

MEETINGS

Public Forum at Council and Community Board Meetings: You may speak on matters of concern during the first 10 minutes of each meeting but please let us know well in advance. For council meetings please notify Bernadette Ryan.

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 03 347 2800 or 03 318 8338.

COUNCIL & COMMUNITY BOARDS

Council Meeting

- Wednesday, 23 April, 1pm, Council Chambers, Rolleston Council Building

Industrial Park Project Team

- Thursday, 1 May, 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)

Malvern Community Board

- Monday, 28 April, 4pm, Darfield Library/Service Centre

Selwyn Waihora Zone Committee

- Tuesday, 6 May, 1pm, Executive Meeting Room One, Rolleston Council Building

Audit & Risk Sub-committee

- Wednesday, 7 May, 3pm, Executive Meeting Room One, Rolleston Council Building

Hororata/Acheron Rural Water Supply Sub-committee

- Thursday, 8 May, 8.30am, Darfield Library/Service Centre

Malvern Hills Rural Water Supply Sub-committee

- Thursday, 8 May, 10.30am, Darfield Library/Service Centre

Selwyn District Council Water Race Sub-committee

- Monday, 12 May, 1.30pm, Executive Meeting Room One, Rolleston Council Building

Draft Annual Plan Submission Hearings

- Thursday, 29 & Friday 30 May, 9am, Council Chambers, Rolleston Council Building

LOCAL COMMITTEES & ASSOCIATIONS

These are public meetings and the first 10 minutes are available for the public to speak.

Castle Hill Community Association

- Monday, 28 April, 5.30pm by Skype

Coes & Chamberlains Ford Reserve Management Committee

- Thursday, 8 May, 7.30pm, Sudeley Park

Darfield Recreation & Community Centre Committee

- Monday, 5 May, 7.30pm, Darfield Recreation Centre

Dunsandel Community Committee

- Wednesday, 23 April, 7.30pm, Dunsandel Sports Ground

Glentunnel Township Association

- Monday, 28 April, 7.30pm, Glentunnel Hall

Kirwee Community Committee

- Tuesday, 22 April, 7.30pm, Kirwee Community Hall

Lake Coleridge Community Committee

- Friday, 9 May, 7.30pm, Lake Coleridge Hall

Leeston Community Committee

- Monday, 5 May, 7.30pm, Leeston Library Community Room

Leeston Park Association

- Monday, 28 April, 7.30pm, Leeston Park Pavilion

Lincoln Event Centre Governance Committee

- Wednesday, 30 April, 7.30pm, Lincoln Event Centre
Council representatives will be attending this meeting to discuss the draft annual budget for 2014/15

Springfield Township Committee

- Tuesday, 6 May, 7.30pm, Tawera Hall

Tawera Memorial Hall Committee

- Thursday, 1 May, 7.30pm, Tawera Memorial Hall

West Melton Reserve Board Committee

- Monday, 28 April, 7.30pm, West Melton Rugby Football Clubrooms *(please note change of date)*

The Shukkei-en Gardens in Hiroshima. Hiroshima is one of the cities included on the sister city tour



- Afterwards, fly back to Tokyo where the adult group may join the Darfield High School group to explore Tokyo – including Disneyland. Participants will need to arrange their own accommodation in Tokyo. Others may choose to return to New Zealand or travel elsewhere before returning home.

Applicants should ideally work or live in Selwyn, be fit to travel and be at least 18 years of age at the time of travel. Expressions of interest should be sent to Bernadette.ryan@selwyn.govt.nz.

Submissions invited – Draft Annual Plan 2014–2015

We're consulting on our draft Annual Plan for 2014/15. Full copies and summaries of the draft Annual Plan are available from our service centres, libraries and the Selwyn Aquatic Centre or on our website www.selwyn.govt.nz.

Written submissions on the draft Annual Plan can be made until 5pm Friday 9 May 2014. You can make a submission:

- online at www.selwyn.govt.nz/apsubmission
- by emailing annual.plan@selwyn.govt.nz
- by posting your submission to: Draft Annual Plan, Selwyn District Council, PO Box 90, Rolleston 7643.

Council representatives will be attending the Rolleston Residents Association on Monday 28 April at Rolleston Community Centre at 7.30pm and a meeting of the Lincoln Event Centre Governance Committee on Wednesday, 30 April at 7.30pm at Lincoln Event Centre to discuss the draft Annual Plan.

Council Services on Anzac Day

Rubbish and recycling collections normally collected on Anzac Day (Friday 25 April) will be collected the next day on Saturday. Pines Resource Recovery Park will be open on Anzac Day (Friday 25 April) from 10am – 4pm.

All Council Libraries and Service Centres are closed on Anzac Day (Friday 25 April). Libraries are open from 9.30am to 12.30pm on Saturday 26 April.

The Selwyn Aquatic Centre is open on weekends and public holidays (including Anzac Day) from 8am-8pm. The Rolleston Community Centre and Lincoln Event Centre are open on Anzac Day but only for the time Anzac Day services are held at the centres.

The Council can be contacted for urgent issues on our 24 hour helpline – 03 347 2800 or 03 318 8338.

Have your say on Selwyn 2031

Selwyn 2031 will provide a framework for future development in Selwyn.

You can view the full Selwyn 2031 Draft District Development Strategy, and make an online submission at www.selwyn.govt.nz/haveyoursay. You can also pick up a copy of the document, a summary and a submission form from Council libraries and services centres.

To find out more about this project you can come along to one of our public meetings at the following locations:

- Leeston Library, Monday 28 April, at 7pm.
- Darfield Service Centre, Tuesday 29 April, at 7pm.
- Dunsandel Rugby Club, Wednesday 30 April, at 7pm.
- Springfield, Tawera Memorial Hall, Monday 5 May, at 7pm.
- Glentunnel Hall, Tuesday 6 May, at 7pm.
- Rolleston Community Centre, Thursday 8 May, at 7pm.

For information about this project, contact Cameron Wood on 347 2811, email cameron.wood@selwyn.govt.nz or Ben Rhodes on 347 2824, email benjamin.rhodes@selwyn.govt.nz. Submissions close on 6 June 2014.

Sister City Trip

Selwyn residents have the chance to experience Japan as applications to travel to Selwyn's Japanese Sister Cities are now open.

Every second year, the Malvern Community Board, along with the Selwyn District Council, organise a trip for Selwyn residents or people who work in the district to visit its Sister Cities Yubetsu and Akitakata in Japan.

Participants need to pay for their own travel expenses, travel insurance and spending money, but free accommodation is provided through home stays and accommodation organised by Sister Cities.

Akitakata/Yubetsu 2014 Trip Information

- Both the adult and school group leave New Zealand in late September and spend five to six days in Akitakata in home stays and Council accommodation.
- Visits include Hiroshima Peace Park, Akitakata Council and local farms producing rice, soya beans and nashi pears. There will also be a visit to local schools including Takamiya Junior High School, which sends students to visit Selwyn.
- Travel to Tokyo on the bullet train and fly to Yubetsu. Visitors will spend four nights in Yubetsu in homestays and visit scallop farms, dairy farms, the ice museum, Council headquarters and other tourist sites.

BOOKMARKS

www.selwynlibrary.co.nz

Mobile library timetable

Wednesday 23 April

Rakaia Huts	10.15 – 11.05am
Southbridge School	11.20 – 11.45am

Thursday 24 April

Paradise for Little Angels Rolleston	11.15 – 11.40am
Prebbleton Tavern	4 – 6pm

Monday 28 April

Upper Selwyn Huts	10.15 – 10.45am
Prebbleton Childcare	11.45am – 12.15pm

Tuesday 29 April

Dunsandel Preschool	10.10 – 10.30am
Dunsandel Hall (old site)	10.30 – 11.15am
Burnham Preschool	11.45am – 12.15pm

Wednesday 30 April

Arthur's Pass	11.30am – 12.30pm
Castle Hill Village	1.40 – 2.15pm

Anzac Day Displays

The Hororata Historical Society Inc is open on Anzac Day from 1 – 4pm with a special World War Commemoration display at the Museum on Cotons Road. Visitors are welcome.

The Prebbleton Heritage group is planning to have displays in the Prebbleton Public Hall over the ANZAC weekends for the next five years.

This year's display showing the impact the War had on our small village, will be added to each year to commemorate the significant battles of that year – e.g. next year will focus on Gallipoli.

The display is at Prebbleton Public Hall, 617 Springs Road from 9am – 4pm from April 25 – 27. The display includes a replica Vickers .303 machine gun, a Triumph 'Trusty' despatch rider's motorbike and items from a POW camp. Lincoln and Districts Historical Society are visiting Ferrymead Heritage Park's Military Display on Sunday 27 April. To celebrate 100 years since the outbreak of World War 1 Ferrymead will be transformed into a wartime era township including a battle simulation. If you are interested in joining them please phone 325 2790. All welcome.



ANZAC DAY CEREMONIES

25 APRIL 2014

Burnham

6am Dawn Parade, Army Camp gates
Address and wreath laying ceremony

Darfield

8.45am District War Memorial
Wreath laying followed by service at Trinity Church

Dunsandel

8.30am District War Memorial
Wreath laying ceremony

Glentunnel

10am Glentunnel Community Centre
Service followed by wreath laying ceremony

Hororata

11am St John's Church
Service followed by wreath laying at District War Memorial

Leeston

10.30am Leeston Rugby Football Pavilion
Service followed by parade to cenotaph and wreath laying

Lincoln

2pm Lincoln Events Centre
Service followed by wreath laying ceremony

Mead

9am Mead Hall Memorial gates
Wreath laying ceremony

Prebbleton

9am District War Memorial
Wreath laying ceremony

Rolleston

11am Rolleston Community Centre
Parade followed by service at the District War Memorial
Clock Tower

Sheffield

8am Cenotaph
Wreath laying ceremony

Springfield

11am Tawera Memorial Hall
Service followed by wreath laying at District War Memorial

Springston

10.20am Parade at Springston School
10.30am Service at Springston Hall followed by wreath laying
ceremony at District War Memorial

Tai Tapu

9am District War Memorial
Wreath laying ceremony

Lincoln Farmers' & Craft Market



GRAND PUMPKIN FESTIVAL



Sat 26th April

10 am to 1 pm, Gerald St. Lincoln

Grand Pumpkin Competition – Biggest, Weirdest, Best Looking Squash/Pumpkin Family Vegetable, Best Dressed Pumpkin. Both Adult & Children Categories (ALL ENTRIES IN BY 10.30 am)

Guest Judge Rachel Vogan – Winners Announced at Midday

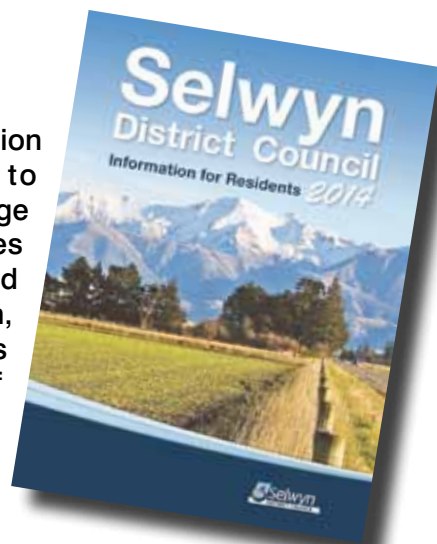
GREAT LIVE MUSIC from Willie McArthur. Children's Entertainment at 11.30am

Lots of Local Produce & Unique Crafts

Details on www.facebook.com/lincolnmarket & www.bethere.co.nz

Information Guide for Residents

Copies of the Council's new information guide for residents were sent to Selwyn homes last week. The 30 page guide is an A-Z of Council services covering everything from rubbish and recycling collection to dog registration, playgrounds, swimming pools and lots more. If you haven't received a copy of the guide, you can pick one up from a Council library or service centre or phone the Council on 03 347 2800 or 03 318 8338 to request a copy.



NATIVE RESTORATION FIELD DAY 2014



Coe's Ford: Sat 10 May

9.30am: Coe's Ford, Saturday 10 May

Welcome by Frances Schmechel (TAK)

9.40am: Maintaining existing biodiversity, the value of remnants, why restore, where and what?

with Alice Shanks (QEII)

10.10am: When restoration works

- Inaugural winner Diana Isaac Cup
- Coe's Ford – 10 years of success

with Trevor Taege (Toby Hill landowner) and Jason Arnold (Coe's/Chamberlain Ford)

10.45am: Morning Tea (provided)

11.05pm: Planning a restoration project

- Planning a restoration project
- Support and funding available

with Jodi Rees (ECAN), Brooke Turner (TAK), Andrew Mactier (SDC), Jodi Rees (ECAN)

11.40pm: Planting

- Species selection, Ecosourcing and plant quality
- Methods of planting, using guards & fertiliser tablets
- Instream restoration

with Dr Colin Meurk (Landscape Research) and Catherine Febria (Canterbury University)

12.35pm: Lunch (please ensure to bring your own lunch)

1.25pm: Site preparation and maintenance

- The use of spraying for various sites
- An alternative to spraying
- Predator & herbivore control

with Di Carter (Christchurch City Council) and Jason Butt (Wai-ora Landscapes)

2.15pm: Monitoring

- Vegetation change - Photopoints
- Insects – monitoring invertebrates
- Birds – 5 minute bird counts

with Brooke Turner (TAK), Mike Bowie (Lincoln University), Frances Schmechel (ECAN)

2.50pm: Finish



photo: Greendale Golf Course Green Dot

Thinking of planting some natives? Learn how to effectively restore native habitats, save time and money at this free event.

To book email us at:

register@kakariki.org.nz

In the case of bad weather, the venue will be changed to Springston South Hall

The day will look at

- examples of when restoration works
- how to plan your restoration project
- what funding is available
- species to plant and how to plant
- preparing/maintaining planting
- dealing with predators & herbivores
- monitoring your success

Upcoming Temporary Road Closures ANZAC Day – Friday 25 April

Burnham Aylesbury Road (between Godley Road and Burdons Road) will be closed from 5.15am to 8.15am

Dunsandel Leeston Dunsandel Road (from Irvines Road to Tramway Road) and Tramway Road, Dunsandel (from Leeston Dunsandel Road to Browns Road) will be closed from 8.15am to 9.30am

Leeston High Street, Leeston (from Leeston Lake Road to Messines Street) will be closed from 10.30am to 11.30am

Rolleston Rolleston Drive from the eastern intersection with Othello Drive to 60 metres east of Tennyson Street Intersection and Tennyson Street from the northern intersection with Rolleston Drive to five metres south of the Millennium Clock Tower Reserve, will both be closed from 10.30am to 12.15pm

Leeston Fete – Saturday 26 April – High Street, Leeston (from Leeston Lake Road to Gallipoli Street) will be closed from 6.30am to 5pm.

During the road closures, traffic will be requested to detour along the nearest alternative route. Any queries can be directed to Joanne Harkerss on 347 2887.

