

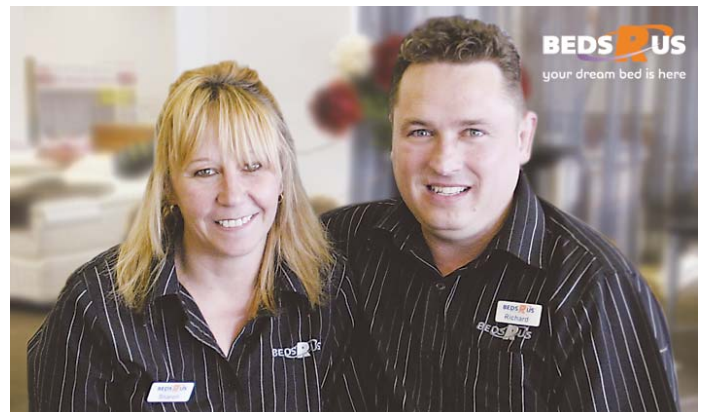
FRANKLIN ROUNDUP

Rest Assured You'll Get a Good Night's Sleep

Not getting a good night's sleep at night? Waking up in the morning feeling like you haven't slept at all? Sounds like it's time you considered a new bed and what better way to do it than seeing the team at the new Beds R Us store in Pukekohe. "We care." Richard, manager of Beds R Us Pukekohe is proud of the fact that the customer always comes first and prides himself on the dedication of his fully qualified team in supplying top quality beds to the people of Franklin. Richard's philosophy is "everything is customer focused. By asking who the bed is for and researching first, then suggesting a solution later we can guarantee we get the right bed every time."

After speaking to Richard for just a few minutes it is clear he is passionate about his job, and has a wealth of experience and knowledge in the industry. Extremely customer focused in every aspect, he thrives from the satisfaction of being able to deliver the right recommendation to each individual customer who comes through the door. Every sale is backed by a 14 night comfort guarantee.

"What about the beds?" you might ask. Richard advises Beds R Us specialise in four different ranges, and they are able to supply a bed to suit every need and budget. Starting with the Sleepyhead Classic Range described as 'best of the past and built for the future' and designed for durability and strength, the classic range is a technologically advanced version of the beds we remember from a few years ago. Following on from the Classic Range is the Sleepyhead Chiropractic Range which utilises the 'world renowned multi zoned Torquezone spring system', designed to create a higher quality sleep by reducing roll together and giving excellent postural support to a wide range of body sizes. The Sleepyhead Serenity Collection, designed to enhance your wellbeing with minimal partner distur-



bance provides the next progression within the range and leads the way for the top of the range Sleepyhead Sensorzone Range which promotes 'one of the most unique sleeping opportunities ever' with its unique spring system. All beds are proudly designed and manufactured here in New Zealand and support the Buy New Zealand Made campaign, so you know you are purchasing quality, backed by a 5 year manufacturer's guarantee.

Pillows are an essential contributor to a good night's sleep as well, and it is important to select a pillow that will support your neck and align your head, neck and spine from a range of over 25 styles. Richard advises that due to the presence of dust mites, and other such creepy crawlers which can cause asthma and other allergies, a cheap, basic pillow should be changed at least once every six months, whereas a latex or memory foam pillow may last a few years. Complementing the range, Beds R Us has a selection of linen available to suit the décor of any home.

A good night's sleep is vital to prepare you for the day ahead, and Richard and the team are on hand to make this happen. ■

Nathan is a Super Magazine Man!

A great big thanks to our super-reliable Business Zone Distributor Nathan Freakley, who each month makes sure copies of Franklin local magazine are distributed in Pukekohe town business area and the ring road, Manukau Road industrial, Tuakau business area, Waiuku business area, Drury business and industrial, the industrial area in Adams Drive and to all of our 30 plus stands throughout the circulation area. It's great to have your cheerful presence out there, with your passion for local magazine, making sure the magazine gets to our readers. We couldn't do it without you Nathan! ■



For Megan's Sake...

Megan Felton has returned from stem cell treatment in Germany, showing definite signs of improvement in her condition. The visit was very much a 'flying' one, involving almost 30 hours of non-stop flight both ways, with just four hours stopover in Dubai. A few weeks on from the procedure, in which bone marrow was extracted from her spine, filtered for stem cells, then transferred back two days later, her body is receiving 'new instructions' from the stem cells and Megan has shown definite improvement. She has better head control, her muscles are more relaxed so that 'clawing' or 'balling' tendencies are reduced and she can do a 'high five' with each hand now. Her hand movements are much quicker and she can pick something up on her first or second attempt, instead of after numerous attempts. Previously, it was an effort with her right hand and nil from her left. She is trying to get up from the floor, the stage between crawling and walking.

Franklin local Magazine is proud to have helped the Felton family by bringing their plight to the attention of our readers. Once it was over to the community, local people have shown their compassion with contributions to help the family and by supporting the successful fundraising event held to enable Megan to receive the treatment that may change her life. In our next issue we bring you an update on Megan's condition and recall the amazing journey from despair to her 'flight of hope.' ■