



Notices

DOG MICROCHIPPING

This free monthly service is available on Friday 19 March at the following places:

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

If your dog was first registered after 30 June 2006 and is not a working dog, the law requires him or her to be microchipped. Please note: All clinics last for half an hour. The Rolleston venue is in Norman Kirk Drive. All others are libraries.

Microchipping will not take place if wet. If you have any questions regarding microchipping, please contact Tracey Wheeler on 0800 SELWYN (735 996).

MALVERN WATER RACE SCHEME WATER OUTAGE

Due to culvert replacement work, there will be a planned water race outage on the Malvern scheme in the Coalgate, Darfield and Greendale areas until Saturday 20 March.

For a full map of the area affected visit selwyn.govt.nz/publicnotices.

Meetings

Public Forums: *Council, Community Board and local committees 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 Committee meetings: *To list or make changes to meeting details, email meeting.changes@selwyn.govt.nz or phone 0800 SELWYN (735 996) by 9am Wednesday the week before publication.*

COUNCIL & COMMUNITY BOARD MEETINGS

Extraordinary Council Meeting *
Wednesday 17 March 11am
Rolleston Council Offices

Malvern Community Board
Monday 22 March 4pm
Darfield Library

Council Meeting *
Wednesday 24 March 1pm
Rolleston Council Offices

**Livestreamed on the Council website and YouTube channel*

DISTRICT COMMITTEE MEETINGS

Coalgate Township Committee
Tuesday 23 March 7.30pm

Coalgate Fire Station

Glentunnel Community Committee
Monday 29 March 7.30pm
Glentunnel Community Centre

Hororata Citizens Committee
Tuesday 23 March 7.30pm
Hororata Hall

Leeston Park Committee
Monday 29 March 7.30pm
Leeston Park Pavilion

Rolleston Residents Assn Inc.
Monday 22 March 7pm
Rolleston Community Centre

Springston Committees
Wednesday 17 March 7.30pm
Errol Tweedy Pavilion,
Springston Reserve

Looking after your home

For most of us our home is our biggest single investment, so it makes sense to protect it by carrying out regular maintenance. Our building team provides seasonal advice to help you keep on top of maintaining your home.

Autumn

Autumn is a beautiful season, as the leaves on the trees change colours and the days start to shorten.

This is a great time to have a tidy up around your property and prune trees and shrubs, collect up leaves and turn them into compost. While you're picking up leaves don't forget to clean out your spouting, which gets filled up with leaves and other wind-blown debris at this time of year. This will ensure you are ready for the rain that inevitably comes with winter and won't have overflowing gutters due to blockages. And if you don't want to do this job each year, consider fitting leaf guards to your spouting.

Also check that driveway sumps and drainage channels are clear of leaves and other blockages.

Selwyn on the way with new water safety plans

Selwyn has become one of the first places in the country to receive a tick for safety of drinking water under new stricter legislation.

The Council's water safety plan for the Hororata water supply has been signed off by the Canterbury District Health Board, making it among the first in the country to be approved under the new system.

All Councils are required to regularly submit water safety plans, demonstrating that they have identified and are managing risks to keeping drinking water safe, but these requirements have become stricter under new legislation brought in since the Havelock North e-coli water contamination in 2016.

Selwyn has 27 water schemes which each require a water safety plan. Having its first plan approved is a significant step in demonstrating how the new system will operate, but a lot of work remains to get the remaining safety plans approved, particularly for non-chlorinated water supplies where requirements are much stricter. The Council is working with the District Health Board on the remaining water safety plans.

Work on the water safety plans runs alongside the Council's infrastructure work building and upgrading pump stations and water treatment plants, to increase capacity and improve water quality and safety over the past three years. Including a \$23 million district-wide programme of 59 capital works projects over the past three years.

Active Autumn is coming soon – with a chance to win great prizes

Our annual fun school challenge to get kids walking, wheeling and being active on their way to school is returning for term two. Contact: roadsafety@selwyn.govt.nz to get your school involved.



Selwyn Events

WEDNESDAY

17
MARCH

Workbridge Clinic
Rolleston Library, 1–3pm

Workbridge specialises in helping employers connect with job seekers with disabilities or health conditions. Drop-in for one-on-one support with an experienced Workbridge consultant. Free, fortnightly on a Wednesday. Bookings not required.

THURSDAY

18
MARCH

Children's Book Club
Leeston Library, 3.30–4.30pm

Share your latest reading adventures, see the new books that have arrived at the library, participate in an activity and have a snack. For those aged 5–11 years.

THURSDAY

18
MARCH

Lincoln Picnic in the Park
Lincoln Domain, 5–7pm

Enjoy a summer's evening at the park with the family, music, a free sausage sizzle, face painting and more.

SATURDAY

20
MARCH

Easter Craft Roadshow
Darfield Recreation and Community Centre, 10–11.30am

Pop down to your local community centre for some Easter crafting fun! Bookings essential selwyn.govt.nz/events.

SUNDAY

21
MARCH

Lincoln Basketball Jam
Flemington Playground, 1–4pm

Jump into a 3X3 basketball game. No registration required. Come with a team, join one, or just cheer one on. Or enjoy one of our other games, music and prizes. Don't miss a special appearance from the Canterbury Rams players.

MONDAY

22
MARCH

Hui Mātua
Darfield Library, 10am–12pm

An informal drop-in session for people looking to connect with other caregivers, access parents education opportunities or learn about community supports. Hosted by Birthright – a not-for-profit organisation specialising in working with families, including one or two-parent families, blended families, mātua whāngai and grandparents. Free. Bookings not required.

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

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

Lincoln Library & Service Centre
Gerald Street, Lincoln
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