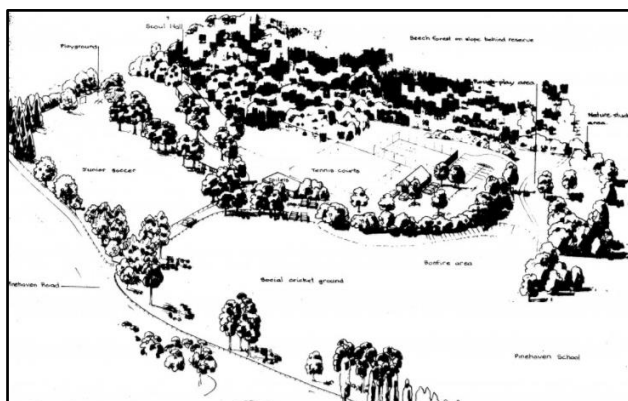
Flux Road

(Reference UH City Recollect website Railway to Wairarapa Mangaroa Valley P2-11-19)

Flux Road was named after Henry Pullen Flux. Henry (1850-1929) and wife Sarah Elizabeth Fleet (1855-1894) had 7 children. Henry Pullen Flux a brick-maker was residing in Mangaroa in the 1880 and 1890 Electoral Roll. There was a kiln near the Maymorn saw-mill in Mangaroa making bricks. In the picture the kiln is obscured by smoke from the train. The road was not named after George (1851-1932) Flux who was a schoolmaster at various schools in the Wellington district. Mangaroa School is situated in Flux Road.

Theme Upper Hutt People (Brick-maker) – Mangaroa Valley
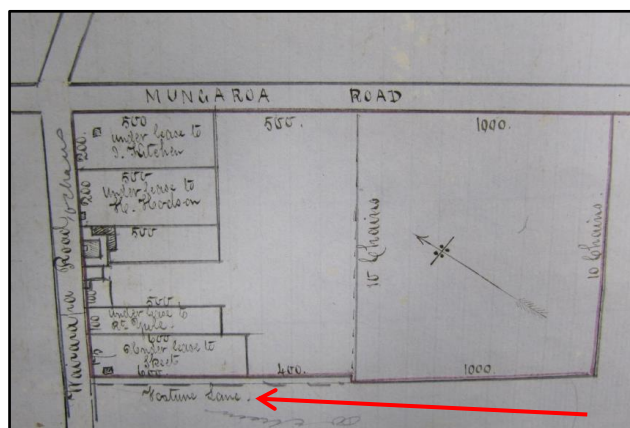
Forest Road

(Reference UH City Recollect website Pinehaven Reserve UH Leader 1985 09 03 2)

Forest Road was named after the Forest planted in the area by Goodwin & Chichester. When the forest was harvested Goodwin & Chichester developed the land and named the streets in the subdivision.   The Forest has long gone but some trees still grow in the Pinehaven area. Goodwin & Chichester gifted to the residence of Upper Hutt the Pinehaven Reserve where some of the original trees planted by the company are still growing. It was not named after Father Jean Forest (John 1804-1884) the Catholic Priest who founded the Hutt Mission in 1850 and served the Hutt Valley including Upper Hutt until April 1859.

Theme Upper Hutt Landmark (Goodwin & Chichester connection) - Pinehaven

Fortune Lane

(Reference Archives NZ Wellington Deed Book 1865 page 27 Lynly images saved as IMG_1834.jpg)

Fortune Lane was named after the story of a young man called Mr Fortune who charmed the ladies and hoaxed the shopkeepers in the Lane. This is an inherited story found in various publications covering Upper Hutt's early history. Fortune Lane was the first business district in Upper Hutt and is recorded on the early 1865 survey plan above. In 1859 J Fortune arrived in New Zealand from Liverpool on the ship "Tornado". Perhaps he is the young man who visited Fortune Lane. Alexander Fortune and his wife arrived in Wellington after 1865 so the lane was not named after them. The story about Miss Fortune been the original holder of section 94 where Fortune Lane is situated is not correct. The original land order was held by Thomas Bannister. Fortune Lane was recorded in the Wises NZ Post Office Directory 1955 & 1959 & 1961-1962 volumes.

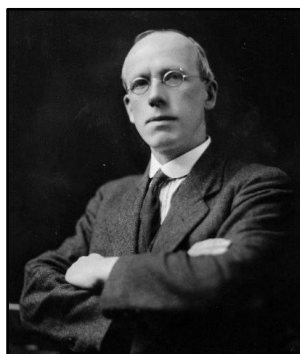*Theme Upper Hutt Settler - Trentham*

Frankie Stevens Place

(Reference UH City Recollect website Wellington Trade Fair Frankie Stevens UH Leader 1986 09 16 04)

Frankie Stevens was named after Francis Donald McKenchie Stevenson (known as Frankie Stevens). Frankie originally from Upper Hutt was a national and international singer and entertainer. In 1986 Upper Hutt firms were represented at the Wellington Trade Fair. Promoting the city was the Upper Hutt Mayor Rex Kirton, Frankie Stevens and John Hartstonge. The Riverstone Terrace subdivision theme was well known Upper Hutt citizens who made a contribution to the district and/or country.

Theme Upper Hutt Citizens (Entertainer)
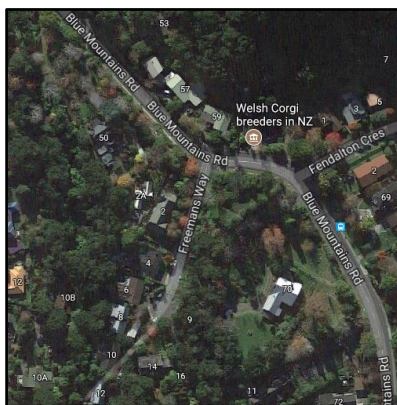
Fraser Crescent

(Reference Goggle Images Peter Fraser Wikipedia the free encyclopedia)

Fraser Crescent was named after Peter Fraser CH PC. Peter (1884-1950) was the 24th Prime Minster of New Zealand serving from 1940 to 1949. He served nine terms for the Wellington Central Electorate, two terms for Brooklyn Electorate and during World War Two for Labour. The 12 April 1951 Upper Hutt Leader article about the new streets decided by the council in new sub-division of the Hutt Timber and Hardware Co Ltd reads "*Fraser Crescent after the late Rt Hon P Fraser, Robertson Street after the late Peter Robertson Mayor of Upper Hutt, McCurdy Street after A J McCurdy one time Mayor of Upper Hutt, McLeod Street after late Hon A D McLeod, Massey Street after the late Rt Hon W F Massey, Redwood Street after the late Archbishop Redwood and Ronganui Street*". Fraser Crescent was recorded in the Wises NZ Post Office Directory 1955 & 1959 & 1961-1962 volumes.

Theme New Zealand Parliament (Prime Minister) - Elderslea

Freemans Way

(Reference Goggle Maps Freeman Way Pinehaven Upper Hutt)

Freemans Way naming origin is unknown. Freeman's Way may have been named after Eric Hatherley Freeman (1914-2000) who was the Chief Borough Engineer and Sanitary Inspector. Eric and wife Nellie (nee Wilkinson 1914-2013) resided in Upper Hutt and are recorded on the 1954, 1957 & 1963 Electoral Rolls. Freeman's Way may have been named after George Chester Freeman (1889-1973) a city council employee of Exchange Street. George's 1st wife was Daisy (nee Purssell) and 2nd wife Marion Ellen (nee Cloake). Freeman's Way may have been named after Henry Freeman (1854-1945) and wife Jessie (nee Collins 1853-1925) of Upper Hutt who later resided in the Wairarapa and had nine children. I was informed that Henry Freeman and family resided in the Mangaroa valley but it was actually Jessie's family the Collins.

Unknown - Pinehaven

Fremont Grove

(Reference Goggle Images view of Mission Peak from Fremont Central Park Wikipedia the free encyclopedia)

Fremont Grove was named after Fremont a city in Alameda County in the state of California America. The city was named after the American explorer John Charles Fremont. Mission Peak can be viewed from Fremont Central Park. American city or place name theme was used for the Totara Park subdivision.

Theme United States of America – Totara Park

Freyberg Road

(Reference Goggle Images Bernard Freyberg 1ˢᵗ Baron Freyberg Wikipedia the free encyclopedia)

Freyberg Road was named after Lieutenant General Bernard Cyril Freyberg 1st Baron Freberg VC, GCMG, KCB, KBE, DSO & Three Bars. Baron Freyberg (1889-1963) was the 7th Governor General of New Zealand from 1946 to 1952. He commanded the New Zealand Expeditionary Force during World War Two. In 1922 he married Barbara McLaren and they had one son. Over the years Trentham Military camp named and renamed many of the streets in and around the camp compound.

Theme New Zealand Governor General - Trentham

Freyburg Place

(Reference Goggle Images Neuenburg view from Freyburg Wikipedia the free encyclopedia)

Freyburg Place was named after Freyburg a town in Burgenlandkreis district in Saxony-Anhalt Germany. Freyburg Place is situated inside the secure Trentham Camp compound and not accessible to the general public. Over the years Trentham Military camp named and renamed many of the streets in and around the camp compound.

Theme Military (place)

Fulton Close

(Reference Google Images Harry Fulton Wikipedia the free encyclopedia)

Fulton Close was named after World War One Brigadier General Harry Townsend Fulton. Brigadier Fulton (1869-1918) was British Army Officer who served with the New Zealand Military Forces during Second Boer War and World War One. He died of wounds 29 March 1918 in France. Over the years Trentham Military camp named and renamed many of the streets in and around the camp compound.

Theme Military (WWI Officer)