Cricket set to be a smash hit in Lincoln

Top class cricket is coming to the heart of Selwyn this week.

A four-day women’s domestic T20 competition will be held at New Zealand Cricket’s High Performance Centre at Lincoln between 25 and 28 October.

The Burger King Super Smash will feature all six of the women’s domestic sides, and will be a great opportunity for the Canterbury Magicians to start the season in a positive fashion.

Senior Events and Recreation Advisor Dave Tippett, says this is a fantastic opportunity for sports fans living in Selwyn to see some top quality cricket in the district.

“We are working towards developing a stronger relationship with New Zealand Cricket, initially with our Summer in Selwyn brand, to enable both parties to leverage on the huge benefits of having the High Performance Centre and exceptional facilities in the heart of our district.

“Bert Sutcliffe Oval is one of the premier sporting venues in our district and partnering with New Zealand Cricket who own it is logical from a Council perspective,” Mr Tippett says.

While Hagley Park in Christchurch is Canterbury’s foremost cricket venue, a number of games are still scheduled for Bert Sutcliffe Oval, including age-grade competitions, pre-seasons matches and the likes of the upcoming Burger King Super Smash.

Mr Tippett hopes more Selwyn locals will be getting out and supporting the range of cricket being played at the Oval during the summer.

Entry will be free to the four days of Burger King Super Smash women’s T20. For more information head to www.supersmash.co.nz.

Flush your taps

Some plumbing fittings have the potential to allow minute traces of metals to accumulate in water standings in the fittings for several hours.

Although the health risk is small, the Ministry of Health recommends that you flush a mugful of water from your drinking-water each morning before use to remove any metals that may have dissolved from the plumbing fittings.

Assets Manager, Murray Washington says this is a simple measure to help safe-guard the health of yourself and your family.

“It should only take water users a couple seconds to wash out their pipes, and while it is only a precaution, it is a quick way to protect your household, no matter how small the risk is.

We are recommending this simple precaution for all households, including those on private and public water supplies.

Meet your street coming soon

This summer we’ll be hosting street barbecues to help locals meet their street. These are fun informal events to help you meet your neighbourhood, while enjoying some food, music and games for the kids.

Residents also have the opportunity to apply for a Meet Your Street event in their street! Four locations are up for grabs – this year we want you to tell us where you think the final four Meet Your Street locations should be in March 2019. Applications are open now until 30 November with the lucky winning street announced early December.

Here in Selwyn we also encourage neighbourhoods to organise their own local street gathering. If you are interested in hosting your own, we offer a subsidy of up to $75 per street gathering (conditions apply).

To find out more and to nominate your street visit selwyn.govt.nz/meetyourstreet.

Time running out for community grant funding applications

Applications for the first round of funding from the new Selwyn Community Fund will be closing shortly.

The Selwyn Community Fund was established earlier this year to support events and other activities that help make Selwyn a great place, and contribute to community wellbeing, bringing communities together and attracting visitors to the district.

The fund brings together the former Community Events Fund along with new funds, under a new contestable funding application process.

Community Relations Manager Denise Kidd says they have been happy with the level of applications so far, but are expecting a late flurry of candidates.

“We have heard from a broad range of community groups about the need for this sort of fund; from art groups, community groups running events through to parenting support groups and to activity and social groups for older people,” she says.

“We have received applications from groups located in different parts of the district, as well as at least one district-wide organisation.”

The Selwyn Community Fund is a valuable way for the Council to support community groups and the volunteer efforts that do exciting, positive things in our district.

The fund is open to any recognised organisations whose principle functions or activities are of a charitable (not-for-profit) nature.

Denise Kidd says from the initial response Council received they have been expecting more applications at this point, but says there is still time to apply and she is sure there are other groups who could benefit by applying.

“This is a great opportunity to ensure your community group is given the opportunity to seek the financial backing it needs to continue its growth and development,” Denise Kidd says.

Applications for the Selwyn Community Fund are open year round, with funding allocated in two rounds each year. Round one closes on Wednesday 31 October.

Full details on eligibility and criteria, along with an online application form, are at www.selwyn.govt.nz/selwyncommunityfund.
**NOTICES**

**CEMETERIES**
The Council cemetery team would like to contact the families of the following people interred at Ellesmere Public Cemetery, KING, Maurice John EDE, Alison Mary ROWLEY, Mavis Joan Sybil and John GREENWOOD, Damon John TURNER, Ronia Olive and Kevin GEORGIE, Wilfred Thomas BUCHANAN, Bryce Gordon FELL, Clifford and Mary. If you are a family member or know any family member of the above people, you please ask them to contact the cemeteries team on 3472 969 or email cemeteries@selwyn.govt.nz.

**ALCOHOL NOTICES**
The Dunstable Bowling Club Incorporated is applying to renew its club licence. Objections are open until 7 November. Rossendale Wines Limited is applying to renew its off licence. Objections are open until 6 November. For more information head to www.

**Meetings**

**Public Forums:** Council, Community Board and local committee meetings are open to the public. Time is available at the start of meetings for people to speak on matters of concern. Please notify Bernadette Ryan or your local committee at least three days before the meeting.

**Township, Hall and Reserve Committees:** To list or make changes to meeting details, email meeting.changes@selwyn.govt.nz or phone 3472 2800 or 318 8338 by 9am Wednesday the week before publication.

**COUNCIL & COMMUNITY BOARD**

Unless stated meetings are held at the Rolleston Council Building.

**Malvern Community Board**

Tues 26 Nov 4.30pm Kirwee Hall

District Plan Review Committee

Wed 21 Nov 9am

Selwyn Waihora Zone Committee

Tues 6 Nov 8pm Lincoln Town Centre

Property Committee

Wed 7 Nov 9am

Audit & Risk Subcommittee

Wed 7 Nov 10.15am

Council meeting

Wed 7 Nov 10pm

**LOCAL COMMITTEES & ASSOCIATIONS**

Coalage/Glentunnel Reserve Management Committee

Tues 6 Nov 7.30pm Coalage Fire Station

Darfield Recreation & Community Centre Management Committee

Mon 5 Nov 7.30pm, Darfield Recreation & Community Centre

Darfield Township Committee

Thurs 15 Nov 7.30pm Darfield Library/Service Centre

Doyalson Community Committee

Wed 7 Nov 7.30pm Osborne Park Hall

Dunsandel Community Committee

Mon 19 Nov 7.30pm Dunsandel Community Centre

Glentunnel Community Hall Committee

Tues 20 Nov 7.30pm Glentunnel Community Hall

Glentunnel Township Committee

Mon 29 Oct 7.30pm Glentunnel Community Centre

Ladbrooks Community Hall Committee

Fri 26 Oct 7.30pm Ladbrooks Hall

(note change of date)

**Selwyn Cemeteries**

selwyn.govt.nz/alcoholnotices

**ROLLESTON DOG PARK**
The Selwyn Dog Training Club will use the Foster Dog Park for a dog obedience competition over the weekend of the 3 and 4 of November from approximately 7.30am-5pm. The park will be closed for off-lead dog exercise during these times. The club is happy for people to come and watch the competition, but spectators with dogs are asked to keep on a lead as well away from the competition area.

**NOTICE OF MEETING**

Selwyn District Council Sister Cities Committee

Tuesday 13 November 6pm Rolleston Headquarters Building

Selwyn district has Sister Cities cultural and friendship relationships and exchange visits with our Sister Cities in Japan; China; Coventry in Rhode Island, USA; and Toraja, Indonesia;

**MOBILE LIBRARY TIMETABLE**

Wednesday 24 October

Kidsfirst West Rolleston

10-10.30am

Hororata School 11.30am–1pm

Greendale School 1.20–1.50pm

Thursday 25 October

Cat’s Pyjamas Rolleston 10.15–10.45am

Active Explorers, Rolleston 11–11.30am

Faringdon, Shopping Centre 11.40am–12.10pm

ABC Rolleston 12.45–1.15pm

Paradise for Little Angels 1.30–2pm

Edukids Faringdon 2.15–2.45pm

Monday 29 October

Hororata Playcentre 9.30–10am

Darfield Preschool and Nursery 10.30–11am

Springfield School 12.30–1.30pm

Sheffield Hall 2–2.30pm

Tuesday 30 October

Active Explorers, Tai Tapu 10–10.30am

Whippersnappers Lincoln 10.45–11.15am

West Melton School 12.45–1.30pm

West Melton Learning Centre 1.30–1.50pm

West Melton Domain 2–2.30pm

**Homebush Stables and Gardens**

214 Homebush Road, 10am–4pm

This historic place will be open to the public free of charge to celebrate 25 years of operating and restoring the stables complex and garden. Buildings, museum, gardens and café all open. Bring a picnic or enjoy country feasts and delicious food in the Springtreen Cafe. There will be plenty to see and do including a teddy bears picnic and children’s games. Sign posted from Darfield.

**Halloween Disco**

Lincoln Event Centre, 4.30–6pm

Lincoln Event Centre’s Halloween Disco is back for 2018! Come dressed to dance in your favourite Halloween costume for an afternoon full of fun and activities. For pre-schoolers and children aged up to eight years. Just $5 per child or $5 per family. Tickets available from the Lincoln Event Centre reception or door sales on the day.

**Rolleston Fireworks**

Foster Park, 5pm

The iconic event is back again, brought to you by an incredible group of local volunteers. As well as a wonderful fireworks display, there will be plenty of delicious food options, fairground rides and entertainment including on stage performances. Access by way of donation, $5 per adult and $2 per child (5 to 12 years). Postponement date of Sunday 4 November.

**Rolleston Kids Market**

Rolleston Community Centre, 10am–12pm

Come along to Rolleston’s coolest kids’ market to buy or sell some pre-loved treasures. Grab your unwanted toys, craft or hand-crafted masterpieces and set up a stall to make some pocket money before Christmas. For children aged 8–13 years, caregiver required. Stalls $5 each, register as a stall holder at bit.ly/kidsmarket18 by 22 November. No food or drinks to be sold.

**The Courtenay A&P Show**

Kirwee Showgrounds, from Bam

Featuring fun and friendly competition, a great day out where town and country meet. The Courtenay A&P Show is held on the Saturday after Show weekend. For more information head to www.courtenayshow.org.nz.

**On the roads this week**

Temporary Road Closures

Snowdon Road will be closed on Sunday 3 November between 9am and 5pm for the purpose of conducting the Ashburton Car Club’s ‘Gravel Sprint’, motorsport event.

Broadlands Drive will be closed on Saturday 3 November (or postponement date of Sunday 4 November) from the intersection of Goulds Road to Springston Rolleston Road between the hours of 4pm and 10pm for the Rolleston Fireworks Display.

Any queries can be directed to Joanne Harkers 347 2887.