## Alan's got a WHALE of an idea, and we can all help!



## Help Alan bring a pilot whale skeleton to the Golden Bay Museum for everyone to see

With the support of Manawhenua ki Mohua, the Department of Conservation, Collingwood Museum Society and the Golden Bay Museum Society, Alan McLean is preparing a pilot whale from a Farewell Spit stranding for display. Strandings happen often here, so a whale skeleton has a very strong Golden Bay connection. We will welcome it proudly to the Golden Bay Museum Te Waka Huia o Mohua.

It's a very special project that you'll want to support—see below for details

Name/s:				
Address:				
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YES, we'd really like to support the Whale Project! Here's our donation towards:				
	O Alan's work	& materials for preparing the skeleton	\$	
	O Building the whalery at the Golden Bay Museum		\$	
	Donations \$5 and over are tax-deductible and a receipt will be issued			
Golden Bay Museum		Payments can be made online to the Golden Bay Museum Society Inc BNZ bank account: 02-0764-0063386-97 (Please include your name in 'Reference' and email your details to goldenbaymuseum@xtra.co.nz)		

## **Update--November 2015**

Te Waka Huia o Mohua

We're thrilled to have secured funding from Pub Charity for Alan's whale preparation work, so our fundraising emphasis is now on making sure we have the Whalery ready to house it!

OR post with a cheque to: 73 Commercial Street, Takaka 7110

Costings so far are higher than initial estimates, and we're applying everywhere for grants, but we still need to raise \$20,000. It's a very good investment for the museum as it will also improve our entranceway and access.

As well as the payment options above, we're now on Give-a-Little ... an easy way to donate!

givealittle.co.nz/cause/whalery

Please help us if you can — every dollar helps. Thank you!

Penny Griffith, Chairperson, Golden Bay Museum Society Board