

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, emailing lee.brehaut@selwyn.govt.nz, or phoning 347 2964 or 318 8338. The Council's website now lists Council and Community meetings in the 'Meetings Calendar' found under Council Info / Meetings.

COUNCIL

Council Meeting

- Wed 10 March, 1 pm, Council Chambers, Rolleston

Selwyn Central Community Board

- Wed 17 March, 4 pm, Executive Meeting Room One, Council Building, Rolleston

Malvern Community Board

- Mon 22 March, 4 pm, Old Darfield Service Centre

COMMUNITY

Coalgate Township Committee

- Tue 16 March, 7.30 pm, Coalgate Fire Station

Darfield Township Committee

- Thu 18 March, 7.45 pm, Former Darfield Service Centre

Doyleston Community Committee

- Tue 9 March, 7.30 pm, Osborne Park Hall

Glenroy Community Hall

- Tue 9 March, 8 pm, Glenroy Hall

Glentunnel Community Centre

- Tue 9 March, 7.30 pm, Community Centre - Glentunnel

Killinchy Community Centre

- Wed 17 March, 7.30, Killinchy Hall

Kirwee Community Committee

- Mon 15 March, 7.30 pm, Kirwee Community Hall

Prebbleton Community Association

- Tue 9 March, 7.30 pm, Prebbleton Hall

Prebbleton Reserve Management Committee

- Mon 15 March, 7.30 pm, Sports Pavilion, Prebbleton Reserve

Rolleston Reserve Management Committee

- Mon 15 March, 7.30 pm, Rolleston Community Centre

Rolleston Residents Association

- Mon 22 March, 7.30 pm, Rolleston Community Centre

Springston Community Committee

- Mon 15 March, 7.30 pm, Springston Hall, Supper Room

Springston Recreation Reserve and Associated Sports Committee

- Wed 17 March, 8 pm, Springston Reserve Errol Tweedy Pavilion

West Melton Reserve Board

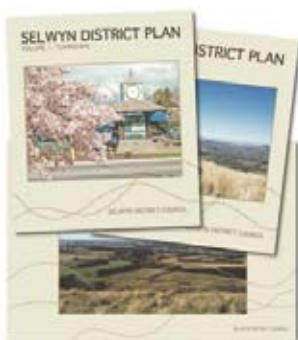
- Mon 15 March, 7.30 pm, West Melton Domain

RESOURCE MANAGEMENT ACT 1991 SELWYN DISTRICT PLAN

Operative Status of Plan Change 4 and Variation 30 – Financial Contributions

The provisions of the District Plan affected by **Plan Change 4** (Broadfield Estates Ltd – Lincoln) and **Variation 30** (Financial Contributions) became operative on **Monday, 8 March**.

The Plan may be read during normal working hours at council service centres and libraries in Darfield, Leeston, Lincoln and Rolleston, and at www.selwyn.govt.nz




ROLLESTON COMMUNITY CENTRE NEWS

Defibrillator Donated

The Community Centre has been very fortunate to receive an AED defibrillation device. Freemasons, through the Lincoln Masonic Lodge have generously donated a number of the \$3,500 devices throughout New Zealand. Defibrillators are used in cardiac emergencies and increase a patient's chance of survival by at least 70 percent, especially in areas that can't be reached quickly by ambulance services. The defibrillator, which is located in the foyer at the Community Centre, will be made available to the community for emergencies. Anyone who is interested in further information may call in to the Centre or phone us.

Holiday Programme

Sport Canterbury will be running their holiday programme from the Centre during the week of 12-16th April.

Registration forms are now available from the Library "Enquiries" desk or the Centre foyer or register on-line at www.sportcanterbury.org.nz.

Move It To Music

Experienced tutor, Jan McKay, uses music, fun equipment and a great sense of humour to get you moving. For everyone, especially those who experience problems with

arthritis, obesity, balance, co-ordination or stress. May be done seated, standing or moving around. This is a great social occasion with a cuppa afterwards. **Wednesdays 1.30-2.30pm** in the Lounge during school term time. \$3 per session.

Youth Group

Just a reminder that Youth Group for years 7 and 8 runs most Fridays during term time and is on this Friday 12th March from 7-9pm. Lots of fun activities. Phone **Leilani** on 980 2296 ext 221 for details.

Programmes for people with disabilities

We are currently looking at introducing programmes for people with disabilities. We'd love to hear your suggestions, so please call in or phone us to discuss your ideas.

No More CardioFunk

With our instructor, **Jo Aston**, moving to the UK, there will be no more CardioFunk this term. But don't despair, Zumba will be here in it's place next term.

Want more info on any of the above? Come in to the Centre or call us on 347 2882. You can also e-mail: david.pryor@selwyn.govt.nz or tanya.drummond@selwyn.govt.nz

with David Pryor




Selwyn Wheels & Heels with Lee Wright

transport & road safety coordinator

Fantastic Turnout

Thanks everyone for another fantastic turnout at this year's **Mayoral Challenge** and **Malvern Fun, Run, Walk and Cycle**. The weather was mild and sunny with a tail wind helping the 200 cyclists follow **Mayor Kelvin Coe** along the Railtrail from Prebbleton to Lincoln. All participants enjoyed the free fruit and water, and the festivities of the Lincoln Fire Brigade Open Day and Children's Day. In Malvern, 100 cyclists, lead by **Councillor John Morten**, did the 6 kilometre bike ride and 50 did the 1km bike ride.

Congratulations to **Sarah Ott** from Lincoln, who won the adult's Avanti Bike, and to **Tom Edwards** from Aylesbury, who won the prize for the best decorated kid's bike. We are eagerly awaiting the official results from Bikewise to see how we got on in our quest to become the cycle mad district of NZ – will keep you posted!

Malvern cyclists line up on Sunday



PLAN CHANGE 7

Growth of Townships, Urban Development and Rezoning of Land for Urban Purposes including the introduction of a new 'Living Z Zone' at Lincoln and Rolleston

Plan Change 7 seeks to rezone:

- approximately 585 hectares in Lincoln and Rolleston to a new "Living Z" or "Living Z Deferred" zone for residential development, and
- 11 hectares in Lincoln to "Business 2 Deferred" for industrial development.

These areas have been identified in Plan Change 1 to the Canterbury Regional Policy Statement and in the Lincoln and Rolleston Structure Plans as the sites of future growth of both townships in accordance with the Greater Christchurch Urban Development Strategy.

The closing date for submissions is **Tuesday 13 April**, at 5pm.

Application and submission forms are available at council offices and at www.selwyn.govt.nz

Contact: **Cameron Wood** on (03) 347 2800 or Darfield (03) 318 8338 or at submissions@selwyn.govt.nz

PLAN CHANGE 23

Replace the existing Christchurch International Airport Air Noise Contours with the revised air noise contours identified in Plan Change 1 to the Canterbury Regional Policy Statement

Plan Change 23 seeks to replace the existing 50 decibel (dBA) and 55 dBA airport noise contours (see below) with revised 50 dBA and 55 dBA airport noise contours. These revised noise contours were agreed to by a panel of experts who undertook a remodelling exercise in 2007, and have subsequently been included in the Canterbury Regional Policy Statement via the recently approved Plan Change 1.

The closing date for submissions is **Tuesday 13 April** at 5pm.

Full copies of the application and submission forms are available at council offices and at www.selwyn.govt.nz

Contact: **David Smith** on 347 2800 or Darfield 318 8338 or at submissions@selwyn.govt.nz

WHAT ARE NOISE CONTOURS?

A noise contour is a line on a map showing the expected noise levels averaged over 24 hours when Christchurch International Airport is operating at full capacity. (It currently operates at about 48% of capacity.)

In 1974, the first noise contours for Christchurch Airport were developed and used by local councils to define land use zones. Residential development is restricted where the noise level exceeds 50 decibels (dBA).

These noise contours have recently been recalculated to take into account quieter aircraft, more flights, more advanced air traffic control systems and the use of both runways at peak times

The resulting noise contours are slightly wider, significantly shorter and 12km² smaller in total area than the present contours.

LINCOLN & DISTRICTS HISTORICAL SOCIETY

Visit to the historic **Snowdon & Rockwood Stations**.

Sunday, 21 March

Bus leaving **Market Square, Lincoln**, at **9.30am** & **Norwood** at **9.45am**. Returning about 4.30 pm.

Please take your own picnic lunch.

Cost \$30 per head. Only 25 seats available.

To book, please phone **Margaret Morrish** 325 2790 or **Wendy Dalley** 329 1877



EARTH HOUR, SHARE THE POWER

*A power rock band, **Sonic Vandal***

Has just blown a fuse in Dunsandel

Their rig is too big

So they now have to gig

Unplugged by the light a candle!

Earth Hour (8.30-9.30pm, Sat 27 March) is when households turn off their lights and unnecessary appliances to promote energy conservation and sustainable living. Many will join like-minded others to "share the power" at Earth Hour events throughout the Selwyn district. Here are some that we know about. If you know of others, tell us and we'll pass it on. All events **free** unless stated.



Trade Waste

Consultants from OPUS International are helping us to assess how much waste and what types of chemicals are being discharged into our sewer network by different industries in the district (Trade Waste Bylaw 2009). We will contact

possible waste-discharging companies within the next two weeks to start the process of assessment. Contact: **Graeme Wild** on 347 2807 or 318 8338.

Is this your caravan?



This caravan is parked on council road reserve at Lake Selfe. It has no registration or Warrant of Fitness. If you are the owner or know who owns it, please contact **Mike Kwant** within 28

days. After 28 days the council may consider the caravan an abandoned vehicle and take steps to remove it.

| Date | Event | Where |
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| Mon, 15 March JUST ONE WEEK TO GO | Earth Hour Short Video (10 seconds to 10 minutes) Competition closes. Categories for individuals, groups, children, businesses | Districtwide Contacts: Tom Ferguson 325 7717 Sue Jarvis 329 5858 |
| Mon 22 March and Thu 25 March 11.30am-12noon | Landcare Walk the Talk Tours. See why Landcare won a trophy for its sustainable practices in energy, waste, recycling, procurement. | Meet at Fleming reception, Landcare Research, off Gerald Street, Lincoln at 11.30am on Mon 22nd, Thu 25th |
| To be advised | Council Walk the Talk Tours. See why the Selwyn District Council building in Rolleston has won awards for its energy-efficient design. | Meet at the Council reception desk, Norman Kirk Drive off Rolleston Drive, Rolleston |
| Mon-Sat, 22-27 March from 7.30 pm | Earth Hour Skywatching. Instead of the usual \$6 fee, the Canterbury Astronomy Society will ask only a gold coin donation. | R.F.Joyce Memorial Observatory, Bell's Road, West Melton. Map on their web site: www.cas.org.nz |
| Mon-Sat, 22-27 March daytime | Earth Hour Displays by Landcare Research: • low energy LED lighting • CarboNZero - how to reduce your carbon footprint | Selwyn libraries |
| Mon-Sat, 22-27 March | Earth Hour Pledge card – pledge what you will do to save energy | Sign up and go in the prize draw at Selwyn libraries and Earth Hour events. |
| Fri, 26 March | Earth Hour Video Competition Screening & Awards, preceded by CarboNZero talk on your carbon footprint. | Rolleston Community Centre, 7pm |
| 26-27 March daytime | Electric Car Conversion – see the Voltmotive electric car, converted from a normal petrol engine car. | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 26th, Rolleston New World 4pm-7pm 27th, Lincoln New World 10am-1pm 27th, Malvern Show, Sheffield |
| Sat, 27 March, 5pm | Earth Hour picnic | Prebbleton Reserve |
| Sat, 27 March 8.30-9.30 pm | Earth Hour Coffee by Candlelight | Lincoln Coffee Culture |
| Sat, 27 March 8.30-9.30 pm | Earth Hour Torchlight Walks | Prebbleton & Rolleston Meeting places? |
| Sat, 27 March 8pm till late | Earth Hour Barn Dance. \$10 per person. Kids under 14 free, with caregivers. | Lincoln Community Centre Tickets from Selwyn libraries and Sue Jarvis 329 5858. |
| 27 March 8.30-9.30 pm | Earth Hour Blackout | Your house? |

Contacts:

Lincoln: **Sue Jarvis**, 329 5858 (Lincoln Envirotown)
 Rolleston: **Nicole Buhrs**, 347 9339 (Rolleston Envirotown)
 Prebbleton: **Nicola Willett**, 349 7990 (Prebbleton Enviro-village)
 Leeston: **Alison Boon**, 324 3532 (Leeston Enviro Town) events to be advised
 Springston: **Arnia Southworth**, 329 5757 (Springston Enviro-Community)
 Selwyn District Council: **Rowan Taylor**, 347 2807 or 318 8338

Marketing Strategies for Manufacturers

Tue 23 March

Selwyn District Council, Rolleston

5.30 pm for food and mingle, 6pm to 9pm workshop
\$10 for food and refreshments

In this, the second of three workshops from January to June, facilitator, **Neil Edmond**, will focus on marketing for businesses that manufacture products. Participants will also get some follow-up coaching. The workshop will cover:

- gaining market information
- opportunities to increase sales
- developing new markets or segments
- effectively penetrating existing markets
- creating effective promotional materials
- improving profits

Places are limited, so please register early with btadviser@selwyn.govt.nz



with Sarah Wilson, Active Communities Coordinator

Use it or lose it!

Movement to Music at Leeston is all about exercising regularly and maintaining a reasonable level of health and well being. With two qualified instructors, equipment and music, these classes are a great way to improve balance, keep joints moving and blood oxygenated.



Exercise does not need to be strenuous – strenuous is not always advisable. Gentle regular sessions of aerobics and stretching can be very beneficial.

Monday: 8:30am – 9am equipment; 9am-10:15am aerobics, followed by relaxation and stretching exercises.

Wednesday: 9:30am – 10:30am DVD/video (particularly for arthritis sufferers), followed by a cup of tea; 4:30pm equipment; 5pm – 6pm aerobics.

Contacts: **Jan McKay** 324 3654 or **Vaunda Maynard** 324 3272



ARTS HEART ART EXHIBITION 2010

Rolleston Community Centre
Sat & Sun, 13 and 14 March
Opening Friday 12 March, 7.30pm
Refreshments provided

All welcome!

Monster Art Sale

Nothing over \$150

Affordable art on your doorstep!!

Artists in Action

10am – 12noon
& 1pm – 3pm
Sunday 14 March – in the Stadium

Come along and see local artists in action.

Contacts: **Judith** or **Tony Wenborn**, 318 1334, email: wenborn@gmail.com
Margaret McFedries, 347 8179.

you won't guess what I just discovered...

