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Meet Father Christmas, shop and sample from the market stalls, enjoy the music, and watch the Lincoln Christmas Parade on Saturday 9 December!

Lincoln Community Christmas Parade and Market has been happening for over 40 years; a community event celebrating all things Christmas and community.

Perfect time to buy all those last-minute gifts from one of the many market stalls and grab a bite to eat as well. The market gets going early and will be in full swing by 9am stretching from The Famous Grouse to The Laboratory.

The main street is closed so there will be plenty of space to explore the stalls and the many food options for snacks and drinks until the parade clears the street at 10.30am.

Come and buy some Christmas presents, plants for the garden, treats for Christmas day and support the stalls that make this day possible. The Lincoln Rotary Club and the Lincoln Volunteer Fire Brigade will be running great raffles as usual. Clown Adam Allsorts will be in full entertainment mode along the main street. Lincoln Farmers' and Craft Market will be in its normal location next to the Lincoln Library, spilling out onto the green behind.

The parade starts at 10.30am and many local clubs and businesses enter, along with schools, kindergartens, scouts, guides and all those colourful old tractors will be out of the shed for a day in the sunshine! There are fabulous prizes for the best floats. First \$500, second \$200, third \$100. Get your creative energy going and enter a float, cycle, scooter or march; decorate, dress-up, "go completely over the top". Email lincoln.xmasfloats@gmail.com to register, and Terrance will get back to you with more information.



As always we'll have the popular Decorated Bikes Competition for children up to age 6. Just turn up. We will be under the oak tree next to the library – be there by 9.45am for judging at 10am followed by all bikes and children joining the parade. Check out the pictures of last year's entries for ideas!

After the parade from 11am–12.30pm come and meet Father Christmas in his grotto on the lawn outside Selwyn Print at 13 Gerald Street for a photo opportunity and of course let him know what is on your Christmas list. Lavender Fairy Face Painting will be here too.

There's a huge variety of musical entertainment. Ellesmere Big Band and their vocalists will be playing from 9.30am until 12pm outside iSushi. Music in the parade will include the Woolston Junior Brass Band, the Ellesmere Highland Pipe Band, and Lincoln Primary School Band. After the parade the Woolston Concert Brass Band will perform at 11am on the green behind the library. And the Lincoln Primary School band will perform under the oak tree by the library after the parade.

It's a great day to celebrate our 'little' town, be proud of all our clubs and service providers and catch up with friends and neighbours.

It's a parade that you can get close-up and personal with, wave and support the people you know in the parade. You might even manage to catch one of those lollies that the Lincoln clowns will be giving away! Start a family tradition this year and build those memories.

Your hosts are a group of local Christmas loving volunteers (we're a non-profit organisation). You'll see us about in our bright pink hi-vis vests. Feel free to ask how to get involved for this year or next, contact lincolnxmasparade@gmail.com

See the event programme on page 22!

Lincoln Community and Residents' Association Incorporated

Lincoln Residents held a meeting in the Todd lounge, Lincoln Event Centre, on Monday 6th November 2023. This was a public meeting to progress the establishment of the Lincoln Community and Residents' Association Incorporated.

Matter discussed at the meeting:

1. **Constitution** – The Constitution as tabled was approved for the establishment of a Lincoln Community and Residents' Association and dated 6 November 2023.
2. **Future Planning** – After general discussion it was agreed to ask the Lincoln Community what they want a Community and Residents Association to achieve in respect of the purpose and culture of the Association.

Points of discussion:

- Use of media – Facebook, Lincoln Community Newspaper, Selwyn Times.
- Lincoln University Students Association have six editions of their RAM magazine.
- Send an email to groups within the Community to let them all know about the Lincoln Community and Residents' Association. Let the groups know the Association is there for them and ask them to make suggestions and share ideas, for forward planning.

- Create a Lincoln Community and Residents Association Facebook Page, with links to the already established Lincoln Community Facebook Page. This page would inform residents of meetings, matters for discussion and the meeting Minutes each month would be posted.
- The Residents Association needs to promote Lincoln and be an advocate between the residents and the Selwyn District Council.
- Funding – When the legal entity has been formalised funding applications can then be made to continue the work of enhancing the Lincoln Community and advocating on the residents' behalf. Rātā/Rotary/Lincoln Community Trust, Selwyn District Council Community Grants, were suggested.
- Areas already undertaken by the dis-established Lincoln Community Committee, should still be noted when the new Committee is formed. There are some long standing items still awaiting resolution.
- There should be a 'drive' to get new membership. A stall at the weekly Lincoln Farmers' market, one Saturday a month, to inform residents, was suggested.
- Long term planning – The Residents need to have the opportunities to consult with the Selwyn District Council on what the community needs.

The committee welcomes any comments and feedback or any matters of interest you have to share with the community. Have your say about what you think.

editorial info.

Lincoln Community News is the official newsletter of the Lincoln Community and Residents' Association Incorporated. It is produced by The Selwyn Printing Company and comes out monthly, with the exception of January.

We're seeking stories!

Do you have a story to share? We are always looking for news and information about what is happening in Lincoln and the Selwyn District. We'd like to hear the stories of residents' achievements, exciting happenings, community developments and more! This is a community newsletter and we welcome your voice.

Deadline is 20th of month preceding publication month. Text should be supplied as a non-formatted Word or Text document. Please supply any images as high resolution JPEG files. Adverts should be supplied as print ready, high resolution PDF files.


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Rotary Club of Lincoln turns 50

The Rotary Club of Lincoln has been serving the community since it started in October 1973. Currently, the club has a membership of around 60 which is still growing.

The anniversary formal dinner was held at Lincoln University on 28th October, 2023. More than 100 members, partners and guests enjoyed this major milestone. This included a few charter members and in particular, the club's first president, Graeme Sim who gave his reflection about the first ten years of the club. This was followed by other senior members talking about the major highlights from each decade till present.

Rotary South Island District Governor, Phil Gully, said in his address that Lincoln Rotary is the biggest club in the Rotary District 9999, and its contribution to wider Rotary activities is impressive.

"By all measures, Lincoln is a highly successful club; many of the things we do are made possible by the money we raise. Through such efforts, the club supports



the primary and high schools in the area, Community Care Association, Child Cancer and more. A new initiative from Lincoln Rotary Club is *Love Your Locals* which invites people to give back their time or money for the community in need. The Club also has a focus on youth and has spawned a local Rotaract Club."

At international level, Lincoln supports the global campaign for polio eradication as well as projects for the Pacific Islands. So far, Rotarians and Rotary Clubs around the world have contributed an estimated \$2.2 billion towards the eradication of polio.

During the evening, contributions made by a few members were recognised. Selwyn Mayor, Sam Broughton was awarded a Paul Harris Fellowship, a prestigious Rotary International award. This was in recognition of Sam's contribution to Selwyn District.

SEEKING STORAGE

Lincoln Rotary are looking for a storage facility to rent long term in the Lincoln/Rolleston area to use for the storage and sorting of books for their possible fundraising book sale. The facility needs to be dry, rodent-free and secure, with an area of approximately 200m². If you can help, please contact Grahame Richards on 021 117 7453.

Rotary is an international not-for-profit organisation which provides humanitarian service, encourages high ethical standards in all vocations, and helps build goodwill and peace in the world. Approximately 1.2 million Rotarians belong to more than 36,000 Rotary clubs in more than 220 countries worldwide. If interested in Lincoln Rotary activities, email secretary.lincolnrotary@gmail.com

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If you enjoyed your day at the 2023 Spring Fling you will be keen to know how much your generosity benefited particularly the elderly of the district and if you could not make it this year you will be keen to know what you missed and why you should promise yourself to come next year.

A stunning day brought success to the Spring Fling Fete at the award winning Broadfield Garden. The major sponsors were Intelligro and Southern Woods but a myriad of other people contributed goods to help the event.

This stand-alone event is run by a voluntary Board alongside Lincoln and Districts Community Care's own band of volunteers but also volunteers from Rotary and Lincoln Men's Shed.

The tours around the magnificent gardens were so popular that some groups had to be split up. People on the tours wished that their own back yards were so lovingly cared for.

Live entertainment was provided by Lincoln Old Boys Band and the Ellesmere Big Band and Duncan Sole as MC kept the crowd well informed.

So many young families enjoyed a picnic



Marion Burnett and Isabel Moore ran the continuous raffle

The music from the gazibo and the stalls selling artisan wares

Michael Fenton and Alex Hayward enjoy catching up.

day while listening to the wonderful music provided.

The silent auction was well supported and the Arthurs Pass trip, Hanmer Tourist Package, turbo-vacuum, cowhide rug, and the TV were in hot demand and all attracted between 9 and 13 bids. The continuous raffles were popular with 540 tickets being sold and 45 people walking away with a prize.

Our cake stall was a great success. The volume and array of delicious homemade baking, and relish, jams, jellies, sweets etc., were wonderful. Everything was made by our wonderful volunteers. Many comments were heard on the day about the selection, how hard it was to make choices and huge amount of baking on offer. Everything was sold, which just showed home baking is still sought after.

Devonshire teas were a real hit this year and will need a larger venue next year.

The stall holders displayed products which people were pleased to buy and so they are keen to return next year.

Because this was the 10th Spring Fling, an area in the main tent was set aside to entertain people who had a long association with the fete.

The truly wonderful effort raised a little more money than the last Spring Fling before Covid shut down the event for three years. Just goes to show that the approximately 1,100 people who came to the event remembered, from 2019, just how wonderful the day, the atmosphere and the garden was.

All the volunteers need to be very proud of themselves for making this event so successful for the community to enjoy and to raise funds for Lincoln & Districts Community Care to support the welfare of their community.

Kind regards,
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We have some wonderful films heading into the festive season. Here's a selection of what we have playing this month...

It's a Wonderful Life *Christmas / Drama / Family*

One of the best Christmas movies of all time! This year there is a noticeable gap in new release films when it comes to Christmas films, so we thought we would screen a classic for all you Christmas lovers!

It's a Wonderful Life uses the story of George Bailey to show how communities are connected, and how one person impacts so many lives. An angel is sent from Heaven to help a desperately frustrated George by showing him what life would have been like if he had never existed. Funny, well-acted, well-scripted, memorable characters, a heartwarming story, and of course romance... it has all the makings of a Christmas classic!

Trolls Band Together *Kids / Family*

The third Trolls film, *Trolls Band Together* is another amusing, eye-catching and upbeat animated jukebox musical comedy that will entertain the whole family while delivering some nice life lessons. Lots of big stars provide the voices to these colourful and charming characters including the ultimate boy band member Justin Timberlake. Triple the Trolls, Triple the Music!

One Life *Biography*

Special screenings on 1, 2 & 3 December, then from 27 December

Some of our team have been lucky enough to watch a sneak preview of this film, and can report that it is definitely one not to miss. Sir Anthony Hopkins is absolutely brilliant starring as Sir Nicholas 'Nicky' Winton, whose unsung endeavours on the eve of World War II saved more than 600 children from their doom at the hands of the Nazis. Nicky considered himself a banker, not a humanitarian. Yet when he visited a recently annexed Prague in 1938 and saw the state of the fleeing Jewish refugees, he did what he believed was the right thing to do – the thing that anyone would do – and dedicated himself to the cause. War was approaching, and it was a race against time. How many children could he liberate before it ran out?



Fifty years later, it's 1988 and Nicky is haunted by the fate of the children he wasn't able to help. And so it's not until he's surprised by the survivors on live television that he can accept that when facing devastating atrocities, saving even one life is a victory, and the British public learn the truth about the hero hidden in their midst. This one's a tear jerker – don't forget your tissues!

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Next Goal Wins *Comedy / Sports* *From 7 December*

Directed by our very own Academy Award winner Taika Waititi, *Next Goal Wins* follows the American Samoa soccer team, infamous for their brutal 31-0 FIFA loss in 2001. With the World Cup qualifiers approaching, the team hires down-on-his-luck, maverick coach Thomas Rongen (Michael Fassbender) hoping

he will turn the world's worst soccer team around in this heartfelt underdog comedy.

Injected with Taika Waititi's trademark quirk and humour this film will not fail to entertain. Starring Michael Fassbender, Oscar Kightley, Rhys Darby and Rachel House.

Wonka Kids / Family / Fantasy

From 14 December

Based on the extraordinary character at the centre of *Charlie and the Chocolate Factory*, Roald Dahl's most iconic children's book and one of the best-selling children's books of all time, *Wonka* tells the wondrous story of how the world's greatest inventor, magician and chocolate-maker became the beloved Willy Wonka we know today. Starring Timothee Chalamet as Wonka, Olivia Colman, Rowan Atkinson and Hugh Grant.



Wish Kids & Family / Musical Comedy

From 27 December

Disney's latest animated treat celebrates the studio's 100th anniversary with a story about a young girl named Asha who wishes on a star in order to save her home from darkness. Asha, a sharp-witted idealist, makes a wish so powerful that it is answered by a cosmic force – a little ball of boundless energy called Star. Together, Asha and Star confront a most formidable foe – the ruler of Rosas, King Magnifico – to save her community and prove that when the will of one courageous human connects with the magic of the stars, wondrous things can happen.

A wonderful Disney film with a star studded voice line-up and some cracking songs. This film reminds us to celebrate the magic in life's simple joys and the enduring power of hope.

Migration Kids & family / Comedy

From 27 December

The creators of the blockbuster comedies *Minions*, *Despicable Me*, *Sing* and *The Secret Life of Pets*, invite you to take flight into the thrill of the unknown with a funny, feathered family vacation like no other! *Migration* follows a family of ducks who to convince their overprotective father to go on the vacation of a lifetime – action packed comedy at its best.

View trailers for all these films by visiting our website, where you can also buy tickets and gift vouchers online.

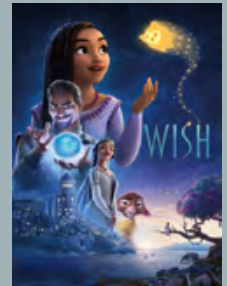
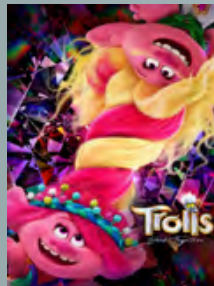
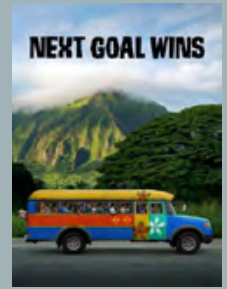
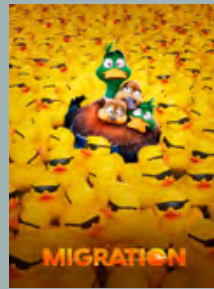
Apollo Lincoln and The Laboratory will be open for your entertainment as usual over the festive period, except for Boxing Day and the day after New Year's Day.

We hope you enjoy the films and have a wonderful end to the year!

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lincoln envirotown community gardens

As this will be my last monthly report for 2023, I would like to review another successful year. First, we are pleased to have an assurance from Te Whatu Ora that we can continue to use the former Lincoln Maternity Hospital as our location for the foreseeable future.

Our Saturday morning workshops have continued to prove popular, with participants from as far away as Ashburton and Rangiora coming to learn new gardening skills. We particularly appreciate our regular attendees. Twelve topics were presented during the year, including composting, worm farming, bonsai techniques, improving garden soils, fruit tree pruning, basic vegetable growing, rose maintenance, backyard biodiversity, and bulb propagation. A new workshop topic this year was "Making the best of your garden or outdoor space" by young landscape architect, Nathan Campbell.



Thanks to Lesley Hurst, an educator from the "Bee Awesome" programme, we now have an active hive located in the Community Gardens. This has provided an opportunity to add bee-keeping workshops to our calendar of events. However, recently the bees departed from the hive, but fortunately, Lesley was able to locate a swarm of bees and capture them to replenish our hive. We are gradually learning more about the behaviour of bees and how to look after them. This is a great topic for attracting young people to the Community Gardens.



The Lincoln Kidsfirst Kindergarten children and teachers continue to visit regularly to tend their plot. In addition, we have been pleased to host visits from Lincoln Brownies and Guides, Tai Tapu Primary School, and Lincoln Primary School.

On 7th November I attended the AGM of the Canterbury Community Gardens Association, which now has over 50 affiliated gardens. The meeting in the spacious grounds of New Brighton Community Garden provided an ideal opportunity for networking with folk from other community gardens, and to go away with plants and other gardening items that had been kindly donated by local businesses.



I greatly value the efforts of our dedicated group of volunteers who enable us to keep the Community Gardens tidy, productive, and an interesting place to visit. We meet on Thursday afternoons. In addition, Mike Geayley, Gordon Boyle, and Marcus Durkin have undertaken specific garden projects, for which I am very grateful.



I wish a productive and enjoyable growing season to all local gardening enthusiasts.

– Ruth Wood, Coordinator, Lincoln Envirotown Community Gardens

The Lincoln Envirotown Community Gardens are located on James Street, behind the Maternity Hospital. The coordinator, Ruth Wood, invites visitors to come along and inspect the gardens, especially on Monday and Thursday afternoons, or by arrangement.

For information on the Lincoln Envirotown Community Gardens contact the coordinator Ruth Wood.

Email: ruth.wood@xtra.co.nz Phone: 021 074 3905.

Pre-loved clothes find new life at Lincoln Envirotown's annual Clothes Swap event



Lincoln Envirotown Trust would like to thank everyone who made their annual Clothes Swap event so successful again this year. Firstly, our grateful thanks to the **Lincoln Community Trust** for their ongoing support which ensures we have the excellent Lincoln Event Centre venue for the required time, and the relevant racks and hangers needed for such a large distribution of clothes.

The response to the event was overwhelming, with 260 individuals seizing the opportunity of "early bird" tickets, arriving half an hour before the main event. Those who joined later also found an array of delightful items to refresh their wardrobes, breathing new life into pre-loved clothes.

Our Annual Clothes Swap is a labour of love, made possible by the incredible commitment of volunteers from the Lincoln Envirotown community. From collecting donated clothing at various points around Selwyn to transforming the Lincoln Event Centre into a one-night-only clothing extravaganza, the dedication of our volunteers is greatly appreciated.

The collaboration with Selwyn Libraries and Lincoln University, who generously allowed us to collect clothes on their premises, is invaluable. We are also grateful to the Lincoln Event Centre for

their consistent support and cheerfulness in accommodating our needs.

The magnitude of the effort involved in setting up what is essentially a clothing store for one night cannot be overstated. The volunteers worked tirelessly to sort and display the donated items, creating an enjoyable evening that not only promotes sustainability but also fosters community engagement.

While it's challenging to quantify the exact number of garments that passed through our event, the fact that over 300 people attended and left with as many free clothes as they desired speaks volumes. Additionally, the surplus clothing found a meaningful home at St John's Rolleston, emphasizing the sustainability and community impact of our initiative.





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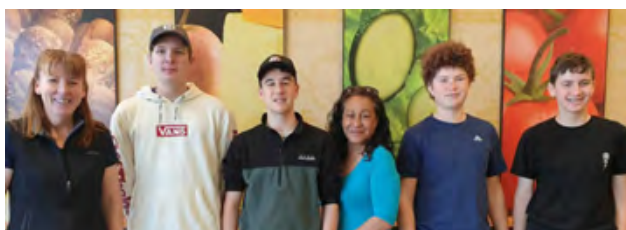
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Alex Tian with his certificate for his Peace Poster, Selwyn Lions President Jane at left and Lion Alison on the right.



Lincoln Clay Target team about to deliver phone books.



At the Repair Café event– Meredith (Lincoln Envirotown) at left, Lions Makereta, Lois and Lynne in centre and Dave (Lincoln Envirotown) on right.



November was a very busy month for our members.

The month started with our colourful fundraiser the now regular sale of beautiful Gerbera plants. These always prove popular adding cheer to many gardens. If you missed out this year keep a look out for our promotions again next spring.

Selwyn Lions Club sponsors local primary schools in the annual National Peace Poster competition. This year the calibre was particularly high from Ararira Springs and Lincoln Primary. Choosing a winning poster to go forward to the final award was an enjoyable task. We were pleased to award Alex Tian from Lincoln Primary school a winning gift voucher and his entry has been put forward. We await the announcement of the overall winner.

Selwyn Lions Club gave Scholarship Awards to Year 13 students at Lincoln High School, Rolleston College and Ellesmere College. Always a great night out for club members to see these students ready to start their tertiary careers.

Each year we undertake the delivery of Yellow phone books around Lincoln residences. With modern technology such as Google, it is surprising that these are still produced, however no doubt some of our older residents appreciate receiving them. This is a busy day with 3,800 books to deliver but another great way to get out into the community.

At the Rolleston Fireworks event we had the opportunity to showcase the Selwyn Lions Club whilst providing some fun for the younger visitors. Members bagged up sweets and popcorn and two of their Granddaughters did their magic with facepainting including a glow in the dark version – what fun!!

The annual Toot for Tucker drive in Lincoln was a great success and our members always enjoy helping this worthy cause. Thanks to the generosity of Lincoln residents and the many volunteers from Lincoln Fire Brigade, St Johns Ambulance, our local Police and the Army we managed to make our presence known around the township. Sixty-five banana boxes of items were collected for local foodbanks. That's 50% more than last year!

As part of our environment focus it was a pleasure to support the Lincoln Envirotown team with their Repair Café event. Our members directed the public to the appropriate voluntary repairers and ensured those repairers were fed. They were certainly busy with just over 100 items brought along including electronics, sewing machines, computers, jewellery, bikes and even a grandfather clock. This free service prevents household items going to landfill and was very successful.

Another popular and fun event for club members is catering for the Lincoln Ladies Golf Clubs annual event. Lots of laughter as we prepare a fabulous spread for the ladies and share the enjoyment of their day.

December is going to be even busier for our team – catering for the Christmas Lunch for the Senior Citizens (always a popular occasion), our stall at the Lincoln Santa Parade, delivering gifts to residents in a rest home, wrapping Christmas gifts at a mall to support cancer, entering a specially decorated tree for the Hope Church Christmas Grotto as well as our own Christmas social meeting. The life of a Lion is never dull.

Selwyn Lions Club has a lot to offer. If you have an event or a celebration give our President Jane a call on 027 631 9450 to see if we can help. Or, if you are interested in coming along to an evening to meet members and see if this is for you, contact Jane, you will be made very welcome.

We wish all residents a happy and peaceful festive season, spending time with those dear to you. May 2024 bring you good health and success.

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Crazy to think that we're almost farewell 2023! It's been another busy one for the brigade with a mixed bag of events. We've had new members join, firefighters stepping up the ranks, cats up trees, duckling rescues, structure fires and more.

We'd like to give special mention to the team at The Black Door who lost this great local establishment to fire earlier this year. Lincoln is a tight community and we're sorry that the doors won't reopen due to the fire damage, but rest assured, when you find a new premises, we'll be there at the table with the community to support you.

The brigade has also just celebrated 60 years of service to Lincoln. Its formation dates officially from a meeting held on 6th November 1963 which was attended by 15 residents. QFF Megan Bright is a bit of a dab hand at baking and made an incredible cake, which was cut by OS-SFF Stephen (Pasty) Paston who has served for 47 of those 60 years!

We held our honours night recently and we recognised a total of 192 collective years service this year. Recipients as follows.

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- SFF Bruce Reid – 19 years
- SFF Richard Reid – 13 years
- SFF Adam Stanford – 15 years
- SFF Dean O'Connell – 13 years
- QFF Josh Nelson – 7 years
- QFF Harry Shaw – 11 years
- FF Kelvin Green – 11 years

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- CFO Richie Bee – 27 Years

Trophies

- Jim Thorn Trophy (Firefighter of the Year) – Given to the firefighter who showed the best effort on the ground at incidents and trainings: **QFF Lynden Kees**
- Allan and Jenny Kelly (Loyalty and Dedication) Trophy – Overall dedication to the brigade: **OS-SFF Gavin Gibbens**
- Rookie of the Year Trophy: **QFF Julie Chapman** (who has just completed her Qualified Firefighter course to get her first stripe)
- Greenwood Family (Chief Officer) Trophy – For someone who puts in extra work above and beyond: **FF Ange Hooper**
- Jack Bond Trophy – Watch of the Year: **Blue Watch**

Well done to our dedicated crew members who added another notch to their service belt.

Please come visit our website at www.lincolnfire.org.nz and our Facebook page. They're both updated regularly and full of info about what we're up to.

Looking forward to 2024, it's another chance for us to keep doing what we do to help the community we love when they're in need.

During the holiday break, we're here. If you need us, call 111 and we're there.

– QFF Andy George



At left: Our crew had a lot of fun collecting for 'Toot For Tucker' in November. Thanks so much to everyone who donated something. 65 banana boxes of food was collected, nearly twice last year's total!



MERRY CHRISMAS
And have a fabulous **NEW YEAR**

From Selwyn Community Patrol -

Keeping our community safe. Don't forget to visit our sausage sizzle and watch out for Charlie the dinosaur and his mates at the Lincoln Christmas Parade! (Saturday 9th December)

Happy Christmas from Selwyn Community Patrol

Thank you to everyone who has supported the patrol this year. This includes all of our patrollers both present and past and our fabulous sponsors without whom we cannot run an effective patrol. It has been an amazing year of change and growth. At the start of the year, we welcomed a brand-new committee and also increased our coverage and effectiveness in our local area with the addition of a brand-new patrol in Rolleston. This has allowed the current patrol to focus more on Prebbleton, Lincoln, as well as Leeston, Tai Tapu, Springston, Southbridge.

We have had all the usual every day running of the patrol such as keeping the patrol vehicle up to scratch; installing a base radio in the car; purchasing super bright new torches for patrolling; upgrading all the medical gear in the car and getting our defibrillator checked and certified. In addition, we have recruited and trained 21 new patrollers! We have patrolled 9,822kms and covered 893 hours so far this year. We have also helped the police at specific events such as on the 2023 Election Voting Day, and at community events such as the recent Diwali Festival of Light event at Lincoln Event Centre.

Looking forward to the New Year 2024 we have a lot of plans. We will be looking to significantly increase our patrol hours, so if you have ever considered volunteering then please do consider volunteering with us. There are so many positives – from helping keep our community safe, to meeting a great new bunch of people who all have the same interest at heart, to learning new skills. Our minimum time requirement is a three-hour patrol once a month, at a time that fits with you and your lifestyle. We have day, evening, and even late night/early morning patrols for those who are night owls. You always patrol with another person as your safety is our biggest priority. The new year also brings a replacement patrol car – a brand new hybrid Toyota Rav 4! We will be introducing a tablet-based report system to be used in the car when patrolling, and hosting more training courses for our own patrol and the other patrols across Christchurch.

To finish this year in style we are hosting a fund-raising sausage sizzle at the Lincoln Christmas Parade on December 9th – so please visit our stand for a few good old sausages in bread! We will also have our very first float in the Christmas Parade, as well as the patrol car – so keep an eye out for us, Charlie the dinosaur and friends!

Donations are always welcome to ASB, 12-3153-0127997-00

To keep up with what the patrol is up to please follow us on Facebook – www.facebook.com/SelwynCommunityPatrol
To contact us please email media@selwyncommunitypatrol.org.nz

Happy Holidays!



Sha Jega
Lincoln Real Estate Specialist

I would like to wish the Lincoln community a wonderful holiday season. As we step into the new year, if you find yourself in need of real estate advice, I'm always here to help. As your area specialist, please reach out at anytime.

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Getting ready for summer!



As the Summer holiday season is fast approaching now is a great time to get Beaver Tree Service in to have a look at your trees.

Would you believe Christmas is just around the corner? At Beaver Tree Service our busy season usually starts in January, as people have spent some time at home, or at the bach, over the holidays and realise their trees need a tidy up.

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– Bryce Robb, Director/Head Arborist of Beaver Tree Service, www.beavertree.co.nz



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Blokes – need some space or help to build your project or looking for conversation? Come to the Lincoln Men's Shed!



Do you have a wooden or metal project but you don't have the space at home, tools or the exact know how? Then the Lincoln Men's Shed is the place for you! It is also a great way to gain knowledge, make new friends and provide a place for men to speak to men, have conversations that only men can have within themselves.

Members can come along to the Shed and work on their own personal projects, or if men are new to this work and need a helping hand, there are others there to give them guidance. The Men's Shed accepts people with any skill level, from complete novices to someone who has been a tradesman or engineer. It offers great fellowship and even if you haven't got any experience, the guys there are prepared to help you. Many find that they can up-skill and work on projects that they wouldn't have otherwise attempted, or if they worked on a project at the Shed or at home, but didn't get it quite right, they can get help to fix it.

The Lincoln Men's Shed are also very big on helping build items that the community may need, e.g. at present they are working on some picnic tables for the Lincoln Scouts. Previously, they have built a vege shed for the Lincoln & Districts Community Care, as well as benches for the Lincoln Bowling Club made from timber salvaged from a bridge on the Little River Rail Trail. If you need something made or repaired, get in touch as they can help with that too – one project was an old tatty set of drawers that had come off one of the early ships that had arrived in New Zealand. Two members worked together and came up with a pretty good finished product at the end. Another worked to restore an old rocking horse. They just ask customers to pay for the materials used and a small cost to cover overheads like insurance and electricity.

With a growing membership, the Shed is a busy place with hammers banging, saws humming and lathes rotating, but with the new extension that saw the Shed double in size, it has more than enough space for everyone. The Shed has a huge range of tools, equipment, power saws, wood turning and metal work areas, along with some great work benches for assembly that all can use.

Much of the Men's Shed's funding comes from donations and community grants. It is open Monday, Tuesday and Thursday from 1–4.30pm and is located at the end of Meijers Drive behind the Lincoln Event Centre. They would ideally like to see it open more, e.g. even four days a week and maybe on a Saturday or an

evening so people who are not retired and working can still come.

Their youngest member is Fraser McDonald aged 14 years, who comes along with his grandfather (who ensures that he works in a safe manner). Fraser has loved woodwork since his eyes lit up at the woodwork cupboard at Lincoln Kindergarten, aged 3 years, and since then has always been making something. At barely 11 years old, he made his first outdoor coffee table and now makes outdoor furniture such as Jack n Jill seats and other items that he sells under his Serious Sawdust NZ Facebook page. Coming to the Men's Shed after school allows him to expand his projects because of the equipment that he is able to access and gain further knowledge. Not every teen would be safe at the Shed, but if you have a talented teen and have someone who can come along with them, then please contact us and we can have a chat.

To join the Lincoln Men's Shed, there is a small annual payment and then a gold coin to cover afternoon tea costs. It will be shut for three weeks, from the week before Christmas, opening again mid-January. For further information please contact lincolnmensshed@gmail.com



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Meri Kirihimete! Happy Christmas

Thank you for your support during the year. We enjoy hearing your stories at Open Days and events, and Children's University visitors have kept us super busy. We updated the Lincoln Township Trail with the Library Heritage team – look out for the walk in the New Year! Work continues to describe our collection online as part of Museums of Waikirikiri Selwyn on ehive. Thanks to the marvellous Selwyn District Council Property team for work sealing the floorboards at Liffey Cottage, and painting at Pioneer Hall.

We haven't found a solution yet to divert the heavy foot traffic around Liffey Cottage to allow the green spaces to recover. Suggestions welcome.

We were sad to read about the loss of The Black Door – this was one of Lincoln's first occupied sections – by blacksmith Patrick O'Reilly in 1862. The challenge to retain the heritage character of the centre of Lincoln and elsewhere continues to concern us.

We look forward to celebrating the 150th birthday of Pioneer Hall, Lincoln's first Library building, in August 2024 – can you help with stories? Watch this space.

And so, to a list of things we'd love to find in our Christmas stocking:

- Photo of Pioneer Hall being moved by H. Bennett's traction engine, 1900
- Books that were 'Hot picks' in 1874, like Lady Barker's *Travelling About*, or Stanley's *How I Found Livingstone*
- Vintage chess/draughts board
- Photos and reminiscences of meetings, classes or activities at Pioneer Hall
- Vintage-look large carpet square (for Liffey Cottage)
- Photos of the Lincoln flour mill (dismantled 1920s)
- Volunteers
- Curious questions about the history of Lincoln and districts
- An orange (it's traditional) and lots of gold coins!

Our very best wishes to you, your whānau and friends for a very happy Christmas and peaceful new year.

– from the Committee, Lincoln and Districts Historical Society
Contact: sec.lrhs@gmail.com or find us on Facebook.

SUNDAY 3RD DECEMBER
2-4PM

Open Day Liffey Cottage
James Street, Lincoln

Open Day Pioneer Hall
Corner Gerald Street &
Kildare Terrace, Lincoln

SATURDAY 9TH DECEMBER
10AM-12PM

Open Day
Pioneer Hall

Corner Gerald Street
& Kildare Terrace,
Lincoln



Lincoln Christmas Parade in 2017 travelling past Pioneer Hall.



Scenes from the Lincoln Christmas Parade in 1983.

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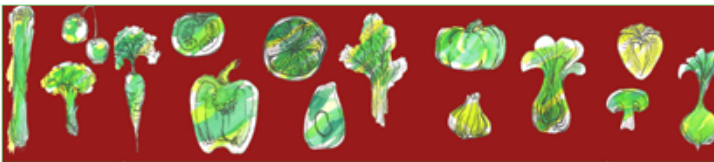
Merry Christmas and thank you for your support throughout 2023

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The Selwyn Print team will take a summer break – closing 1pm on Friday 22 December, reopening 9am Monday 15 January. We look forward to seeing you again in 2024.

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Christmas Party

Saturday 23rd December

9am - 1pm



Entertainment with Eddie Simon

Children's entertainment with Adam Allsorts

Carols with the Combined Lincoln Churches Singers

On the Green Beside Lincoln Library

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December 2023

SATURDAY 2 DEC

Te Ara Ātea Summer Celebration
11.00am–2.45pm
Singalong, Court Jesters, and Circus performers.

SUNDAY 3 DEC

Mahoe Reserve Working Bee
2pm–4pm

Open Day Liffey Cottage
James St, Lincoln, 2–4pm

Open Day Pioneer Hall
Cnr Gerald St & Kildare Tce, Lincoln, 2–4pm

FRIDAY 8 DEC

Nurtured Ones Christmas Twilight Market
Lincoln Event Centre, 2–8pm

SATURDAY 9 DEC

Lincoln Christmas Parade & Market
9am–12.30pm

Open Day Pioneer Hall
Cnr Gerald St & Kildare Tce, Lincoln, 2–4pm

TUESDAY 12 DEC

Get Your Skates On Disco
Selwyn Sports Centre, 3.30–5pm, \$7pp
events.humanitix.com/get-your-skates-on-disco

THURSDAY 14 DEC

Christmas Storytime
Lincoln Library, 6–7pm

SUNDAY 17 DEC

Rolleston Pop-Up Market
Clearview Primary, Rolleston, 11am–3pm

SUNDAY 17 DEC

Vocal Tones Showcase
Lincoln Events Centre, 1pm & 4pm, Tickets and info on www.eventfinda.co.nz

'Lincoln County Incident' LHS Movie Re-release
Lincoln High School Hall

SATURDAY 23 DEC

Lincoln Farmers' & Craft Market CHRISTMAS PARTY
On the green beside Lincoln Library. 10am–1pm

January 2024

TUESDAY 16 JAN

Upcycle Craft
Bring along a 1L plastic bottle to upcycle into a planter.
Lincoln Event Centre, 2–3pm, \$5pp, book via Humanitix

WEDNESDAY 17 JAN

Teddy Bears' Picnic
Brookside Park, Rolleston 10.30am–1.30pm, Free (Postponement date: 24 Jan)

SATURDAY 20 JAN

Ladies Day Out & Clothing Swap
Rolleston Community Centre, 1–5.30pm, \$20pp, book via Humanitix

SUNDAY 21 JAN

Lustys vs Springlinks Walking Netball Fundraiser
Lincoln Event Centre, 4pm

SUNDAY 28 JAN

Emergency Services Family Fun Day
Rolleston Community Centre, 11am–3pm, Gold coin entry
events.humanitix.com/emergency-services-event

YOU CAN FOR CANCER – CANCER SOCIETY FUNDRAISER

Lustys v Springlinks Walking Netball

4pm, Saturday 21 January 2024
Lincoln Event Centre

The Lustys and Springlinks have been playing netball for far too many years to mention, locally and at the Masters Games over past 25 years. Our lovely ladies and their families are not immune to dreaded cancer. We are asking for your help to raise money for the Selwyn Cancer Society so they may be able to continue to support sufferers and their families on their journey.

We're raising funds for New Zealanders affected by cancer. The funds we raise will support the Cancer Society's work in Canterbury. Money raised in your community stays in your district!

Come join us on January 21st, 4pm, at Lincoln Event Centre. Support your team in a once in a lifetime Walking Netball extravaganza!

Admission: \$10, children free. Raffles available. After match function at The Famous Grouse. 5.30pm onwards. BBQ dinner, families welcome. More raffles! Bar open.

You can donate directly to our fundraiser page at www.youcanforcancer.org.nz/lustysvspringlinkswalkingnetball

TIS THE SEASON... FOR SPECIAL OCCASIONS

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Discover the hidden gems of Selwyn this festive season with the online holiday gift guide at selwyn.nz/gift

Experience the joy of gifting local through unique products and thrilling outdoor experiences. Whether savouring artisanal delights or embarking on scenic adventures, every gift reflects the spirit of Selwyn. Here's to a season of gifting and experiencing local!



At Home exhibition

On now until 25 May 2024, Te Ara Ātea, Rolleston

Te Ara Ātea's new exhibition, *At Home*, presents artworks by Edith Amituanai (MNZM), Jamie Berry, Megan Brady, Areez Katki, Steven Junil Park, and Marilyn Webb (ONZM). These artists show us that there are many ways to make a home; from objects we use to furnish our houses, to the communities that support us, to the connection we have to the whenua and waterways that surround us, to the reminders we keep of a home that is now far away. *At Home* explores what home looks and feels like for those of us who have made our homes together in Aotearoa New Zealand, Waitaha Canterbury, and here in Waikirikiri Selwyn.

Lincoln University Art Collection Tour

Friday 2 February 2024, 1–2pm




Lincoln University holds a collection of over 300 artworks, with the majority of these by renowned contemporary artists from Aotearoa New Zealand. Two of these works by Marilyn Webb are currently on display in *At Home* at Te Ara Ātea, Rolleston.

Join curator Fiona Simpson on a tour of this collection, as she talks to a selection of paintings, sculptures and prints, answering any questions you may have about the artworks, or collection. The tour will start outside Lincoln University Library Ivey Hall. Free parking is available in the Orchard car park through gate three.

Free. Bookings required via www.selwynlibraries.co.nz

It's going to be a hot summer –
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-  Don't water
-  Check weather conditions (avoid watering on hot days – overcast is best)
-  Water wisely

For smart watering tips visit:
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lincoln senior citizens

Pauline Noonan from Lincoln Community Care was the speaker at our November meeting. She informed us about how the office started and how it has grown to provide many new services for our communities needs.

Upcoming Events:

Tuesday 5th December – Christmas lunch and entertainment. Selwyn Lions are catering for this event again. It will include sharing gifts in Santa's sack, entertainment and a charity raffle. This year it will be held at the Lincoln Bowling Club.

No meeting in January.

Tuesday 6th February 2024 – Mystery bus trip with lunch at the Crate & Barrel, Leeston.

New members welcome.

For information about Lincoln Senior Citizens, contact:
Evelyn Ph: 027 712 7195 or Gloria Ph: 027 434 6554.

useful contacts

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Lincoln Golf Club	325 2453	Lincoln Library	347 2876
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Lincoln Indoor Bowls	347 3212	Lincoln Police	378 0160
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Lincoln Motel

21 luxury motel units in the heart of Lincoln

Studio & 1 Bedroom Units | 2 Bedroom Units
Spa Bath Units | Access Units

4-6 Maurice Street, Lincoln

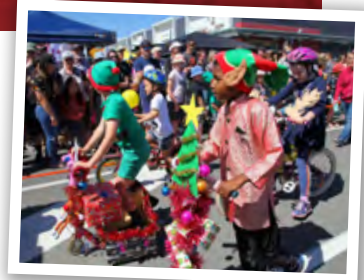
Reservations 0800 001 689 | Ph. (03) 974 1620

www.lincolnmotel.co.nz

Lincoln Christmas Parade & Market

9th December 9am-12.30pm

Programme



- 8.00am: Road closures all in place.
- 9.00am: Stalls open.
- 9.30am: Adam Allsorts, clowning around for the children, on the green in front of Selwyn Pharmacy.
- 10.00am: Decorated bikes and riders, ready for judging and prize giving under the Oak tree by the library. (no registration required)
- 10.00am: Ellesmere Concert Band plays; outside the iSushi shop on Gerald Street.
- 10.00am: Lavender Fairy Kaitlyn face painting, next to the Grotto.
- 10.30am: Parade leaves Lincoln Event Centre.
- 10 45am: Parade travels along Gerald Street.
- 11.30am: Woolson Concert Band perform on The Green near The Laboratory.
- 11.15am: Father Christmas will be in his Grotto waiting to see the children and for photo opportunities.
- 12.30pm: Stalls close.
- 1.00pm: Roads reopen.

Sponsors

We would especially like to thank and acknowledge our event sponsors.

STM Traffic Management – The Director who has become a Lincoln local has offered to cover the traffic management costs for the next three years. Huge shout out to STM!

Readylawn, Roger Morgan, New World Lincoln, Kyle and Helen Burnett, Bayleys, Urszula Bedgood, Max e.print, Greg Downey, The Laboratory, Mark and Leigh Drewitt, Duet, Lee Parker, North to South First Aid Supplies Ltd, Roper and Son Limited, Evolution Creative, Environment Canterbury, The Selwyn Printing Co.



ELLESMERE LIONS PEA STRAW TAKING ORDERS FOR JAN/FEB 2024

PEA STRAW NOW SOLD OUT – MEDIUM BALES OF LINSEED AVAILABLE \$70

Help the Lions continue with their current fundraising projects. Small bales \$8 and medium bales at \$70. Price includes delivery in Lincoln and Selwyn District.

Contact: Richard Boyce, phone 027 7141 324 or 325 2279
or Alex Hayward, phone 324 4094. Email lionspeastraw02@gmail.com
with name, address, telephone number and amount required.



Exhibition: 'The Nature of Mediums – Mediums of Nature'

Jessie Christieson, Julie Shanks, Liz Clingan
On now until 10 December

Exploring nature through different mediums while also exploring the nature of different media. At Down by the Liffey Gallery, 1 James Street, Lincoln. Open Wednesday to Thursday 11.30am to 2.30pm, Friday to Sunday 10am to 4pm. Phone (03) 325 2877.

Lincoln Spinning & Knitting Group

Spinners, knitters and all fibre crafters – come along and join our friendly group which meets on the 1st and 3rd Thursdays of the month at Te Whare Manaaki/The Welcome Place, James Street, Lincoln, from 10.15 to 2pm. BYO lunch, tea/coffee provided, small fee. Interested? Phone Adriana on (03) 325 3320.

Lincoln Scottish Country Dance Club

The Lincoln Scottish Country Dance Club meets in the Lincoln Events Centre, Meijer Drive, from 7.30pm on Tuesdays. Looking for fun, friendship and fitness? Then come along for a look as the first night is free. New members are most welcome as full tuition is given and a partner is not essential. For any further information, contact Sue phone 347 8234 or Coreen ph 344 2057.

Selwyn SeniorNet in Rolleston

Selwyn SeniorNet meets at the Rolleston Community Centre each Friday 10am to 12pm. Friendly, knowledgeable tutors can help you with all your computer needs. All welcome. \$10 per term. For more info contact John on (03) 325 2515 or 027 547 4793.

St Patrick's Craft and Friendship Group

Join a small, friendly group of people, who either bring along a current craft project or come just for friendship and afternoon tea. Current group members include knitters, embroiderers and sewers so they can teach others or help with any problems. Everyone is welcome to come along. The group meet in St Patrick's Parish Centre, which is joined to St Patrick's Catholic Church at 31 Gerald Street, from 1.30pm to 3.30pm every Tuesday. For more information contact Yvonne on (03) 366 9795 or 027 334 1151.



GRANT APPLICATIONS

The Lincoln Community Trust has funds invested for the benefit of the community of Lincoln. Grant applicants should be Community organisations who must reside, ideally pay rates, or operate within the Lincoln Community rating area. Such funds may be distributed twice a year. Applications for such grants may be made at any time but must be in the hands of the Trust by the 31st of March or the 30th of September each year.

Application forms are available from Lincoln Community Care, 16 Lyttelton St, Lincoln or via email from admin@lincolncomcare.co.nz



Tai Tapu Garden Club

Our garden club meets every 3rd Monday at 1pm at Tai Tapu Community Centre.

Flower competitions each month, raffles and afternoon tea, with a variety of garden visits and speakers.

Please contact Lynne Parker (Secretary) on 027 505 9573.


NEW MEMBERS WELCOME

Ellesmere Badminton Club

Friendly Social Badminton
Everyone welcome
Beginners to experienced players

Tuesdays 7.30–9pm, Lincoln Event Centre
\$5 per person/night

For more info contact Katinka on 027 32 52 044



What is it? Non-competitive running & walking group

Who is it for? Everyone! All ages, All speeds


How far? 3km or 6km

When? Every Tuesday at 5:45pm

Where? Te Whariki Playground

How much? Gold coin

A group encouraging a community to exercise together

[@RoadRunnersLincoln](https://www.facebook.com/RoadRunnersLincoln) 

Lincoln Bridge Club

Free Beginners Lessons

Tuesday evenings 7.30–9.30pm. Lincoln Event Centre
Contact Stuart on 325 3222.

Lincoln Bridge Club is a friendly, social club playing Duplicate Bridge. The club meets on Monday afternoons at the Event Centre from 1.30–4.30pm and on Thursday evenings from 7.15–10.30pm.



Summer *in* Selwyn

JANUARY - FEBRUARY 2024

Over 40 whānau-friendly events — plan your summer now!



Jump and Juggle
8 January
Rolleston



Soft Archery
10 January
Springston

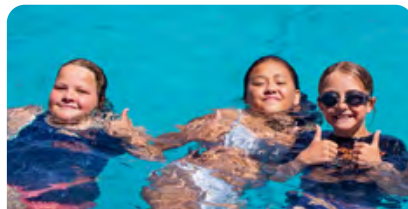


FREE

Teddy Bears' Picnic
17 January
Rolleston



Snorkelling
17 and 23 January
Southbridge and Rolleston



Skate 'n' Splash
18, 25 and 27 January
Rolleston, Darfield, Southbridge



Emergency Services Fun Day
28 January
Rolleston



FREE

Kite Day
3 February
Rolleston



FREE

BMX Coaching
4 February
Prebbleton



Nature Photography
10 February
Arthur's Pass



FREE

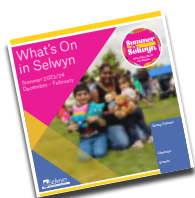
Skate Jam
11 February
West Melton



Family Sports Night
16 February
Rolleston



Pickleball 'Have a Go'
17 February
Lincoln



Pick up an event guide from any Council facility, or view and book online:
selwyn.govt.nz/summerinselwyn