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## COVID IN THE COMMUNITY UPDATE

Hanmer Springs Health Centre,  
Sunday 21st August

Covid numbers in the past week were down to as low as they were the first week Covid was detected in Hanmer. With that in mind, unless there is a marked difference, this will be the last week of Pinkie updates.

Let's continue to stay well this winter and help protect each other by:

- *Booking our **COVID-19 2<sup>nd</sup> Booster** shots and/or our **tamariki for their 1<sup>st</sup>/2<sup>nd</sup> COVID-19 vaccination** by calling/txting **020 4091 0704**. Next clinic Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> August.*
- *Getting up to date with our **vaccinations for flu, and measles**. Reminder –Tamariki aged 3-12yrs are eligible for a **FREE** flu vaccination.*
- *Wearing a mask indoors whenever we are not at home.*
- *Staying home if we are unwell and test for COVID-19 using a Rapid Antigen Test (RAT) yourself or book an appointment with the Health Centre to be tested.*
- *Calling our reception team on 03 315 7503 if you have COVID-19 symptoms or feeling unwell.*

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## 2<sup>nd</sup> COVID-19 BOOSTER CLINIC

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- **Friday 26th August 2pm – 4.30pm**
- **Tuesday 30th August 10am – 12.30pm**  
*Both clinics will be at the Hanmer Springs Health Centre*
- **Tuesday 6th September 10am – 4.30pm**  
*At the Sports Pavilion behind the Health Centre*

*If you meet the criteria below or are unsure, please call our dedicated number 020 4091 0704 to make a booking. If we don't answer, please leave us a message or txt us.*

A second COVID-19 booster is available for:

- ✓ Everyone over the age of 50 and recommended for anyone over the age of 65
- ✓ Māori and Pacific Peoples older than 50
- ✓ People who are severely immunocompromised
- ✓ Health, aged-care and disability workers over the age of 30.

**NOTE:** A minimum of 6 months after your first booster must have passed before you can have the second. (or three months post Covid-19 infection whichever is the later date)

Give us a call on 020 4091 0704 to book 😊



**DON'T FORGET YOUR MASK!**

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### FREE FLU VACCINATIONS 3-12yrs

From 1 July free flu vaccinations will be extended to:

- Children aged 3-12 years
- People with serious mental health or addiction needs

Free flu shots are already available for a large group of people including:

- Pregnancy people
- Over 65s
- Māori or Pasifika aged 55+
- Long list of underlying health conditions

Don't forget that if people are not sick, you can give COVID-19 vaccination to those eligible at the same time. **The Health Centre are also doing MMR vaccinations. Call us on 020 4091 0704 to book an appointment.**

If you call our clinic phone out of hours, your call is always answered by a registered nurse who will assess your needs, offer advice or, if required, pass the call to our on-call clinician. It can take several minutes to answer the phone so please be patient and hold, and follow the voice prompts carefully

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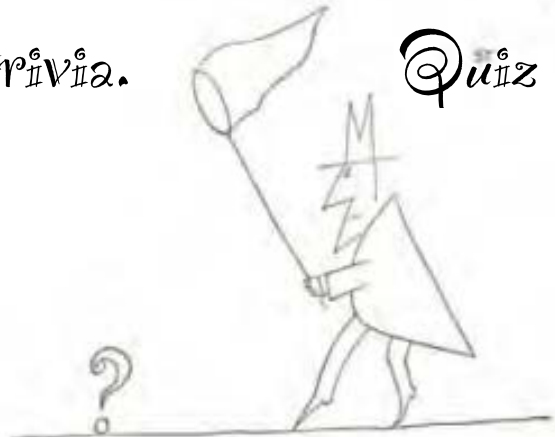
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Is midday Sunday if the space is  
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1. Which British author created the character Intelligence Officer, George Smiley?

2. All US space shuttles were officially referred to by the initials STS. What do they stand for?

3. Who was the first American to orbit the Earth?

4. What is the birthstone for somebody born in April?

5. In which ocean is the Mindanao Trench?

6. What river in Florence, Italy is crossed by the Ponte Vecchio?

7. In which country does the River Rhine rise?

8. In which country was Jomo Kenyatta PM and President?

9. Which Italian statesman, writer and political philosopher wrote 'The Prince'?

10. Which is the second largest city in the Republic of Ireland?

11. In which US state is the city of Milwaukee?

12. Which is the smallest woodwind instrument?

13. Which country is sandwiched between Austria to the west and Romania to the east?

14. Who was the star of the 1928 movie 'Steamboat Willie'?

15. What is gingko a type of?

16. On which day is All Saints' Day?

17. Who is the patron saint of children?

18. What do birds do when they nidificate?

19. Described as 'the greatest mind and paramount icon of our age' who did Time Magazine name as the person of the 20th century?

20. What type of creature is an addax?

21. What was the nickname of country blues folk singer Huddie Leadbetter?

22. Which land bird has the largest wingspan?

23. According to Greek mythology, how many muses were there?

24. According to Arthurian legend what was the capital of his kingdom?

25. Which English naval administrator is chiefly remembered for his diary which gives an account of the great fire of London?

26. Which French king was guillotined during the French Revolution?

27. The Ligurian Sea is an arm of which body of water?

28. In the Central Asian region horseback sport of buzkashi, What is fought over by the two teams?

29. Which New Zealand born short story writer wrote 'Bliss' and 'The Garden Party'?







## Hurunui Hotel Starting a Sunday Market

Starting from Sunday September 4th the Hurunui Hotel are launching a market every week from 11.30 am to 2.30 pm. They will be operating rain or shine. They have been in touch with The Pinkie to help spread the word for what they hope will be a weekly highlight for locals and visitors alike. If there are any potential stall holders who would like to be a part of the market they can get in touch with the organisers through their website which is [market.thehurunuihotel.co.nz](http://market.thehurunuihotel.co.nz). Follow the link to the site and fill out the form that's there. We understand that they will not be charging stallholders



## Men's Midweek Golf

The Hanmer Springs Golf Club staged an excellent midweek tournament last week with around 50 entrants from Hurunui and Christchurch clubs.

Winner was Paul Burrows of Scargill with Brent Berry of Hanmer Springs runner-up.

Among the top ten there were also Dean Pollock, Dave Wilson, Adam Jacks and Philip Gray from the Hanmer club.

Philip also had twos on the 8th and 14th.



## Queen Mary Hospital closed in 2003 'The Voice Of The People Fell Silent'

Hear Sonia Johnstone speak of her time as a client and staff member at Hanmer Springs Queen Mary Hospital

Consider the **BIG QUESTION**  
Can we breathe life back into Queen Mary ?

### Alcohol Wise Hurunui Inc AGM

When Monday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2022

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Hurunui Hotel

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## Make Your Own Baked Beans

### INGREDIENTS

2 cups navy beans  
Salt  
½ pound slab bacon, cut into cubes  
1 medium onion, peeled and chopped  
⅓ cup molasses  
2 teaspoons dry mustard  
1 teaspoon ground black pepper

### PREPARATION

Soak beans in a large bowl of water for 6 hours or overnight. Drain beans and put them in a large oven-safe pot with a heavy bottom and a tightfitting lid. Add 1 teaspoon salt and enough cool water to cover 2 inches above the beans. Bring to a boil, then lower the heat and simmer gently, stirring occasionally, until the beans are just tender, approximately 30 to 40 minutes. Drain and remove beans.

Heat the oven to 250 degrees. Bring a kettle full of water to a boil on the stove. Return the heavy-bottomed pot to the stove and turn the heat to medium high. Cook the bacon in the bottom of the pot until it begins to brown, then turn off the heat and add the chopped onion and, on top of it, the beans. Mix together molasses, mustard and black pepper, and add the mixture to the pot. Pour in enough boiling water to cover beans, put the lid on and bake, occasionally adding more water to keep beans covered, until they are tender but not falling apart, 4 to 5 hours. Remove beans from oven, uncover, stir and season with salt. With the lid off, return pot to oven and let beans finish cooking, uncovered and without additional water, until the sauce has thickened and the top is deeply crusty, about 45 minutes more.

(Or to cheat: Canned white beans make fantastic baked beans in about an hour. If you use them, you'll need four 400 gram cans. Drain and then follow the directions from para 2 on to the end. Please understand that you'll need much less water and much less time to get them where you want them to be.

## Blond Puttanesca (Linguine With Tuna, Rocket and Capers)

Garlic, anchovies, capers and tuna come together in this briny, tomato-less take on the classic pasta puttanesca. The sauce is prepared while the pasta cooks, so you can get dinner on the table in no time

### INGREDIENTS

salt  
350 grams linguine  
3 tablespoons olive oil  
3 garlic cloves, thinly sliced  
½ teaspoon red-pepper flakes, plus more for serving if desired  
10 anchovies, roughly chopped  
3 tablespoons capers, rinsed well if salt-packed  
100 grams baby rocket or other young greens, such as pea shoots  
1 (6-ounce) jar oil-packed Italian tuna, drained and flaked  
¼ cup chopped Italian parsley, plus more for serving if desired  
Black pepper  
Flaky salt, for serving (optional)  
Lemon wedges, for serving (optional)

### PREPARATION

Bring a large pot of well-salted water to a boil. Add pasta and cook until it is just under al dente, about 7 minutes. Drain, reserving 1 1/2 cups of the pasta cooking water.

While pasta cooks, make the sauce: Heat olive oil in a large skillet over medium-low heat. Add garlic and red-pepper flakes and cook until garlic is pale golden, about 1 minute. Add anchovies and capers and cook until anchovies have melted and capers begin to brown slightly, about 1 to 2 minutes.

Turn heat to medium. Ladle a 1/2 cup of reserved pasta water into the skillet and bring mixture to a simmer. Cook until mixture is reduced by about half, about 2 to 3 minutes. Add in arugula and ladle in an additional 1/2 cup of pasta water, tossing together until wilted. Increase heat to medium-high and scoop pasta directly in to the skillet tossing with sauce until well coated.

Add tuna to pasta and toss again until it is just warmed just through, about 1 minute. Ladle in an additional 1/4 cup pasta water or more, to loosen up sauce and toss again. Sprinkle parsley over pasta and toss again. Season with salt and pepper.

Serve in bowls, with flaky salt, a squeeze of lemon, additional parsley and red-pepper flakes, if desired.







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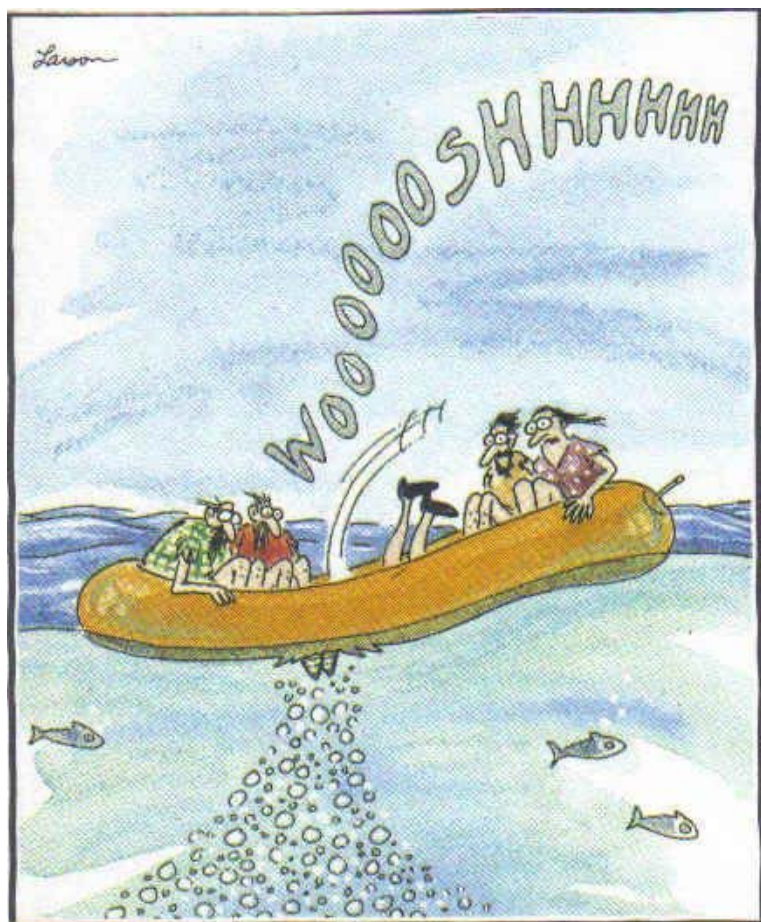
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



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## Tom Davies Councillor Elect

Since the exclusive Hanmer Springs Councillor seat at the Hurunui Council table was abolished and we became a part of the West Ward we have been fortunate that we have had a Councillor from Hanmer Springs elected as a West Ward Councillor, firstly with Jason Fletcher and then with Mary Holloway. The next term will be no exception with Tom Davies having been elected to represent us.

Tom steps into these shoes, but he is already very much involved with the local community as a Civil Defence member, a trustee of the Forest Camp, a member of the Mountain Bike Club committee, a trail Town trustee and as an advocate for Beautiful Hurunui.

Tom and Lorna, his wife of 36 years have owned a house in Hanmer for about six years and moved here permanently almost two years ago. The couple have three children all of whom live and work in New Zealand.

Tom taught mathematics in Christchurch for 17 years and currently shares his teaching skills with the Hanmer Springs School on a part time basis. He is an Educational Consultant and honorary Professor of Mathematics at Hangzhou Normal university in China.

He loves Hanmer for its biking and walking and he enjoys swimming. He has also been involved with Amuri Players, for whom he has stage managed, and has done the same for the school's production of 'Madagascar'.

The Pinkie had a chat with Tom last week and asked him what he sees as his role representing us at the Council table.

As the town grows, he said, he would like to see more facilities with attention to infrastructure being critical.

From a tourism point of view he would like to see us doing more to develop our resources with cycling and walking trails and diversification of what we offer visitors to our town. To this end he sees it as important that we have a broadening of our horizons reflected in the Council's Long Term Plan.

He feels that it is very important that we are not left behind when it comes to catering for the tourist dollar and he cited as an example some of the incredible work being done in Central Otago with towns like Cromwell putting together some incredible trail experiences that attract thousands of people of a weekend as well as starting festivals like their new ebike project. He sees having the inclusion of forward thinking and funding in this area as critical to our future.

One of the other things Tom said he would love to see would be a morning bus to Christchurch in order for people to go to Christchurch for the day for medical appointments and shopping. He would love to see more car-pooling available, especially for older residents who need to get to Christchurch for medical appointments. There are an increasing number of people who see Hanmer Springs as a place to retire and will be imperative that infrastructure will include accommodating these people's needs.

Tom is very keen on the arts especially painting and sculpture. He was active in organising the Rustic Cafe mural and is very keen on more murals to enhance the town. A movie theatre would be great for locals and visitors alike. Perhaps too, locals could be encouraged to display sculptures and art in their gardens, properties and businesses to create art tours and trails.

He is very much looking forward to being a Councillor who will help and motivate our need to diversify and to push for an improvement in our community facilities.



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### Will my answers be confidential?

The survey does not record your name, date of birth or any other personal information that may identify you. Answers to the survey questions will not be used to identify participants unless you choose to have someone contact you at the end of the survey.

### Which languages will the survey be available in?

The survey is available in English or te reo Māori.

### Who can patients contact if they need help with the survey?

If any patients have questions or technical issues: 0800 121 650 or [support@myexperience.health.nz](mailto:support@myexperience.health.nz)

### Key Details

- **What is it?** The Adult primary care survey is an online survey of New Zealanders designed to understand their recent health care experiences
- **Who is carrying out the survey?** The survey is conducted by Ipsos New Zealand on behalf of the Health Quality & Safety Commission and the Ministry of Health
- **Survey purpose:** The survey will help practices understand how well they are meeting patient needs and how they can improve
- **Survey timing:** The survey will be open from Wednesday 10 August – Friday 2 September 2022
- **How to take part:** Respondents will be invited and receive instructions to log into the survey by email or text message
- **Who is invited?** Patients who are aged 15 and older who had a consultation or experience with their GP practice between Monday 25 July – Sunday 7 August 2022 (survey sample weeks)
- **Where did you get my contact details?** Contact information was provided by the National Enrolment Service (NES) administered by the Ministry of Health for the purpose of this survey only

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**Diversity** – workshops, rehearsals, performances, festivals or exhibitions in Maori or Pasifika heritage or contemporary artforms or by local migrant communities; arts projects that bring together groups from a range of different communities; workshops, rehearsals, performances, festivals or exhibitions by groups with experience of disability or mental illness.

**Young people** – young people to engage with and actively participate in working with an artist to create a mural or street art; creating a film about an issue that's important to them; publication of a collection of writings by young people; music workshops for young people; an exhibition of visual art by young people.

Application forms are available via:

**Council website:** <https://www.hurunui.govt.nz/community/awards-and-funding/creative-communities-new-zealand-grants-scheme>

**Emailing the administrator:** [maree.hare@hurunui.govt.nz](mailto:maree.hare@hurunui.govt.nz)

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# Hanmer Events to Resume with December Marathon

After a hiatus of what seems an age, special events will begin again with the Hanmer Holiday Homes Alpine Marathon and associated events this coming December

Fusion Events which has been organising and running Hanmer events for the previous two or three years advised the Hanmer Springs Community Trust in May that they would no longer be involved in Hanmer events and wished to concentrate on their own events.

Subsequently the Trust advertised for a person or organisation to take over management of events and Kerry Higgs of the Community Trust told us that they were delighted with the quality of those who applied.

As a result of meetings and interviews, Simon Carter has been appointed to take over starting with the Alpine Marathon this December. (This will be with the forest course and not running from Lake Tennyson)

It was decided that Hanmer Events will, in the meantime, concentrate on three events The Alpine Marathon the Four Square Half Marathon and the Isobel Classic, along with the other events generally associated with these days, for example the 10K fun run that is run alongside the Half Marathon.

Resumption of other events will be looked at in the future, primarily the Tombstone and 4 & 8 Hour events.

Simon Carter of Carter Consultants has already made a start on our first event which will be the H.H.H Alpine Marathon on the 3rd of December.



Simon is no stranger to Hanmer as he and his company have already staged events in Hanmer, notably last year's 'Band-quet'.

These events are a boost to the town's economy, both in terms of accommodation booked and the average spend in pubs, restaurants and retail shops.

Simple surveys in the past have demonstrated that events like the Half Marathon and the annual MotoFest which we hope to see back in the Domain next year, can provide an injection of more than a million dollars into the local economy.



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# A FEW INTERESTING FEATURES IN THESE WORLDWIDE FRAGILE AND VOLATILE TIMES

Pita Alexander

1. The NZ Statistics Department has recently advised that the 2021 year survey shows that the median net worth of NZ households is \$397,000 - an increase of 21% since the 2018 survey and 39% higher than the 2015 survey - median meaning half are above \$397,000 and half are below \$397,000 (the survey covered 4,400 NZ households). The total NZ households at the present time are around 1,880,000.
2. The top 10% of NZ householders continue to hold around 50% of NZ households' total net worth - this ratio has been consistent for some six years.
3. The median net worth of the wealthiest 20% of NZ households increased to \$2,002,000 - this figure includes houses, investments, real estate, retirement savings, shares less all loans, mortgages, students loans and credit card debt.
4. The wealthiest 20% hold 69% of total NZ household net worth, which is uneven, but NZ is approximately in the middle of developed countries regarding this ratio.
5. Around 64.5% of NZ householders (1,212,000) own their own home - with around 32% (602,000) renting and around 3.5% (66,000) living in dwellings that are rent free.
6. Some of this data is changing every day, but as at March 2022 the average NZ borrower had a mortgage of \$401,601, with the first-home buyer's average debt being \$568,720.
7. NZ overall household debt increased by 29% in 2021 compared with 2018.
8. It is interesting that only 32% of people owing a house have a mortgage secured over their primary residence.
9. What is the present average NZ total household debt outside of a house mortgage - around \$23,000.
10. In a recent NZ survey, 40% of participants said they would be unable to access \$5,000 in the event of an emergency.
11. It looks as though NZ employers are going to have to rethink some of their employment structures in that the number and quality of employees as in the past is just not going to be available - this is not going to be easy to fix, but it is a real issue. Immigrants are only a part of the answer.
12. NZ house rents are stable, or falling in some localities. In many rural regions though there is a major shortage of accommodation for employees - Hanmer Springs is very much in this group.
13. The present NZ inflation rate is 7.3%, UK is 9.4%, USA is 9.1%, Australia is 6.1%, Russia is 19.2%, Germany is 7.6%, Japan is 2.4% and Switzerland is 3.4% - all data is for June 2022.
14. A 2021 USA Federal Reserve article advised that the average net worth of an American household was US\$748,000. If the conversion of US\$ to NZ\$ is relevant, then the comparative figure in NZ dollars would be \$1,204,280 (on the basis that one American dollar is presently worth NZ\$1.61).
15. Don't be too greedy - some 9-12 months ago our NZ banking industry offered a five-year fixed loan at 2.99% - it was not the lowest rate on offer at the time but not enough borrowers took up this structure - you don't need to get the bottom price on things - getting in at the lower level for a five year fixed period is good business.
1. One marriage is enough; a further marriage can have an enormous effect emotionally and financially - what are the effects the writers see:
  - (a) A loss of at least 5-7 years of financial progress.
  - (b) Another house is required.
  - (c) One or both parties have to start again.
  - (d) The children almost invariably suffer for a period.
  - (e) Both parties may have to work 5 years longer beyond 65 years.
  - (f) There is a good chance that one of the parties will not own a house ever again.
  - (g) NZ wide, the number of marriages that fail is around 1 in 5-6. In agriculture this figure is not quite as bad but the odds are still bad - get this right the first time.
  - (h) Peace of mind.
17. The average US farming family has an overall debt of around 14% of their gross assets at the present time - the figure has been slowing rising - the comparable NZ figure would probably be 17%-20%.
18. The average house price in June 2022 in the USA was \$416,000 (US\$) - this would convert to \$669,760 in NZ dollars.
19. Italy has had a recent collapse of its coalition government. Italy has been a democratic republic since 1946, since then it has had 59 prime ministers, 12 presidents and 69 governments - around one government change every 13 months. Italy is the third largest economy in Europe, its population is 60 million and it is probably too big to bail out in financial terms.
20. Why is the present US dollar such a strong currency?
  - A weak starting point a few years ago.
  - Increasing interest rates.
  - The USA has always been considered a safe financial haven in a financial downturn.
21. Why is Sri Lanka in turmoil (population 22 million):
  - External shocks have absorbed all of its financial reserves.
  - Financially incompetent leadership.
  - Will need a substantial financial bailout.
22. Worldwide inflation rates have increased by more than the interest rate increases. This would suggest that interest rates have a little further to go - there has historically been a reasonable relationship between inflation and interest rates over time.

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# Community Notices

## Hurunui District Councillors

Please feel free to contact us, as your closest representatives.

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03 314 4042 or 0274 383 464

## Hanmer Springs Golf

Saturday 20th August

### Pairs Stableford

1st Barry Toomey &  
Matthew Morgan 69 pts

2nd Matthew Smith &

Adam Jacks 63

3rd Richard Campbell &

Paul Clarke 58

### Twos

Matthew Smith

Paul Jones

Nicky West

### Nearest the Pin

Paul Jones

### Jackpot Twos

Matthew Smith

### Net Eagles

Les Mitchell

## JPs in Hanmer Springs

Alice Stielow 021 317 001.

Joy Wilson 027 2202511

Rod Ell 315 7222 027 4372464

Jonathan Gardiner. 315 7925 0276859276

Ann Toomey - 03 384 2564 021 155 7622

## HANMER SPRINGS BRIDGE CLUB

Results 18/08/2022

1<sup>st</sup> = R Hothersall & A van de Wiel

= J Wilson & J Pillidge

## FRIENDS OF WAIKARI HOSPITAL

### ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

TUESDAY 23 AUGUST 2022. WAIKARI MEMORIAL HALL

1.30 PM

Enquiries to Helen Wright 03 315 6305

## Music & Arts Hanmer Spring Trust AGM



7pm Thursday August 25<sup>th</sup>, 2022

RSA Rooms Hanmer Springs Library.

Followed by an ordinary meeting.

## Amuri Community Arts Council Gallery

situated at the back of the library

The judging has been completed for this year's competition - "Steampunk - The Future That Never Was". Sadly due to Covid, we decided not to hold the prize giving. The entries are on display now in the ACAC Gallery at the rear of the Hanmer Springs Library until towards the end of September.

Remember if you would like to use our gallery for a display of your art work please contact Elizabeth:

0212399903



AMURI A & P – AGM

7.00pm Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> September

Rotherham Hotel Meeting Room

All welcome!!!

Apologies to Kim [amuriap@yahoo.com](mailto:amuriap@yahoo.com)  
or Frank Macfarlane 027 420 3308





## AUGUST

31st Free Recycling Workshop (Two Sessions)  
@ Hanmer Springs Hotel

## SEPTEMBER

1,2,3 & 8,9,10 Mama Mia (Amuri Players)  
3&4 # Basket Weaving Workshop @  
HS School  
10th Izzy Miller Bell and Susan Grant  
@ Anglican Church\*  
10th Fire Performance  
11th Bowling Club AGM 3pm @ Golf Club  
16th Delivery of voting papers begins  
24th Stars In Your Eyes School  
Fundraiser  
.24th Honour Festival - 1-day Wellness Workshop

## OCTOBER

1&2# Ukulele & Guitar Workshop  
@ HS School  
1&2# Painting Gouls Workshop  
@ HS School  
8th Election Day  
8 & 9# Upholstery Workshop @ School  
8 & 9# Singers & Performers Workshop  
8 & 9# Sax, Clarinet, Trumpet, Trombone Workshop  
8 & 9# Cartonnage Workshop @ HS School  
7/8/9. Men's 54 Hole Tournament  
17-21 Women's Golf Tournament:  
27-30th. Hurunui Garden Festival  
28th Hanmer Springs Fete  
29th Graham Wardrop @ Anglican  
Church\*

## NOVEMBER

5th David Evison @ Anglican Church\*

## DECEMBER

3rd Alpine Marathon  
4th Tombstone MTB Race

## JANUARY '23

28th Biennial St James Horse Sale

\* Bookings to Marguerite txt 021 125 4062 or  
[mclubbnz@gmail.com](mailto:mclubbnz@gmail.com)

++ Door sales only Adults \$15 Students \$10

#. Details and registration

<http://musicandarts.co.nz/>

Reserve @ [recycling@hurunui.govt.nz](mailto:recycling@hurunui.govt.nz)

### Links

<https://hurunuigardenfestival.com/>

<https://www.hanmerspringsfete.co.nz/>

<http://musicandarts.co.nz/>

If you have events that are on this  
coming year please let us know

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Tuesday nights 7pm-8.30pm

### YOGA

#### weekly classes

Contact Olivia 021 548 77

### TUESDAY WALKERS

Tuesday morn walks in local forest area. Approx 1½ - 2 hours. Meet 9.45 am at Jollies Pass Rd Forest Entry car park (by old DoC house) More info Anne 0212777515 or Julian 021 148 2811

### Hanmer Springs Tennis Club

During season twilight tennis plus kid's coaching. Contacts:, Olivia Reid 021548776 (adults), Sarah Currie (Kids) 02108264557

### PILATES

Pilates classes @ 12 Amuri Ave  
Mon 5.30pm Thursday 8.45 am 10 am  
Corrie 0210457666  
Wendy 027243 2123

### Tramping group

Day tramps in local mountains and surrounding areas. Every Wednesday. For more information contact Janet 021 103 4303. Mt Isobel Tramping Group

### HANMER SPRINGS COMMUNITY GYM

For use by members. Located downstairs @ Sports Pavilion. Machines for cardio & weight exercise. Membership enquiries  
Phone Shane Adcock 021 921 109

### LINE DANCING

Memorial Hall Monday 1 pm  
Contact Penny 0272 408 321  
Cost:donation

### HANMER SPRINGS BRIDGE CLUB

THURSDAYS AT THE ANGLICAN CHURCH HALL @ 7.15 pm  
Call lov 027 220

### AQUACIZE

Thermal Pools entrance,  
Monday mornings 10 am.  
Informal group. Will need aqua stick. For more information  
Contact  
Linda 021 223 8188

### Hanmer Springs Community Band -

'The Notables' are seeking brass players. You will need to read sheet music. Join Hanmer's 'little' **Big Band**. Monday nights 7 to 8.30pm (school terms). Instruments are also available to borrow. Contact Marguerite for details: 0211254062

### MORRIS DANCING

lots of laughs with some added exertion.

Dancers and musicians welcome  
Sundays 7 pm onwards  
Contact John 021395022

*Listings on these pages are free and are the responsibility of those listed to keep up-to-date*

## FACILITIES & VENUES

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### Hanmer Springs Lions Club

Dinner meetings every 2<sup>nd</sup> Thursday of the month at Five Stags at 6.30pm. All welcome. To join or for more information, contact Boio Sarahu-Hothersall, email [hanmerspringslionsclub@gmail.com](mailto:hanmerspringslionsclub@gmail.com).

### COMBINED PROBUS CLUB HANMER SPRINGS

Meetings first Tuesday each month  
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Rosemary Oram Ph 021 2556262  
Dennis Hall 021 294 1541

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## CHURCHES

### REMNANT CHURCH NZ

Sunday 10 am All welcome  
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A Four Square Church  
0210767236

### Hanmer Church of the Epiphany

31 Jollies Pass Road - Sundays 10 am  
Tea & Coffee after Sunday service.  
Rev Simon Cashmore 315 7221  
People's Warden  
Jonathan Gardiner 315 7925

### Catholic Parish of the Good Shepherd, Hurunui

St Roch's Church 27 Amuri Ave. Mass 5 pm each Saturday  
Culverden Church Mass 6.30 pm first Sunday of each month &, 2nd 3rd Saturday each month

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## Know your Plastic Codes as In Hurunui 1, 2 and 5 ONLY can be Recycled

Symbol	Acronym	Full name and uses
	PET	Polyethylene terephthalate - Fizzy drink bottles and frozen ready meal packages.
	HDPE	High-density polyethylene - Milk and washing-up liquid bottles
	PVC	Polyvinyl chloride - Food trays, cling film, bottles for squash, mineral water and shampoo.
	LDPE	Low density polyethylene - Carrier bags and bin liners.
	PP	Polypropylene - Margarine tubs, microwave-able meal trays.
	PS	Polystyrene - Yoghurt pots, foam meat or fish trays, hamburger boxes and egg cartons, vending cups, plastic cutlery, protective packaging for electronic goods and toys.
	Other	Any other plastics that do not fall into any of the above categories. For example melamine, often used in plastic plates and cups.

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**WINTER HOURS** (6 May to 31 August)  
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 Friday 10am to 1pm  
 Sunday 10am to 1pm

Out of hours recycling facilities for paper, card, cans, plastics types 1, 2 & 5 only and glass bottles are provided; please ensure recycling is clean, loose and all lids are removed. Soft plastics (i.e. those you can scrunch in your hand) are not recyclable and must be placed in the refuse.

Kerbside refuse and recycling collection – Monday 8am

Only official refuse and recycling bags will be collected; these can be purchased from Hanmer Springs Service Station and the library.

Via the recycling bags clean paper, card, cans and plastics types 1, 2 & 5 only can be recycled.

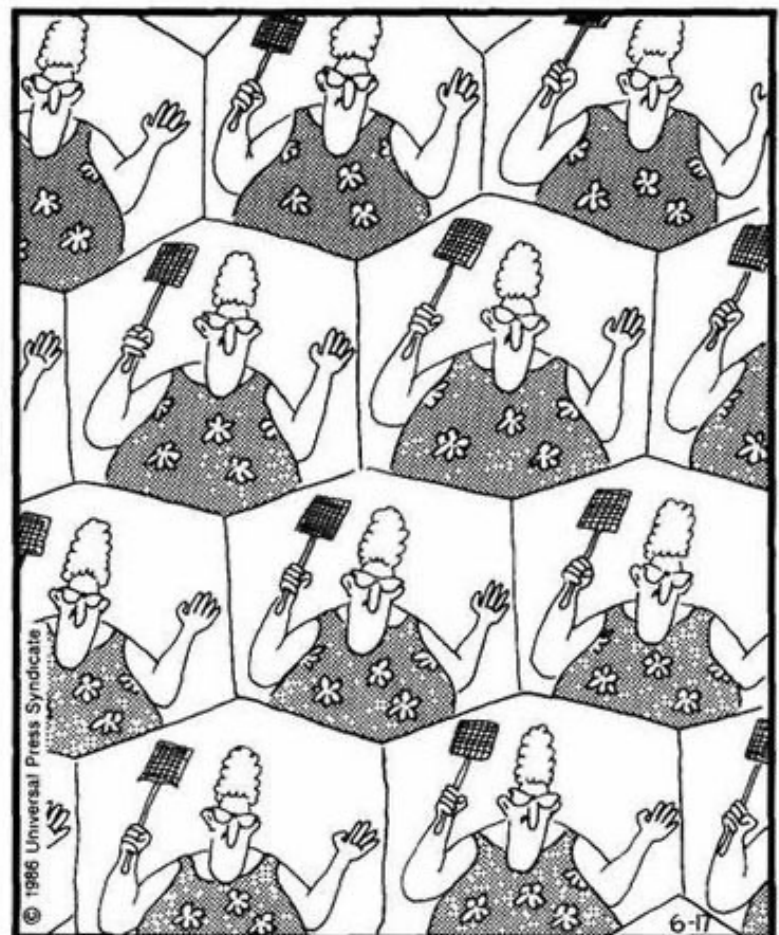
If in doubt – place it in the refuse to save contaminating recycling.

Non complying bags and recycling bags containing glass and soft plastics will not be collected.

Please Note that HDC garbage & recycling bags are no longer available from the Four Square supermarket . Henceforth, bags will only be available from Hanmer Springs Service Station,

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- 23 The inflation rate in Turkey is currently 73.5% - the prime minister has been holding down the country's interest rates to around 14% but the currency (lira) has deteriorated significantly compared with most developed countries.
- 24 In a downturn, a couple must ensure they are on the same page regarding the situation, their plans and their proposed actions. Don't make plans in deep water - plans should always be made in shallow water or on the beach.
- 25 There is nothing wrong with a student loan of \$20,000-\$30,000 if it enables the development of children's skills to continue soundly.
- 26 If the two sets of grandparents want to help, then accept it - you can square this up later.
- 27 Sometimes you need to get the facts - for example, if you need to know the age of a certain woman, then ask her sister-in-law - quietly.
- 28 Keep a good diary - otherwise, you will be in that group who know the important thing to remember is that they are probably going to forget it.
- 29 Yes, I know you have so much work that, if you don't do it, it won't get done or done well - throughout all this though, don't forget that you must action "Adventure Before Dementia".



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