



# CultureFest brings the world to Selwyn

Selwyn's first ever CultureFest will feature music, dancing, performances, food and crafts from 20 different cultures.

CultureFest is a free event which showcases the district's cultures with free performances, fun activities, craft and food stalls, along with activities for kids like a mega slide, SNAG inflatable golf, bouncy castles and pedalmania.

CultureFest will build on the successful Lincoln Multi-Cultural Festival. CultureFest will be held every year with the venue moving between Rolleston and Lincoln in alternating years. Many local groups have joined CultureFest to share their culture with our community.

The event is part of the Rolleston 150th anniversary celebrations which feature a free show on Saturday 15 October from 10am-4pm, on the corner of Jones and Hoskyns Roads, with displays including traction engines, vintage cars, motorbikes, tractors, military displays, fire engines and shearing. Other events planned during Rolleston's 150th celebrations include an opening evening, kids movie, dine and dance and street parade.

CultureFest's activity programme includes performances from local Indian, Chinese, Polish (pictured), Russian, Italian and Greek communities, as well as a Scottish flash mob. There will be a range of fun activities for everyone to take part in and learn more about different cultures including Turkish ceramics, Oriental ink painting and Bhangra (Indian dancing).

Cuisines on the menu at CultureFest include Indian, Iranian, Jordanian, German, Malaysian, Polish, Russian, Tibetan, Singaporean, South African and England (high tea and scones).

CultureFest takes place on **Saturday 15 October** from 10am-4pm in Rolleston (on the corner of Jones and Hoskyns Roads). It is presented by the Council with support from the Christchurch Multicultural Council, Canterbury Migrants Centre, The Rotary Club of Lincoln, Rolleston Newcomers Network and Smokefree Aotearoa NZ 2025.

## Darfield garden waste day

On **Saturday 29 October** between 10am and 4pm, Selwyn residents will have the opportunity to dispose of green garden waste at Hawkins Pit. The pit is located off Cullens Road just east of Bangor Road, about five kilometres from Darfield.

This is a great chance to get rid of garden prunings, tree trimmings or weeds over springtime. It costs \$5 per car, \$10 per ute or single axle trailer and \$15 per twin axle trailer to dispose of garden waste on the day. General rubbish, soil, flax, cabbage tree leaves, trees or branches over 10cm in diameter can't be disposed of through this service. Payment is by cash only (no EFTPOS is available). Proceeds from the event will be donated to the Malvern Lions Club.

A greenwaste disposal day is also planned for Ellesmere on 19 November.



## On the roads this week

Road repairs are planned on Leaches Road and Bealey Road (between Telegraph and Essendon Roads), and work is planned on North Rakaia Road and Bridge Street. Traffic controls will be in place on these roads. Footpath and kerbing repairs will take place in some areas within Izone. Maintenance grading will take place in the Hororata, Leeston, Dunsandel, Norwood, Greendale and Coalgate areas.

## Don't miss your chance to vote!

If you have received your local election voting papers please vote and return these to reach the council by **12 noon on Saturday 8 October**. Please post your voting papers back by Wednesday 5 October to ensure your vote counts. From Thursday 6 October until the morning of Saturday 8 October you can still vote but will need to return your voting papers to a ballot box to ensure your papers are received before voting closes.

Voting ballot boxes are located at Darfield, Lincoln and Leeston Library and Service Centres, and at the Council Headquarters in Rolleston. Voting papers can be returned at these facilities between 8.30am and 5pm Monday to Friday, and to libraries on Saturday from 9.30am up to 12 noon. Lincoln Library is also open late until 7pm on Thursday. The Council's Rolleston Headquarters will also be open from 9am-12 noon on Saturday 8 October for voters to drop their papers off (normal service centre functions won't be available).

If you didn't receive your voting papers in the mail you will need to cast a special vote. Please visit our Rolleston Headquarters or Darfield, Leeston or Lincoln Library and Service Centres (during opening hours) to do this before 12pm on Saturday 8 October.



## Mayor says farewell

*Mayor Kelvin Coe retires next week after 21 years on the Council and nine years as Mayor. We spoke to him about his time with Council.*

**How has Selwyn changed since you joined the Council in 1995?**

Selwyn's population was around 25,000 and it has now more than doubled and is about 54,000. We have changed from a largely rural district to having significant towns as well as rural communities. We now have a lot more infrastructure like sewerage and community facilities like libraries, new community centres and the Aquatic Centre.

**What have you enjoyed during your time on Council?**

The opportunity to meet great people. There are a large number of volunteers who run halls, sports, and community groups who make a huge contribution to Selwyn. I really appreciate all the assistance I have had from the community, Councillors and staff in my role and I would like to thank them all for their support.

**What do you consider have been the Council's biggest achievements while you have been Mayor?**

Our achievements have been made by the whole of Council, Council staff, other Councillors all working together with the community. Dealing with September 2010 earthquake was both a major challenge and a significant achievement. I think we coped well as our civil defence operations centre was running early the next morning and responded well and nearly all of the roading damage was fixed promptly afterwards. The Council, and in particular our planning team, have also responded well to the post-earthquake challenges of growth. The Urban Development Strategy was already in place identifying where new development could occur and Izone development was under way so the groundwork was in place, and staff had an enabling attitude to helping people set up homes and businesses which allowed this to happen.



Mayor Coe at a Gallipoli oak planting ceremony in Sheffield

# Council Call

Selwyn District Council Norman Kirk Drive Rolleston Ph 347 2800 or 318 8338	Rolleston Library Rolleston Drive, Rolleston Ph 347 2880	Darfield Library & Service Centre 1 South Terrace, Darfield Ph 318 8338 or 347 2780
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Notices

PLAN CHANGE 47

Selwyn District Plan, Prebbleton Living 3 Zone

Selwyn District Council has accepted the Commissioner's Recommendation to approve without amendment, Plan Change 47 (M J Stratford).

The full text of these decisions can be read online at [www.selwyn.govt.nz](http://www.selwyn.govt.nz) or, during working hours at the Council's Rolleston Headquarters, or electronically at any Council service centre or library. From the date of this notice the Selwyn District Plan is amended in accordance with these decisions.

Anyone who made a submission on Plan Change 47 may appeal to the Environment Court against the Council's decisions. Appeals must be in the prescribed form as set out in Form 7 and must reach the Court within 30 working days of receiving notice of the decision from the Council. A copy of any appeals must also be served on the Council. For information, contact Craig Friedel, Policy and Strategy Planner on 347 2800 or at P.O. Box 90, Rolleston 7643.

This notice is given under Clause 10 (3) of the First Schedule to the Resource Management Act 1991.

MOBILE LIBRARY VISITS

Wednesday 5 October  
Rakaia Huts 9.10-9.30am  
St John of God, Rolleston 1-1.30pm

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 & COMMUNITY BOARDS

Selwyn Waihora Zone Committee  
Tue 4 Oct 1pm  
Rolleston Council Building

Industrial Park Project Team

Thurs 6 Oct 12pm  
Izone Café Meeting Room  
*Due to 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 17 Oct 5.30pm by Skype

Coalgate Township Committee

Tue 18 Oct 7.30pm  
Coalgate Fire Station

Darfield Township Committee

Thurs 20 Oct 7.30pm  
Darfield Library/Service Centre

Doyleston Community Committee

Wed 12 Oct 7.30pm  
Osborne Park Pavilion

Thursday 6 October  
Prebbleton Tavern 4-6pm

Monday 10 October  
Upper Selwyn Huts 10-10.45am  
Lincoln University Learning Centre 11-11.30am  
Prebbleton Child Care 1.15-1.30pm  
Rolleston Christian School 2.30-3.30pm

Tuesday 11 October  
Burnham Kindy 9.40-10.10am  
Burnham Preschool 10.15-10.45am  
Dunsandel School 11.20am-12.10pm  
Dunsandel Childcare 12.20-12.40pm  
Paradise for Little Angels, Rolleston, 1.30-2pm

CLOSURE OF LINCOLN CAMPERVAN DUMP STATION

Please note that the Lincoln Campervan/Caravan Effluent Dump Station which occupied the corner of the site at 24 Edward Street Lincoln (Lot 2 DP 430391) will be permanently closed for public use from 10 October 2016. This is due to plans for the larger site to be used by the Ministry of Education in the future as an additional educational facility for Lincoln Primary School. Alternative public campervan/caravan dump stations are at:

- State Highway One, Templeton
- BP Connect - Corner State Highway 1 and Tennyson Street Rolleston
- Rakaia Huts Campground -

- Pacific Drive, Rakaia Huts
- Glentunnel Holiday Park - Homebush Road, Glentunnel
- Darfield, 68-90 Railway Terrace

The council has consulted the New Zealand Motor Caravan Association in relation to the closure and is investigating alternative sites.

TRIENNIAL ELECTION MEETING - SPRINGSTON

The Community Committee's triennial election meeting takes place on Monday 17 October. See meetings below for details.

LINCOLN ENVIROTOWN RESPONSIBLE BUSINESS NETWORK & AWARDS

Lincoln Envirotown invites business representatives to the Rolleston Community Lounge at 7pm on Tuesday 11 October to hear about the future of the awards and how the business network can help you achieve more sustainable practices. Drinks and nibbles provided. Free. Please RSVP for catering to [rbacoordinator@gmail.com](mailto:rbacoordinator@gmail.com)

TEMPORARY ROAD CLOSURE - ROLLESTON

Norman Kirk Drive will be closed from Kidman Street to Rolleston Drive from 9am-12pm on Sunday 16 October 2016 for a parade to celebrate Rolleston's 150th anniversary. During the road closure, traffic is requested to detour along the nearest alternative route. Queries can be directed to Joanne on 347 2887.

Glenroy Community Hall Committee

Tue 18 Oct 8pm  
Glenroy Community Hall

Hororata Reserve Management Committee

Wed 5 Oct 7.30pm, Hororata Hall

Killinchy Community Centre Committee

Mon 17 Oct 7.30pm  
Killinchy Community Centre

Kirwee Community Committee

Mon 17 Oct 7.30pm, Kirwee Hall

Kirwee Recreation Reserve Management Committee

Mon 10 Oct 7.30pm  
Kirwee Reserve Sports Pavilion  
Lincoln Community Committee  
Mon 10 Oct 7pm  
Lincoln Event Centre

Lincoln Event Centre Governance Committee

Wed 5 Oct 7pm  
Lincoln Event Centre

Little Rakaia Huts Community Committee

Mon 17 Oct 7.30pm  
Community Centre

Prebbleton Community Assn Inc.

Tue 18 Oct 7.30pm  
Prebbleton Cottage

Prebbleton Public Hall Society Inc.

Mon 10 Oct 7.30pm  
Prebbleton Hall Supper Room

Prebbleton Reserve Committee

Mon 17 Oct 7.30pm  
Prebbleton Rugby Football Club

Rolleston Reserve Management Committee

Mon 17 Oct 7.30pm  
Rolleston Community Centre

Sheffield/Waddington Community Committee

Thurs 20 Oct 7.30pm  
Sheffield Hall

Springfield Township Committee

Tue 11 Oct 7.30pm, Tawera Hall

*Note change of date*

Springston Community Committee - Triennial elections

Mon 17 Oct 7.30pm  
Springston Hall Supper Room

Springston Hall Committee

Thurs 6 Oct 7.30pm  
Springston Hall

Springston South Soldiers Memorial Hall Committee AGM

Sun 16 Oct 1.30pm  
433 Days Road, Springston

Springston Recreation Reserve Committee

Wed 19 Oct 7.30pm  
Errol Tweedy Pavilion

Tai Tapu Community Association Inc.

Wed 5 Oct 7.30pm  
Tai Tapu Library

Weedons Reserve Committee

Mon 10 Oct 7.30pm  
Weedons Reserve Pavilion

Weedons Residents Association Inc.

Tue 11 Oct 7.30pm  
Weedons Domain

West Melton Residents Association

Wed 12 Oct 7.30pm  
West Melton Community Centre

Whitecliffs Township & Domain Committee

Mon 10 Oct 7.30pm  
Glentunnel Hall

Windwhistle District Society Incorp. - AGM

Thurs 13 Oct 7.30pm Windwhistle School Library

Selwyn Events

SAT-SUN

8-16  
OCTOBER

Darfield Artweek

Darfield Recreation Centre & Darfield Library

Over 200 works by established, emerging & local artists in varied mediums. Open 10am-5pm daily. Free. Works by Svetlana Orinko & Charles Pickworth are on display at the library during library opening hours in Artweek

SUNDAY

9  
OCTOBER

Rolleston Envirotown Market & Scarecrow competition

Rolleston Square car park  
10am-1pm

Choose from local produce & craft. Email [enquiries@rollestonenvirotown.org.nz](mailto:enquiries@rollestonenvirotown.org.nz)

SUNDAY

9  
OCTOBER

Spring Fling

Broadfield Garden, 11am-4pm

Country fete in an award winning garden with live music, garden tours, demonstrations, artisan stalls, food, drink & more. \$20 adults, school children free. Phone 325 2007 for tickets

TUESDAY

13  
OCTOBER

Southbridge Netball Club AGM

Southbridge Hotel, 6.30pm

All welcome. For enquiries phone Jo on 324 2022

FRIDAY

14  
OCTOBER

Rolleston 150th storytime

Rolleston Library, 5.30pm  
Celebrate Rolleston's 150th birthday with train themed stories, rhymes, a treasure hunt, a special guest & secret surprise. Free. Library open late until 7pm

Love your Life @ Lincoln Library

Wednesday 12 October  
5 Ways to Wellbeing Workshop, 7pm

Discover the 5 ways to wellbeing & how they can help you. Presented by 'All Right?'

*Introduction to Mindfulness Meditation - 7.30 pm*

Discover what mindfulness is & how it can help you. Includes guided meditation - bring a cushion. Free but booking required for both sessions - see [www.selwynlibraries.co.nz](http://www.selwynlibraries.co.nz)

Tuesday 18 October  
Qigong Class, 11am-12pm

Qigong is a gentle & meditative exercise to increase vitality & suppleness & relax the mind. It supports healing of body & mind. Suitable for all ages. Book at Lincoln Library. Gold coin donation

WED & TUE

12&18  
OCTOBER

SATURDAY

15  
OCTOBER

Ellesmere A&P Show

Showgrounds, Leeston  
With carnival rides, animals, craft stalls, show jumping, vintage machinery, pony rides, dog trials, wine tasting & lots more. See [www.ellesmereshow.co.nz](http://www.ellesmereshow.co.nz) for information

Leeston Library & Service Centre  
19 Messines Street, Leeston  
Ph 347 2871

Lincoln Library & Service Centre  
Gerald Street, Lincoln  
Ph 347 2876

(03) 347 2800

Darfield call free 318 8338



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