

Foster Park Wins Recreation Award

Selwyn District Council has won the 'Active Park/Sportsground of the Year' for Foster Park, at the Recreation Aotearoa Awards evening held on 30 May.

Representatives from Selwyn District Council, RSL Consultancy and MCL Contracting accepted the award on behalf of the many Council staff, sports clubs, consultants and contracting companies who have made Foster Park the premier sport and recreation park it is today in the Selwyn District.

Phil Millar, Major Projects Manager at Selwyn District Council, says "It is a real honour for Selwyn to receive this award and it is a recognition of the vision and hard work of many people over the past 15 years to create Foster Park and make it the excellent destination it is today."

At many stages throughout the project from as early as 2009, the community has had their input into the development of Foster Park.

Phil says, "the community and sports clubs have helped shaped the development of Foster Park, and that is why I believe it has been such a success."

Selwyn District Council especially wants to acknowledge the great work of consultants: Boffa Miskell, RSL Consultancy, Warren & Mahoney Architects and Incite Planners.

We would also like to acknowledge the excellent work of contractors: MCL Contracting, Corde, Grounds and Services Ltd, Polytan, Armitage Williams, Naylor Love, Watts and Hughes, Apollo Projects, Nor West Contracting, Downer, WaterForce, Arnold Jensen Electrical and Connetics.

We also want to acknowledge the late John F. Reid's vision and excellence in leading the Foster Park Project for five years while he was Major Projects Manager at Selwyn District Council. The Council dedicates this award to the memory of John.

Dog Microchipping Clinics

Our free monthly microchipping clinics are taking place on Friday 21 June at the following locations.

- Leeston Library & Service Centre: 9am to 9.30am
- Lincoln Library & Service Centre: 9am to 9.30am
- Council Offices, Rolleston:
 11am to 11.30am

No clinic at Darfield this month. Please note clinics will not take place if wet. Any questions, please contact Animal Control on **0800 SELWYN (735 996)**



Council and Community Board Meetings

Council Meeting*

Wednesday 12 June 1pm, Rolleston Council Offices.

Community Services Committee Meeting
Wednesday 19 June 9am, Rolleston Council Offices.*

* Livestreamed on the Council YouTube channel.

Growing community connections at ReNourish

ReNourish is a community garden with a twist.

Located at Pines Resource Recovery Park, ReNourish is more than just growing plants, it's about cultivating connections, sharing knowledge, and establishing a sense of community. It's a place where the next generation of gardeners can learn from experienced ones.

ReNourish is a low impact garden based on sustainable and ecological principles. It focuses on using resources wisely by repurposing, recycling, and recovering materials for beneficial use.

You'll see all sorts of repurposed items and

materials used in a variety of ways at ReNourish as well as compost bins, worm farms and other demonstrations on turning waste into treasure.

Join us for soup and hot drinks to celebrate the opening of ReNourish at our Garden Open Day on Saturday, 22 June. This event is part of our Community Gardens Tour, which also visits gardens at Te Ara Ātea and Brookside Road.

You are welcome to attend one, two, or all three tours. The tours are free, but please register so we can plan for the number of attendees.

Find out more and register at selwyn.govt.nz/events



Deep Restore Yoga

16 June - 14 July
West Melton Community
and Recreation Centre and
Selwyn Sports Centre.

Find out more and bookings required at selwyn.govt.nz/events

Winter Pool Party

Sunday 16 June 2pm - 4pm Selwyn Aquatic Centre.

Bookings preferred at selwyn.govt.nz/events
Normal pool entry applies

Preserving by Dehydration

Thursday 20 June, 6.30-7.45pm Te Ara Ātea.

Bookings required at selwynlibraries.co.nz/events

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