

Old Birkenhead Names

At a recent committee meeting, Glad Durham put on his thinking cap and came up with the following list of old Birkenhead place names.

Taylor's Hill - Hill above Birkdale Intermediate
Walton's Corner - Cnr Birkdale & Beach Haven Roads
The Culvert - The deep dip between Walton's Corner and Lancaster Road
Hilders Corner - corner. Rangitira / Beach Haven Roads
Anderson's Hill - cnr Rangitira Rd and Hadfield St
Bagot's Hill - Verrans Corner Hill, by reservoir
Marris's Hill - Waipa St hill opposite Kauri Road
McGovern's Hill - Mokoia Road Hill, McGovern's Store
Swindails Hollow - Mokoia Road, by Swindails House
Newton's Hill - Hill above Birkdale School
Aeroview Estate - Huia Road, now Aeroview Drive
The Lagoon - old swimming hole, now on Lauderdale Rd, by end Levesque St
Hadfield's Corner - cnr Balmain Rd & Waipa St
Wragges Garden - cnr Awanui St & Hinemoa St
Wendy Cottage - home of Bettina Edwards
The Oaks - In Onewa Road, Charlie Inwards home