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Landline: 03 314 2044

Email: livingwatershurunuioutreach@gmail.com

You can also send us a private message through messenger.

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www.heartspacehealing.co.nz Medbury Road, Hawarden Phone/Text Juliette 022 362 4013

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https://hurunui-index.nz

Find how to contact clubs, charities and other local community organisations. If you want your organisation added please email us at admin@hurunui-index.nz

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COMMUNITY NOTICES

Hawarden - Waikari and Amuri Lions Clubs

GLENHOPE STATION 4 WHEEL DRIVE RUN

Courtesy of the Alfeld family. SUNDAY 23rd APRIL

This is a rare opportunity to visit a spectacular wilderness area and working sheep & beef farm. The station is Northwest of Hanmer Springs and adjacent to the St James conservation area on the way to the Lewis Pass. This is on SH7, 31kms

Large Hawarden - Waikari Lions banner at gateway. Meet at 9am. Vehicles move off at 10am.

NO DOGS - you are travelling on a working farm.
This drive is for 4WD vehicles with suitable tyres and road clearance.

Right of refusal for unsuitable vehicles.

from the Hanmer turnoff.

BYO lunch. \$5.00 bacon buttie at start. Cash only. Entries on-line. Go to Amuri Lions Club facebook page for on line bookings.

COST \$90.00 per vehicle when booked on line.

Pay on day is \$100.00 per vehicle.

CASH ONLY, NO EFTPOS facilities

CONTACT.

Hamish Roxburgh 027 6017860 roxburgh@amuri.net Bill Suckling 027 4422180 suckling@amuri.net

COMMUNITY NOTICES

Update from Dave Hislop Hurunui District Council West Ward Councillor

A few reflections of a new West Ward Councillor. I have been appointed to the Strategy and Community, Road Safety and Youth Council as sub committees. Regionally I'm on the ECAN Climate Action committee, Canterbury Regional Landfill and Canterbury Waste Minimisation committee. This has been a big learning curve with lots of meetings and workshops.

For a person who is used to making decisions quickly and getting projects done when needed, the council is a different beast. Commercial boards are elected by the shareholders to govern the business and then "get on with business". It feels on the council we don't make any decisions unless you, the ratepayers, are consulted and agree first. Local government is governed by the process of consultation, annual plan, long term plan and the Local government Act and legislation from central government. However, I do push common sense, pragmatism, de-centralisation and bottom line, "don't just talk about it, get it done".

Our February council meeting covered Council Code of Conduct, our Three Waters submission, roading update and financial updates. Ongoing workshops have been on coastal retreat and strategy. We have site visited Ecosort where Hurunui's recycling is most definitely "sorted" into many different recycling streams for further processing. My emphasis this term is to push roading maintenance improvements, this has huge challenges but it will not be the forgotten child.

Please contact me or other West Ward councillors with any concerns or issues but most importantly positive solutions.

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Karen Armstrong 0274 383364
karen.armstrong@hurunui.govt.nz
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ross.barnes@hurunui.govt.nz
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Field Day at Tiromoana Bush on 17 April 2023

You're invited to see and experience the Tiromoana Bush native forest restoration project at Kate Valley in a special field day arranged by the Hurunui Biodiversity Trust.

Learn directly about this ambitious conservation project from Emeritus Professor David Norton FLS FNZIF of Te Kura Ngahere, University of Canterbury, who has been the driving force behind this native forest restoration project.

David will lead a guided tour through the regenerating bush and give presentations on the planting programme and challenges of predator control.

Attendance is strictly limited and will be allocated on a 'first come' basis. To avoid disappointment please confirm your attendance by emailing Garry Forward (garry.forward@outlook.com) no later than Friday 7 April.

Attendees will be emailed an information pack for the day.

SITUATIONS VACANT

Casual farm work available on sheep and beef farm, call 027 843 5698.



HELP! Relief Teachers Needed!

Are you a registered teacher with a current practising certificate and a few spare hours during the week? Are you looking for a bit of part time work in a stimulating and supportive school environment? Then we need YOU! Please contact Janet on 027 351 4656 or email at janet@amuri.school.nz.

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Amuri Community Website www.amuri.org.nz

Antenatal Education

Expecting a baby in May, June or July?

Join us for our Culverden Antenatal Course!

9am-4pm Culverden Fire Station \$290 per couple

Contact - Jaimee 027 378 2476 www.empoweredparents.co.nz



CHURCH NOTICES

CATHOLIC PARISH of the GOOD SHEPHERD

Saturday 1st April - Culverden Mass at 6:30pm. HOLY THURSDAY 6th April - Amberley 7:00pm. GOOD FRIDAY 7th April - Amberley 3:00pm. EASTER VIGIL Mass - Saturday 8th April, Culverden at 7:00pm. Note: no 5pm Mass at Hanmer.

GOD'S MINISTRØHRISTIAN CHURC CULVERDEN

Saturday 7:30pm @ Culverden Tearooms

March Theme: The Strength of God

Everyone welcome for shared meal before worship

Please contact Manel - 02108173649

Garage Sale – 8th April Saturday 9am, beside the Tearooms. Proceeds will go back to the community.



2023 COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARDS

The Hurunui District Council is calling for nominations for worthy recipients of a Community Service Award.

These awards recognise a long period of exceptional service to the Community, by residents of Hurunui District.

A maximum of six nominees may be selected - one from each community i.e. Cheviot, Glenmark, Hanmer Springs, Amuri, Hurunui and Amberley.

Information and nomination forms can be downloaded and printed from the Council website **www.hurunui.govt.nz**, from Council office in Amberley, or the Service Centres/Libraries in Amberley, Culverden, Cheviot, Hawarden and Hanmer Springs.

Completed forms should be sent to:

Maree Hare, Hurunui District Council, P O Box 13, Amberley 7441,
by 5.00 pm Monday 1 May 2023.



Plunket Rooms: Update and THANK YOU

Over five years ago, our communities resolved to reclaim the Plunket rooms and associated land which had been moved out of local ownership, and into the ownership of Plunket NZ.

This was done to uphold the intentions of locals who had donated land and volunteered many hours in order to provide a local asset and to ensure that young mothers and babies remained healthy.

The Culverden and Waiau assets have now been returned to the community, the Waikari-Hawarden rooms sold and a portion of the sale proceeds given back to the Waikari-Hawarden community.

We would like to thank those who have made this happen.

- The families who donated land; the Davies family donated land in Waiau.
- Members of all those Plunket committees over the years who have given up valuable time to ensure the services kept coming and the rooms were clean, inviting places to visit; Waiau, Culverden and Hawarden-Waikari, Hurunui Sub Branch and Canterbury Branch.
- Brona Youngman, Jess Davison and Renee Dampier-Crossley for doing the homework, asking the questions, attending all those meetings and being the squeaky wheel.
- Dick Davison for mobilising our communities to care, and to donate to our 'fighting fund'.
- Those of you who donated to our 'fighting fund'.
- Grant Edmundson of Helmore Stewart Lawyers, Rangiora. Grant made many visits to our area and his tenacity and many hours of work, pro bono (for free!) got us the outcome we had hoped for.
- Amuri Community Trust trustees; Don McLean, Jane Northcote, Tom McIntosh, Judy Meikle, Grant Hay and Anne Gardiner. The Waiau and Culverden Plunket rooms and associated land has been transferred into the Trust's ownership. It is the Trust's ultimate responsibility to ensure these community assets can pay for themselves, and can be used for the benefit of the relevant community as intended.
- Hawarden-Waikari Community Trust, who hold the portion of funds returned from the sale of the Waikari rooms, which are tagged to be used for a future facility to be decided by the Waikari-Hawarden community.

It is up to all of us to be involved and to keep our communities as vibrant as they are now. If you have any ideas, please contact:

Jane Northcote, secretary of Amuri Community Trust (Waiau and Culverden) whalesback@xtra.co.nz 03 315 6081 or 027 657 9012

Karen Armstrong (Hawarden-Waikari) Karen.armstrong@hurunui.govt.nz or 027 438 3464



Ph: 03 315 6328 Fax: 03 315 6592

40 Wilkin Street Rotherham

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Flu Vaccines & Covid Vaccine **Booster**

Flu vaccines are available from the 1st April 2023, protect yourselves this winter! Vaccination clinics are available on Thursdays primarily, ring reception on 03 315 6328 to arrange an appointment.

Vaccines are fully funded for the following:

- You are 65 years and over
- Children aged 6 months to 12 years of age
- You are pregnant
- Adults and children who have a high risk medical condition
- Māori and Pacific peoples aged 55 and over

Non-funded vaccines cost \$30 for registered adults and children.

Non-funded vaccines cost \$40 for nonregistered patients.

In addition to the current Covid Vaccine information Te Whatu Ora has recommended a further booster which can be given at the same time as the Flu vaccine. Patients are required to meet the following criteria:

- Completed the primary covid vaccination course
- Be a minimum of 3 months since their last covid vaccination
- Be a minimum of 3 months since a positive covid test

Remember, immunisation is the best way to protect our communities and Whanau from infection and serious illness. If you have any questions or concerns, please phone to speak with a practice nurse on **03 315 6328** Thanks, the team at Amuri Health.

Personnel Available

Dr Margriet Dijkstra:

Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday & Thursday

Dr Sarah Ballam:

Wednesday, Thursday & Friday

Charlie Ballam:

Thursday each week

Practice Nurses:

Monday – Friday

District Nurses:

Monday, Wednesday & Friday

Closed:

Friday 7th April (Good Friday) Monday 10th April (Easter) Tuesday 25th April (ANZAC Day)

Physio: Chris Dixon 027 420 9766 / 03 315 6328 **Physiotherapy Clinics**

Chris Dixon holds a clinic here at the Health Centre every **Thursday**.

Phone reception on 03 315 6328 to book an appointment or contact Chris directly, on 027 420 9766.

Pace Podiatry: Andrew Hawkey 027 220 9395 **Podiatry Clinics**

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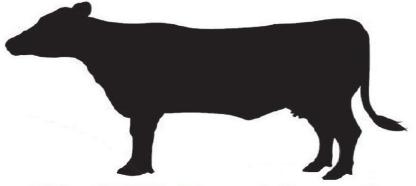


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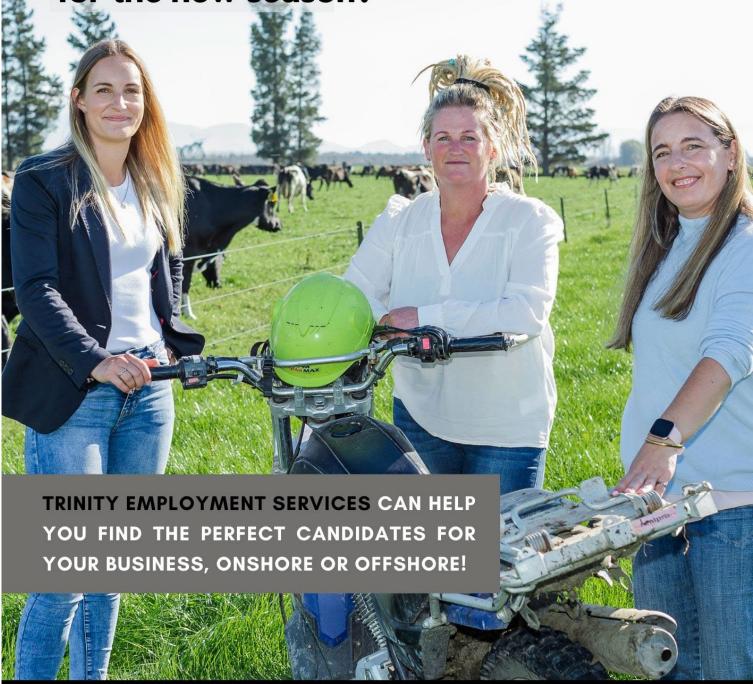


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