



## Free Wi-Fi zones coming!

Three free Wi-Fi zones will be operating in Selwyn soon, with one of the zones already available in Darfield.

The new zones will offer free public Wi-Fi access from central facilities in Darfield, Lincoln and Tai Tapu. The Wi-Fi zones are being provided by the Council through the Spark network and designed to be used by both locals and visitors. They will allow people to connect to ultra-fast broadband with usage not time or data limited.

The zone which is already operating is based at Darfield Library and extends approximately 50 metres around the library location. A similar 50 metre free Wi-Fi zone will start operating outside Lincoln Library in June. A third free Wi-Fi zone is planned to start operating in central Tai Tapu by the end of the year, with the site yet to be selected.

## Malvern and Ellesmere Garden waste days successful

Over 22 tonnes of green waste and 7 tonnes of scrap metal were collected from Ellesmere and Malvern residents recently and have now been recycled or composted. The clean-up days were held in April and were a chance for people to clean up their gardens and backyards by disposing of garden waste and scrap metal at a local collection point.

The Council's Solid Waste Manager Andrew Boyd says the days are a way to offer a low cost waste disposal option to help reduce the amount of fly tipping and avoid junk building up on properties, while also supporting local community groups.

Nearly \$1,500 was also raised at the two days which will be given to the Malvern Lions and Ellesmere Heritage Park who staffed the days. The Malvern Lions Club wished to thank the community for taking part in the day. They plan to donate the funding they received to local sports groups. Groups who would like to receive funding from the Lions are encouraged to contact them and register their interest.

The Ellesmere Heritage Park Trust will use the funding it received to continue restoration work on the historic Carroll cottage.

## Your Library – learn about eCollections!

Could you or someone you know benefit from learning how to use eAudiobooks, eBooks, eMagazines, online tutorials, or the library catalogue – all on your smart phone, device or home computer? Did you know you can access all of the above and more for free with your library membership? Selwyn Libraries are here to help!

Come along to fortnightly free drop-in sessions at any Selwyn Library to learn about the eCollections your library membership gives you access to, 24 hours a day from anywhere!

These will be perfect if you have ever wondered how you can use the eCollections available from the library but never had the chance to ask.

Sessions will begin the week of 12 June and be held in fortnightly blocks:

- Lincoln on Mondays from 10.30–11.30am (first session 12 June)
- Leeston on Tuesdays from 10.30–11.30am (first session 13 June)
- Darfield on Wednesdays from 1–2pm (first session 21 June)
- Rolleston on Fridays from 1–2pm (first session 23 June)

The first session will be about **ePlatform**, which provides you with 24 hour access to a huge collection of eBooks. You can read eBooks anywhere, any time. The second session will be about **BorrowBox**, a growing collection of eAudiobooks. You can listen to over 1,000 eAudiobooks anywhere, any time!

Feel free to bring your own devices, and any questions you've been wanting to ask your library about the eCollections. Visit [www.selwynlibraries.co.nz](http://www.selwynlibraries.co.nz) for more information on session topics.



## Speed limit areas changing in West Melton

The 70km speed zone on State Highway 73 in West Melton township is being extended to take in some of the towns new subdivisions.

The NZ Transport Agency which manages the state highway network is altering the 70km zone so it extends around 250 metres further east. The extension will enable safety improvements to be made - the first of these will be the installation of a new pedestrian refuge island and crossing point opposite the Wilfield subdivision to the Gainsborough subdivision. Further crossings are planned either side of the Weedons Ross Road intersection on State Highway 73 and flush medians will also be added on the State Highway in conjunction with the crossing points.

A new walkway was recently developed from the northern end of the new Wilfield subdivision along State Highway 73 to connect to West Melton's central township area and the West Melton Domain. The crossing points will provide a safer crossing option for people using these footpaths. The pedestrian improvements being undertaken have been a collaborative effort between the NZ Transport Agency, the Council, private land owners and developers in the area.

## On the roads this week

Construction of a temporary unsealed footpath is planned on the north side of Birchs Road in Lincoln.

Road widening work is continuing on Jones Road between Weedons Ross Road and the Lyttelton Port Company until mid-June. The road will remain open, but may be reduced to one lane at times with traffic delays expected. Maddisons Road is suggested as an alternative route at peak times.

Sewer line installation continues on sections of Hamptons, Shands, and Selwyn Road to the intersection of Springston Rolleston Road. There may be a reduction down to one lane on these roads with traffic delays possible.

### Christchurch Southern Motorway extension

There will be changes to the traffic setups on both Weedons Ross Road and Weedons Road over the next couple of weeks. The one-way system remains on Waterholes Road from Hamptons Road to 833 Waterholes Road running south towards Robinsons Road with detours in place, with changes to the road alignment to allow for construction of the bridge. Please be alert to changes in the traffic management, follow the on-site signage and drive to the conditions.



## Help keep our drains flowing

With the recent wet weather in autumn, drains can become blocked with leaves.

You can help avoid flooding around your property and street by removing any leaves that are clogging drains. Council contractors do regularly clear drains but leaves can quickly build up in windy conditions at autumn time.



# 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

## Notices

### COUNCIL SERVICES ON QUEEN'S BIRTHDAY

Rubbish and recycling collection will occur as normal on Queen's Birthday **Monday 5 June**, Pines Resource Recovery Park will be open from 10am-4pm. Council libraries and service centres, the Lincoln Event Centre, Rolleston Community Centre will be closed on 5 June. The Selwyn Aquatic Centre will be open from 8am-8pm.



### MOBILE LIBRARY TIMETABLE

**Wednesday 31 May**  
Rakaia Huts 9.30-10am  
Southbridge School  
10.45am-12pm

**Thursday 1 June**  
Lincoln University Early  
Childhood Centre 2-2.30pm  
Prebbleton Tavern 3.30-5.30pm

**Monday 5 June**

*No visits due to public holiday*

**Tuesday 6 June**

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

### RESOURCE CONSENT APPLICATIONS – WEST COAST ROAD, KINGSLOWNE DRIVE & IRIS TAYLOR AVENUE

An application from Maurice Milliken (care of Survus Consultants) has been received to undertake a rural boundary adjustment at 5565 West Coast Road, Springfield, and to retain a dwelling on an undersized allotment and to erect a dwelling on an undersized rural allotment. An application from GW West Melton Ltd has been received to undertake a subdivision at 103 Iris Taylor Avenue, West Melton, to create 18 residential lots and roading, building setback/acoustic setback and contaminated land.

An application has been received from GW Wilfield Ltd to undertake a subdivision at Kingsdowne Drive, West Melton, to create 16 residential lots and to erect a dwellings exceeding site coverage.

Submissions on all of the above applications close at 5pm **Wednesday 28 June 2017**. For more information on the applications and how to

make a submission please see the notices in today's edition of the Selwyn Times or visit [www.selwyn.govt.nz](http://www.selwyn.govt.nz)

### DOG MICROCHIPPING

If your dog was first registered after 30 June 2006 and is not a working dog, the law requires them to be microchipped. This free monthly service is available on **Friday 2 June** at:

- Lincoln – from 9-9.30am
- Leeston – from 10.15-10.45am
- Darfield – from 11.30am-12pm
- Rolleston – from 12.45-1.15pm

Please note:

- All clinics last for half an hour
- The Rolleston venue is in Norman Kirk Drive, other locations are outside libraries
- Microchipping will not take place if wet.

If you have any questions regarding microchipping, please contact Tracey on 347 2800 or 318 8338.



## 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 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

*Unless stated meetings are held at Rolleston Council Building*

**Selwyn Waihora Zone Committee**  
Tue 6 June 1.30pm  
Lincoln Event Centre

**Audit & Risk Subcommittee**  
Wed 7 June 3pm

**Council Meeting**  
Wed 14 June 1pm  
Darfield Recreation Centre

**Springs Ellesmere Discretionary Fund Committee**  
Wed 14 June  
After Council meeting

**Selwyn Central Discretionary Fund Committee**  
Wed 14 June  
After Council meeting

**Citizenship Ceremony**  
Wed 14 June 6.30pm

**Water Race Subcommittee**  
Mon 12 June 1.30pm

### LOCAL COMMITTEES & ASSOCIATIONS

**Castle Hill Community Association**  
Thurs 15 June 5.30pm via Skype

**Coalgate Township Committee**  
Tue 30 May 7.30pm  
Coalgate Fire Station

**Coalgate/Glentunnel Reserve Management Committee**  
Thurs 1 June 7.30pm  
Coalgate Fire Station

**Darfield Recreation & Community Centre Committee**  
Tue 6 June 7.30pm  
Darfield Recreation Centre

**Darfield Township Committee**  
Thurs 15 June 7.30pm  
Darfield Library

**Doyleston Community Committee**  
Wed 7 June 7.30pm  
Osborne Park Pavilion

**Dunsandel Community Committee**  
Tue 6 June 7.30pm  
Dunsandel Sports Centre

*Changed due to Queen's Birthday*

**Greendale Recreation Reserve Committee**  
Tue 6 June 8pm  
Greendale Pavilion

**Hororata Reserve Management Committee**  
Wed 7 June 7.30pm  
Hororata Hall

**Killinchy Community Centre Committee**  
Mon 12 June 7.30pm  
Killinchy Community Centre

**Kirwee Recreation Reserve Management Committee**  
Mon 12 June 7.30pm  
Kirwee Reserve Sports Pavilion

**Leeston Community Committee**  
Mon 5 June 7.30pm, Leeston Library Community Room

**Lincoln Community Committee**  
Mon 12 June 7pm, Lincoln Event Centre Fitzgerald Room

**Prebbleton Community Cottage Committee**  
Tue 13 June 7.30pm  
Prebbleton Community Cottage

**Prebbleton Public Hall Society Inc.**  
Mon 12 June 7.30pm  
Prebbleton Hall Supper Room

**Sheffield/Waddington Community Committee**  
Thurs 15 June 7.30pm  
Sheffield Hall

**Springfield Township Committee**  
Tue 6 June 7.30pm, Tawera Hall

**Tai Tapu Community Association**  
Wed 7 June 7.30pm  
Tai Tapu Library

**Waihora Park Reserve Committee**  
Tue 6 June 7.30pm  
Waihora Bowling Club

**Weedons Reserve Committee**  
Mon 12 June 7pm  
Weedons Reserve Pavilion

**Weedons Residents Association Committee**  
Tue 13 June 7.30pm  
Weedons Domain

**West Melton Community Centre Committee**  
Tue 30 May 7.30pm  
West Melton Community Centre

**West Melton Residents Association**  
Wed 14 June 7.30pm  
West Melton Community Hall

**Whitecliffs Township & Domain Committee**  
Mon 12 June 7.30pm  
Glentunnel Hall

# Selwyn Events

WEDNESDAY

31  
MAY

### Treaty of Waitangi Workshop

Darfield Library, 6.30pm

This free session will cover Treaty settlements (including the local story of Ngāi Tahu), Principles of the Treaty, culture and racism, the Treaty as a framework for diversity, making it real in our personal and professional lives

THURSDAY

1  
JUNE

### Love your life @ Lincoln Library

7-8pm

A free seminar with Anna Mowat from All Right? for busy parents on how to balance kids, home, work, & look after yourself! Booking required – see [www.selwynlibraries.co.nz](http://www.selwynlibraries.co.nz)

SATURDAY

3  
JUNE

### A Right Royal Do

The Green, Lincoln, 10am-1pm

British themed event with British fayre - Pork Pies, Devonshire Teas, Morris Dancing, display cars & traditional lawn games. See [www.facebook.com/lincolnmarket](http://www.facebook.com/lincolnmarket)

SUNDAY

4  
JUNE

### Prebbleton Market

Prebbleton Community Cottage, 12-3pm

Great food, entertainment & stalls. Bring a picnic & relax, meet friends & shop. Free face painting. The cottage is on the corner of Blakes & Springs Roads. For stall enquiries phone 021 405 792 or see 'Prebbleton community market' on Facebook

THURSDAY

8  
JUNE

### Love your life @ Lincoln Library

7-8pm

A free workshop with Siobhan O'Brien from Lincoln University Recreation centre on 'Snack attack! Healthy, quick & tasty snack ideas for busy people.' Includes demonstration, tastings & recipe sheets. Booking required – see [www.selwynlibraries.co.nz](http://www.selwynlibraries.co.nz)

SATURDAY

10  
JUNE

### Maintaining Stonefruit Trees workshop

Lincoln Envirotown Community Gardens, 10.30-11.30am

Free workshop by Warwick Mottram demonstrating pruning techniques & answering questions. Contact Ruth on 325 2193 or email [ruth.wood@xtra.co.nz](mailto:ruth.wood@xtra.co.nz). Gold coin donation appreciated

TUE & FRI

13&16  
JUNE

### Matariki Puppet Shows

Darfield & Lincoln

A free Māori Rock-Art Puppet Production, Te Rerenga – the Flight! The show takes you back a thousand years through a story of animated rock art puppets meeting up with a Bird woman who is searching for her whanau. See [www.selwynlibraries.co.nz](http://www.selwynlibraries.co.nz) for details

UNTIL

22  
JUNE

### Quintessentially Kiwi

Selwyn Gallery, Darfield

An exciting exhibition of photography, jewelry & paintings from four Springfield artists illustrating beach & farm life, adventure & isolation. Open daily (except Mondays) from 10am- 4pm

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  
[www.selwyn.govt.nz](http://www.selwyn.govt.nz)

