

# The Peril

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Advertisements for insertion can be e-mailed to the above address (with a billing address provided) or left at the Amuri Community Library. Closing day and time for both is 4pm on Monday. When there is a Public Holiday on a Monday the deadline will be extended to 9am the next day (Tuesday). Regular advertising by arrangement.

Emailed classified ads (not businesses/community groups/clubs) will need to be paid **IN ADVANCE** directly into our bank account by close of bank business on a **MONDAY** for the ad to appear that Thursday (20c per word - minimum \$2). If there is no payment received the ad **WILL NOT** appear that week, ie **NO PAYMENT, NO AD**.

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**Businesses: Full Page \$50, ½ Page \$35, ¼ Page \$25, ⅓ Page \$20, 1/16 Page \$15. If you require an ad to be designed this will incur a \$10 fee (businesses only). All GST inclusive.**

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## COMMUNITY NOTICES

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027 448 6583 - Isaiah

Landline: 03 314 2044

Email: [livingwatershurunuioutreach@gmail.com](mailto:livingwatershurunuioutreach@gmail.com)

You can also send us a private message through messenger.

**Family Violence – It's Not OK** – get help on 0800 456 450

**Women's Refuge** 0800 REFUGE (733 843)

For emergencies ring 111, North Canterbury Police 105

**Lifeline** 0800 543 354, **Youthline** 0800 376 633 or text HELP (4357) for free, 24/7, confidential support.

**AMURI COMMUNITY ARTS COUNCIL** – Art Competition 2022 – Steampunk – entries are due by 2<sup>nd</sup> July 2022. For full details and an application form please see The Peril dated 4<sup>th</sup> February 2022, available on Amuri Area School's website or click here: <https://hail.to/amuri-area-school/publication/LRVJ7IW/article/GWNjkVJ>

Amuri Community Website  
[www.amuri.org.nz](http://www.amuri.org.nz)

## COMMUNITY NOTICES

**THE CULVERDEN GALLERY** will be having a closing sale on Friday 20<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> 10 am to 4pm each day.

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## CHURCH NOTICES

### AMURI CO-OPERATING PARISH

**May 22<sup>nd</sup>** 10:00am @ St Mary's, Rotherham; with Bishop Peter Carrell

**May 29<sup>th</sup>** 10:00am @ St Mary's, Rotherham; with guest speaker

**June 5<sup>th</sup>** 10:00am @ St Mary's, Rotherham; Holy Communion

Thank you to all those who carefully and kindly continue to journey together through these challenging times.

### CATHOLIC PARISH of the GOOD SHEPHERD

Visit [www.catholichurunui.nz](http://www.catholichurunui.nz) for information. Parish phone 03 319 8730. Hawarden Mass on 22nd May at 10:30am. Note : no Mass at Culverden this Saturday.

### GOD'S MINISTRY CHRISTIAN CHURCH CULVERDEN

*This is a Filipino Church, but generally English speaking.*

Worship Service every Saturday 7:30-9pm  
@ Culverden Tearooms.

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Pastor Danny Cruz – 021 168 3724

## SITUATIONS VACANT



Amuri Transport has a Hiab Driving Position available within our Freight Division based at our Culverden Depot.

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- Good work ethic
- Be well organised
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Where: Location details provided prior to events

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Amuri Community  
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**Ph: 03 315 6328**

**Fax: 03 315 6592**

40 Wilkin Street

Email: [reception@amurihc.co.nz](mailto:reception@amurihc.co.nz)  
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### In an emergency dial 111

#### Hours of Business:

8.30am – 5pm

#### Appointments available:

9am-12.30pm & 2pm-4.30pm  
Monday-Friday

#### After Hours:

5pm-9am Monday to Friday  
(GP on Call)

Public holidays & weekends  
(GP on Call)

#### Phone our practice anytime, day or night for assistance.

The after-hours phone is connected to and answered by an afterhours registered nurse, who will assess your needs, offer advice, or arrange immediate assistance from the on-call doctor or rural nurse. (The triage nurse may take a few minutes to answer.)

**Healthworks Pharmacy:**  
**0800 347 7367**

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**0800 924 5274**

### Patient Surveys

Patients are contacted via a random selection process every three months to participate in a Patient Care Survey for patients over the age of 15 years, conducted by the **Health Quality & Safety Commission New Zealand**.

Please let us know if your email address has changed or needs to be updated.

It would be great if asked, you are able to make time to complete this upcoming survey.

The information gathered is used to monitor and improve health services nationwide for the benefit of patients, so feedback is very important.

Thanks, the team at Amuri Health.

### Vacancy - Cleaner

We have a permanent part time position available for a cleaner at Amuri Community Health Centre, Monday – Friday two hours per day outside usual business hours.

Are you

- Self-motivated?
- Reliable and can work on your own unsupervised?
- Someone with high standards?

Please apply in writing stating relevant experience and two referees, to:

Ken McIntosh  
Practice Manager  
Amuri Community Health Centre  
40 Wilkin Street  
Rotherham 7379  
Or emailed to [manager@amurihc.co.nz](mailto:manager@amurihc.co.nz)

### **Personnel Appointment Availability Each Week:**

#### **Dr Margriet Dijkstra:**

Monday, Tuesday, Thursday & Friday

#### **Dr Sarah Ballam:**

TBC

#### **Dr Ezra Schofield:**

Wednesdays

#### **Practice Nurses:**

Monday – Friday

#### **District Nurses:**

Monday, Wednesday & Friday

#### **Physio: Chris Dixon**

**027 420 9766 / 03 315 6328**

#### **Podiatry: Andrew Hawkey**

**027 220 9395**

### Farewells and Hellos

Amuri Health farewells Dr Victor Buckwalter who has been with us here for the past year. Victor will be missed by staff and the community. He returns home to his family in the US, and we wish him and his family all the best.

We welcome Dr Margriet Dijkstra as a permanent member of the Amuri team. Some of you may already see Margriet, who will be available for appointments four days each week.

We have welcomed Dr Ezra Schofield, who will be working on Wednesdays each week until the end of July.



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**DOORS OPENS AT 6:30, QUIZ STARTS AT 7:30**

**\$50.00 per team of 4**



**Grab a group of friends and come for a great night out.**

**Supper is included in your entry fee.**

**Enter your team by calling**

**Sam or Geoff on 03 315 8405**

**Limited to first 16 teams.**

**We are also running our awesome raffle baskets again this year!!**



# St John Ambulance CULVERDEN



***We are still looking for volunteers.***

Please talk to Ann Cleaver the Station Officer if you would like to become a volunteer.

Ann can be contacted at the Station on 03 15 8306 or by e-mail [ann.cleever@stjohn.org.nz](mailto:ann.cleever@stjohn.org.nz)

As you can see from the details below we are a busy station and we need more volunteers to fill the roster.

From 1<sup>st</sup> December 2021 to 31<sup>st</sup> March 2022 the ambulances travelled 23 724 km and the crews did 183 jobs taking 532 volunteer hours.

Visit from the Westpac helicopter. Take a look inside an ambulance.  
Find out about what all the equipment in the ambulance does.  
Have your blood pressure taken. Check your blood sugar level.  
Talk to crew members about what it is like to be a volunteer  
ambulance officer

**COMING SOON – date to be arranged**

# CULVERDEN VOLUNTEER FIRE BRIGADE

## Winter Road Safety Tips

Are you visible on the road to other drivers?

Lights on during the darker mornings, evenings and when it is foggy, or raining. **Drive to the conditions and Be Seen!**

## SMOKE ALARMS

- Check smoke alarms are working/replace battery if required
- Inspect smoke alarm for expiry date
- Keep alarms dust & spider free

Fire & Emergency NZ recommends you install photoelectric smoke alarms. For further advice give Craig Ritchie a call 027 470 5388

Landlords and Farm Owners please ensure all your houses have working smoke alarms.

## Home Fire Safety Tips

### Once a fire starts, it spreads very quickly!

- Clean your stove top after every use as spilled fat build up can easily catch fire.
- **Keep looking while you're cooking!** Never leave cooking unattended.
- Never throw water onto a fry pan that is on fire. Instead place the fry pan lid or a chopping board on the pan to starve the fire of oxygen.
- **Heater metre rule:** keep flammables at least 1m away from any heat sources.
- Replace your electric blanket every 5 years. Worn and old electric blankets can cause an electric shock and fire.
- Never sleep with an electric blanket turned on, even on low temperatures.
- **LPG gas heaters:** if they don't light straight away, turn it off and then try again. Don't allow the gas to build up before trying to relight.
- **Laundry:** empty the clothes dryer filter after every use to reduce fire risk. Ensure there is proper ventilation and air space around the dryer.

For home safety advice check out [www.fireandemergency.nz/at-home](http://www.fireandemergency.nz/at-home)

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