



## Happy campers help promote awareness

Camper trailer owners from across Australia have given back to the community in Wellington the best way possible Lions' Club president Duncan Chapman says.

"They raised a lot of money for the club through an auction on Wednesday night and also spending in local business as well," he said.

"We have been helping out cooking breakfast and lunch and the organisers and other people have been very welcoming."

The Lions' Club combined with the Australian camper trailers group who were in Wellington this week for their 8th Annual Meet to organise prizes for an auction, and visitors from as far as Western Australia and Queensland said they had a great time. Camper trailer owner Jan Cook from Sydney believes Wellington is a wonderful place.

"I have not been here before but the people have been fantastic," she said.

Organiser Kevin Phillips said much of the promotion of the camper trailer meets was done through social media and also other forms of internet technology.

"The numbers had grown over the years," he said.

Representatives of the Australian camper trailers have been meeting with local tourism people and also councillors about getting the mix of parking and facilities for the large caravan and camping market.

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