

Quick NEWS

SUN strike is claimed to have been the cause of a collision between a car and a Harley Davidson motorbike and its rider.

The accident happened on Saturday evening, just before 6pm.

The driver of the car was pulling out onto Clyde Road after stopping at the giveaway sign.

The bike rider suffered minor injuries.

A man was issued with a police safety order after a verbal domestic at a Jellicoe Avenue address late on Saturday night.

Earlier that day police had attended another domestic incident in Corkill Avenue, resulting in the parties being separated and cautioned.

Police are investigating reports of poaching on a Lake Road property mid-morning on Saturday. Police are yet to clarify the details with the informant.

Tuai community senior constable Tony Maultsaid said with the roar getting under way and duckshooting starting in five weeks, he hoped hunters had their appropriate permits and licences.

"They will need permits for going onto Department of Conservation land and farms," he said.

"All dogs need to be kiwi-certified if hunting on DoC land and if hunting on farmland owners need to make sure their dogs are dosed for sheep measles.

"We had a few incidents of poaching last Easter but we hope this Easter everybody can enjoy themselves hunting and respecting people's property and follow the guidelines if hunting on DoC and farmland."

A 43-year-old man was warned and trespassed from a local business last Wednesday for intimidating the staff.

A 23-year-old man has been arrested and charged with common assault and breaching a protection order.

He was scheduled to appear in the Gisborne District Court on Friday.

Wairoa firefighters were called to a 10-metre pine tree on fire along Kiwi Valley Road yesterday afternoon. Two appliances attended.

Wairoa St John Ambulance has attended eight medical callouts, two motor vehicle accidents and carried out two patients transfers since Friday.



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