

2019 Triennial
Election Results



Final results have confirmed Selwyn Mayor Sam Broughton has been returned for a second term following the 2019 Selwyn District Council elections.

Three new councillors have been elected and eight councillors from the previous council have been returned.

Mr Broughton says he’s excited about the opportunity to continue leading on behalf of the district and welcomed the three new councillors.

“It’s cool to have three new faces around the Council table for the life that they will bring and the outside voices they will contribute to the discussions we have been having.”

The new Council’s priority is to meet and get to know each other and to deliver on the major projects the Council has committed to on behalf of the community, he says.

“Through the election all elected members receive a lot of feedback on how we’re doing. It’s good to know we all love living in Selwyn and we will continue to look to improve in areas where people see that need.”

Fresh water management and provision of safe drinking water to communities will continue to be a focus, he says.

“We will be meeting government legislative requirements, however we will continue to uphold our Selwyn identity and support finding local solutions to local problems.”

The final result for the Selwyn District Council elections held on Saturday 12 October is as follows.

MAYORALTY	VOTES RECEIVED	ELLESMERE WARD (2 VACANCIES)	VOTES RECEIVED
BROUGHTON, Sam	12,041	LEMON, Murray	1,842
WOODS, Bill (Independent)	4,485	EPIHA, Shane	1,009
INFORMAL	6	BAIKIE, Shelley Jane	930
BLANK VOTING PAPERS	510	INFORMAL	2
Sam BROUGHTON is declared elected		BLANK VOTING PAPERS	55
MALVERN WARD (2 VACANCIES)	VOTES RECEIVED	Murray LEMON and Shane EPIHA are declared elected	
GALLAGHER, Jenny	1,751	SPRINGS WARD (3 VACANCIES)	VOTES RECEIVED
MUGFORD, Bob (Independent)	1,611	MILLER, Grant (Independent)	3,789
WOODS, Bill (Independent)	1,260	LYALL, Malcolm	3,612
PAULING, Kerry (Independent)	1,046	HASSON, Debra (Independent)	3,340
INFORMAL	5	ROLLESTON, Riki (Independent)	1,679
BLANK VOTING PAPERS	58	INFORMAL	3
Jenny GALLAGHER and Bob MUGFORD are declared elected		BLANK VOTING PAPERS	202
SELWYN CENTRAL WARD (4 VACANCIES)	VOTES RECEIVED	Grant MILLER, Malcom LYALL and Debra HASSON are declared elected	
REID, Nicole	4,266	MALVERN COMMUNITY BOARD	
ALEXANDER, Mark (Independent)	4,018	No election was required. The following are elected:	
BLAND, Jeff	3,904	HAWKINS SUBDIVISION MALVERN WARD	
MCINNES, Sophie	2,333	Ken May	
JONES, Michelle	2,320	John (Jum) Morten	
PAYNE, Calvin (Independent)	2,218	Judith Pascoe	
LEIPPI, Travis	913	TAWERA SUBDIVISION MALVERN WARD	
INFORMAL	9	Karen Meares	
BLANK VOTING PAPERS	191	Bill Woods	

Nicole REID, Mark ALEXANDER, Jeff BLAND and Sophie MCINNES are declared elected

The voter return was 41.88%, being 16,880 votes, excluding special votes.

Anthony Morton, Electoral officer. Selwyn District Council.
17 October 2019.

Rebuilding bikes and lives

A new lease of life for old bikes is helping Selwyn school students, prisoners and people reintegrating on release from prison.

The Council has been working with Pathway—a Canterbury charity that works with people in prison and helps them reintegrate on release— and with Selwyn high schools to give old bikes a new life.

The Council’s solid waste team provides bicycles that have been taken to the Pines Resource Recovery Park to Pathway, which teaches people in the youth unit at Christchurch Men’s Prison to refurbish them. The bikes are then gifted to people Pathways Trust works with after their release.

The Council has given around 60 bikes to Pathways. A further 14 bikes have also been given to Ellesmere College and Lincoln High School for students to work on.

“Being able to have the bikes repaired and reused, instead of being shredded for scrap metal recycling was a preferred outcome in line with Council’s aims in our Waste Minimisation Plan to reduce waste and reuse items,” Council Solid Waste Manager Andrew Boyd says. “And the positive social outcome with prisoners was the icing on the cake.”

The bicycle project is a great way to help people in prison learn transferable work skills, purpose and self-esteem, Pathway employer and volunteer coordinator Renee Jones says.

“The guys love taking something which could’ve been thrown away and bringing it back to life and giving it a second chance.”

The bikes help people on release to get to medical appointments, job interviews and work placements, reconnect with family and friends or just get to the supermarket, Ms Jones says.

The Council has also worked with container company and Council supplier Royal Wolf, which has given Pathway a special Wolf Lock security container to store the bikes and parts.

“It was our way of giving back. What Pathway does helping rehabilitate prisoners coming out of prison, it’s such a worthy cause. They were in need of a container and that was something we could do to help out.”



Community Fund applications open

One of the important ways that the Council helps to build strong communities in our district is by supporting groups and organisations that contribute to community wellbeing through our Selwyn Community Fund.

The fund is available for Selwyn based not-for-profit community groups who are looking to run a project, event or initiative in the Selwyn district.

Applications for funding close 31 October, apply now at selwyn.govt.nz/selwyn-community-fund

Projects that have received funding already this year include the Futures Canterbury Selwyn Hub, Arthur’s Pass Summer Fête, Selwyn Basketball Club and West Melton Plunket Group Disco.



Notices

FLUSH YOUR TAPS

Some plumbing fittings have the potential to allow minute traces of metals to accumulate in water standing in the fittings for several hours. Although the health risk is small, the Ministry of Health recommends that you flush a mugful of water from your drinking-water tap each morning before use to remove any metals that may have dissolved from the plumbing fittings. We are recommending this simple precaution for all households, including those

on public and private water supplies. This notice is issued on behalf of the Director-General of Health, Ministry of Health.

ALCOHOL NOTICES

Straight 8 Estate has applied for the renewal of an off license. Objections to this application are open until Tuesday 5 November. For more information go to selwyn.govt.nz/alcoholnotices.

FILMING AT WADDINGTON CEMETERY

This is to advise that a film crew will be filming in the Waddington

Cemetery, on Wednesday 30 October, 10am–4pm.

SELWYN DISTRICT COUNCIL SISTER CITIES COMMITTEE

Tuesday 5 November at 5.30pm, Council Headquarters. Selwyn district has Sister Cities cultural and friendship relationships and exchange visits with our Sister Cities in Japan; China; Coventry in Rhode Island, USA; and Toraja, Indonesia; RSVP to Bernadette Ryan 3472 830 or bernadette.ryan@selwyn.govt.nz for catering purposes.

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 Therese Davel or Bernadette Ryan if you wish to speak at the Council meeting at least five 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

Council (Inaugural Meeting) & Malvern Community Board (Inaugural Meeting)

Wed 30 Oct 5pm
Tai Tapu Community Centre

Council

Wed 6 Nov 1pm
Tai Tapu Community Centre

DISTRICT COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Arthur's Pass Association Inc.
Sat 26 Oct 4pm
Arthur's Pass Community Centre

Broadfield District Community Committee – Triennial meeting

Wed 6 Nov 7.30pm
Broadfield Hall

Coalgate Township Committee

Tue 22 Oct 7.30pm
Coalgate Fire Station

Darfield Recreation & Community Centre Management Committee

Mon 4 Nov 7.30pm
Darfield Recreation and Community Centre

Doyleston Community Committee

Wed 6 Nov 7.30pm
Doyleston Hall, Osborne Park

Glentunnel Township Committee

Mon 28 Oct 7.30pm
Glentunnel Community Centre

Kirwee Recreation Reserve Management Committee – Triennial meeting

Mon 11 Nov 7.30pm
Sports Pavilion, Kirwee Recreation Reserve

Leeston Community Committee

Mon 4 Nov 7.30pm, Leeston Library Community Room

Rolleston Community Centre Management Committee –

Triennial meeting

Thu 31 Oct 7pm
Rolleston Community Centre

Rolleston Residents' Association Inc

Tue 29 Oct 7pm
Rolleston Community Centre

Springfield Township Committee – Triennial meeting

Tue 5 Nov 7.30pm
Tawera Memorial Hall

Tawera Memorial Hall Committee – Triennial meeting

Wed 6 Nov 7.30pm
Tawera Memorial Hall

Waihora Park Reserve Management Committee – AGM

Tue 5 Nov 8pm
Waihora Bowling Club, 166 Park Road, Motukarara

For more information please contact Janine Duckworth 329 7377 jaduckworth111@gmail.com

Weedons Residents' Association

Tue 5 Nov 7.30pm
Weedons Reserve Pavilion

Whitecliffs Township & Domain Committee – Triennial meeting

Mon 11 Nov 7.30pm
Glentunnel Hall

Council services on Labour Day

Council offices, Libraries and Service Centres, Rolleston Community Centre and Lincoln Event Centre will be closed on Labour Day, Monday 28 October. West Melton Community and Recreation Centre will be open only for bookings. Rubbish and recycling collection will occur as normal. Selwyn Aquatic Centre is open from 8am–8pm. Pines Resource Recovery Park is open from 9am–4.30pm.

Meet your street – your chance to host

Here in Selwyn we encourage neighbourhoods to organise your own local street gathering so you can get to know your neighbours.

Whether you'd like to run a neighbourhood BBQ, street summer sports competition, Christmas party, or a New Years' get together with your neighbours, we are offering a subsidy of up to \$75 per street gathering (conditions apply).

To fill out an application form or to find out more visit selwyn.govt.nz/meetyourstreet or email meetyourstreet@selwyn.govt.nz



On the roads this week

Springs Road will be closed between the Halswell Junction Road roundabout and Busch Lane from 7pm Friday 25 October through to 6am Tuesday 29 October and from 7pm Friday 1 November through to 6am Monday 4 November 2019. Detours will be in place. Pedestrian and cycle access will be maintained. This work is part of the Christchurch Southern Motorway extension.

Footpath construction is taking place in Darfield on Kimberley Road, North Terrace and Snowdon Place. These footpaths will be closed during the construction.

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
f [SelwynDistrictCouncil](https://www.facebook.com/SelwynDistrictCouncil)



Selwyn Events

THURSDAY

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OCTOBER

Family Harry Potter Quiz

Lincoln Library, 6–7pm

Join us for a magical evening of family fun, testing your knowledge of the world of Harry Potter.

SATURDAY

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OCTOBER

Fascinator Making Workshop

Rolleston Library, 11am–3pm

Create a unique headpiece for the races, match it to your outfit for a stand-out look. Presented by professional fashion designer and tutor Beth Monk. \$45 per person, Bookings essentials at selwynlibraries.co.nz.

SATURDAY

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OCTOBER

Bill Rodger – My self-publishing journey

Darfield Library, 1–2pm

Celebrate New Zealand Book Week with local author Bill Rodger as he shares his experiences and advice on self-publishing.

UNTIL

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OCTOBER

Spring into Art

Down by the Liffey Gallery, Lincoln, selected hours
Wednesday to Sunday

A spring exhibition by Yulia Potts, Jane Ayres and Bev Jones. Water, batiks and funky pottery. An eclectic, colourful and collectable exhibition celebrating spring.

SATURDAY

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NOVEMBER

Community Recycle Day

Cemetery Pit, Southbridge
Leeston Road, 10am–4pm

Clean up your shed and garden and drop off garden waste, scrap metal, tyres, child car seats and e-waste. Some charges may apply. General rubbish, gas bottles, items containing oil or fuel, polystyrene or soft plastic can't be accepted. Go to selwyn.govt.nz for more information.

A SPOOKTACULAR HALLOWEEN

A number of Halloween events are being held around the district for families and children of all ages.

Thursday 31 October

Halloween Disco, Lincoln Event Centre 4.30–6pm for preschoolers up to age 8, \$3 per child or \$5 per family.

Spooky Storytimes 6–7pm at all Selwyn Libraries come dressed up and enjoy more than just a spooky story.

Burnham Halloween Festival 5.30–8pm Burnham Community Centre featuring a Harry Potter tent, mad scientist lab, pirates cave and more, \$3 single ticket or \$5 per family.

Sunday 3 November

Selwyn Aquatic Centre is holding a Halloween Spooktacular pool party with inflatables, treats, face painting and a colouring in competition. Normal pool admission applies.

For information on listing a community event visit www.selwyn.govt.nz/councilcall