

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

Selwyn Central Community Board

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

Malvern Community Board

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

Council Meeting

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

Industrial Park Project Team

- Thu 3 June, 3pm, Izone Café & Visitors Centre Meeting Room

(Because this project team discusses commercially sensitive information, the public will be excluded from most, if not all, of the meeting. Please direct any queries to the Corporate Services Manager, Douglas Marshall.)

COMMUNITY

Broadfield Community Association

- Wed 2 June, 7.30pm, Broadfield Hall.

Castle Hill Village Community Association

- Mon 6 June, 5.30pm, Village Hall.

Coalgate Township Committee

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

Darfield Recreation & Community Centre

- Tue 8 June, 7.30pm, Darfield Recreation Centre.

Darfield Township Committee

- Thu 20 May, 7.45pm, Former Darfield Service Centre.

Dunsandel Community Committee

- Thu 3 June, 7.30pm Library Room, Dunsandel Hall.

Glentunnel Residents Association

- Mon 7 June 7.30 pm, Community Centre - Glentunnel

Hororata District Citizens Association

- Tue 25 May, 7.30pm, Hororata Hall.

Hororata Reserve Management Committee

- Wed 2 June, 7pm, Hororata Hall.

Killinchy Community Centre

- Wed 19 May, 7.30pm, Killinchy Hall.

Ladbrooks Community Hall

- Tue 18 May, 7.45pm, Ladbrooks Hall.

Leeston Park Association

- Mon 31 May, 7.30pm, Leeston Park Pavilion.

Rolleston Community Centre Committee

- Thu 27 May, 7.30pm, Rolleston Community Centre Lounge.

Rolleston Residents Association

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

GUEST SPEAKER:

Joe Colgan, New Zealand Transport Agency, re the Southern Motorway Extension.

Southbridge Advisory Committee

- Tue 25 May, 7.30pm, Southbridge Fire Station.

Springston Hall Committee

- Thu 27 May, 7.30pm, Springston Community Hall.

Springston Recreation Reserve and Associated Sports Committee

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

Springfield Township Committee

- Tue 1 June, 7.30pm, Tawera Hall.

Tai Tapu Community Association Inc

- Wed 2 June, 7.30pm, Tai Tapu Library.

Waihora Park Reserve

- Tue 1 June, 7.30pm, Waihora Bowling Club Pavilion.

West Melton Community Centre – Public Meeting

- Tue 18 May, 7.30pm, West Melton Community Centre.

West Melton Community Centre and Hall

- Tue 1 June, 7.30pm, West Melton Community Centre.

West Melton District Residents' Assn

- Wed 2 June, 7.30pm, West Melton Community Centre.



Mini Gym, on Monday mornings, is proving to be very popular. Our new tutor, **Donna Carlton**, uses activities based on the Perceptual Motor Programme (PMP) to help develop the children's coordination, concentration and learning abilities. They learn whilst having a ball!



Parents! Do you know where your kids are after dark?

Security cameras have again caught offenders in action. A couple of windows were smashed in a digger at the new Skate Park construction area. A can of fluorescent paint was stolen and used to put graffiti on

the Centre's rear walls. Such vandalism will not be tolerated. Video footage of the culprits in action has been referred to police.

The Rolleston Youth Action Group presents two fantastic events this weekend:

- **Fluoro Disco** on Friday 21 May. Two sessions – Year 5 & 6, 6-7.30pm and Year 7-8, 8-10pm. Cost is \$3, proceeds to the 40 Hour Famine.
- **Youth Café** on Saturday 22 May 8 – 10.30 PM. Year 9 upwards. Cost is \$5. Featuring live music by Full Stop!, Becky Jordan and Mind Trap.

Rollersk8 – For ALL ages!

Come spin around the stadium floor to music and disco lights this Saturday May 22. Adult supervision required for children 11 and under. Two sessions, 3.30-5pm and 5.30-7pm. Skates provided – do not bring your own. \$6 per person.

Join a Group. Many different groups meet regularly at the Centre. If you're looking at joining a group, call in or phone us for more details.

Ring 347 2882 or e-mail:

rcc.enquiries@selwyn.govt.nz



with David Pryor

Windmill Wanted

The council is developing a community reserve and wants to include a working windmill as both a landmark and focal point.

Do you have a working windmill that you do not need?

Please call

Hugh Blake-Manson on 3472 800 or 318 8338 or email any details to hugh.bm@selwyn.govt.nz

DRUGS & ALCOHOL IN THE WORKPLACE

Wednesday 26 May 2010

Lincoln University, Room H1

Session 1: 12.30pm – 1.30pm

Session 2: 2pm – 3pm

Lincoln University invites staff, students and members of the public to a special presentation on the impacts of drugs and alcohol by the Foundation for Drug and Alcohol Education (FADE). The presentation will also introduce the university's new policy on drugs and alcohol in the workplace.

To book a place, contact

Lincoln University's **Rosalind Deuchrass** on 325 3613, email: Rosalind.Deuchrass@lincoln.ac.nz, or **Adrian Brown**, Health and Safety Manager, on 325 3887, email: Adrian.Brown@lincoln.ac.nz



The 2010 Selwyn Awards will be held on **Saturday 31 July**. The following six awards will be made to celebrate community contribution and achievement excellence:

- (1) Community Service,
- (2) Arts, Culture and Heritage,
- (3) Business,
- (4) Sport,
- (5) Natural Environment and
- (6) Young Achiever.

Nominations are now open, with forms available on the SDC website, or by calling **Joy Farrington** ph 347 2752, or at the Rolleston Offices and library/service centres. Please think about worthy individuals, organisations or businesses and **nominate now!**

RATES REMINDER

The final rates instalment for the year (instalment 4) is due for payment without penalty by

Wednesday, 2 June 2010.

After that date, a 10% penalty will apply.

Rates invoices were sent out last month. If you did not receive yours, please phone us on 347 2800 or 318 8338 call-free from Darfield.

STOCK DROVING

If you regularly drove dairy cows for milking on **any** road in Selwyn District, or if you drove other stock on arterial, collector or strategic roads, you must first get the Council's written consent.

The basics for droving stock:

- Have clearly visible signs, giving adequate warning that stock are ahead.
- Switch on your hazard lights or an amber beacon if you are using a vehicle.
- Wear high visibility garments for your and other road users' safety.



For a droving consent, or more information, contact **Joanne Harker** on 347 2800 or 318 8338. The Stock Droving Bylaw 2008 is on our website.

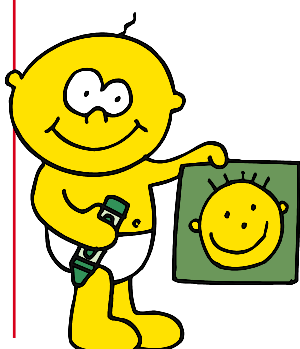
AWESOME START TO LIFE

Friday evening, 18 June
7pm to 9.30pm
Rolleston Community Centre

Cost: Nil

Aimed at new, pregnant and intending parents.

Shows you how to build trust and respect with your baby.



AWESOME PARENTS

Lincoln University – Oak Room

Saturday 19th & Sunday 20th June
9am to 3.30pm (Morning Tea & Lunch Included)

Cost: \$30 per person for the weekend (includes lunch both days)

Build trust, respect and self-esteem in your child and yourself. Understand each unique child and the difference that birth order makes. Learn the impact that your words can have and how to be an "awesome listener".

Register for the Saturday and Sunday sessions as seats are limited to 25.

To be sure of a place, contact:

- **Rolleston** 366 4447 or 021 304 447
- **Darfield** 318 8026 or 021 298 4767
- **Lincoln** Lincoln & Districts Community Care Assn – 325 2007
- **Leeston** 324 4100
- **Free phone** 0800 577372

To read about **Lisa McKimm** the presenter, visit www.parentingworx.co.nz

SIDE SWEEP THE OPPOSITION

with a SPARC Rural Sports Travel Grant

Tai Tapu's top teens team at trugo

Is aiming to go where so few go

To compete at a meet

Of the trugo elite

But is too broke to even have two go!

Quick! Somebody tell them about Sport and Recreation NZ's travel funding for rural sports teams. It helps school and club teams with members aged 5-19 get to local competitions (except for school competitions in school time).

Applications close on **Monday 31 May**. You can get application forms from council libraries and service centres.

Stepping Out

with Sarah Wilson, Active Communities Coordinator

Are you tough enough?

The 2010 Mud Sweat & Tears Challenge is a unique event that is about having fun whilst challenging your physical and mental strength. Oh, and getting muddy!



What's involved?



The event, which is a combination of a commando course and a cross-country run, takes place at the picturesque **Motukarara Race Course**.

The 6km and 12km courses over the rugged hill behind the race course have some natural obstacles as well other entertaining and demanding obstacles, including mud slides, a crawl under a sea of barbed wire, water jumps, wire rope bridges, mud runs, and floating platforms, etc.

Both courses have been designed to be challenging to those of average fitness and ages 12-70, focusing on fun, participation and promoting activity. You are guaranteed to have muddy good fun!

For more details contact **Vaughan Utteridge** on 027 5521281, email: info@mudsweatandtears.co.nz or visit www.mudsweatandtears.co.nz

2 KidsFest



KIDSFEST IS COMING TO SELWYN 3 – 16 July

This year Cool Stuff goes country, with loads of cool events in Selwyn, so kids, watch out for the KidsFest booklet, which will soon be available at all Selwyn libraries.

Are you thinking of installing a solid fuel heater to keep you warm this winter?

Winter is fast approaching, so if you are planning to install a solid fuel heater you need to apply for your building consent sooner rather than later.

Remember the Council has 20 working days in which to process your application, and you cannot have the fire installed until your Consent is issued. It is also important to note that the fire should not be lit until it has passed the final inspection.

For information on how to apply for a building consent please refer to Council's website www.selwyn.govt.nz. In the 'Building' section you will find the application form and checklist. There is a section on the checklist near the bottom of Page 2 especially for solid fuel heaters, detailing what you need to supply us with.

Alternatively you can phone our **Customer Services Team** on 347 2839 to arrange for an application form and checklist to be sent to you.

If you have any queries about your application, please phone Customer Services who will be able to help you.



MEN'S HEALTH SEMINAR

Lincoln Community Centre,
Gerald Street

- **Thursday 10 June, 7.30 pm**

MEN! Come and hear four top specialists talk about: non-surgical cancer treatments, and bowel, urinary, and heart conditions, at this seminar organised by Lincoln Rotary.

Here's a chance to improve your health and maybe save your life. **Early diagnosis is the key.**

FUTURE OF THE DUNSANDEL HALL

Public Meeting

- Dunsandel Hall
- Wednesday, 2 June, 7.30pm to 8.15pm

followed by the Hall Committee's normal meeting

BOOKMARKS

with Glen Walker Libraries Manager

www.selwynlibrary.co.nz



DON'T MISS THE BOOK BUS

The mobile library will visit the following places this week:

Wed 19 May

Arthur's Pass	11:30am – 12:20pm
Wilderness Lodge	12:55pm – 1:25pm
Grassmere Lodge	1:40pm – 2:10pm
Castle Hill Village	2:40pm – 3:15pm

Thu 20 May

Ladbrooks School	12:40pm – 1:30pm
Prebbleton Tavern	4:00pm – 6:00pm

Mon 24 May

Rolleston School	9:05am – 10:10am
Springston School	11:15am – 12:15pm
Greenpark School	12:35pm – 1:30pm

Tue 25 May

Dunsandel Hall	10:30am – 11:15am
Dunsandel School	11:20am – 12:10pm

LINCOLN & DISTRICTS COMMUNITY CARE ASSN

Annual General Meeting

Theatrette, Lincoln Community Centre

Thursday 27 May, 11am

All Welcome

Free Business Training

FINANCING BUSINESS HI-GROWTH

Selwyn District Council Offices, Rolleston

Tuesday 1 June

5.30 pm for food and mingle,
6pm to 9pm workshop

Presenter: **Craig Rust**, B.Com.

Do you have a small to medium sized business in Selwyn that is growing rapidly, or looking to grow, and needs assistance and advice on financing options? Then, this is for you.

The seminar is free, but the light meal beforehand is \$10. Please register early, as places are limited, with btadviser@selwyn.govt.nz.

CREATIVE NZ FUNDING ROUND

That panto they're planning at Annat?

Well, there's worry they might have to cannat,

'Cos without a fat cat

On Dick Whittington's mat

The critics will quite rightly pannat.



So the cast all comes to Toby's flat,

(Each feels like an absolute prat)

And all because Nancy, a

Famed feline fancier,

Won't lend them a rat-chasing cat!



Well she will, if they pay a fat fee,

For a Russian Blue or Siamee,

*But Dick needs a **plain** cat,*

To dispatch every rat,

Not a cat with a long pedigree.



But a likely lad knows what to do:

"We'll contact Creative through Stu.

Though he's now moved from Lincoln

He's our Cat Man, I'm thincoln,

And to Nancy, we'll say "Too-da-loo!"



They are wise to be asking for help in applying for a grant for their arts-related project. Get an application form at a Selwyn library or service centre, or contact **Stuart Westoby** at the Council Offices on 03 347 2708. Applications close on **Friday 28 May**.

BARGAIN BOOK SALE

Lincoln Scout Den, North Belt, Lincoln

Sat 29 May, 8.30am – 11.30am

Most books \$2. **Plus** sausage sizzle, children's activities and other stalls.

All proceeds to the **Lincoln Scout Group Jamboree Fund**.

Please bring your own bags to carry home your purchases.



MICROCHIPPING CLINIC

If your dog was first registered after **30 June 2006** and is not a working dog, the law requires him or her to be microchipped. This free monthly service is available at the following places.

	Lincoln Library	Leeston Library	Council offices Rolleston	Darfield Library
Friday 21 May	10.30-11am	11.30am-12pm	1-2pm	9-9.30am

Please note:

- Clinics last for only half an hour, except in Rolleston.
- The Rolleston venue is in Norman Kirk Drive (off Rolleston Drive).
- Microchipping will not take place if wet.
- Working dogs and dogs registered before **1 July 2006** can be microchipped for \$20 per dog.

If distance or dog numbers prevent you getting to a clinic, you may ask us to come and do the microchipping at your place. Contact **Tracey Wheeler** on 347 2800 or 318 8338.