

MEETINGS

You can speak on matters of concern during the first 15 minutes of each Council or Committee meeting. Please contact **Sue Elder** at the Rolleston office well in advance if you wish to speak.

Township, Hall and Reserve Committees, please note: If you wish to advertise your meeting please let **Lee Brehaut** know as soon as possible by faxing (03) 347 2799, e-mailing lee.brehaut@selwyn.govt.nz, or phoning 347 2964 or 318 8338.

COUNCIL

Selwyn Rural Water Supply

- Thu 13 August, 1.30pm, Old Darfield Service Centre.

Council Meeting

- Wed 12 August, 1pm, Council Chambers Rolleston.

Malvern Hills Rural Water Supply

- Fri 14 August, 1.30 pm, Old Darfield Service Centre.

Selwyn Central Community Board

- Wed 19 August, 4pm, Executive Meeting Room One, Rolleston Council Buildings.

Transportation & Road Safety Sub-committee

- Thu 20 August, 9.30am, Executive Meeting Room One, Rolleston Council Buildings.

Malvern Community Board

- Mon 24 August, 4pm, Old Darfield Service Centre.

Council Meeting

- Wed 26 August, 1pm, Council Chambers Rolleston.

Selwyn District Plan

PLAN CHANGE 13

Miscellaneous Changes and Corrections

Selwyn District Council

Clause 5 of the First Schedule, Resource Management Act 1991

Plan Change 13 (Township & Rural Volumes) fixes a number of separate and miscellaneous technical changes that have been identified in the Plan. The corrections provide for greater certainty when assessing compliance and the status of activities. The key changes made by the plan change are:

1. Minor changes that have been identified by Council and are all typically areas of the District Plan that are frequently used and therefore generating consistent difficulties when administering the provisions of the Plan.
2. Minor corrections to address inconsistencies in the Plan.
3. Changes to clarify rule interpretation and/or to undertake small updates to areas of the Plan that are now no longer relevant.

The plan change and the assessment of why it is needed can be read at any of the Council's service centres and public libraries in Darfield, Leeston, Lincoln and Rolleston or online at www.selwyn.govt.nz.

Submissions

Any person or organisation may make a submission supporting or opposing any aspect of this plan change. Submissions must be written and in accordance with Form 5 of the Resource Management Regulations and is available from any Council Service Centre or on the website.

Submissions may be:

- Posted to: Planning Department, Selwyn District Council, PO Box 90, Rolleston 7643
- Delivered to: A Council service centre in Darfield, Lincoln, Leeston or Rolleston.
- Faxed to: (03) 347 2799 (if you fax your submission please post or deliver a copy to the details above)
- Emailed to: submissions@selwyn.govt.nz

At a later date, all submissions received will be summarised and published. Further Submissions will then be invited, allowing any person or organisation to support or oppose any of the initial submissions. A Council hearing will then be arranged to consider all submissions, after which the Council will decide whether to withdraw, retain or modify the plan change. Any submitter who is not satisfied with the Council's decision may then appeal to the Environment Court.

For further information regarding this plan change or the process outlined above, please contact the Project Manager, **Emma Bishop** on (03) 347 2955.

The closing date for submissions is **5.00pm on Friday 4 September 2009**.

COMMUNITY

Coalgate Township Committee

- Tue 18 August, 7.30pm, Coalgate Fire Station.

Darfield Township Committee

- Thu 20 August, 7.45pm, Old Council Service Centre.

Doyleston Community Committee

- Tue 11 August, 7.30pm, Osborne Park Hall.

Glenroy Community Hall

- Tue 11 August, 8pm, Glenroy Hall.

Hororata Hall Committee

- Tue 11 August, 7.30pm, Hororata Hall.

Killinchy Community Centre

- Tue 11 August, 7.30pm, Killinchy Hall.

Kirwee Community Committee

- Mon 17 August, 7.30pm, Kirwee Community Hall.

Ladbrooks Community Hall

- Tue 11 August, 7.45pm, Ladbrooks Hall.

Lake Coleridge Community Committee

- Fri 21 August, 8pm, Lake Coleridge Hall.

Lake Settlers Association

Annual General Meeting

- Wed 19 August, 7.30pm, Greenpark Hall.

Leeston Park Association

- Mon 24 August, 7.30pm, Leeston Park Pavilion.

Lincoln Community Centre Management Committee

- Mon 24 August, 7.30pm, Lincoln Community Centre – Supper Room.

Little Rakaia Huts Residents Association & Advisory Committee

- Mon 17 August, 7.30pm, Little Rakaia Huts Community Centre.

Prebbleton Community Association

- Tue 11 August, 7.30pm, Prebbleton Community Hall.

Prebbleton Reserve Management Committee

- Mon 17 August, 7.30pm, Sports Pavilion, Prebbleton Reserve.

Rolleston Community Centre Committee

- Thu 27 August, 7.30pm, Rolleston Community Centre.

Rolleston Reserve Management Committee

- Mon 17 August, 7.30pm, Rolleston Community Centre.

Rolleston Residents Association

- Mon 24 August, 7.30pm, Rolleston Community Centre.

Sheffield/Waddington Community Committee

- Thu 27 August, 7.30pm, Sheffield Community Hall.

Southbridge Advisory Committee

- Tue 25 August, 7.30pm, Southbridge Fire Station

Springston Community Committee

- Mon 17 August, 7.30pm, Springston Hall – Supper Room.

Springston South Reserve Management Committee

- Mon 31 August, 7pm, Old Soldiers Hall Springston South.

Springston Recreation Reserve and Associated Sports Committee

- Wed 19 August, 8pm, Errol Tweedy Pavilion Springston Reserve.

Templeton Residents Association

- Mon 31 August, 7.30pm, Templeton Community Centre.

Weedons Residents Association Inc

- Mon 17 August, 7.30pm, Weedons School.

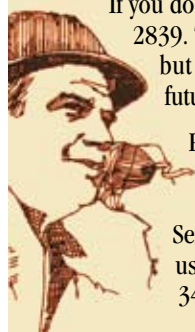
West Melton Reserve Board

- Mon 17 August, 7.30pm, West Melton Domain.

Do you book building inspections?

If you do, please change your autodial to 347 2839. The old number is currently diverted but will be disconnected in the near future.

Phone calls for building queries and inspection bookings are now answered by Building Customer Services on 347 2839. You can also get us through the main switchboard on 347 2800 and 318 8338.



with Glen Walker LIBRARIES MANAGER

BOOKMARKS

Paparua library users

For those in the former Paparua area who are regular users of Christchurch City libraries, you now have to pay an annual subscription fee to keep using the Christchurch library. However, you can get a rebate for this amount from your Selwyn library rate if you provide us with your subscription receipt. To find out more, please contact any Christchurch or Selwyn Library.

NZ Library Week – Escape, Explore, Discover

This week is Library Week right across Aotearoa. In Selwyn we are joining in the

nationwide Big Read where the same book is read simultaneously across the whole country. At the end of the week, following our recent spring cleaning, we are going to have a book sale in each branch. Be in early to grab a bargain! See www.libraryweek.org.nz for more activities!

New Library Website

The Library website has changed! It is now at www.selwynlibrary.co.nz. There you'll find reading suggestions, our catalogue, recent news and events, and much, much more!



ROLLESTON COMMUNITY CENTRE NEWS

with David Pryor



Where are all the males?



Saturday Ceroc dance classes have started in the Community Centre and we have a great bunch of keen participants both young and old, but we need more males to partner up with the ladies - so don't be shy! This week only: **bring a partner for free!**

If you really love to dance and can't wait until Saturdays, then we have a Thursday afternoon ladies only session. **Dance for Dance Sake** gives you the chance to learn new dance styles, no pressure, just loads of fun.

Our after school children's dance classes are going really well with only one or two spots left, so be quick. If ball sports are more your style, then how about trying our new **Volleyball** classes on Tuesdays, or **Basketball** on Mondays, with Cos, our professional tutor. We have timeslots for all ages.

Registrations are open now for: Volleyball, Flow Yoga, Tai Chi, Dance, Belly

Dancing, Pilates, Basketball, B.A.T.

Pay as you go: Pump Fitness, Active Seniors, Sit and be Fit, Ceroc Dance, Social Badminton & Table Tennis, Mini Gym.

No Charge: Dabble in Scrabble.

Enrolments are open at the Rolleston Library enquiries desk now! There are maximum numbers for all classes so make sure you enrol by paying in advance.

Roller Skating dates for the rest of 2009 (Held in the Stadium)

August 22, September 19, 26, October 17, 24, November 14, 21, December 5, 19

Session times 5-8 yrs 3.30 – 5pm 9-13yrs 5.30 – 7pm (parents welcome to join in)

The new monthly Craft and Produce Market starts up on 30 August, to be located in the Rolleston Centre car-park. We are still looking for more stall holders but you will need to get in quick. Held last Sunday of every month, 10 – 1pm

Want more info on all of the above? Call into the Centre, phone me on 347 2882, or e mail: david.pryor@selwyn.govt.nz

BEEF TO BE TENDERED



This is the last opportunity to claim the above cattle prior to tenders being accepted from **Monday, 10 August**.

Tenders, which will close on **Friday, 21 August**, should be addressed to:

Cattle Tenders
Attention: Eamonn Waters
Private Bag 90
Rolleston 7643

Contacts: **Eamonn Waters** or **Tracey Wheeler** at the Rolleston office.

WE INVITE YOU TO



Public Workshops on the Pines Wastewater Treatment Plant Expansion

Growth Requires Sewer Connections

You are invited to a workshop to participate in this important project before the resource consent application is lodged with Environment Canterbury. The project aims to keep up with the district's population growth by enlarging the treatment plant near Rolleston and connecting it by pipeline to other towns, such as Prebbleton and Lincoln.

The workshop is your opportunity to speak directly to staff from Selwyn District Council and their consultant for this project, Montgomery Watson Harza (MWH). You are welcome to express any concerns you might have and ask questions of the engineers and project managers. By participating, you will get the latest information and will influence the resource consent process and its final outcome. Please take us up on this invitation.

Workshop venues and times:

Tuesday 25 August,
7pm – 8.30pm

Executive Meeting Room 1
Selwyn District Council
2 Norman Kirk Drive, Rolleston

Saturday 29 August,
10am – 12 noon

The Lounge
Rolleston Community Centre
Rolleston Drive

You can get MWH's Executive Summary and timeline for the project, from our website, www.selwyn.govt.nz.

Please bring this to the workshop, where its contents will be explained and discussed.

Contact: **Katherine Kaynes**, PA
Asset Delivery Manager, on 347 2891 or at katherine.kaynes@selwyn.govt.nz

Stepping Out

with Sarah Wilson, Active Communities Coordinator

SELWYN FOOTBALL SCORES BIG IN THE JAPAN CUP

If you're 12 years old (or nearly) and play football then you've probably heard of the Japan Cup. If you haven't, then let me tell you about it!



The **Japan Cup** is a biennial football tournament between New Zealand and Japan, held alternately in the Selwyn District and Japan. Unfortunately, this year swine flu meant the Japanese teams were unable to travel to our side of the world. However, the silver lining was that teams from Rotorua and two Canterbury Rep teams were able to take part.

All in all there were 12 New Zealand teams competing for the Cup and Selwyn did really well. In the semi-finals, the Selwyn team even beat the Canterbury Rep team! Now that's impressive. The final result had Selwyn coming second in the competition-a very creditable finish. What an inspiring bunch of 12-year-olds!

So remember, whether it's kicking a soccer ball around the back yard or getting into some serious competition, it's all about giving it a go and having fun!

Selwyn Wheels & Heels

with Lee Wright

transport & road safety coordinator

Congratulations Ngareta...

Congratulations to Ngareta from Prebbleton who has won two nights accommodation at the Burn B&B in Castle Hill and a 3 day 'Chill' ski pass in our first "Drive Safe" Winter Driving text competition. Ngareta was very excited about winning and is looking forward to tackling the ski fields. The "Drive Safe" Winter Driving text competition attracted over 500 entries.

Drive to the Conditions, whatever they are

Just remember, although the days are warming, we still have another month or two of potential bad weather ahead. Free

windscreen cloths and ice scrapers are still available at our offices and libraries.

Key tip:

- **Go slow on ice or snow.**

Whenever possible, avoid driving in the heavy snow. If you cannot avoid it, SLOW down, and:

- Allow for much greater braking distances
- Avoid braking suddenly
- To avoid skidding, give the brake pedal a few taps rather than one hard push
- Remember to carry chains and put them on your wheels when necessary



ELECTIONS

Helping you have your say

Extraordinary Vacancy Malvern Ward

FINAL RESULT OF BY-ELECTION

In accordance with section 86 of the Local Electoral Act 2001, I hereby declare the results for the Malvern Ward By-election held on Friday 7 August 2009. I confirm that the official result was determined after the scrutiny of the roll was completed, the validity of all special votes was determined and all valid votes were counted.

Member, Malvern Ward

(One (1) Member to be elected)

Candidate	Votes Received
MUGFORD, Bob	1,253
WOODS, Bill	1,193
INFORMAL	1
BLANK VOTING PAPERS	6

I therefore declare **Bob MUGFORD** to be elected as the Member for the Malvern Ward.

The Voter Return Percentage was 48.56%, being 2,453 voting papers.

Dated at Rolleston this 7th day of August 2009.

Douglas Marshall
Electoral Officer

Yes! Please report it



RESOURCE CONSENTS

Because of their possible environmental effects, many activities need resource consent from the Council. You have the right to inspect the following consent applications at any Council Service Centre during normal office hours and to make a submission supporting or opposing them.

Ellesmere Ward

Corner of Inwoods, Dip and Southbridge-Sedgemere Roads

G.B. Palmer (Application 095132) seeks to subdivide 7.41 hectares with an existing dwelling from a 27.41 title with the 20-hectare balance having an open space covenant and being amalgamated with a non-adjoining lot of 65 hectares, approximately 1.7 kilometres distant, and (Application 095133) to retain the existing dwelling on a reduced area. The land is on the corner of Inwoods, Dip and Southbridge-Sedgemere Roads on Sections 4B and 4C Homebrook Settlement. The applicant's address for service is C/- Survus Consultants, P.O. Box 5558. Papanui, Christchurch 8542.

How to make a submission

If you wish to support or oppose a consent application you must get a written submission on Form 13 or to the like effect into any Council Service Centre by **Thursday 10 September 2009**, and promptly send a copy to the applicant's service address. Your submission should be addressed to **Helen Allison**, Planning Administrator. It must be signed and dated by you, and must state:

- your name, postal address, phone or fax
- the applicants' name, number and location
- whether you support or oppose the application
- your reasons
- the decision you wish us to make
- whether you wish to speak at a hearing.

(This notice is issued under Section 93(2) of the Resource Management Act 1991.)

NEEDING REINFORCEMENT?



The wrought iron designer, Ron Croddle,

Found drawing designs was a doddle,

But his young wife Imelda

Ran off with the welder -

Now who can he find for a model?



For his wife used to model for free

But a sitter he must pay a fee.

"It's me they can sit fer,

Wearing full fig and titfer,

But I'm skint, so who will help me?"



It's plain Ron doesn't know about Creative NZ Arts Grants. The current round of funding is now open. If fees assistance would help take your artistic endeavour (be it visual, musical, dramatic or literary) to a wider public, then get your application in before **5pm on Friday 21 August**.

Contact **Stuart Westoby** at the Lincoln Service Centre, ph 347 2875 for further information and application forms.