



Grants help preserve historic buildings for community

Heritage grants which will enable restoration, maintenance and conservation planning work to be completed on ten properties, as well as some historic trees in Prebbleton, has recently been awarded by the Council.

Funding of \$40,000 has been allocated to enable some well-known historic buildings to be restored or improved.

Dunsandel Methodist Church (pictured), opened in 1912, received \$11,000 from the heritage fund for roof repairs. The building will be familiar to Selwyn residents as it sits along State Highway 1 in Dunsandel. It is currently used as gift shop.

Hororata Anglican Parish received \$9,000 for a conservation plan for the Parish Hall. This wooden building dates from 1875 and was used as a parish church until 1910 when a new stone church replaced it. It was then used as a Sunday School and Parish Hall. The stone church was badly damaged in the September 2010 earthquake and the Parish Hall has been used for church services since then.

Southbridge Hall, built in 1930 in the art deco style, is another building to receive funding. A \$7,500 grant will fund repairs or replacements to fascia boards and windows.

The Parish of All Saints Church in Prebbleton received \$4,000 to employ an arborist to trim a number of protected trees. The trees are located at the northern entrance to Prebbleton and were planted by the town's early settlers.

Other buildings to receive heritage grants are:

- Halkett Church - \$2,000 for rainwater collection tanks
- Trents Chicory Kiln, Templeton - \$2,000 to replace part of the roof
- St Andrew's Church, Glentunnel - \$1,000 to paint the church exterior
- Aniwanuiwa, Arthurs Pass - \$1,000 to replace roof tiles
- Broughton Homestead, Hororata - \$1,000 to repair veranda
- Blackwater Homestead, near Southbridge - \$1,000 to repair borer damage to the floor
- Grey Cliffe House, Prebbleton - \$500 for a retaining wall to improve site drainage issues

Twilight Youth Markets coming to Selwyn

The Selwyn Youth Council is planning to host twilight youth markets in Rolleston, Darfield, Leeston and Lincoln during November and December.

The Youth Council is inviting young people aged 24 and under to register for a free stall at these events. The markets are an opportunity for young people to develop their business skills by making or selling products. To register for a free stall email chris.martin@selwyn.govt.nz.

The markets are open to anyone to attend and will have live music, bouncy castles, and free skate lessons from Cheapskates Skate Skool. Markets are being held at:

- Rolleston Skate Park on Wednesday 25 November, 6-9pm
- Darfield Skate Park on Wednesday 2 December, 6-9pm
- Leeston Skate Park on Wednesday 9 December, 6-9pm
- Lincoln on the green by Lincoln Library on Wednesday 16 December, 6-9pm



Rapid numbers help emergency services find you

The Council is reminding rural property owners to check they have a rapid number displayed at their driveway entrance. Rapid numbers are used by emergency services to quickly identify where you live. They also help identify your property to couriers, friends and visitors.

Summer is the high-risk season for fires in Selwyn, so the council is also encouraging people to ensure that entrances to driveways and yards are at least four by four metres wide and high to allow emergency vehicles like fire tankers to access properties.

One to four digit rapid numbers are found on blue plastic posts. Numbers are allocated based on a nationwide system which measures the distance from the start of the road to the property's driveway in units of 10. For example number 390 is 3,900 metres (or 3.9 km) from the start of the road.

Rapid numbers are used by the Police, Ambulance and Fire Service when dispatching vehicles to callouts. It is a good idea to write your rapid number down close to your phone so it is easy to access in an emergency.

Your rapid number needs to be clearly visible near the entrance to your property. You may need to trim trees or plants around the number to ensure it stays visible.

Older rapid numbers may have seven digits from when posts showed two sets of numbers – a three-digit 'road ID number' followed by a four-digit 'property ID number'. If you have a seven-digit number you should remove or cover the top three digits.

Rapid numbers are not used in townships so urban properties do not need a number. Any rural property that does not have a number can request one online by visiting www.selwyn.govt.nz/rapidnumber.



On the roads this week

Road repairs are planned to Bellam, Ellesmere and Goulds Roads (between Dynes and Springston Rolleston Road), with stop and go signs being used by contractors to control traffic.

Road repairs are also planned to Bealey (between Hororata and Courtenay Roads), Wards (between Courtenay and Aylesbury Roads), Leeston Lake Road and East Maddisons Roads, which will remain open with traffic controls in place. Work to remove high shoulders along roadsides will take place along Burnham, Clintons, Essendon and Ellesmere Junction Roads.

This week resealing work is planned along Feredays, Burts, Tramway and Heslerton Roads. Stop and go signs will be used for traffic control. Maintenance grading work is planned around the Darfield, Sheffield, Dunsandel, Southbridge, Springston and Burnham areas, with roads remaining open.

Where work is not completed this week, work will continue next week.



Representation proposal notified

The Council has formally notified its proposal for electoral representation arrangements to apply from the October 2016 local elections.

The final proposal was adopted by the Council after hearing and deliberating on 226 submissions received on its initial proposal. The final proposal largely retains the existing council and ward structure, but with Burnham Military Camp and the surrounding area moving from Selwyn Central to Ellesmere ward.

The proposal to retain a community board in Malvern, but not in Selwyn Central, was confirmed, while a proposal to change the name of the Selwyn Central ward to 'Central' was amended and the original name retained. Appeals and objections can be made until **Monday 14 December**. More information is available at www.selwyn.govt.nz/representation.

Council Call

Selwyn District Council
Norman Kirk Drive Rolleston
Ph 347 2800 or 318 8338

Rolleston Library
Rolleston Drive, Rolleston
Ph 347 2880 or 318 8338

Darfield Library & Service Centre
1 South Terrace, Darfield
Ph 318 8338 or 347 2800

Notices

MOBILE LIBRARY
TIMETABLE

Thursday 19 November
Prebbleton Tavern 4-6pm

Monday 23 November
Ako Rolleston 10.30-11am
Selwyn Kids 1.30-2pm
Rolly Kids 2-2.30pm

Tuesday 24 November
Glenroy Hall 11.40am-12.10pm
Windwhistle School 1-1.30pm
Glentunnel School 1.55-2.55pm
Glentunnel Hall 3-3.30pm

TEMPORARY ROAD
CLOSURE - TAI TAPU

School Road, Tai Tapu from the western side of Hepworth Place, west for 80 metres will be closed between 9am and 3pm on Sunday 22 November for the Tai Tapu School Fair. During the road closure, traffic is requested to detour along the nearest alternative route. For queries phone Joanne on 347 2887.

LOCAL ALCOHOL POLICY
SUBMISSIONS

The Council is seeking feedback from the appellants, section 205 parties (Police and Medical Officer of Health), submitters and members of the public on two policies in our Local Alcohol Policy. Consultation closes at 5pm Friday 20 November 2015. To find out more visit www.selwyn.govt.nz/haveyoursay.

JOIN THE WATER RACE
SUBCOMMITTEE

Registrations of interest are sought from users of Selwyn District Council Water Race Schemes in Ellesmere and Paparua to join the Selwyn Water Race Subcommittee. The subcommittee provides input into the management and operation of Council water race schemes. It has members representing water race users, Community Boards, Selwyn District and Christchurch City Councils. It is monitored by Selwyn District Council, and supported by Council staff. Meetings are held quarterly, but no meeting fees or mileage is paid. The term of office is three years. Water race users are invited to register their interest in joining this committee by submitting a resume of their background and interest by 18 December 2015. For information on applications see www.selwyn.govt.nz, phone 347 2891 or email maree.pycroft@selwyn.govt.nz. **DISCONTINUANCE OF PART OF STOCKWATER RACES** *Ellesmere, Malvern and Paparua Schemes.* Selwyn District Council, pursuant to the Local Government Act 2002, advises its intention to discontinue the following sections of water races:

Paparua

1. Closure of 4.8km of race through 6 properties below SH1 and east of Burnham Road (Council)

Malvern

2. Closure of 5.1km of race through 3 properties between Milton and Stranges Road (Harrison)

Ellesmere

3. Formalise closure of 3.5km of race through 3 properties at Frasers Road (Foster)
4. Closure of 1.7km of race through 2 properties north of Terrace Road (Stuartfield)
5. Closure of 1km of races through 3 properties west of Headworks Road (Pangborn)
6. Closure of 1.7km of races through 3 properties south of Rakaia Selwyn Road (Boon)

These closures are considered to be of low significance and don't alter the intended level of service of the overall water race schemes. Directly affected ratepayers have agreed to the closures. Detailed information including location maps are available at www.selwyn.govt.nz/wrclosure or from the Council's Rolleston office. For more information or to make a submission, phone Jo Golden on 347 2800 or email waterraces@selwyn.govt.nz by 18 January 2016.

Meetings

Public Forums: *Council, Community Board and local committee meetings are open to the public. Time is available at the start of meetings for people to speak on matters of concern. Please notify Bernadette Ryan (Council), Kate Anderson (Community Boards) or your local committee at least three days before the meeting.*

Township, Hall and Reserve Committees: *To list or make changes to meeting details, email meeting.changes@selwyn.govt.nz or phone 347 2800 or 318 8338 by 9am Wednesday the week before publication.*

COUNCIL & COMMUNITY
BOARDS

Unless stated all meetings are at the Rolleston Council Building

Selwyn Central Community Board
Wed 18 Nov 4.30pm

Is there an issue affecting your community that you want to bring to your Community Board's attention and find out how we can help? See 'Meetings' for information on our Public Forum

Road Safety Committee
Thurs 19 Nov 9.30am

Malvern Community Board
Mon 23 Nov 4pm, Tawera Hall
Is there an issue affecting your community that you want to bring to your Community Board's attention and find out how we can help? See 'Meetings' for information on our Public Forum

Council Meeting
Wed 25 Nov 1pm

District Plan Committee
Wed 25 Nov 9am

Selwyn Waihora Zone Committee
Tue 1 Dec 1pm – field trip

Audit & Risk Subcommittee
Wed 2 Dec 3pm

Industrial Park Project Team

Thurs 3 Dec 3pm
Izone Visitors Centre
Because of commercial sensitivity, the public may be excluded from part of or all of the meeting. Enquiries to Property and Commercial Manager, Douglas Marshall

LOCAL COMMITTEES &
ASSOCIATIONS

Broadfield District Community Centre Committee

Wed 2 Dec 7.30pm, Broadfield Hall

Coalgate Township Committee
Tue 17 Nov 7.30pm
Coalgate Fire Station

Darfield Pool Administration Committee

Tue 24 Nov 7pm, Darfield Pool

Darfield Township Committee
Thurs 19 Nov 7pm

Dunsandel Community Committee
Wed 25 Nov 7.30pm
Dunsandel Sports Centre

Glenroy Community Hall Committee AGM

Tue 17 Nov 8pm, Glenroy Hall

Glentunnel Township Committee
Mon 23 Nov, 7.30pm
Glentunnel Hall

New members required. Expressions of interest to Reg Anderson on 318 2803

Greendale Recreation Reserve Management Committee

Tue 1 Dec 8pm Greendale Pavilion

Hororata Citizens Committee
Tue 24 Nov 7.30pm, Hororata Hall

Hororata Reserve Management Committee

Wed 2 Dec 7.30pm, Hororata Reserve Admin Building

Lakeside Reserve Management Committee

Tue 24 Nov 7pm, Aquatic

Clubrooms, Lakeside Domain

Ladbrooks Community Hall Committee AGM

Fri 4 Dec 7.45pm

Ladbrooks Community Centre

Leeston Park Association AGM
Mon 30 Nov 8pm
Leeston Park Pavilion

Lincoln Event Centre Governance Committee

Wed 25 Nov 7.30pm
Lincoln Event Centre

Prebbleton Community Association AGM

Tue 17 Nov 7.15pm
Prebbleton Community Cottage

Rolleston Residents Association Inc.

Mon 23 Nov 7.30pm
Rolleston Community Centre
NZTA will provide update on new motorway and associated plans

Sheffield/Waddington Community Committee

Thurs 3 Dec 7.30pm
Sheffield Community Hall
Note – changed meeting date

Southbridge Advisory Committee
Mon 23 Nov 7.30pm
Southbridge Hall

Springfield Township Committee
Tue 1 Dec 7.30pm, Tawera Hall

Springston Hall Committee
Thurs 3 Dec 7.30pm
Springston Hall

Springston Reserve & Associated Sports Combined Committee Inc.
Wed 18 Nov 7.30pm
Errol Tweedy Pavilion

Tai Tapu Community Association Inc.
Wed 2 Dec 7.30pm, Tai Tapu Library

West Melton Community Centre Committee

Tue 24 Nov 7.30pm
West Melton Community Centre



SATURDAY

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NOVEMBER

Heritage Market

The green by Lincoln Library, 10am-1pm

With food, produce & craft stalls, historic tours of Lincoln, The Laboratory & Brewhouse, colourful Steampunk stalls & teapot race demo, traditional games, brass band & period costumes. www.facebook.com/lincolnmarket

SATURDAY

21
NOVEMBER

Farm Open Day

Lincoln University Dairy Farm, Shands Road, 1-4pm

Find out how grass becomes milk & milk gets to the supermarket. Bring your gumboots & questions. Free

SATURDAY

21
NOVEMBER

Lincoln Town Centre Plan forum

Lincoln Event Centre, 2-3.30pm

Find out more about plans to develop Lincoln's Town Centre in the future. See selwyn.govt.nz for more information

SUNDAY

22
NOVEMBER

Tai Tapu School Fair & Antique Road Show

Tai Tapu School, 9am - 2pm

With food, produce, plant, white elephant, craft & book stalls. See a Craft Beer brewing demo (from 10am), pottery demo, enjoy pony rides, bouncy castles, facepainting or visit the baby animal enclosure. Antique assessment \$2 per item

SUNDAY

22
DECEMBER

Rolleston Envirotown Walk

10am-3pm

Enjoy a walk at the magnificent Rakaia Gorge. Contact enquiries@rollestonenvirotown.org.nz or 022 043 9933 to register

SATURDAY

28
NOVEMBER

Prebbleton Crafts & More Market

Prebbleton Hall, 10am-2pm

Stalls include cards, jewellery, chocolate bouquets, Christmas decorations, embroidery, plants, tea & coffee & more. Free. For stalls phone 260 1991

SATURDAY

28
NOVEMBER

Bees - Angels of the Environment

Lincoln Envirotown Community Gardens, 11am

Dr Barry Donovan talks about the importance of bees to our economy, local species, their life cycles & more. See a colony of non-aggressive bumble bees. The gardens are behind Lincoln Maternity Hospital on James Street. Please park on the street. Gold coin donation. Phone 325 2193