

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

Burnham	6am Dawn parade – army camp gates. Address and wreath laying ceremony	
Darfield	8.45am local war memorial. Wreath laying followed by service at Trinity Church	
Dunsandel	8.30am local war memorial. Wreath laying ceremony	
Glentunnel	9.30am Glentunnel Community Centre, service followed by wreath laying ceremony	
Hororata	11am St John's Church, service at community hall followed by wreath laying at local memorial	
Kowai	Service follows Springfield ceremony	
Leeston	10.30am Leeston Rugby Football Pavillion. Service followed by parade to cenotaph and wreath laying	
Lincoln	2pm Lincoln Event Centre – service followed by wreath laying ceremony	
Mead	9am Mead Hall Memorial gates. Wreath laying ceremony	
Prebbleton	9am local war memorial – wreath laying ceremony	
Rolleston	10.50am parade at Rolleston Community Centre 11am service at local war memorial Clock Tower followed by wreath laying ceremony	
Sheffield	8am Cenotaph – wreath laying ceremony	
Springfield	11am Tawera Memorial Hall – service followed by wreath laying at local war memorial	
Springston	10.20am Parade at Springston School	
	10.30am Service at Springston Hall followed by wreath laying ceremony at local war memorial	
Tai Tapu	8.30am Flag raising at Primary School	
	9am local war memorial – service followed by wreath laying ceremony	
West Melton	10am West Melton Memorial - service followed by wreath laying ceremony	
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On the roads this week

Road resurfacing will take place on Dalethorpe, Downs, Hoskyns and Hudsons Roads, Ayers, Woodward and Fuller Streets. Stop/ go traffic controls will operate at all sites. Road repairs will take place on Minchins and Coleridge Roads with traffic controls operating.

A sewer line is being installed 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.

Work to complete road repairs from a burst water main is planned at the Tennyson, Byron and Kidman Street roundabout from Tuesday 18 – Friday 21 April approximately. Detours will be in place.

Christchurch Southern Motorway extension

From Monday 17 April the sections of Weedons Ross Road between State Highway One and Jones Road, and Weedons Road between State Highway One and Levi Road will be closed both ways to traffic. A closure is also be in place on Weedons Road from Main South Road through to Levi Road. The closures are to allow cables to be laid as part of the Christchurch Southern Motorway extension project. Detours will be clearly sign-posted. Both closures will be in place up to 5 May.

Reduced speed limits continue to be in place along State Highway One north of Rolleston where four laning work continues.

Stormwater funding change

One of the issues we are consulting on in our Annual Plan is whether we should introduce a district-wide rate for stormwater to replace existing township stormwater rates. The rate would apply for properties which pay a stormwater rate currently in areas where the Council manages stormwater. Currently stormwater charges vary by township based on the cost of providing a local service. In 2015, we changed from local township rates for water and wastewater to standard charges per property.

The proposed standard district-wide stormwater rate is \$85. A national benchmarking exercise was recently undertaken comparing the \$85 charge for Selwyn against a dozen similar sized New Zealand councils, with the \$85 charge coming out as one of the lowest for stormwater. The rate for townships if local stormwater rates are retained are shown below.

Want to share your views on this issue? See the Annual Plan information below on how to make a submission.

Township	Stormwater Rate 2017/18 (\$)
Arthur's Pass	100
Castle Hill	100
Darfield	45
Doyleston	55
Dunsandel	45
Edendale	25
Glentunnel	50
Hororata	200
Kirwee	35
Lake Coleridge	220
Leeston	278

Township	Stormwater Rate 2017/18 (\$)
Lincoln	160
Prebbleton	75
Rakaia Huts	40
Rolleston	40
Southbridge	60
Springfield	25
Springston	50
Tai Tapu	150
Templeton	50
West Melton	100
Whitecliffs	45

A new health hub?

Another issue we are consulting on in our Annual Plan is whether the Council should create a new health hub in Rolleston.

Research undertaken in 2014 and 2016 showed that although Selwyn residents generally had good access to health care, there were some gaps in services with people having to travel to Christchurch for appointments with some health providers or other service agencies. As our population grows, the need for local services also increases. The proposed Health Hub would help to meet these needs, by providing a place where health and social service providers could operate from.

Under this proposal the Council would build a facility on Council owned land in Rolleston which could be leased to health professionals, not-for-profit groups, social service agencies and as commercial office space. The facility would be independently managed. The project would be an investment by the Council and would be expected to provide a return within around three years.



Share your views on our Annual Plan

To find out more about our Annual Plan and make a submission please visit www.selwyn.govt.nz/haveyoursay. We also have a quick five minute survey open on the plan. Completed survey entries will go into a draw to win a \$50 prezzy card. Both submissions and surveys are open until 3 May 2017.



Notices

ALCOHOL LICENCE **APPLICATIONS**

An application for an on and off licence renewal has been received from Karen Stone. An application for a club licence renewal has been received from the West Melton Bowling Club and from Jeet Holdings Limited for an on licence renewal. See www.selwyn.govt.nz/alcoholnotices for details.

CREATIVE COMMUNITIES FUNDING

The closing date for the Creative NZ – Creative Communities Scheme funding applications is Friday 12 May. An application form and criteria is available at www.selwyn.govt.nz or by contacting Stuart on 347 2708 or stuart.westoby@selwyn.govt.nz.

ROAD CLOSURES -ANZAC DAY

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

Burnham: Aylesbury Road (between Godley and Burdons Roads) from 5.15-8.15am 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 just south of the Clock Tower Reserve), from 10.30am-12.15pm.

Leeston: High Street (from Leeston and Lake Road to Messines Street) from 10.30am-12.30pm

Dunsandel: Leeston Dunsandel Road (from Irvines to Tramway Roads) and Tramway Road, (from Leeston Dunsandel to Browns Roads) from 8.15-9.30am

Prebbleton: Springs Road (from Tosswill to Birchs Roads) from 8.45-9.30am

Tai Tapu: Old Tai Tapu Road (from Christchurch Akaroa to Forbes Roads) from 9-9.30am.

FOSTER DOG PARK CLOSURE

The Selwyn Dog Club are holding agility events on Saturday 22 and Sunday 23 April, so the park will be closed from approximately 8am until 5pm on those days.

MOBILE LIBRARY TIMETABLE

Wednesday 19 April Rakaia Huts 9.10-9.30am

Thursday 20 April St John of God Rolleston Prebbleton Tavern 3.30-5.30pm

Monday 24 April

Upper Selwyn Huts 10-10.45am Lincoln University Learning Centre 11-11.30am Prebbleton Child Care 1.15- 1.45pm

Tuesday 25 April No visits due to public holiday

COUNCIL SERVICES -**ANZAC DAY**

Rubbish bins and bags normally collected on Tuesday 25 April will be collected on the prior Saturday 22 April. Pines Resource Recovery Park is open from 1-4pm.

Council offices, libraries and service centres are closed on Anzac Day. Selwyn Aquatic Centre is open on Anzac Day from 1-8pm. Lincoln Event Centre and Rolleston Community Centre are open for previously booked events



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 or phone 347 2800 or 318 8338 by 9am Wednesday the week before publication.

COUNCIL & COMMUNITY BOARD

Unless stated meetings are held at Rolleston Council Building

Malvern Community Board Mon 24 Apr 5pm

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

Selwyn Waihora Zone Committee

Tue 2 May 1pm Audit & Risk Subcommittee Wed 3 May 3pm Darfield Library/Service Centre

LOCAL COMMITTEES &

Association

Thurs 4 May 5.30pm via Skype

Tue 2 May 7.30pm Coalgate Fire Station

Dunsandel Community

Glentunnel Hall

Mon 24 Apr 7.30pm Kirwee Community Hall

Hall Committee

Leeston Community Committee

Leeston Park Committee

Mon 24 Apr 7.30pm Leeston Park Pavilion

Governance Committee

Wed 26 Apr 7pm Lincoln Event Centre

Association Inc.

ASSOCIATIONS

Castle Hill Community

Coalgate Township Committee

Committee

Mon 1 May 7.30pm Dunsandel Sports Centre

Glentunnel Township Committee Mon 24 April 7.30pm

Kirwee Township Committee

Ladbrooks Community

Fri 28 Apr 7.45pm, Ladbrooks Hall

Mon 1 May 7.30pm, Leeston Library Community Room

Lincoln Event Centre

Prebbleton Community

Tue 18 Apr 7.30pm Prebbleton Community Cottage

Prebbleton Reserve **Management Committee**

Tue 18 Apr 7.30pm Prebbleton Community Cottage

Rolleston Residents Association Inc.

Mon 24 Apr 7.30pm Rolleston Community Centre

Sheffield/Waddington **Community Committee** Thurs 20 Apr 7.30pm Sheffield Hall

Southbridge Advisory Committee Mon 1 May 7pm Southbridge Hall Meeting Room

Springfield Township Committee Tue 2 May 7.30pm, Tawera Hall

Springston Community Committee

Mon 24 Apr 7.30pm 399 Ellesmere Junction Road

Springston Hall Committee Fri 28 Apr 7.30pm Springston Hall

Springston Reserve Committee Wed 19 Apr 7.30pm Errol Tweedy Pavilion

Tawera Memorial Hall Committee Thurs 4 May 7.30pm, Tawera Hall

Waihora Park Reserve Committee

Tue 2 May 7.30pm Waihora Bowling Club

Selwyn Events

UNTIL

Easter Pool Fest

Selwyn Aquatic Centre, 1-3pm

Fun activities this week include Paddleboats (Tuesday), large inflatable course (Wednesday), volleyball & big paddleboats (Thursday) inflatable toys (Friday). Normal pool admission applies. Children under 8 require parent supervision

SATURDAY

APRIL

McHugh's Plantation Drop

Darfield Library & Service Centre, 9.30-11.30am

Find out more about current & future projects at McHughs

SAT-SUN

22-23 **APRIL**

NZ Ploughing Association Championships

1889 Highfield Road, Courtenay

A family day out with vintage displays, ploughing challenge, hay bale maze, arts, crafts, play pit & food stalls. Email helenaandjeff@xtra.co.nz. Gates open 8am, ploughing from 10.30am. \$10 entry, under 16s free

APRIL

ANZAC Display

Prebbleton Hall

A display of uniforms, weapons, diaries & letters from war time. Phone Daphne on 349 8886 for details

SUNDAY

Coalgate to Glentunnel walk/cycleway opening

Join us from 2pm (walkers) & 2.15pm (cyclists) at the Coaltrack Road/ Bridge Street intersection to enjoy this new path. Free sausage sizzle, tea & coffee at Glentunnel Hall. You can also visit Glentunnel Museum

SATURDAY

22&29

APRIL

Garden & Scrap Metal **Drop-Off Days**

Ellesmere & Malvern

Two opportunities to clean up your garden & yard. Days are from 10am-4pm: on Saturday 22 April at Cemetery Pit (Southbridge Leeston Road), & Saturday 29 April at Hawkins Pit (Entry off Cullens Road, east of Bangor Road). See www.selwyn.govt.nz for details

Autumn School Holiday **Programmes**

Selwyn District Libraries

Great sessions for kids including LEGO® & Science Alive sessions at libraries, Springfield & Tai Tapu. To book see www.selwynlibraries.co.nz

SATURDAY

Basic Bonsai Techniques Lincoln Envirotown Community Gardens, 9.30am-12.30pm

Join Tony Bywater for this introductory workshop. Cost \$15 (covers tree, potting mix, grow bags, morning tea & wire). Phone 325 2193 or email ruth. wood@xtra.co.nz to register by 26 Apri

Reduce fire risk on your property with good design

The Council recently invited property owners in the Port Hills to a meeting looking at reduce the risk of fires affecting this area. In dry conditions rural, lifestyle and hill property owners across the district can all be affected by fire. There are a range of strategies you can look at to reduce fire risk on your property and home including your choice of plants and landscaping, maintenance of lawns, gardens and paddocks and ensuring emergency services can access your property. One of the main ways you can reduce the fire risk to your home is to create a safety zone around your home by removing flammable material like woodstacks, long grass, tree branches and rubbish.

The autumn/ winter time is a good time to consider making changes around your home in preparation for next summer. For advice on reducing fire risk please visit www.selwyn.govt.nz.

