

## 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](mailto: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 Waihora Zone Meeting

• Tue 2 November, 1pm, Council Chambers, Rolleston.

### Council Meeting

• Wed 3 November, 1pm, Council Chambers, Rolleston.

### Industrial Park Project Team

• Thu 4 November, 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.*

### Selwyn Rural Water Supply Sub-committee

• Thu 4 November, 1.30pm, Darfield Library Meeting Room.

### Selwyn District Council Water Race Sub-committee

• Mon 8 November, 1.30pm, Executive Meeting Room One, Rolleston Council Buildings.

### Selwyn Central Community Board

• Wed 17 November, 4pm, Executive Meeting Room One, Rolleston Council Buildings.

### Malvern Hills Rural Water Supply Sub-committee

• Thu 19 November, 1.30pm, Darfield Library Meeting Room.

### Malvern Community Board

• Mon 22 November, 4pm, Kirwee Sports Pavilion.

## COMMUNITY

### Castle Hill Village Community Association (Reserve)

• Mon 22 November, 5.30pm by SKYPE.

### Coalgate Township Committee

• Tue 16 November, 7.30pm, Coalgate Fire Station.

### Darfield Township Committee

• Thu 18 November, 7.45pm, Darfield Recreation and Community Centre.

### Doyleston Community Committee

• Wed 10 November, 7.30pm, Osborne Park Hall.

### Triennial Elections

### Dunsandel Domain Committee

• Wed 17 November, 7.30pm, Dunsandel Sports Pavilion

### Annual General Meeting

### Glenroy Community Hall Committee

• Tue 16 November, 8pm, Glenroy Hall.

### Glentunnel Community Centre Committee

• Tue 9 November, 7.30pm, Community Centre – Glentunnel.

### Killinchy Community Centre Committee

• Wed 17 November, 7.30pm, Killinchy Hall.  
*Triennial Elections – enquiries to Stan Pycroft, phone 324 3214.*

### Kirwee Community Committee

• Mon 15 November, 7.30pm, Kirwee Community Hall.

### Triennial Elections

### Kirwee Recreation Reserve Management Committee

• Mon 8 November, 7.30pm, Kirwee Sports Pavilion.

### Lakeside Reserve Committee

• Wed, 17 November, 7.30pm, Aquatic Club Lakeside Domain.

### Annual General Meeting

### Lincoln Community Committee

• Mon 8 November, 7.30pm, Lincoln Community Centre.

## COMMUNITY

### Prebbleton Community Association

• Wed 17 November, 7.30pm, Prebbleton Hall.  
*Annual General Meeting*

### Prebbleton Public Hall Society Inc

• Mon 8 November, 7.30pm, Prebbleton Public Hall – Supper Room.

### Prebbleton Reserve Management Committee

• Mon 15 November, 7.30pm, Sports Pavilion, Prebbleton Reserve.

### Rhodes Park Domain Board

• Mon 15 November, 7.30pm, Tai Tapu Bowling Pavilion.

### Triennial Elections

### Rolleston Reserve Management Committee

• Mon 15 November, 7.30pm, Rolleston Community Centre.

### Rolleston Residents Association

• Mon 22 November, 7.30pm, Rolleston Community Centre.

### Southbridge Swimming Pool Committee

• Wed 10 November, 7.30pm, Southbridge Hotel.  
*Annual General Meeting*

### Springston Community Committee

### Springston Hall Committee

### Springston Recreation Reserve and Associated Sports Committee

• Mon 15 November, 7.30pm, Springston Hall Supper Room.

### Combined meeting for Triennial Elections

### Springston Recreation Reserve and Associated Sports Committee

• Wed 17 November, 8pm, Springston Reserve Errol Tweedy Pavilion.

### Tai Tapu Community Association Inc

• Wed 3 November, 7.30pm, Tai Tapu Library.  
*Annual General Meeting*

### West Melton Reserve Board

• Mon 15 November, 7.30pm, West Melton Domain.

### Whitecliffs Domain, Reserve & Township Committees

• Mon 8 November, 7.30pm, Glentunnel Community Centre.

## IS YOUR FARM DOG MICROCHIPPED?

**Animal Control** has noticed an increased number of working/farm-type breeds of dogs finding their way to our dog pound. Often, because they have no registration tag and no microchip, such a dog cannot be identified.

This is a timely reminder that all dogs must be registered and those registered **after 2006** must be microchipped. Although there is an exemption for working dogs we would encourage them to be done.

See below for details of the next microchipping clinic nearest you or call **Animal Control** on 03 3472800 or 03 318 8338.



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.

Friday 19 November			
Lincoln Library	Leeston Library	Council offices Rolleston	Darfield Library
11-11.30am	9.30-10am	1-2pm	8.30-9am

### 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 \$20.40 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.



Only 8 weeks until Christmas. What a scary thought. But if you are looking at heading away to the beach and maybe a good workout is needed beforehand the Community Centre has a wide variety of classes that will suit any ability. **Zumba** runs three times a week, **Pump** four times a week and we have **Step** on a Tuesday evening and **Roller Skating** at Wednesday lunchtime. All these classes are casual pay as you go.



with David Pryor

Our new **Baby Gym** session on Monday mornings at 10am has been a hit with mums. It's a fabulous session that aims to stimulate the senses and introduce important left brain/right brain movements and is a must for all young babies!

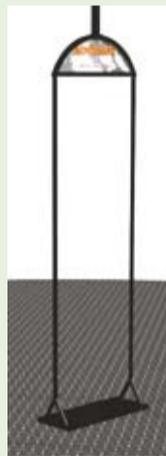
Other programmes for young ones include **Mini Gym** which runs straight after **Baby Gym**, **Sing and Jive for under Fives** – Wednesdays at 1.15pm, After-School **Basketball** on Mondays and **Volleyball /Ball Sports** on Wednesdays.

**Enrolments for Term 4 activities are now open.** If you didn't receive one in the mail, brochures are available at your local Service Centre or at the Community Centre. There are still places available on some of the programmes.

**Want more info on any of the above?** Come in to the Centre or phone David Pryor on 03 347 2882. You can also e-mail: [rcc.enquiries@selwyn.govt.nz](mailto:rcc.enquiries@selwyn.govt.nz) or look online [www.selwyn.govt.nz/rcc](http://www.selwyn.govt.nz/rcc)

## ROLLESTON COMMUNITY PARK

There has been an increase in the amount of litter and broken glass at the Park. If you use the park, please use the rubbish bins provided and act in a responsible manner to safeguard other users. A lot of effort has gone into building the Community Park for you, so please look after it and encourage others to do so also.



A swing seat (pictured) was taken from the park over the weekend of **2/3 October**. If you have any information as to its whereabouts please phone the Council on 347 2952.

## PLAY AWAY THIS SUMMER with a SPARC Travel Grant

*The Weedon's caid team's on the ball  
At its home games it's winning them all!  
But the players can't pay  
To play caid games away  
So they're last in their grade overall!*

Don't let your Gaelic football team miss all its away games because of travel costs. Apply for a SPARC travel grant.

SPARC grants help rural sports clubs and rural school teams to meet the costs of getting their 5-to-19 year olds to local matches.

The grants cover local weekend and holiday fixtures, but not:

- regional and national events
- school competitions during the school week

The deadline for applications is **Friday 26 November**.

Contact: **Stuart Westoby** on 347 2708 or 318 8338 or from [sparc@selwyn.govt.nz](mailto:sparc@selwyn.govt.nz)

## Calling all Contractors

Before any contractor can start work on council land or infrastructure, they must first be listed in the council's Complying Health and Safety Contractor Database.

If you wish to be considered for future council work but are not listed in the database, you will have to send us a Health and Safety Plan to show how you will comply with health and safety requirements.

Please email your Health and Safety Plan to [hsplans@selwyn.govt.nz](mailto:hsplans@selwyn.govt.nz), or post or deliver it to:

Health and Safety Coordinator

– **Katherine Kaynes**

Selwyn District Council

PO Box 90

ROLLESTON 7643

You can get our Health and Safety Information Pack online at [www.selwyn.govt.nz/h&s](http://www.selwyn.govt.nz/h&s)



## CREATIVE COMMUNITIES ARTS GRANTS



*So you're right into fine decoupage  
For a craft exhibition—quite large—  
But your stainless steel scissors  
Have turned out to be fizzers,  
And you can't borrow others from Marge.*

*But, wait! Help's arriving from Suze.  
She has craft knives she wants you to use!  
So with cutting and gluing  
You'll soon have crowds oohing  
As your craftwork appears in the news.*

And if you think a grant from Creative Communities could help you with your arts-oriented project, talk to **Stuart Westoby**, phone 318 8338, or 347 2800

## PLAN CHANGE 25

### (Porters Ski Area) FURTHER SUBMISSIONS INVITED

Proposed Plan Change 25 seeks to rezone Rural (High Country) land to a proposed Ski-Area Sub Zone at and adjoining the Porters Ski Field in the Craigieburn Mountain Range.

## Public Notice of a Summary of Submissions and Call for Further Submissions

Submissions on this proposal were invited from the public. A summary of these, with a copy of each submission, is now available on CD from all Selwyn District Council service centres, libraries and on our website ([www.selwyn.govt.nz](http://www.selwyn.govt.nz)).

Further submissions are invited from those who represent a relevant aspect of the public interest or who have an interest in the plan change greater than the interest that the general public has.

Further submissions must be limited to matters either in support of or in opposition to an original submission made on Plan Change 25

The closing date for further submissions is **5pm Monday 15 November 2010**.

For further information, please contact **Ben Rhodes**, Resource Management Planner, on 347 2824 or 318 8338.

# Stepping Out

with Sarah Wilson, Active Communities Coordinator

## TOYS and VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!

Because there are so many exciting programmes and classes in Selwyn we need a crèche so that Mums and Dads can come along and join in. The toy collection for kiddies to play with while in crèche needs stocking up. If you have any toys (**NO BROKEN ONES PLEASE!**)



in good working order lying round home not being played with then we'd love to hear from you! These toys will be used by kids while their parents are joining in an exercise class, a nutrition course or anything other programme.

Also we are looking at gathering a list of volunteers to look after the kids while in crèche, so if you'd love to lend your time we'd love to hear from you too. Giving your time would mean that a parent could participate in a programme which they might otherwise not be able to do!

If you can help with either of these requests please call or email me: **Sarah Wilson**, 347 2753 or sarah.wilson@selwyn.govt.nz

## HAVE YOUR SAY ON STAGE 2 OF THE CHRISTCHURCH SOUTHERN MOTORWAY!

From Halswell Junction Road to State Highway 1 near Robinsons Road

The NZ Transport Agency is now seeking community feedback on the proposed construction of the second stage of the Christchurch Southern Motorway.

This involves building a **four-lane highway from Halswell Junction Road** (connection to Stage 1 of the Christchurch Southern Motorway) to connect with State Highway 1 near **Robinsons Road** south of Christchurch.

Feedback is also wanted on the proposed four-laning of State Highway 1 from Robinsons Road to Rolleston.

### Community information Days

**Friday 5 November, 4-7pm, Prebbleton Hall.**

**Saturday 6 November, 10am-2pm, Prebbleton Hall.**

Additional information on these two projects will be available at the open days and NZTA staff involved in the project will be on hand to answer questions.

A newsletter containing detailed information on these projects is being distributed in the local community. This newsletter and submission forms are also available on the NZTA website [www.nzta.govt.nz/csm2-msrfl](http://www.nzta.govt.nz/csm2-msrfl) and at libraries and council service centres in the area.

Submissions close on **Friday 19 November**. The Government has identified this project as one of seven Roads of National Significance projects in Christchurch. More information is available at [www.nzta.govt.nz/rons](http://www.nzta.govt.nz/rons)

For more information please contact:

**Joe Colgan** Project Manager, NZ Transport Agency, Ph. (03) 963 3239, email: [csm2-msrfl@nzta.govt.nz](mailto:csm2-msrfl@nzta.govt.nz)

## LINCOLN ZERO WASTE CHALLENGE

Every little bit helps!

During **Neighbourhood Week** (30 October – 7 November), Lincoln Envirotown Zero Waste ambassadors will be on the streets looking for innovative and interesting ways the people of Lincoln have found to manage their waste. There will be spot prizes and gifts for the volunteer ambassadors and a free afternoon tea for the winning street!

It's not too late to get involved. **LET** is still inviting Lincoln residents to help out in the challenge by becoming a **Zero Waste Ambassador**.

Contact **Suzanne Blyth**, email [suzanne.blyth@gmail.com](mailto:suzanne.blyth@gmail.com), **Sue Jarvis** on 329 5858 or leave your details at the Lincoln Library.

## KIRWEE EARTHQUAKE SURVIVORS!

Get Together - Kirwee Community Centre

**Saturday 6 November, 4-10pm**  
Hosted by Kirwee Civil Defence.

Free entertainment and food, but **bring your own plates, knives, forks and beverages**.

Council staff will be on hand to assist with any enquiries or concerns resulting from the earthquake and its aftermath. To help with numbers for catering, please let one of the following people know that you intend to be there:

**Ken May** 318 1558, **Jenny Gallagher** 318 1784, **Ann Moore** 317 8127

## CHRISTMAS IN THE PARK AT ROLLESTON?

Should we have one? Would you help? The Rolleston Residents Association is looking for volunteers to help it organise a Christmas in the Park for Rolleston and surrounding districts. A date, time and place are being considered, but more people are needed to help get this event off the ground.

Could you help?

Please contact **Lynley Shaw** on 03 335 3507 (daytime) or 347 2528 (evenings) if you are keen to help.



## MULCH FOR SALE

**\$10/scoop (approx 1cubic metre)**

The Council has mulch available on a **ONE-DAY SPECIAL**. A loader will be on site on to load your truck, trailer, etc. **Cash Only**.

**Where:** 238 Southfield Drive, Lincoln

**When:** Saturday, 13 November, 7:30am–12:30pm.

To register your interest, or for further details please contact **Karen Bartlett** 347 2864.



## Selwyn Wheels & Heels

with Lee Wright

transport & road safety coordinator

## "HEY, WE'RE ON THE SAME ROAD"

Selwyn's soaring population growth means more cars on our roads, more bicycles, and more risk of them crashing into each other – especially as cycling becomes more popular.

Since 2007, Selwyn people have been injured in 15 reported crashes between cars and bikes. The blame was fairly evenly distributed – 8 drivers were at fault and 7 cyclists. Most were inattentive or not following basic road rules.

So this month, Selwyn drivers and cyclists are in for a bit of a rev-up through the **"Share the Road"** campaign. Its basic message is: **mutual respect**.

Cars and bicycles need to share the road, and drivers and cyclists need to respect each other's space – as well as staying alert and sticking to basic road rules.

The **"Share the Road"** message will be promoted via billboards, print advertisements, newspaper articles, radio advertisements, promotion via cycle clubs and cycle magazines, and new **"Share the Road"** drink bottles and stickers as giveaways.



## Tsunami Warning

Tsunami (tidal wave) signs are now posted around Lake Ellesmere (Te Waihora) and Rakaia Huts, to alert people that, because they are in a tsunami evacuation zone, they should be ready to move to higher ground or inland, in the event of "strong earthquake shaking, unusual ocean behaviour or noise".

"Canterbury was lucky in February this year when the 2-metre tsunami triggered by the Chilean earthquake arrived here at low tide rather than high," said the council's Emergency Manager, **Wilson Brown**.

Last week's tsunami in Indonesia, which killed hundreds, is just the latest of many reminders that tidal waves can be devastating. The waves may reach the shore at irregular intervals, often without complete withdrawal of the previous waves. The first wave is not always the largest.

The tsunami evacuation zone signs have been erected at Rakaia Huts, Fisherman's Point, Taumutu, Timberyard Reserve (Lakeside Domain), Upper and Lower Selwyn Huts and Greenpark Huts.

## Stronger Canterbury BUSINESS WORKSHOP

### Customer Retention

A great opportunity to network and learn. This free workshop will focus on how to recapture and **GROW** your Customer base.

**Tutor:** **Chris Bell**, MD of Customer Experiences Ltd

**Venue:** Selwyn District Council Offices, 2 Norman Kirk Drive, Rolleston

**Date:** Tuesday 9 November

**Time:** 5.30-9pm (20 minute break at 7pm for light tea)

**To Register:** email [btadviser@selwyn.govt.nz](mailto:btadviser@selwyn.govt.nz) with your contact details, or phone 03 347-2712.

## BOOKMARKS

with Glen Walker Libraries Manager

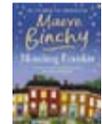
www.selwynlibrary.co.nz

Currently these are the Top 5 most-requested books:

1. **Worth dying for** Child, Lee



2. **The girl with the dragon tattoo** Larsson, Stieg  
3. **The free range cook** Langbein, Annabel  
4. **A life on Gorge River** Long, Robert  
5. **Minding Frankie** Binchy, Maeve



## MOBILE LIBRARY TIMETABLE

**Wednesday 3 November**

Arthur's Pass	11:30am-12:30pm
Wilderness Lodge	1:00-1:25pm
Grassmere Lodge	1:40-2:10pm
Castle Hill Village	2:40-3:15pm

**Thursday 4 November**

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

**Monday 8 November**

Lake Coleridge Village	11:30am-12:15pm
Windwhistle School	12:45-1:15pm

**Tuesday 9 November**

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

**Wednesday 10 November**

Southbridge Playcentre	9:40-10:00am
Rakaia Huts	10:15-11:06am
Southbridge School	11:20am-12:30pm

## BABY TIME AT ROLLESTON LIBRARY

Baby Time is now up and running at the Rolleston Library. The sessions are held every Thursday from 2.00 to 2.30pm and are aimed at babies from birth to 2 years. Come and join **Jackie Claridge** and **Chrissie Mazey** for a half-hour of songs, rhymes, bubbles and more.



## THE FAMOUS ROLLESTON FIREWORKS NIGHT

**Saturday 6 November**

(Postponed to Sunday 7 November if weather bad)

Last year our community groups had a very successful fundraising night and we look forward to this year's event being even better.

Please remember to bring \$2 per person or \$5 per family for the gate collection. Without this we would not be able to run the evening for our community.

Also Remember – **NO ALCOHOL, NO GLASS and NO DOGS!**

Extra buses are running this year following the event. Don't miss them!

10.15 pm – to Hornby  
10.30 pm – to City Bus Exchange via Lincoln

**See you on Saturday!**

**Lynley Shaw** – Phone 335 3507

## TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURES FOR THE FIREWORKS

Tennyson Street (from Moore Street to the service accessway behind the New World supermarket), Markham Way, Wilbur Close and Peel Close in Rolleston will be temporarily closed between 5pm and 10pm on Saturday 6 November 2010 (or, if wet, on Sunday 7 November 2010) for the Rolleston Fireworks Display. During the road closures, traffic will be asked to detour along the nearest alternative route.

Contact: **Joanne Harkerss**, Roading Administrator, phone 347 2887 or 318 8338.

You are warmly invited...

Selwyn Gallery Presents

'NELSON TO DARFIELD'

Nov 5–Dec 2

Featuring Marilyn Andrews, Owen Bartlett, Katie Gold, Lloyd Harwood and Sally Papps

Selwyn Gallery,  
17 South Terrace,  
Darfield  
03 3188702  
[www.selwyngallery.co.nz](http://www.selwyngallery.co.nz)

An exhibition exploring colour, texture and the visual juxtaposition of art and our environment

