



# Join an ANZAC Day service

Join your local Anzac Commemoration service on Monday 25 April and remember the sacrifices of our servicemen and women. Services are organised by local Returned Services Associations.

<b>Burnham</b> 6am Dawn Parade, Army Camp gates. Address and wreath laying ceremony	<b>Prebbleton</b> 9am Local War Memorial. Wreath laying ceremony
<b>Darfield</b> 8.45am Local War Memorial. Wreath laying followed by service at Trinity Church	<b>Rolleston</b> 10.50am Parade at Rolleston Community Centre. 11am Service at local War Memorial Clock Tower followed by wreath laying ceremony
<b>Dunsandel</b> 8.30am Local War Memorial. Wreath laying ceremony	<b>Sheffield</b> 8am Cenotaph. Wreath laying ceremony
<b>Glentunnel</b> 10am Glentunnel Community Centre. Service followed by wreath laying ceremony	<b>Springfield</b> 11am Tawera Memorial Hall. Service followed by wreath laying at local War Memorial
<b>Hororata</b> 11am St John's Church. Service followed by wreath laying at local War Memorial	<b>Springston</b> 10.20am Parade at Springston School. 10.30am Service at Springston Hall followed by wreath laying ceremony at local War Memorial
<b>Kowai</b> Service follows Springfield's ceremony	<b>Tai Tapu</b> 8.30am Flag raising at Primary School. 9am Local War Memorial Service followed by wreath laying ceremony
<b>Leeston</b> 10.30am Leeston Rugby Football Pavilion. Service followed by parade to cenotaph and wreath laying	<b>West Melton</b> 10am West Melton Memorial. Service followed by wreath laying ceremony
<b>Lincoln</b> 2pm Lincoln Events Centre. Service followed by wreath laying ceremony	
<b>Mead</b> 9am Mead Hall gates. Wreath laying ceremony	

## Water rates changes proposed

As part of its Annual Plan for 2016/17, the Council is currently consulting on a change to water rates for households on rural water supplies.

Last year the Council introduced a district-wide rate for urban water and wastewater, and indicated it would consult on extending the district-wide rate to rural water supplies. These include the Hororata Acheron scheme, supplying Hororata and the surrounding area, the Malvern Hills scheme, supplying Coalgate, Glentunnel, Whitecliffs, Dalethorpe and surrounding areas, and the Te Pirita scheme (metered).

It's proposed that properties connected to the Hororata Acheron and Malvern Hills supplies move to a more standardised water charge, where properties using one unit (1,000 litres) of water per day would pay the same charge as the district-wide water rate. Properties connected to these rural schemes purchase water in units and can pay for more units if they wish to. The change to rating for rural water schemes would also result in a small increase in the district-wide water rates and charges for other properties connected to Council water supplies.

More information on this change is included in our Annual Plan Consultation Document, available from Council service centres or online at [www.selwyn.govt.nz/haveyoursay](http://www.selwyn.govt.nz/haveyoursay). The document also outlines other proposals currently under consultation. Submissions on the Annual Plan close at 5pm on **Wednesday 4 May**.

## New equestrian park opens soon

A new horse riding park will open on 30 April in Selwyn. The new park, called West Melton Forest, is part of Environment Canterbury's Waimakariri River Regional Park, which also includes Baynons Brake, a smaller horse-riding trail on the opposite side of the river, near Kainga.

Originally planted as a flood protection measure, the 350-hectare pine forest continues to protect the Waimakariri's stopbanks from floods, and has been developed with equestrians in mind. The development was undertaken to meet the increasing demand for safe horse-riding facilities in Selwyn district.

"Lots of people have been asking for places to ride off-road in the Selwyn district," says Environment Canterbury Parks and Forests Team Leader David Owen.

"Equestrians will appreciate the new 10 kilometres of marked trail. Horse-and-carts are permitted in the forest as well, with large sandy areas and forest roads to explore."

This project has been supported by the community through volunteer planting days, a picnic bench donated by Canterbury pony clubs and many other donations of both time and resources. Environment Canterbury is developing the park in association with Selwyn District Council, which has contributed financially, and Fulton Hogan, which has also generously contributed to the development of the park.

All local horse riders and carriage drivers are welcome to attend the grand opening of this new park on Saturday 30 April at 10.30am. A barbecue lunch will follow later in the afternoon. For more information and to register for the event, go to [www.ecan.govt.nz/westmeltonforest](http://www.ecan.govt.nz/westmeltonforest)



Photo: Young riders enjoy the trail at Baynons Brake, a smaller equestrian park across the Waimakariri River from the new West Melton Forest trail. (Photo: Cathy Price, Priceless Images).

## On the roads this week

Resealing and road repairs will be taking place on sections of Rakaia Terrace Road, with stop/go controls in place. Road repairs are planned to Bealey, Bethells and Marshs Roads, with traffic controls in place.

Road works continue on Broadlands Drive to extend the road to the new high school, on Lowes Road to underground power cables and install streetlights and on Springston Rolleston Road to install sewer pipes. Traffic controls are in place at these locations.

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

## Water restrictions lifted

Lawn watering restrictions for properties connected to Council water supplies will be lifted from Wednesday 20 April.

"The restrictions have been lifted as cooler weather and shorter daylight hours has helped reduce the demand for water," says Asset Manager Water Services Murray England.

While you will soon be able to water your lawn at any time of the day, the Council still encourages people to consider watering after 9pm and before 6am as this is the time of lowest demand for water and provides the best opportunity for water to soak into the ground, reducing the amount of water needed for irrigation.

Groundwater levels remain very low and in many locations continue to decline. If groundwater recharge does not occur this autumn and winter then early water restrictions are likely this coming spring.

Council would like to thank residents for their assistance in reducing water demand over the summer.

## Notices

### MOBILE LIBRARY TIMETABLE

**Wednesday 20 April**  
Rakaia Huts 9.10-9.30am

**Thursday 21 April**  
Prebbleton Tavern 4-6pm

**Monday 25 April**  
*no service due to public holiday*

**Tuesday 26 April**  
Burnham Preschool  
10.15-10.45am  
Paradise for Little Angels,  
Rolleston 1.30-2pm



### CANTERBURY EARTHQUAKE RECOVERY ACT

*Partially operative Selwyn District Plan*

*Land Use Recovery Plan - Gazetted 6 December 2013: Action 27*

At the Council meeting on 13 April 2016 the Council resolved to adopt the Commissioners recommended provisions to the District Plan that relate to Action 27 (ii), (iii), (iv) and (vi) of the Land Use Recovery Plan. The Council also resolved to make the provisions operative, with immediate effect, in accordance with the direction received from the Minister for Canterbury Earthquake Recovery pursuant to the Canterbury Earthquake Recovery Act (CER Act). Under the CER Act there are no rights of appeal.  
The Commissioners

recommended provisions and the District Plan may be inspected electronically during normal working hours at any of the Council's Libraries and Service Centres and is available online at [www.selwyn.govt.nz](http://www.selwyn.govt.nz).

### ALCOHOL LICENCE APPLICATION

An application for a club license renewal has been received from the West Melton Rugby Football Club and is open for submissions until **3 May**. See [www.selwyn.govt.nz/alcoholnotices](http://www.selwyn.govt.nz/alcoholnotices) for details.

### ANZAC DAY TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURES

The following road closures are in place on 25 April for Anzac Day services and parades:

**Rolleston:** Rolleston Drive from eastern intersection with Othello Drive to 60 metres east of Tennyson Street intersection; Tennyson Street from the northern intersection with Rolleston Drive to 5 metres south of Millennium Clock Tower Reserve, from 10.30am-12.15pm.

**Burnham:** Aylesbury Road between Godley Road and Burdons Road, from 5.15-8.15am.

**Leeston:** High Street from Leeston and Lake Road to Messines Street, from 10.30am-12.30pm.

**Dunsandel:** Leeston Dunsandel Road from Irvines Road to Tramway Road; Tramway Road from Leeston Dunsandel Road to Browns Road, from 8.15-9.30am.

**Prebbleton:** Springs Road from

Tosswill Road to Birchs Road, from 8.45-9.30am.  
**Tai Tapu:** Old Tai Tapu Road from Christchurch Akaroa Road to Forbes Road, from 9-9.30am.

### LOST CALF

A young calf was found last week. If you think it may be yours please contact Animal Control on 347 2800.

### FOSTER DOG PARK CLOSURE

The Foster Dog Park will be closed for an Agility Champ Show on 23 and 24 April from 7.30am-5pm. You are welcome to come and watch but dogs must be on the lead. Thank you.

### COUNCIL SERVICES ON ANZAC DAY

Rubbish bins and bags which would normally be collected on Monday 25 April will be collected two days earlier – on **Saturday 23 April**. Pines Resource Recovery Park is open from 1-4pm.

Council offices, libraries and service centres will be closed on Anzac Day. There will be no Mobile Library service.

Selwyn Aquatic Centre is open on Anzac Day from 1-8pm. Lincoln Event Centre is open from 12-5pm for an Anzac Service. Rolleston Community Centre is open for previously booked functions only.



## 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](mailto:meeting.changes@selwyn.govt.nz) or phone 347 2800 or 318 8338 by 9am Wednesday the week before publication.*

### COUNCIL AND COMMUNITY BOARDS

*Unless stated meetings are held at the Rolleston Council Building*

**Selwyn Central Community Board**

Wed 20 Apr 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*

**Malvern Community Board**

Tue 26 Apr 4pm, Darfield Library

*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 27 Apr 1pm

**Selwyn Waihora Zone Committee**

Tue 3 May 1pm

**Audit & Risk Subcommittee**

Wed 4 May 3pm

**Industrial Park Project Team**

Thurs 5 May 3pm

Izone Café Meeting Room  
*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

**Castle Hill Community Association**

Mon 2 May 5.30pm by Skype

**Coalgate/Glentunnel Reserve Management Committee**

Thurs 28 Apr 8pm

Coalgate Fire Station

**Coalgate Township Committee**

Tue 19 Apr 7.30pm

Coalgate Fire Station

**Darfield Recreation & Community Centre Committee**

Mon 2 May 7.30pm

Darfield Recreation Centre

**Darfield Township Committee**

Thurs 21 Apr 7.30pm

Darfield Library

**Doyleston Community Committee**

Wed 20 Apr 7.30pm

Osborne Park Pavilion

*Meeting is a week late*

**Dunsandel Community Committee**

Mon 2 May 7.30pm

**Dunsandel Hotel**

*Note change of date*

**Glenroy Community Hall Committee**

Tue 19 Apr 8pm

Glenroy Community Hall

**Ladbrooks Community Hall Committee**

Fri 6 May 7.45pm

Ladbrooks Community Hall

**Leeston Community Committee**

Mon 2 May 7.30pm, Leeston Library Community Room

**Leeston Park Association**

Mon 25 Apr 7.30pm

Leeston Park Pavilion

**Prebbleton Community Association Inc.**

Tue 19 Apr 7.30pm

Prebbleton Cottage

**Prebbleton Community Cottage Committee**

Tue 3 May 7.30pm

Prebbleton Community Cottage

**Rolleston Residents Association Inc.**

Mon 2 May 7.30pm

Rolleston Community Centre

**Southbridge Advisory Committee**

Mon 25 Apr 7pm

Southbridge Hall

**Springfield Township Committee**

Tue 3 May 7.30pm, Tawera Hall

**Springton Recreation Reserve Committee**

Wed 20 Apr 7.30pm

Errol Tweedy Pavilion

**Tawera Memorial Hall Committee**

Thurs 5 May 7.30pm, Tawera Hall

# Selwyn Events

SAT-MON

**23-25**  
APRIL

### ANZAC Displays

Prebbleton Hall, Springs Road, 10am-4pm

View displays on stories of local soldiers, & the effects WW1 had on the area. See weapons, uniforms, letters & diaries. Free, donations appreciated. Phone Daphne on 349 8886

SUNDAY

**24**  
APRIL

### Golf tournament

Weedons Golf Course, McClelland Road, 12pm

A fundraising golf tournament raising money for the new Weedons Domain Pavillion. \$20 per person. With barbeque. Entries to Brian on 027 303 0040

TUESDAY

**26**  
APRIL

### Rolleston Fibre Broadband Celebration

Clearview School, 1-3pm

Rolleston is leading the switch to fibre. Celebrate this with fun activities, sausage sizzle & meet the Crusaders. Free

TUE-FRI

**26-29**  
APRIL

### Pool Fest

Selwyn Aquatic Centre, 1-3pm

Four days of games, prizes & fun. Try out a new activity each day ranging from paddleboats to an inflatable obstacle course, Flippa Ball & volleyball

WEDNESDAY

**27**  
APRIL

### Ellesmere Toy Library Fun Day

3 Station Street, Leeston 10am-4pm

Free fun day for preschoolers (older siblings welcome) with snacks & sausages, bouncy castle, & a special offer if you sign up for a Toy Library membership. Try our huge range of toys! See 'Ellesmere Toy Library' on Facebook

UNTIL

**28**  
APRIL

### Selwyn Libraries School holiday programme

12 free sessions for kids. Build your places with LEGO® (ages 5 & over), create your community from craft material (ages 8 & over) or meet a community member (all ages). Book at [www.selwynlibraries.co.nz](http://www.selwynlibraries.co.nz)

SATURDAY

**30**  
APRIL

### Community Garden Waste Day

Hawkins Pit (entry off Cullens Road), 10am-4pm

Get rid of garden prunings, trimmings & weeds. General rubbish, soil, flax, cabbage tree leaves, trees or branches over 10cm in diameter can't be accepted. \$5 a car, \$10 a ute or single axle trailer, \$15 a twin axle trailer. Cash only. Funds donated to Malvern Lions

SUNDAY

**1**  
MAY

### Lincoln Community Garden & Mahoe Reserve Open Day

Mahoe Reserve, Boundary Road, Lincoln, 2-3pm

Tour the reserve & hear its history. To plant a tree or learn how to plant natives bring a spade. Followed by afternoon tea at Lincoln Community Gardens & a planting demonstration. Phone 341 9104

SUNDAY

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MAY

### From Patterson's Heart

Ellesmere College Hall, 2pm

A stage production featuring award winning balladeer Colin Patterson & guests artists. Tickets \$25, proceeds to Abbeyfield complex for the elderly

Leeston Library & Service Centre  
19 Messines Street, Leeston  
Ph 347 2820 or 318 8338

Lincoln Library & Service Centre  
Gerald Street, Lincoln  
Ph 347 2875 or 318 8338

(03) 347 2800

Darfield call free 318 8338

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