

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 Bernadette Ryan 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 Bernadette Ryan know by 9am on Thursday of the week prior to publication by emailing meeting.changes@selwyn.govt.nz, or by phoning 347 2800 or 03 318 8338.

COUNCIL & COMMUNITY BOARDS

Council Meeting

- Wednesday, 26 June, 1pm, Council Chambers, Rolleston

Selwyn Waihora Zone Committee

- Tuesday, 2 July, 1pm, Executive Meeting Room One

Industrial Park Project Team

- Friday, 12 July, 9am, 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)

Council Meeting

- Wednesday, 10 July, 1pm, Council Chambers, Rolleston

LOCAL COMMITTEES & ASSOCIATIONS

These are public meetings and the first 15 minutes are available for the public to speak.

Darfield Recreation & Community Centre Committee

- Monday, 1 July, 7.30pm, Darfield Recreation Centre

Doyleston Community Committee

- Wednesday, 10 July, 7.30pm, Osborne Park Hall

Kirwee Recreation Reserve Management Committee

- Monday, 8 July, 7.30pm, Kirwee Sports Pavilion

Leeston Community Committee

- Monday, 1 July, 7.30pm, Leeston Library/Service Centre

Lincoln Community Committee

- Monday, 8 July, 7.30pm, Lincoln Community Centre

Lincoln Event Centre Governance Committee

- Wednesday, 10 July, 7.30pm, Lincoln Event Centre

Prebbleton Community Association

- Tuesday, 9 July, 7.30pm, Prebbleton Hall

Prebbleton Public Hall Society Inc.

- Monday, 8 July, 7.30pm, Prebbleton Public Hall

Rolleston Community Centre Committee

- Thursday, 27 June, 7.00pm, Rolleston Community Centre Lounge

Sheffield/Waddington Community & Hall Committees

- Thursday, 27 June, 7.30pm, Sheffield Community Hall

Tawera Memorial Hall

- Thursday, 4 July, 7.30pm, Tawera Memorial Hall

Whitecliffs Domain, Reserve & Township Committees

- Monday, 8 July, 7.30pm, Glentunnel Community Centre

Flooding and snow update

Following the heavy rain and flooding at the weekend which infiltrated sewerage systems, residents in Leeston, Doyleston and Tai Tapu were asked to reduce toilet flushing and water consumption to reduce the amount of wastewater going into these systems. All wastewater systems are now operating as normal and residents in these areas no longer need to reduce toilet flushing or water consumption.

The flooding and snow has also affected our roading network and has left many roads with potholes or other damage. Unsealed roads, or roads that have had recent construction or repairs done, are the roads most likely to have experienced damage. Because of this, motorists will need to drive more carefully on our roads. Council contractors will be working to repair these problems, and repairs will be ongoing over the winter.

LINCOLN WINTER XMAS FESTIVAL

Saturday 6 July, 10am till 1pm off Gerald St. Lincoln.

Warmhearted festive atmosphere – winter treasure hunt, live music, hot mulled drinks, gluten free cookies, stollens, candles, winter woollies and artisan crafts.

Perfect for early Christmas shopping or chasing those winter blues away. Lots of fresh vegetables, produce and food stalls.
www.facebook.com/lincolnmarket



Impounded Kune Kune available for Tender



Tenders are being accepted for this young Kune Kune currently in our pound.

All tenders must be submitted on the tender form that is obtained by either contacting Animal Control on 03 347 2800, or any of the Council Service Centres.

Please forward your tender in a sealed envelope by 5pm Friday 5 July 2013 and addressed to: Kune Kune Tender, Selwyn District Council, PO Box 90, Rolleston.

BOOKMARKS

www.selwynlibrary.co.nz

Mobile library timetable

Wednesday 26 June

Southbridge Playcentre	9.40 – 10am
Rakaia Huts	10.15 – 11.05am
Southbridge School	11.20am – 12.40pm

Thursday 27 June

Paradise for Little Angels, Rolleston	11 – 11.30am
Ladbrooks School	12.40 – 1.30pm
Prebbleton Tavern Carpark	4 – 6pm

Monday 1 July

Upper Selwyn Huts	10.05 – 10.35am
Lower Selwyn Huts	10.40 – 11am
Prebbleton Childcare	11.45am – 12.15pm
Greenpark School	12.40 – 1.15pm

Tuesday 2 July

Dunsandel Preschool	10.10 – 10.30am
Dunsandel Hall	10.30 – 11.15am
Dunsandel School	11.20am – 12.10pm
Burnham Preschool	12.30 – 1pm



Mahoe Working Bee

Sunday 7 July at 2pm

Boundary Rd, Lincoln, next to the Golf Course.

Don't spend money going to the gym! Come along and have a work-out while contributing to a community initiative with other locals.

Bring your gardening gloves and tools if you have them. For more information contact Denis on 325 2806.

Draft Local Alcohol Policy consultation

Consultation on a draft Local Alcohol Policy for Selwyn District closes on 5 July 2013. The policy will control the trading hours and location of venues that sell alcohol in Selwyn. Copies of the draft policy, a summary document and submission forms are available from Council libraries and service centres, and online at selwyn.govt.nz/haveyoursay.

Submissions can also be emailed to lap@selwyn.govt.nz.

Pursuant to Section 7 of the Canterbury Earthquake (RMA permitted activities) Order 2011-03-16, Selwyn District Council has granted consent for temporary use of an existing building as a Fletcher Earthquake Recovery Hub at 14 Kidman St, Rolleston.

Full details available on the council website, Selwyn.govt.nz.

Lincoln Envirotown Meeting

Monday July 1, 7.30pm, Lincoln Event Centre.

Sarah Pritchett will talk about Time Banking, which has been successfully run in Lyttelton for a number of years.

This is about to be set up in Lincoln and eventually the surrounding districts.

All welcome. Sarah will speak at 7.30pm. For more information contact Sue on 329 5858.



Buy One Get One Free @ your Library this Winter!

During June, all the Selwyn Libraries will be running a Buy 1 get 1 Free deal on all our rental fiction. Come and stock up for those chilly winter nights. It's a bargain – \$1.50 for two rental fiction books and you get to keep them for a whole four weeks!



The new Selwyn Aquatic Centre is now open to the public. Come and visit us during our opening hours of 6am – 9pm Monday to Friday, and 8am – 8pm Saturdays and Sundays. We're at 71 Broadlands Drive in Rolleston (entry off Goulds Road).

It's nice and warm at the centre and you can choose from our 25 metre lane pool, our hydrotherapy pool, a learn to swim pool, and a leisure pool with a lazy river pool and a toddlers area. There's even a spa! For more information visit our website, Selwyn.govt.nz/sac or phone (03) 347 2734.



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Looking for funding for yourself or your group?

Selwyn District Council provides funding at a ward level to support groups and individuals whose work helps improve community wellbeing in Selwyn. Supporting people to reach their goals such as representing the district (at regional, national or international competitions), or carrying out volunteer work can benefit Selwyn district in a variety of ways, for example through having access to sports coaching, mentoring or through volunteer service to the district.

These funds are dispersed by the Malvern Community Board (for Malvern ward), the Selwyn Central Community Board (for Selwyn Central) and Springs/Ellesmere councillors (for the Springs and Ellesmere wards), with research and advice on each application provided by Council staff.

We are now inviting applications for funding. If you know anyone who may benefit from this funding please visit www.selwyn.govt.nz/council-info/community/funding to find out more. If you wish to discuss this please contact Marilyn.ponsford@selwyn.govt.nz or phone (03) 347 2710.

Leeston Children's Book-club

We are looking at starting up a book club for children aged between 7-12 years. The sessions will involve reading books on a certain topic, book reviews, new books, games and an afternoon snack. We will meet once a month on a Thursday from 3.30 – 4.30pm, starting on Thursday 4 July. If you are interested please give Jackie a ring on 347 2960 or visit the Leeston Library to sign up.

Places will be limited so be quick to secure your place.

ROLLESTON DOG PARK



The Selwyn Dog Training Club will use the Rolleston Dog Park for a dog obedience competition over the weekend of 6 and 7 July from around 7.30am to 4pm. The park will be closed for off-lead dog exercise during these times. 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 well away from the competition area.

WELCOME TO WINTER WARMERS

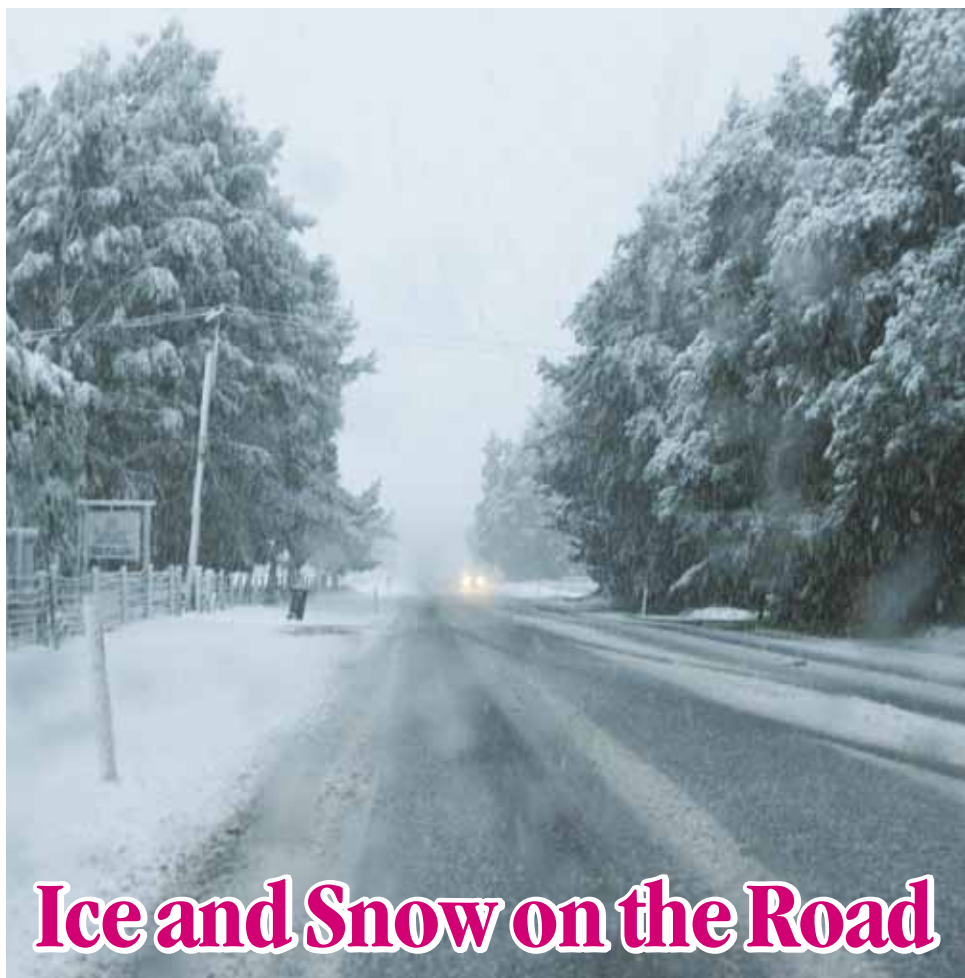
Winter Warmers is a fun programme that runs over a six week period at Leeston Library, starting two weeks before the school holidays and ending two weeks after the holidays. It involves the children drawing or writing in their booklets about the books they have read.

Children bring their booklets into the library and tell a staff member about the books they have read, get a sticker for their book and receive a prize. Winter Warmers encourages confidence and independence in children using the library.

Places on this programme are limited so contact your local library to sign up for your place.

Super fun for Super readers

Super Readers Book Club at Rolleston had a fun animal stories session on Monday 10 June at Rolleston Library. Gavin Sole, the Council's Solid Waste Manager, explained how worm farms work. The Super Readers are a book club for children aged between 7 and 12 who meet once a month and review books on different topics. Lincoln Library also has a book club and Leeston are starting one in July – contact your local Selwyn library to find out more about the club.



Ice and Snow on the Road

This time of year, there is often ice or even snow on our roads. Make sure you allow another five minutes in the mornings to clean and clear your wind screen, mirrors and windows before setting off.

Remember, frost is more severe at daybreak so be prepared for this after it becomes light. Where there may not be ice at 6am, there could be an hour or so later.

Other key tips for winter mornings;

- Always check weather forecast and severe weather warnings before setting off
- Watch out for shaded areas caused by high banks, tall trees and hedges where roads freeze sooner and ice may not thaw during the day
- Bridges generally stay slippery longer, so slow down when crossing
- Drive slower than you normally would, avoid sudden braking or turning movements that could cause you to skid
- Accelerate smoothly and brake gently
- Always use your lights

If road conditions are affected, particularly with severe ice and snow, consider if you need to travel. It may be safer to delay your trip until conditions improve.

Drive safe and remember, Mother knows best

