

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: 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.

For the 2011 'Meetings Calendar' visit www.selwyn.govt.nz/meetings

COUNCIL & COMMUNITY BOARDS

Selwyn Central Community Board

- Wed 18 May, 4pm, Executive Meeting Room One, Rolleston Council Buildings

Council Meeting

- Wed 25 May, 1pm, Council Chambers, Rolleston

Industrial Park Project Team

- Thu 2 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**)

LOCAL COMMITTEES & ASSOCIATIONS

Arthurs Pass Association

- Tue 17 May, 7.30pm, Cashmere Club

Broadfield District Community Centre

- Wed 1 June, 7.30pm, Broadfield Hall

Coalgate Township Committee

- Tue 17 May, 7.30pm, Coalgate Fire Station

Darfield Recreation & Community Centre Committee

- Tue 7 June, 7.30pm, Darfield Recreation Centre

Darfield Township Committee

- Thu 19 May, 7.45pm, Darfield Library/Service Centre

Edendale Residents & Ratepayers Assn

- Tue 24 May, 7.30pm, West Melton Community Centre

Glenroy Community Hall Committee

- Tue 17 May, 8pm, Glenroy Hall

Glentunnel Residents Association

- Mon 6 June, 7.30pm, Community Centre – Glentunnel

Greendale Recreation Reserve Management Committee

- Tue 3 June, 8pm, Greendale Hall Pavilion

Halkett Community Centre Committee

- Wed 25 May, 7.30pm, Halkett Community Centre

Hororata District Citizens Association

- Tue 24 May, 7.30pm, Hororata Community Hall Library

Hororata Reserve Management Committee

- Wed 1 June, 7pm, Hororata Primary School

Killinchy Community Centre Committee

- Wed 18 May, 7.30pm, Killinchy Hall

Ladbrooks Community Hall Committee

- Tue 17 May, 7.45pm, Ladbrooks Hall

Leeston Park Association

- Mon 30 May, 7.30pm, Leeston Park Pavilion

Rolleston Community Centre Committee

- Thu 26 May, 7.30pm, Rolleston Community Centre

Rolleston Residents Association

- Mon 23 May, 7.30pm, Rolleston Community Centre

Southbridge Advisory Committee

- Tue 24 May, 7.30pm, Southbridge Fire Station

Springston Recreation Reserve and Associated Sports Committee

- Wed 18 May, 8pm, Springston Reserve Errol Tweedy Pavilion

Springston South Reserve Management Committee

- Mon 23 May, 7pm, Soldiers Memorial Hall Springston South

Tai Tapu Community Association

- Wed 1 June, 7.30pm, Tai Tapu Library

West Melton Community Centre

- Tue 31 May, 7.30pm, West Melton Community Centre

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETINGS

Osbornes Drainage Scheme AGM

- Thursday 26 May 2011, 7.30pm, Motukarara Hall

Selwyn Central Community Care AGM

- Tuesday 24 May, 7.30pm, Rolleston Community House



Circuit with a Twist (with Pippa) Tuesdays at 10.30am

Enjoy being active with an exercise circuit jam-packed with a variety of ways to help you achieve a full body workout. Bring the kids along to the Community Centre playgroup (from 9.30am) and then join Pippa for this fun, social, exercise circuit.

Move it to Music (with Jan) Wednesdays at 2pm

This class is especially for those who are having problems with arthritis, obesity, balance, co-ordination or stress. Jan brings music, fun equipment and a great sense of humour to get you moving around.

Mind and Body (with Simone)

Wednesdays at 7.15pm – Limited numbers, pre-enrolment required.

Incorporating eastern and western forms of exercise such as Flow Yoga and Pilates, this class emphasises strength, endurance, athletic performance and postural alignment.

For more details about anything related to the Rolleston Community Centre email rcc.enquiries@selwyn.govt.nz, phone 347 2882, or go online at www.selwyn.govt.nz/rcc



Applications close on Thursday 30 June 2011

Applications to the Council's Heritage Fund are now open for the 2011 round of grants. These grants help to meet some of the extra costs associated with protecting heritage buildings and trees for the community's benefit.

The fund is open to owners of heritage buildings or protected trees within the Selwyn District (preference is given to those items listed in the Selwyn District Plan or with NZHPT).

Grants given in other years have been around \$500-\$2,500, depending on the work being done (e.g. fireplace restoration, brickwork replacement, building restoration and heritage enhancement).

For your project, you will need to include at least two quotes from tradespeople with the right knowledge and experience to carry out the work, so don't leave your application until the last minute.

Application forms are available from all Council service centres and libraries, and at www.selwyn.govt.nz Contact **Duty Planner** 374 2868 or email heritagefund@selwyn.govt.nz

TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURE Malvern Hills & Auchenflower Roads Sunday 22 May 8:30am to 5:30pm

Malvern Hills Road and Auchenflower Road (approximately 4km from Deans Road intersection, west to Malvern Hills Road) will be temporarily closed between the hours of 8:30am and 5:30pm on Sunday 22 May for an Autosport Club motorsport speed event.

During the road closure, traffic will be asked to detour along the nearest alternative route.

Contact: **Joanne Harkerss** on 318 8338 or 347 2800.



BOOK BUS TIMETABLE

Wednesday May 18

Southbridge Playcentre	9:40am-10am
Rakaia Huts	10:15am-11:05am
Southbridge School	11:20am-12:30pm

Thursday May 19

Council HQ	2pm-2:30pm
Broadfield School	2:55pm-3:30pm

Monday May 23

Prebbleton School	9:15am-11:45am
Greenpark School	12:40pm-1:15pm

Tuesday May 24

West Melton Learning Centre	1pm-1:15pm
West Melton School	1:15pm-2pm
West Melton Church	2pm-3pm

IF ONLY THEY KNEW about CreativeNZ Arts Grants

The board of the Russells's Flat Hall

Agreed to buy art for the wall.

But they might (money's tight)

Have to lower their sights

And just paint it themselves after all.

Someone should tell this committee about Creative NZ's Creative Communities funding scheme for arts-related projects.



The closing date is **Friday 27 May.**

For info and application forms, please contact **Stuart Westoby** at creative@selwyn.govt.nz or on 347 2708 or 318 8338.

A BIT OF SPARC'LL BRIGHTEN THEM UP

The Prebbleton Sphairee Clubroom

Has acquired the air of a tomb.

"We can't," sobbed an aunt

Of one junior entrant,

"Rent a car so our season looks doomed!"

Someone should tell these sportspeople about SPARC's rural sports travel fund. The fund helps rural clubs and schools to transport teams aged 5-19 to local winter competitions. School competitions that take place during school hours are excluded.

Applications close on Friday 27 May.

Contact: **Stuart Westoby** on 347 2708 or 318 8338 or email sparc@selwyn.govt.nz



SCHOOL SPEED SIGN TRIAL

Have your say and win a \$100 New World Voucher

The Council will soon be trialling the new 40kph advisory school zone signs near rural schools – the first in New Zealand.

Before erecting the signs, it is essential to know how drivers might respond. That's where you come in. If you're a driver, answer two straightforward questions on how you would probably react if driving past the signs and your name will go into a prize draw for the New World voucher.

You can answer the questions online at www.selwyn.govt.nz/services/roading/road-safety/trial-school-sign or at any Council office or library.



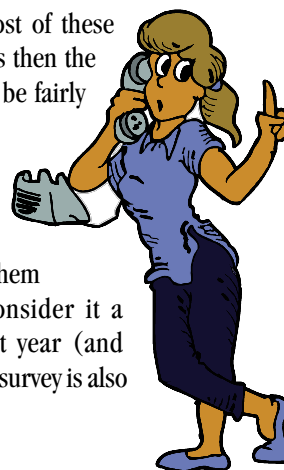
Why Do We Want to Know YOUR AGE?

A big thank you to the hundreds who have participated in our phone survey so far. Some of you have wondered why we ask about age, religion, ethnicity, employment and so on. The aim is not to find out about you personally, but about the sample as a whole.

To get good statistical data for better decision-making it's necessary to know that the people doing the survey are a fair reflection of the general population of Selwyn. The only way to do this is to compare our sample with the 2006 census data for the district.

That means comparing religion, ethnicity, sex, age, location and occupation. If our sample and the census have similar percentages in most of these different categories then the sample is likely to be fairly representative.

So please answer these questions as you would normally answer them in the census. Consider it a rehearsal for next year (and remember that the survey is also anonymous).



Missa Gaia

EARTH MASS



Paul Halley, Theresa Thomason,
The Gaia Consort
Nicholas Halley - drums
& the Christchurch City Choir
conducted by Brian Law

SATURDAY 18 JUNE, 6PM

**LINCOLN EVENTS CENTRE,
WILLIAM STREET, LINCOLN**

Tickets \$40 & \$25

available from the Christchurch City Choir
phone - 03 366 6927 | email - citychoir@xtra.co.nz

RECYCLING COLLECTION ROUTE CHANGES

Thank you for your patience in recent changes made to the Recycling Collection week.

You can find out more at www.selwyn.govt.nz including a copy of week one and week two recycling collection calendars.



Week One - Green

► Put recycling bin out by 7.30am for collection this week

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Week Two - Yellow

► Put recycling bin out by 7.30am for collection this week

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Stronger Selwyn

Look after yourself and your family this winter

Call **0800 DAMAGE** (326 243) if you have lost your main source of heating in the earthquakes.

Especially, if somebody living in your household:

- Has a medical condition or a disability
- Is a young child
- Is pregnant
- Is vulnerable to the cold because of age.

You can also call if you know someone that has lost their heating and is in any of the situations mentioned above. Please make sure you can provide contact details for them.

If you need help recovering from the earthquakes, but don't know where to turn...

Give **Jenny Harkerss** at the Selwyn District Council a call on 03 347 2570 or 027 435 2594, or email her at jenny.harkerss@selwyn.govt.nz.

Jenny can tell you exactly who to get in touch with to help around recovering from the earthquakes or can even contact them on your behalf.

Do you need to build temporary accommodation or business facilities due to earthquake damage?


If so, the please check the Council requirements before doing so.

The Canterbury Earthquake (Resource Management Act Permitted Activities) Order 2011 (Permitted Activities OIC) came into force on 22 February 2011.


Under this Order in Council, temporary residential and business activities (including storage facilities) are permitted if they are required owing to the September 2010 earthquake (and aftershocks). These must be located in an area specified for this purpose.

Visiting the permitted activities page on the Council's website at www.selwyn.govt.nz/services/planning/permitted-activities for Public Notices outlining the conditions for the following:

- Temporary Family Flats
- Temporary Business Accommodation and Temporary Depots and Storage Facilities
- Residing in Earthquake Damaged Dwelling while Constructing a New Dwelling



REDUCE REUSE RECYCLE



If you are unsure please contact the friendly ladies on 347 2800 or 318 8338