

MEETINGS

Public Forum at Council and Community Board Meetings: You may speak on matters of concern during the first 15 minutes of each meeting but please let us know well in advance. For council meetings, please notify **Sue Elder** and for community boards, please notify **Marilyn Ponsford**.

Township, Hall and Reserve Committees, please note: If you wish to advertise your meeting here, or make any changes to meeting details, please let **Lee Brehaut** know as soon as possible by emailing meeting.changes@selwyn.govt.nz, or by phoning 347 2800 or 318 8338.

Website: Council and community meetings are also listed online at www.selwyn.govt.nz/meetings

COUNCIL & COMMUNITY BOARDS

Malvern Community Board

- Monday 24 January, 4pm, Kirwee Community Hall.

Selwyn Waihora Zone

- Tue 1 February, 1pm, Council Chambers.

Industrial Park Project Team

- Thu 3 February, 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 3 February, 1:30pm, Darfield Service Centre.

LOCAL COMMITTEES & ASSOCIATIONS

Dunsandel Community Committee

- Thu 3 February, 7:30pm, Dunsandel Volunteer Fire Brigade Rooms

Please Note: Due to the red stickering of the Dunsandel Hall, future meetings will be held in the Dunsandel Volunteer Fire Brigade Rooms, until further notice.

Hororata District Citizens Association

- Tue 25 January, 7:30pm, Hororata Primary School.

Lincoln Event Centre

- Wed 19 January, 7:30pm, rear of old Lincoln Community Centre.

Rolleston Residents Association

- Mon 24 January, 7:30pm, Rolleston Community Centre.

Southbridge Advisory Committee

- Tue 25 January, 7:30pm, Southbridge Fire Station.

Springston Hall Committee

- Thu 27 January, 7:30pm, Springston Community Hall.

Tai Tapu Community Association Inc

- Wed 2 February, 7:30 pm, Tai Tapu Library.

West Melton Community Centre

- Tue 25 January, 7:30 pm, West Melton Community Centre.

MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE TRIENNIAL ELECTIONS AND ANNUAL GENERAL MEETINGS

We encourage residents and ratepayers to get involved with their township advisory committees and the committees which run their reserves and community centres.

Who may stand for election?

Anyone can stand who lives in, or pays rates in, the Selwyn District, or is on the Selwyn electoral roll. For example, if you live in Christchurch but own land in Selwyn, you can stand for nomination.

Who may move or second nominations?

Only those who live in, or pay rates in, the committee's local rating area may move or second a nomination. In other words, only locals can choose whom to nominate.

Who may vote?

Anyone can vote who lives in, or pays rates in, the committee's rating area, or is on the electoral roll in that area.

You can see the complete version of the Management Committee Election Rules, as adopted at the council meeting on 3 November 2010, at www.selwyn.govt.nz under Council Information/ Council Community Committees.

TRIENNIAL ELECTIONS AND ANNUAL GENERAL MEETINGS

Hororata Reserve Management Committee

- Wed 2 February, 7:30pm, Hororata Primary School.

Kimberley Reserve

- Thu 27 January, 8pm, Kimberley Hall.

Leeston Community Committee

- Mon 7 February, 7:30pm, Leeston Community Room.

Please Note: Meeting date

Little Rakaia Huts Residents Association & Advisory Committee

- Sat 22 January, 2pm, Little Rakaia Huts Community Centre.

Rolleston Community Centre Committee

- Thu 3 February, 7:30pm, Rolleston Community Centre.

Tawera Memorial Hall Springfield

- Thu 25 January, 7:30pm, Springfield Hall.



In use Sunday 23 January

The Selwyn Dog Training Club will use the Rolleston Dog Park for an *obedience ribbon trial* on **Sunday 23 January** from approximately 7:30am to 5pm.

The club is happy for people to come and watch the competition, but spectators with dogs are asked to keep them on a lead and away from the competition area.

The club will also use the dog park to conduct dog training classes on **Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday** nights from **6:30pm to 9pm**. If classes are in session during these times, please keep your dog on a lead and well away from the training area.

There have recently been problems with unleashed dogs disturbing training classes.



FOUND SHEEP



The above four sheep – three ewes and one ram lamb – are currently in our pound after being found just outside of the Leeston Township.

If they are yours or you know who they might belong to, please contact **Selwyn Animal Control** on 03 347 2800. The owner has until **Monday 31 January** to claim the sheep.



NOT SURE WHAT TO PUT IN YOUR ORGANIC BIN?

~ All food waste ~
~ Garden waste ~

Food waste can be wrapped in newspaper before placing it in your Organics bin. You can also use paper to line your bin to help keep it clean.



If you have any questions on either of the above, please call our Helpline. We're waiting for your call.




Selwyn Wheels & Heels
with Lee Wright
transport & road safety coordinator

A Rolleston where people in the community walk and cycle for transport and enjoyment



Walking is fun, cheap and keeps us fit and healthy!

The new **Rolleston Walking Map** is a guide to encourage you to get out and explore Rolleston's many interesting landmarks, walkways, streets, parks and reserves. The walks on the map can be extended, shortened, reversed or reinvented...

The reverse of the map also contains interesting information about ways of getting around the Selwyn District.

Pick up your **free** Rolleston Walking Map from the Rolleston Library, Selwyn District Council and many shops, cafes and businesses throughout Rolleston.

So come and join the **Rolleston in Motion** movement.

Happy Walking!




Selwyn
country garden trail

Enjoy the Selwyn Country Garden Trail!



A new country garden trail, which showcases spectacular gardens throughout Selwyn, is now available for garden lovers.

There are several suggested itineraries as well as a map and directions to help you mix-and-match to suit your time or interests:

- Gardens of National Significance
- Seasonal Gardens
- Historic Homesteads and Gardens
- High Country Stations and Gardens
- Country Lifestyle Gardens

After an inspiring visit to one of our local gardeners, check in at any one of the 14 nurseries listed on the trail for plants and gardening materials.

Download a trail map from the [Visit Selwyn](http://www.selwyn.govt.nz) pages on www.selwyn.govt.nz or call into the Council offices for a copy.



We trust you had a relaxing Christmas break and are refreshed and ready to go! **New Year's resolution!** *Wanting to start a new exercise class?*

Programmes have now started at the Centre.

Pump Fitness Mondays 6-6:50pm, Wednesday 6-6:50pm, Friday 9:30-10:30am and Saturday 9-10am

Step it up! Tuesdays 6:30-7:20pm

Zumba Mondays 6-7pm, Wednesday 1:30-2:30pm and Thursday 7:45-8:45 pm

Active Seniors Mondays 1-1:45pm and Fridays 11-11:45am

All other Classes will resume from **31 January**.

Look out for our **NEW Tuesday class:- Circuit with a Twist!**

Now Open!

Enrolments for Term 1 activities, including **NEW ZumbAtomic** – Zumba for kids!!

Your **Term 1 brochure** should be in your mail box this week or you can pop in and get one at the Centre. Check the **Selwyn Times** for our advert.

Children's Holiday Programme

24-29 January

Sport Canterbury's kids' activity programme will be a terrific week, both on and off-site. Check out www.sportcanterbury.org.nz or contact Sport Canterbury on (03) 373 5060.

Want more info on any of the above? Come in to the centre or phone 347 2882. You can also e-mail: rrc.enquiries@selwyn.govt.nz or look online www.selwyn.govt.nz/rcc



SELWYN BIKEWISE MONTH 2011
16 FEBRUARY – 16 MARCH



A Month of Two-wheeled Zeal

Selwyn Bikewise Month events always have a strong emphasis on fun, and they're designed to suit anyone.

You don't have to be a hardened pro or own any special gear. Just dust off your bike, grab a helmet, round up the kids, and come along. *Be warned, though – you may be surprised at the passion for pedalling you develop!*

- **National Bikewise Challenge** – 1-28 February
- **Lincoln Go By Bike Day Breakfast** – 16 February
- **BUG-R Lazy Sunday Morning Cruise** – 27 February
- **Selwyn Mayoral Cycling Challenge/Children's Day** – 6 March
- **Malvern Fun Run, Walk and Cycle** – 6 March
- **BUG-R Earth Hour Ride** – 26 March



EARTHQUAKE RATES REMISSION POLICY

If your property was made uninhabitable by the 4 September earthquake or subsequent aftershocks you may be entitled to some rates relief.

To view the policy and download an application form go to www.selwyn.govt.nz/earthquake-rates, or call us on 347 2800 or 318 8338, to have this information sent out.



REGISTRATION OF INTEREST

Water Race Sub-Committee

If you use a council water race, would you be interested in joining the committee that runs the water races? Two user representatives are needed from each of the Ellesmere, Malvern and Paparua schemes.

The Water Race Sub-Committee is monitored by the Selwyn District Council with engineering and secretarial support provided by council staff. Meetings are held three-monthly but no meeting fees or mileage reimbursements are paid. The term of office is three years.

To register your interest, please submit a brief resumé of your background and interest in the management of the water race system.

Registrations of Interest close on **28 January 2011**.

Get the full Terms of Reference at www.selwyn.govt.nz/wrsc or from

Katherine Kaynes
Water Race Sub-Committee Secretary
PO Box 90
ROLLESTON 7643
katherine.kaynes@selwyn.govt.nz
03 347 2891 or 03 318 8338



The Youth Coach at the Selwyn District Council invites any young person between 16 and 20 years of age who has left school to come and 'Get Sorted.'

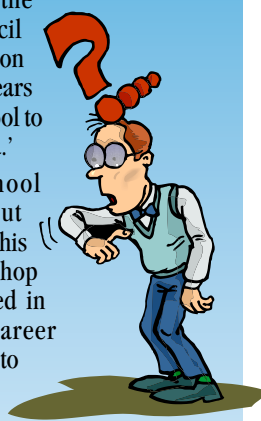
If you have left school and are unsure about what you want to do, this **FREE** morning workshop will be ideal. Delivered in collaboration with Career Services, you will begin to identify your interests and start the journey of decision making.

When: **Tuesday 15 February 2011**, 9am–Midday

Where: **Rolleston Community Centre**

Register now:

Jennie Down, Youth Coach,
phone 027 426 8624 or 03 347 2719,
email: youthcoach@selwyn.govt.nz



www.selwynlibrary.co.nz

The Big Bush Read – Reading Programme

The reading programme finishes on **Friday 21 January** so you have a few days left to finish reading your books and get into the library to receive your prizes and **Finale Invitation**. We're looking forward to seeing you keen readers at your local library.



Hey, there – Little People!

Just letting you know that **Toddler Time** and **Baby Time** for 2011 will start in the **second week of February**, as follows:-

Toddler Time

Darfield	Monday 7 February	10:00 – 10:30am
Rolleston	Tuesday 8 February	10:00 – 10:30am
Lincoln	Wednesday 9 February	10:00 – 10:30am
Leeston	Thursday 10 February	10:30 – 11:00am

Baby Time

Rolleston	Thursday 10 February	2 – 2:30pm
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Indications of Interest wanted

We're looking at whether there would be enough interest to run a short series of (**free**) weekly beginners' computer and internet lessons in Libraries. If you might be interested in attending please contact Glen at Rolleston Library, phone 347 2883 or email glen.walker@selwyn.govt.nz

Would you be interested in joining a weekly or fortnightly amateur Writer's group meeting in the early evening at Rolleston Library? Please indicate interest to Glen at Rolleston Library, phone 347 2883 or email glen.walker@selwyn.govt.nz

Mobile Library Timetable

Wednesday 19 January

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 20 January

Prebbleton Tavern	4:00–6:00pm
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Monday 24 January

Lake Coleridge Village	11:30am-12:15pm
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Tuesday 25 January

Dunsandel Hall	10:30-11:15am
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Wednesday 26 January

Rakaia Huts	10:15-11.06am
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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 4 Feb

Lincoln Library	Leeston Library	Council Offices Rolleston	Darfield Library
11:30-12pm	10:30-11am	1pm-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 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.