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## Music Month comes to Selwyn

New Zealand Music Month is coming to Selwyn District Libraries this month.

Enjoy free interactive performances for children with ensembles from the Christchurch Symphony Orchestra (CSO), as well as a variety of Ministry of the Mind Music artists brought to libraries in conjunction with Arts, Culture & Heritage Selwyn.

The CSO 'Music Trails through the Library' sessions are a fun and interactive way of introducing young children to live music. These 45-minute interactive performances by CSO ensembles have elements of song, stories and dance, and are a great opportunity for children to see the instruments up close and join in with the musical fun.

The two CSO performances occur on Thursday 3 May at Rolleston Library and Monday 14 May at Lincoln Library, from 10.30–11.15am. A caregiver is required for all children.

Ministry of the Mind Music features Picking at the Remnants, Alex Hardy and Patrick, Moonflower, and Hanna Hogg. All artists will be using vocals and acoustic instruments only in these sessions, and are aiming to provide pleasant background acoustic classic (soft) rock and popular music to the libraries. These sessions take place each Saturday during May at each Selwyn District Libraries branch (Rolleston, Darfield, Leeston and Lincoln), and run from 11.30am to 1pm, including breaks.

All Music Month events in Selwyn are free, with no bookings required, however spaces are limited.

See [www.selwynlibraries.co.nz](http://www.selwynlibraries.co.nz) for more details.

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