

## STAFF PROFILE

**Peter Ellis**  
Regional Development Manager Sport Kapiti.

Peter Ellis has been involved in sport administration for almost 50 years since first becoming a committee member of his cricket club as a 16 year old.. Two years later he was appointed a delegate to the Waikato cricket association. Since then he has been involved in Rugby, Racing, Athletics, and Triathlon. Peter has travelled extensively over the last 8 years to compete in world duathlon and triathlon age group championships. With a long history in sport in the area Peter has an intimate knowledge of all sports clubs and recreation facilities in the Kapiti area.

Peter has a passion to see bigger and better clubs which have a good pathway for athletes and coaches with strong links to schools and colleges. Kapiti is a great breeding ground for young sporting talent and this needs to be nurtured to ensure these people stay in the sport. He believes the current Push Play 30 minutes a day and Green Prescriptions programmes are helping many in our area to better health and supports these initiatives.

As a Kapiti Coast District Councillor he is a champion for better facilities for all sports including walkways and cycle ways as a more relaxed form of exercise.

Peter has held the position of Regional Development Manager at Sport Kapiti since the establishment of the Kapiti office in 1998.