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## chicken and egg curry

You don't have to decide which comes first in this simple, creamy curry. If you leave out the chilli, it's a real family crowd-pleaser.

### Ingredients

- 6 eggs
- 800g chicken thigh fillets, cut into 5cm pieces
- 3 tsp ground turmeric
- 1 tsp salt, plus extra to season
- 2 tbsp vegetable oil
- 2 onions, peeled and sliced
- 5 garlic cloves, peeled and roughly chopped
- 2cm ginger, peeled and grated
- 1 tbsp ground coriander
- 1 tbsp ground cumin
- 2 tsp garam masala
- 1 tsp chilli powder (optional)
- 400g can diced tomatoes
- 300ml thickened cream

### Method

1. Bring a pot of water to the boil and add the eggs. Reduce the heat and simmer for 8 minutes. Remove the eggs and shock in iced water until completely cool, then peel.
2. Combine chicken with 1 teaspoon of the turmeric and salt and set aside for 10 minutes.
3. Heat a large, deep frying pan over medium heat and add the oil. Add a pinch of turmeric and fry the eggs until coated with the yellow oil and lightly browned. Remove eggs from the pan, then fry the chicken in batches until lightly browned (the chicken doesn't have to be cooked through). Remove chicken from the pan and set aside.
4. Add a little more oil to the pan if needed, then the onion, garlic and ginger and fry for about 8-10 minutes, until softened. Add the coriander, cumin, garam masala, chilli (if using) and remaining turmeric and fry for a minute until fragrant. Add the tomatoes and a cup of water and bring to a simmer. Cover and simmer for 10 minutes. Add the chicken and simmer for 5 minutes, adding water if needed to maintain a thick curry consistency. Stir through the cream and eggs and simmer for a further 5 minutes, then taste and adjust seasoning.

## Fisherman's Pie

Seafood is topped with creamy mash that blends into a rich sauce. Who says you shouldn't mix seafood and cheese?

### Ingredients

- 150g hot-smoked salmon, broken into chunks
- 400g monk fish fillets, cut into 5cm chunks
- 400g good-quality marinara mix
- 2 cups frozen peas
- 2 tbsp finely shredded parsley
- 2 tbsp finely shredded dill
- 2 cups grated cheese
- Salt and white pepper, to season

### Mornay sauce

- 60g butter
- 1 onion, finely diced
- ½ bulb fennel, finely diced
- ¼ cup plain flour
- 1 cup milk
- 1 cube fish or chicken stock
- 2 cups grated cheese

### Mashed potatoes

- 1kg potatoes, peeled and cut into chunks
- 150ml thickened cream
- 50g butter

### Method

1. Heat your oven to 200C fan-forced (220C conventional). For the mornay sauce, heat a medium saucepan over medium heat and add butter, onion and fennel. Fry for about 2 minutes until softened. Add the flour and stir to cook for a further minute or two. Add the milk a little at a time and stir to create a thick sauce. Crumble in the stock cube and stir through the cheese until melted. Combine the sauce with the seafood, peas, parsley and dill, reserving a little of the herbs for garnish. Transfer to a large baking dish.
2. For the mashed potatoes, place the potatoes into a large saucepan and cover with cold water. Simmer for about 15 minutes until the potatoes are tender. Drain, return to the pot and mash with the cream and butter to a smooth mash. Season very well with salt and pepper.
3. Top the seafood filling with the mash and scatter with the cheese. Bake for 15-20 minutes until the cheese is melted and golden brown. Scatter with the remaining herbs and serve.



# BARBARA REESE

Died peacefully in her sleep on January 11, 2023, in her 97th year.

Barbara was a true and respected friend of Hanmer Springs and everyone who lives here. She loved this town and never really wanted to live anywhere else and it was only her failing health that saw her move away from her home in Leamington Street only a few months ago. Whether it be the knitting circle or the golf club, Barbara loved company and in return was loved by everyone she encountered. She was always beautifully groomed and forever a lady, in the true sense of the word; well mannered, courteous and refined and with a warm sense of humour.

She was also mother to five children, and grandmother (Bardy) to nine grandchildren and five great grand children.

Her involvement in the Hanmer Springs Golf Club was legendary and she was made a life member several years ago. It is true to say that in later years the golf club was the major thing in her life, whether as a player or a friend. Until two or three years ago she still played actively in club days and tournaments.

When playing became too difficult Barbara remained a regular at the club and if there was a tournament or event, she would be found in the kitchen buttering bread for sandwiches, or sitting out front selling raffles or helping the scorers, seeking a continuing involvement. She was a regular visitor to the cemetery visiting the grave of her beloved husband David. (She still insisted on being known as Mrs David Reese.)

Hers was a life to be celebrated and she would be the first to say that was preferable to sadness at her passing. And she always looked to the day when she would be reunited with her beloved David.

Go in peace Barbara, knowing you were loved.

(At the time of writing all we know is that the funeral service and celebration of Barbara's life will be held at St Augustine's Anglican Church, 5 Cracroft Terrace, Cashmere, at 11.00am on Friday, January 20, 2023 but there will surely be some form of memorial in Hanmer.)



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# Capitalism

**W**hat's the matter here?

Why has so little progress been made on climate change, even as the dangers have become ever more apparent?

According to one school of thought, the problem has to do with incentives. There's a great deal of money to be made selling fossil fuels—just in the first quarter of 2022, twenty-five of the world's largest oil-and-gas producers announced profits of close to a hundred billion dollars—and still more money to be made by burning fossil fuels to make stuff to sell, from sunglasses to steel girders. Meanwhile, the costs of climate change can be fobbed off on someone else. To use the technical term, they are a “negative externality.” In the words of the Stern Review, a report commissioned by the British government in 2005, climate change “is the greatest and widest-ranging market failure ever seen.”

By this account, the obvious solution is to realign the incentives—to internalise the externalities. If the cost of the damage caused by a ton of CO<sub>2</sub> was borne by the business (or individual) responsible for emitting that ton, then the business (or individual) would be motivated to cut back.

“A carbon tax offers the most cost-effective lever to reduce carbon emissions at the scale and speed that is necessary,” a 2019 statement signed by thirty-five hundred economists, including twenty-eight Nobel Prize winners, declared. Such a tax would move “the invisible hand of the marketplace to steer economic actors towards a low-carbon future.”

According to a second school of thought, the trouble runs a whole lot deeper. Our political system is dominated by corporate money in general and fossil-fuel money in particular. (Last year, in the USA, the oil-and-gas industry reportedly spent a hundred and twenty million dollars lobbying Washington, and it probably spent a great deal more via front groups.)

It's therefore naïve to imagine that policies that cut into fossil-fuel profits will be enacted. And even if they were, they wouldn't solve the essential problem, which is that the “invisible hand” always grasps for more. If it's not more oil, it will be more lithium to build batteries, and if it's not more lithium it will be more cobalt, mined from the bottom of the sea.

“When it comes to global warming, we know that the real problem is not just fossil fuels—it is the logic of endless growth that is built into our economic system,” Jason Hickel, an economic anthropologist at the Autonomous University of Barcelona, has written. Climate change can't be dealt with using the tools of capitalism, because **it is a product of capitalism**. It can be dealt with only by throwing off capitalism in favour of something else—a system aimed not at growth but at “degrowth.”

“The difficult truth is that, to prevent climate and ecological catastrophe, we need to level down” is how the British environmental writer George Monbiot recently put it.

A third line of thought—perhaps too bleak and unpopular to be called a school—is that, if big change is hard, bigger change is even harder. How are we going to build a whole new economic system if we can't even enact a carbon tax?



# HANMER NOTES

(The Press—early 1900s)  
By An Occasional Visitor

Having recently had a sharp attack of influenza, and been ordered by my medical officer to take a trip to Hanmer to thoroughly shake off the effects, I journeyed northward on Monday last in anything but prepossessing weather. I noticed a marked improvement since my last visit, inasmuch as the train now starts at a more respectable hour, viz., 8.50, and much of that annoying delay in taking off and dropping off trucks at the varying wayside stations has been stopped.

Arriving at Culverden one was ready for the appetising dinner waiting at the Culverden Hotel, now managed by Mr Anderson. In looking over the building I noticed it has now been thoroughly painted and renovated. The sanitary arrangements were perfect, a septic tank arrangement being in operation. On reach the Waiau Ferry another surprise appeared in the new and substantial hotel (built 1905 which dates



this article to that time. Ed.) which stood on the site of the old hostelry, so well known to travellers on this road and where a cup of hot tea, or something stronger, is always welcome after the rattling coach ride. Hanmer was reached at 4.30 p.m., after a journey of seven hours, which is a great improvement on the time taken a year or so ago.

Very cold weather is being experienced just now. Snow fell in constant quantities during Sunday, with the result that the township is surrounded with snow clad hills. From a scenic or spectacular standpoint the outlook is beautiful in the extreme. From an occasional visitor's point of view,

however, the snow looks well at a distance, but he would prefer a sample of more spring-like weather.

So far as accommodation goes, I find there are some eight public caterers, viz., The Spa (not the Sanatorium, please), The Lodge, Mrs Lahmert, Jollies Pass Hotel, Mrs Ashton, Miss Fawcett, J W Fawcett and Mr Farrow. Having made enquiries as to the number that could be accommodated, I find that it amounts to about two hundred and fifty, but at a pinch, as has happened at Christmas and Easter, considerably more, because shakedown and tents are then brought into requisition. Some of the more prominent residents fear that Hanmer as a health resort has been considerably damaged, owing to a rumour having got abroad that the township was not in a sanitary condition. Certainly, during the last two years many of its former patrons have not put in an appearance, but the rumour is utterly false. Another rumour that has gained a foothold is that the waters of the springs have lost their medicinal value since the gas has been taken from the wells and used for lighting purposes in the Spa buildings. Mr J B Gould, the Manager of the Spa, laughs this idea to scorn. He informs me that some time ago a gentleman who takes a prominent interest in the welfare of Hanmer, procured samples of the waters of the springs, and at his own expense had them analysed by Professor Black, with the result that they were to have been not in any way deteriorated. Another gentleman, who is hot on the subject, forcibly expressed his opinions to me, to the effect that whether there was any truth to the rumour or not, the practice of tapping the springs for gas was utter nonsense and ought to be at once stopped. The small cost of an acetylene gas plant compared to the harm it was doing in the public estimation was infinitesimal. He was also of the opinion that unless something was done some of the business people who had sunk capital, with a view of providing accommodation, would have to seek fresh pastures.

On making further enquiries, I find that there is a well-defined antagonism existing between the various accommodation house proprietors and the Spa. They complain of the Government coming into competition with private, and contend that their institution was inaugurated as a sanatorium for the benefit of those who

were sick and those unable to pay more than a moderate amount for their keep. The name sanatorium is now *non est* and the more aristocratic name of the Spa has taken its place.

I have heard on good authority that a person who was sick was, after a short stay, requested to move her quarters — and we live in a land ruled by a Liberal and so-called philanthropic Government. The question is also asked, is the institution a paying concern or simply a white elephant, and in some respects I am led to believe the latter suggestion. I am informed that it cost the country considerably more than a thousand pounds last year over receipts, and this it must be remembered after everyone is taxed to the highest for baths, games and amusements.

The motor bus service from Culverden which was advocated at the meeting Wednesday night is a project that has been on the tapis for some time, but the government can't or won't inaugurate the service. The suggestion was first mooted by one of the candidates who stood for the Avon constituency 3½ years ago. At the time he was laughed at and his harrowing account of the effects of the coach journey on a person in delicate health was looked upon as a piece of political bluff. But now the residents are in earnest and they intend to do or die.

The question of a light railway has been dangled before the district for a considerable time, but anyone in his senses must see that such expenditure (£2 to £300,000) is altogether out of the question. With upkeep and expenditure it would be a white elephant. With several up-to-date motor buses and the waters courses bridged, the service would be sufficient for many years to come.

Another standing grievance which the residents have against the Government, whose persistent apathy in booming the place is proverbial, is the long expected water supply, which has been a promise for a considerable time past, but which appears to be as far off a reality as ever.



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# WHAT DOES THE NET ASSETS VALUE OF NEW ZEALAND HOUSEHOLDS LOOK LIKE?

(The data is as at March 2022 but with house prices having slipped back over the last six months it could still be quite realistic.)

Pita Alexander

<b>Liabilities</b>		<b>Assets</b>	
Household Mortgages	\$232 billion	House and Sections	\$1,306.65 billion
Consumer Loans	\$14.71 billion	Currency Asset.	\$5 billion
Student Loans	\$16 billion	Deposits with Banks	\$209 billion
	\$262.71 billion	Other Securities	\$4 billion
Suggested Net Assets of All N Z Households (1)	\$2,421.08 billion	Loans	\$0.3 billion
(Note Based on say, 1,953,900 NZ households, this represents around \$1.238,101 per household)		Share Market (Unlisted)	\$98 billion
		New Zealand Businesses	\$665 billion
		Share Market (Listed)	\$124 billion
		Life Assurance/Superannuation	\$136 billion
		Other Assets	\$135.84 billion
	<u>\$2,683.79 billion</u>		<u>\$2,683.79 billion</u>

## Thoughts and Comments arising from the Schedule:

\*The data, in the main, is coming from the New Zealand Statistics Department and is relatively new data - very often in the past household net assets only applied to housing assets and net assets and not overall assets.

\*The net assets involved with housing and net assets not involved with housing are both significant and relatively similar in value.

\*The household deposits in the NZ banking system of \$209 billion are surprising and represent \$109,424 per household.

\*This sort of data alters every day.

The data is suggesting housing assets of  
Less long-term debt

\$1,306.65 billion  
(\$232.00 billion)  
\$1,074.65 billion

Non-housing assets of  
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\$1,377.14 billion  
(\$30.71 billion)  
\$1,346.43 billion

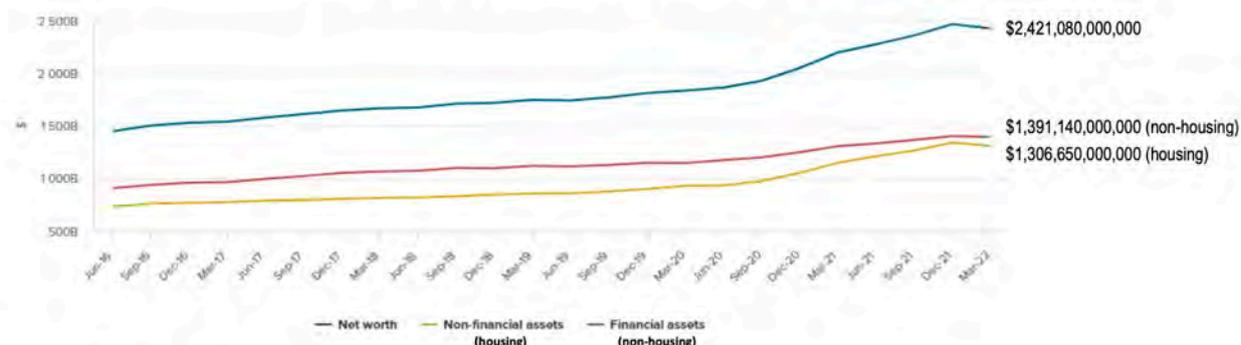
\*The average net assets per household of \$1,239,101 is surprisingly high and there will be some enormous variations across the whole country.

\*Presumably the \$135.84 billion of other assets includes furniture, boats, cars, household chattels, toys, lawnmowers, artwork, jewellery etc - it comes out at \$69,522 per household, which seems possible.

\*The data surprised the writer at first sight - I have attached the New Zealand Department of Statistics publication of 14 July 2022, which shows the key figures.

### STATISTICS NEW ZEALAND, 14 JULY 2022

Household Net Worth (\$), Non-Financial and Financial Assets, June 2016 - March 2022 Quarters



Liabilities: \$262.71 billion

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1. Which river runs through the city of Hamilton?
2. New Zealand's highest mountain has been known by two names over the years. Which is the Maori name?
3. In 1907, Frederick Truby King founded which important and long-serving organisation?
4. The most common street names in New Zealand are named after what?
5. Which item of clothing came to symbolise New Zealand's 1995 America's Cup victory?
6. What is the main ingredient of the ANZAC biscuit?
7. What is the most southern area of New Zealand's territory?
8. In which year did explorer James Cook chart the coastline of New Zealand?
9. What is the name of a small Wairarapa (North Island) town reputed to be the quietest in New Zealand?
10. The easternmost city in New Zealand touts itself as "the first city in the world to see the sun." What is its name?
11. What city was the home of Sir Ernest Rutherford, the scientist who first "split the atom"?
12. What is the first town you come to if you drive over the Rimutaka Hill Road from Wellington?
13. What town is world famous in New Zealand because it has a soft drink named after it?
14. What is the name of the town in the centre of the North Island, situated on the Desert Road, and is home to a large army base?
15. What is the name of the gold mining town in the Coromandel/Thames Valley area?
16. What does HTTP stand for in a website address?
17. Who was the second president of the United States?
18. What is the chemical equation for hydrogen peroxide?
19. In which country would you find the dish 'pho'?
20. In the song, Heartbreak Hotel is on which street?
21. In which city was Martin Luther King assassinated in 1968?
22. In which film did Roger Moore first play James Bond?
23. In literature, who was the best known pupil of Greyfriar's School?
24. Who composed The Wedding March?
25. In which country did the Mau Mau uprising (1952-60) occur?
26. In which county is the UK prime minister's official country residence Chequers?
27. What liqueur bearing the letters D.O.M. on the bottle label was developed at Fecamp, France, in the 16th century?
28. What is the third major Balearic island in size?
29. Who captained Jules Verne's submarine Nautilus?
30. The llama belongs to the family of animals commonly called what?
31. The Sheffield Shield is competed for in which sport?
32. What is converted into alcohol during brewing?
33. In which bay is Alcatraz?
34. Which British general was killed at Khartoum?
35. In which Dickens novel was Miss Havisham jilted on her wedding day?

# Community Notices

## Hurunui District Councillors

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10. Gisborne 11. Nelson 12. Featherston  
13. Paeroa 14. Waiouru 15. Waihi 16. HyperText Transfer Protocol  
17. John Adams 18. H<sub>2</sub>O  
19. Vietnam 20. Lonely Street 21. Memphis, Tennessee  
22. Live and Let Die (1973) 23. Billy Bunter  
24. Felix Mendelssohn 25. Kenya 26. Buckinghamshire  
27. Benedictine 28. Ibiza 29. Captain Nemo  
30. Camels (or camelids) 31. Cricket (in Australia)  
32. Sugar 33. San Francisco Bay 34. Charles Gordon  
35. Great Expectations

## Hanmer Springs

Golf Results

**No golf results  
this week**

## HANMER SPRINGS BRIDGE CLUB

Restart play Thursday 19th January 2023

Seasons Greetings To All

## Hanmer Springs Netball AGM

to be held on Monday the 23rd of January  
at 7pm in the Pavilion -  
All welcome.

## JPs in Hanmer Springs

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# Events Calendar

## JANUARY '23

28th Biennial St James Horse Sale

## FEBRUARY '23

18 & 19. Upholstery Workshop with Steve McDonald  
25 Motofest @ The Domain

## MARCH

4th. Amuri A & P Show  
5th Waipara Wine and Food Festival

## APRIL

1st Bandquet

If you have events that are on this coming year please let us know  
[info@thepinkie.co.nz](mailto:info@thepinkie.co.nz)  
[www.thepinkie.co.nz](http://www.thepinkie.co.nz)  
 The events calendar is looking very bare so if you have any events on, please let us know.  
 Research shows us this is a much used section of the Pinkie

The Amuri Community Arts Council are pleased to be displaying  
**Snapshot**  
 a group exhibition featuring selected works by Sarah Anderson, Janneth Gil, Karen Greenslade, Viv Kepes, Stephanie McEwin. MiKyung (Amelia Jang and Mark Soltero  
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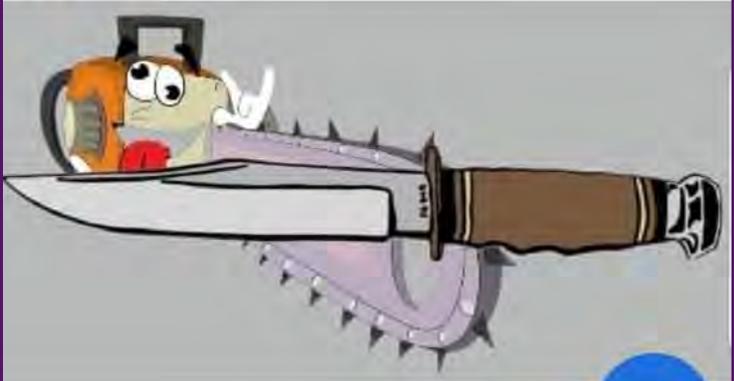
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## CLASSES & FITNESS, CLUBS & MUSIC

### HANMER SINGS Adults Choir

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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 Talia Shadbolt 021170 7114 (Senior Interclub)

### 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 Joy 027 220 2511

### 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 players. Particularly a drummer, keyboard and bass player. You will need to read sheet music or have a really good ear. Join Hanmer's 'liddle' 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*

### 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  
Fun and Fellowship ..  
for the more mature  
To join or for more information Contact:-  
Rosemary Oram Ph 021 2556262  
Dennis Hall 021 294 1541

## FACILITIES & VENUES

### HANMER SPRINGS GOLF CLUB

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### SPORTS PAVILION

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### ANGLICAN CHURCH HALL

Available for hire for community groups, Meetings, worship, retreats etc.  
Contact Shirley Whitaker 0274 161415

## CHURCHES

### REMNANT CHURCH NZ

Sunday 10 am All welcome  
108 Rippingale Rd  
A Four Square Church  
0210767236

### Hanmer Church of the Epiphany

31 Jollies Pass Road - Sundays 10 am  
1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday – Morning Worship  
2<sup>nd</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday – communion  
Tea & Coffee after Sunday service.  
Contact: Jonathan Gardiner  
315 7925 / 0276 859 276 (warden)

### 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

**USE 105** FOR POLICE NON-EMERGENCIES

Fire, Ambulance and Police Dial 111

## 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, microwaveable 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.

**SUMMER HOURS** From Tuesday 13 Dec

- **Tuesday: 11am to 1.30pm**
- **Wednesday: 11am to 1.30pm**
- **Friday: 11am to 1.30pm**

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, the library , The Log Cabin and Super Liquor

# Kia Ora Summer Pool Parties



2023

## When/Where?

**Amberley - Douglas Road**

Wednesday 11 January | 11am - 1pm

**Rotherham @ George Street**

Thursday 12 January | 11am - 1pm

**Culverden - School Road**

Friday 13 January | 11am - 1pm

**Cheviot @ School Pool**

Tuesday 17 January | 11am - 1pm

**Greta Valley @ School Pool\***

Tuesday 17 January | 3pm - 5pm

\*Note different start time

**Waiau - Clarence Street**

Wednesday 18 January | 11am - 1pm

**Waipara @ School Pool**

Thursday 19 January | 11am - 1pm

**Leithfield @ School Pool**

Friday 20 January | 11am - 1pm

**Hawarden @ School Pool**

Tuesday 24 January | 11am - 1pm

**Hanmer Springs @ School Pool**

Wednesday 25 January | 11am - 1pm

**Omihi @ School Pool**

Thursday 26 January | 11am - 1pm

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