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### 2023 COMMUNITY SERVICE AWARDS

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

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

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

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

Completed forms should be sent to:  
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chance to get a ticket from the  
Health Centre Reception

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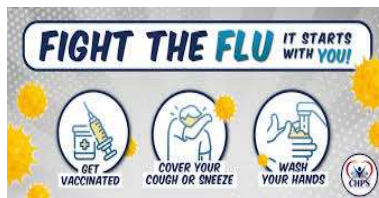
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### FLU VACCINE – EXTENDED ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA



Pharmac (Te Pataka  
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pleased to  
announce that they  
are widening access  
to influenza vaccine  
from 1 April 2023

for the following two groups, for the duration of the  
2023 calendar year:

- Children who are 6 months to 12 years of age;
- Māori and Pacific peoples who are 55 to 64 years of age;
- Tamariki under 9 years of age who have not previously received flu vaccine will need two doses given four weeks apart to gain full immunity for 2023;

**Once the vaccine arrives will contact eligible  
people within the next couple of weeks, or you  
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- *Māori and Pacific peoples aged 50 years and over*
- *health, aged care, and disability workers aged 30 years and over*

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1. What modern country was called Lusitania by the Romans?
2. We have Eden Park , but in which city would you find the sporting ground Eden Garden?
3. The British Honduras changed its name in 1973. To what?
4. What is a jota?
5. The battery was invented by which physicist?
6. Dr Samuel Johnson was famous for producing which type of book?
7. In imperial measures, how many yards in a chain?
8. What number is on the black ball if you are playing pool?
9. If one billion is written in digits, how many zeros are there?
10. What is the largest species of crocodile?
11. What was the British Royal family's house before it adopted the name Windsor?
12. Which group of islands was formerly known as the Sandwich Islands?
13. Which country singer had a hit with *Crazy*?
14. In which country are the ruins of ancient Carthage?
15. How is the Mediterranean linked to the Red Sea?
16. The Victoria Falls are on the border of which two countries?
17. Timbuktu is in which country?
18. What gives English mustard its colour?
19. Which American paediatrician wrote *The Common Sense Book of Baby Care*?
20. Phobos and Deimos are moons of which planet?
21. Which landlocked country borders China, Vietnam, Cambodia, Thailand and Burma?
22. In the novel *Treasure Island*, what was the name of Long John Silver's parrot?
23. As well as a sword, what does the blindfolded figure of justice carry?
24. What is the more common name of *Coquilles Saint Jacques* in this country?
25. In which country did the Boxer Rebellion take place?
26. In 2001 the New Orleans Airport was named after a musician. Which one?
27. Ignoring the deviations, what is the longitude of the International Date Line?
28. Who or what had the name *The Rockhampton Rocket*?
29. Which geological era saw the appearance of flowering plants and dinosaurs?
30. Which famous figure in history invented the bifocal lens?





# On the Road Hanmer

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**Tuesday 4 April**  
**What's On**

**Music Trails**

12.00pm – 12.30pm, Hanmer Library

An interactive, musical performance filled with singing, dancing, storytelling, and music; designed for 2 – 6 year olds and their whānau.

**CSO Live in Hanmer**

12.30pm – 1.00pm, Hanmer Library

A relaxed, lunchtime concert in the library featuring a CSO Quintet.

**Interactive Music Workshop**

3.30pm – 4.30pm, Church Hall, Jollies Pass Rd

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Places limited to 30.

**Cafe Performance & Hot Pools**

5.00pm – 5.30pm, Hanmer Springs

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## Community Service Award for 2023.

Once again Council is calling for nominations from the public for worthy recipients of a Community Service Award for 2023.

These awards are to recognise a long period of exceptional service to the Community by residents of the District and we are now looking for nominations from your area. Get your thinking caps on – there will be people in your community who have made a considerable contribution to your area in some way, but they often fly under the radar.

If more than one nomination is received from your area the Ward/Board/Community Committee will be asked to select the most appropriate recipient.

A nomination form can be downloaded and printed from the Council website [www.hurunui.govt.nz](http://www.hurunui.govt.nz) or from our office in Amberley or our Service Centres/ Libraries in Amberley, Culverden, Cheviot, Hawarden and Hanmer Springs.

Amuri Community Arts Council

# CHILDREN'S ART COMPETITION

**2023 THEME**

## Under the water

**Your artwork could be a painting, photograph, sculpture, drawing and can be natural, recycled or fabric**

**Work can be  
realistic or fantasy**

**Age Groups:**

5 – 7 years

8 – 11 years

12 – 14 years

15 – 18 years

**Your chance to show your work in the Library Gallery**

All works must be your own original artwork, less than one year old, and not exhibited elsewhere

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## ENTRIES DUE 30 JUNE 2023

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### Saxophone Workshop Weekend:

**Lana Law: 30th September and  
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**Saxophone Section Workshop with Lana Law**

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**Bring your saxophone and be ready to play!**

Lana Law picked up the baritone sax at 13 at Burnside High School and knew it was the right instrument for her straight away. After completing her Bachelor of Music (BMus) Degree in Jazz Performance at Massey University she spent time touring the world as a professional musician. Her passion is teaching students and groups, both privately and as an itinerant music teacher and Band Director in schools. Lana is the co-founder and Music Director of NZ's first female big band The All Girl Big Band, and former Music Director of the Garden City Big Band, playing the lead alto saxophone chair in both these bands. Lana became the Music Director of the Christchurch Youth Jazz Orchestra (CYJO) in 2021 and continues to this day working with this talented ensemble.

She has performed with numerous musical groups and bands both locally in Christchurch and nationally. Lana is in high demand as a session musician for many different types of bands, CD recordings and shows.



Email: [hanmermusicandarts@gmail.com](mailto:hanmermusicandarts@gmail.com) for further information and registration payment of \$90





## Your Welcome

A few personal musings in and around Hanmer Springs and The Hurunui.

I met with Chorus last week to discuss Fibre and the Internet in Hanmer and The Hurunui. My wife and I both work Nationally and Internationally on line, and the ultra-fast fibre is superb. Zoom meetings/lectures are often as close to real time as is possible.

Yet only approx. 25% of Hanmer homes are connected to Fibre. I wonder why? What are the issues preventing people from signing up for Fibre? Is it cost? Netflix and streaming is so much better. Is it convenience?

Those living in rural properties and farms, please let me know what issues you have with phones and internet. How can we help? What costs do you face? Would your farm/business benefit from more connectivity.

I envisage Hanmer Springs, Waiau and Rotherham could become 'Internet towns' where increasing numbers of people work from home in our beautiful district. The facilities are available, what are the obstacles? The inability to use Internet, phones and radio whilst driving on our state highways also bugs me.

As you leave State Highway 7 to enter Hanmer Springs what do you see and what impression do

visitors get? The Waiau River Bridge is spectacular and could do with a paint and spruce up. Then the lookout car park, what a great place for photos but sited on a dangerous bend. We are lucky there have been no accidents that I am aware of.

The Gabion Hanmer Springs Sign by the camper van dump site is great but perhaps not in the best location. As we get to Neville's Garage we have our new footpath which was built for the safety of our residents and visitors. It often seems to be blocked with cars. Views on this path are mixed so I would love to hear from you.

The memorial is being made neater and tidier and Amuri Ave always looks splendid.

Let me know about our beautiful village and how you would like to see it improved and beautified. Murals and planting have made a big difference, let's have more.

Last but no means least, a big shout out for Russell Voice and Canterbury Weather Updates. I think the accuracy of the forecasts is great and I am really looking forward to CWU TV. I know I will be an addict as our weather fascinates me.

Love to hear from you.

Tom Davies  
TomDavies@hurunui.govt.nz



**CHRIST IS RISEN**



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*Easter Services*

*All Welcome*

**Good Friday**

2.30pm

Combined Churches Service

Meditation - Stations of the Cross

**Easter Sunday**

8.30am

Communion Service

10am

Family Worship service

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# Hanmer Springs School

## Pinkie Report Week 8, 2023

Journalists - Amelia Saric, Sharnie Inglis, Amelia Nelson, Kiara Bratschi, Charlie Bryant.

### Hurunui Duathlon.

On Tuesday the 21st March we had 9 students competing in the Hurunui Duathlon against students from the other schools in Hurunui. It was fun and challenging because we had to try our best, not give up and persevere to the finish line. We ran 2km around the fairy doors and Tarndale Reserve, biked 7km around Easy Rider then ran another 1km around the fairy doors to finish at Brooke Dawson Reserve.

We had some outstanding results:

Year 5 Boys: 1st Archie M

Year 6 Boys: 1st Jimmy, 9th Harrison

Year 6 Girls: 8th Pippa

Year 7 Boys: 7th Cooper

Year 8 Boys: 2nd Blake, 3rd Noah

Year 8 Girls: 1st Amelia S, 3rd Charlie

Thank you to the teachers who helped set up the transition zone the day before and to Mr McBride for doing multiple laps of the course to put out the markers and completing a safety check after high winds the night before. Thanks to Ben and Phillpa Necklen, Harley Manion, Diana and Shaun Williams and Mel Bollinger for helping out on the day.



### The Vatnajokull written by Pippa L.

The Vatnajokull is located in Iceland. It's the largest and most voluminous ice cap in Iceland. It's the second largest in Europe, after the island ice cap of Novaya Zemlya. It's in the south east of the island. The average thickness of the ice is 400m, with a maximum thickness of 1,000m.





challenges with and an ipad. When the challenge started myself, Amelia S, Blake, Noah and Kiara ran the whole challenge. On the ipad there was a map of where we had to go to complete the challenges. Some of them were really hard. Our team, 'The Hogs' won by nearly 1000 points. Thank you Activity Hanmer for such a great time, we recommend that other groups try out this fun and exciting activity.



### School wide inquiry about migration

For our Aotearoa New Zealand histories inquiry we have been learning about culture, identity and migration. Kārearea class students have made family history slideshows, which they have shared with each other. Lots of kids struggled with this but they persevered and got the information they required to complete their project. There have been some amazing articles and some interesting facts.



Sharnie shared this information about her great great great grandfather: Sir Apirana Ngata was the first Māori to complete a degree at a New Zealand university, he would then go on to complete a second degree in 1896 and become the first New Zealander to gain a double degree.

### Migration written by Chris.

In Kereru class we are learning about migration. Migration means moving from one place to another. Here is something I have learnt about one of the students and his family:

#### About Timmy's Family.

Timmy's parents Mike and Cindy are from South Africa. Timmy's dad Mike, has been held at both knife and gunpoint! Mike and Cindy moved to England from South Africa to start a family in a safer country. When Mike and Cindy lived in South Africa they had tall barbed wire fences and bars on the windows for protection. Timmy was born in England and then they moved to New Zealand where he lives with the rest of his family.



## Vietnamese Crispy Prawn Cakes

### INGREDIENTS

50 grams shelled large prawns, coarsely chopped  
 ¼ cup cornflour, more for dusting  
 2 tablespoons minced lemon grass (tender inner stalk only)  
 2 garlic cloves, minced  
 2 serrano or jalapeño chilli peppers, seeded and minced  
 4 spring onions, thinly sliced, white and light green part separated from dark green tops  
 1 tablespoon plus 2 teaspoons sugar  
 1 teaspoon coarse salt  
 ¼ cup Asian fish sauce - nuoc mam  
 Finely grated zest of 1 lime  
 ¼ cup fresh lime juice (from 2 to 3 limes)  
 Peanut oil, for frying  
 Cooked rice noodles, optional, for serving  
 ½ cup fresh coriander leaves, optional, for serving

### Step 1

In the bowl of a food processor, combine shrimp, cornstarch, lemon grass, garlic, chiles, white and light green scallion bottoms, 2 teaspoons sugar and salt. Pulse until mixture forms a coarse paste.

### Step 2

In a small bowl, whisk together fish sauce, lime zest and juice, 1 tablespoon sugar and the dark green scallion tops.

### Step 3

Heat oil in a large skillet over medium-high heat. Wet hands to keep shrimp paste from sticking. Form 2 tablespoons of shrimp mixture into a ½-inch-thick patty. Dust patty with cornstarch. Repeat with remaining batter. Fry patties in batches until golden brown, 2 to 3 minutes per side.

Serve over rice noodles, if desired, drizzled with fish sauce mixture and strewn with coriander.

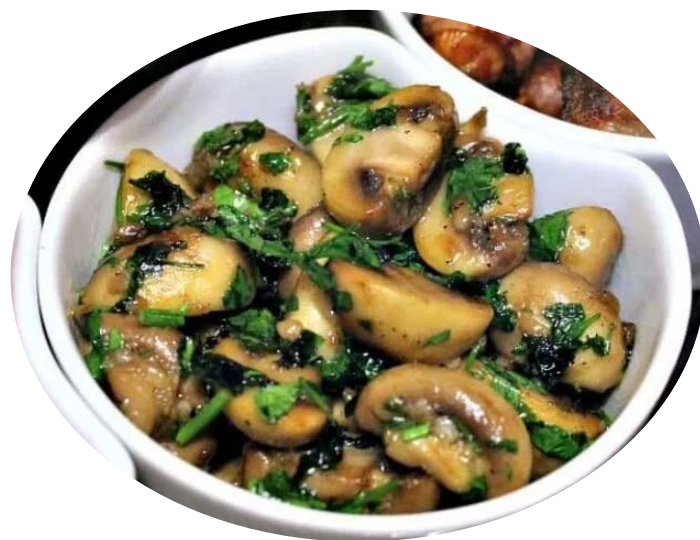
## Champinones Al Ajillo, Spanish Garlic Mushrooms

### Ingredients

10 Large Button Mushrooms, quartered  
 5 Cloves Garlic, minced  
 3 tablespoons extra virgin olive oil  
 1 tablespoon lemon juice  
 2 tablespoons dry sherry  
 ¼ Teaspoon Spanish Paprika  
 Ground Black Pepper and Sea Salt to season  
 ¼ - ½ Teaspoon dried chili flakes, optional to suit  
 1 Tablespoon Fresh, chopped flat leaf parsley

### Instructions

1. Quarter the mushrooms, chop the parsley, crush the garlic.
2. Over a medium heat, add the olive oil and sautee the mushrooms for a few minutes. Then add the remaining ingredients EXCEPT the parsley. Cook for a further 5 minutes, stirring. Then remove pan from heat, add the chopped parsley and stir through. Serve hot with some crusty bread.







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Mockett Motors ca 1920 - on the right is Mrs Stavert's library



Soldiers being taken via Woodbank Road to a picnic at Woodbank Station 1917





# Events Calendar

## MARCH

29/30 Amuri Collie Club @ Lochiel

## APRIL

1st Bandquet  
4th CSO Free concerts and workshops\*  
7th Good Friday  
9th Easter Egg Hunt Remnant House  
25th. Anzac Dawn Parade  
27th Film Club 'Blue Back' @ Golf club  
29th. Official Opening of New Bowling Green

## MAY

6th Four Square Half Marathon and 10K  
14 May Mother's Day service Remnant House  
18th Film Club  
19-21 Peter Kumar @ Memorial Hall  
20th Fashion Centre Trophy Golf  
27th Mt Isobel Challenge  
27th Movie night Remnant House

## JUNE

17th Movie Night @ Remnant House  
22nd Film Club @ Golf Club

## JULY

13th Canterbury Junior Open Golf  
15th Movie night @ Remnant House  
20th Film Club  
22nd George Erceg Memorial Mens Golf  
Olive Long Memorial Ladies Golf

## AUGUST

17th Film Club @ Golf Club  
19th Movie Night @ Remnant House  
26th Scotty Anderson Memorial Mens Golf  
Jessie Sutherland Memorial Ladies Golf

## SEPTEMBER

3rd Fathers Day @ Remnant House  
14th. Film Club @ Golf Club  
18th Movie night @ Remnant House  
30 Sept/October 1: Lana Law: Saxophone Workshop

## OCTOBER

6th to 8th. Mens 54 Hole Tournament  
12th Film Club  
26 to 29th The Hurunui Garden Festival  
27th Hanmer Springs Fete

## NOVEMBER

5th Shootout Golf Final

## DECEMBER

16th Christmas Hamper Golf Tournament

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## Amuri Collie Club 109th Annual Trial

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Thursday 30 March 2023  
Friday 31 March 2023

### Amuri Community Arts Council

is running a Floral Art Course (Flower arranging) on Sunday 16 April from 9am to 3pm (allow time until 4pm). This will be held in the Karearea room at Hanmer Springs Primary School. Cost is \$85 which will include most materials. For further information either look at our Facebook page: Amuri Community Arts Council or contact:  
[ElizabethYP.ACAC@gmail.com](mailto:ElizabethYP.ACAC@gmail.com).  
0212399903

## Pools Opening Later for Holidays

from Friday 7 April to Saturday 22 April, opening hours will be 10am to 9pm.

From Sunday 23 April, they will return to being open from 10am to 7pm.

ENTRIES CLOSE 10am 31 MARCH

# What Will Become of the Dispossessed?

## Twenty-one Million People Being Displaced Each Year by Weather Events

One of climate change's many compounding injustices is that the highest costs will be borne by those who have contributed the least to the problem.

Several low-lying island nations, including Tuvalu and Kiribati, are destined simply to disappear.

In Bangladesh, some two thousand people arrive every day in the capital, Dhaka, many driven by storms or rising seas that have made village life difficult. In Pakistan, this past summer, flooding caused by supercharged monsoon rains killed a thousand people and forced six hundred thousand more into relief camps.

In 2016, the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees estimated that, globally, an average of twenty-one million people were being displaced by weather-related events every year. The U.N.'s International Organisation for Migration has projected that by 2050 as many as a billion people may be on the move. In the coming decades, "huge populations will need to seek new homes," Gaia Vince, a British journalist, has written. Either "you will be among them, or you will be receiving them."

Almost as much as climate change itself, this great displacement will test national and international institutions. One possibility is that climate refugees will be welcomed. This could happen because it's the right thing to do, or it could happen for less high-minded reasons. As Akka Rimon, a former foreign secretary of Kiribati, has observed, "Countries like Australia need workers," while the citizens of countries such as Kiribati will soon need a different place to live. These needs are complementary. The E.U., too, faces a labor shortage. A communiqué issued by the European Commission in April noted that there's a strong "economic case" for allowing in more legal immigrants, especially since "the transition to a climate-neutral economy" will require "additional labour and new skills."

Climate migrants could play a key role in decarbonisation, providing a new kind of win-win narrative.

Another possibility is that climate migrants, like millions of migrants before them, will be despised. Rich countries—including those in the E.U.—will try to keep refugees out, and those who manage to slip in will be herded into camps. In an effort to gain power, right-wing politicians will vilify them, and this will encourage yet more racism and xenophobia—a social feedback loop. Giorgia Meloni, who recently became Italy's Prime Minister, has said that her country ought to "repatriate the migrants back to their countries, and then sink the boats that rescued them."

Both the effort to limit climate change (by replacing the world's energy systems) and the effort to adapt to climate change (by erecting dikes and seawalls) will take place in the context of climate change, which is to say as cyclones, drought, fire, and sea-level rise force millions of people to flee. It's possible that cascading crises will accomplish what thirty years of climate negotiations have not, and unite the world to seek the best way forward. Or it's possible that the same forces that have prevented coöperation in the past—nationalism, corporatism, sectarianism, fear—will, under the stress of nationalism, corporatism, sectarianism—will, under the stress of climate change, only intensify.





# 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 Club

Saturday 25th March

Net Comp

Ladies

1st Louise Pearce 68

2nd Sandra Best 74

3rd Nicky West 75

Men

1st Jim Johnston 68

2nd Paul Clarke 70

3rd Adam Jacks 71

4th Brent Berry 71

5th Mike Johnston 71

Twos

Brent Berry

John Dickson

Mike Johnston

Mark Worner

Nearest the Pin

Garry Ritsma

## There's still time to do your 2023 Census

There is still time to do your census so you can make sure you count. Stats NZ census collectors are out in communities until 4 May to support people who need help to complete their forms.

Everyone is required to take part because the census is so important. The information gathered ensures better decisions are made on things like providing hospitals, schools, public transport and infrastructure like roads.

Census staff will be following up with people who have yet to complete their forms. When a census collector visits, they can provide help with filling in census forms or provide new and additional census forms if needed.

If you don't have a paper census form or an access code, call the helpline on 0800 CENSUS (0800 236 787) or go online at [www.census.govt.nz](http://www.census.govt.nz). The helpline can answer questions about the census, forms, and access codes.

While most people are doing their census online, Stats NZ is helping everyone complete the census in a way that works for them, through providing more paper forms, more census collectors, more work with communities, and more accessible formats and language support.

Information about face-to-face support to answer questions and for help to get census forms completed is available at [census.govt.nz/census-support/](http://census.govt.nz/census-support/).

## HANMER SPRINGS BRIDGE CLUB

Results 23/03/2023

North / South – J Bell & R Hothersall

East / West – C Scrivener & S Yuill Proctor

Anyone interested in learning to play bridge?

Contact Joy 027 220 2511 or

Julian 021 148 2811 for more information

## 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

## TRIVIA ANSWERS

1. Portugal 2 Calcutta 3. Belize 4. It is Spanish for the letter 'j' also a Spanish dance 5 Alessandro Volta 6. An English dictionary 7. 22 8. Eight. 9. Nine 10. Saltwater 11. Saxe-Coburg-Gotha 12. Hawaii 13. Patsy Cline 14. Tunisia 15. The Suez Canal 16 Zambia and Zimbabwe 17. Mali 18. Turmeric 19. Benjamin Spock 20. Mars 21. Laos 22. Captain Flint 23. Scales 24. Scallops 25. China 26. Louis 27. 180° 28. Rod Laver 29. Mesozoic 30. Benjamin Franklin

## CLASSES & FITNESS, CLUBS & MUSIC

### HANMER SINGS Adults Choir

Come and raise the roof with us! We are a super friendly and welcoming bunch who simply love singing. We sing a wide variety of songs (always open to requests!) while learning harmonies and singing techniques. Hanmer Sings is FREE! The more the merrier! Donations are optional.  
Tuesday nights 7pm-8.30pm

### Hanmer Strums.

*Bring along your Ukulele or guitar and learn to play in a group. Total beginners and experienced players are welcome. Lots of easy songs with song sheets provided. You don't need to read music. Wednesday evenings, 7-8pm, during school terms at Hanmer Primary School, starting on 15/2/23*

### 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, 'Hanmer Springs' Little Big Band are seeking players. Trumpet, trombone, bass guitar, keyboard and a drummer. You will need to read sheet music or have a really good ear.  
Monday Nights 7 - 8.30pm. Contact Marguerite for details. 021 125 4062

### 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

### HANMER SPRINGS GOLF CLUB

AVAILABLE FOR HIRE FOR FUNCTIONS, WEDDINGS, FUNERALS ETC. Fully equipped kitchen, Spacious, warm, carpeted room. Bar facilities. Phone 315 7110

### 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:-  
Carolyn Hall 027 3609001  
Dennis Hall 021 294 1541

## CHURCHES

### REMNANT CHURCH NZ

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

### SPORTS PAVILION

Available for sports groups, weddings, functions etc. Fully equipped kitchen. Large carpeted function room. Changing rooms, showers. Contact The Hurunui District Council Nicola on 03 314 8816.

### 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)

### ANGLICAN CHURCH HALL

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

### 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, 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.



HANMER SPRINGS TRANSFER STATION  
637 Hanmer Springs Road

- Tuesday: 10am to 2.00pm
- Wednesday: 10am to 2.00pm
- Friday: 10am to 2.00 pm
- Sunday : 10am to 2.00 pm

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



Venue: **Hanmer Springs Golf Club**

Note: the Golf Club bar will be CLOSED due to licensing restrictions (our numbers are too small for a bar license)

Tea, coffee & snacks will be available to purchase – cash only

Doors Open: **6.10pm for 6.40 screening**

Door Sales: **Adults \$18, Youth \$15 (under 18)**

Censorship ratings are required to be enforced

Note: **Cash only – No EFT POS available**

Member cost: **\$90 for all 7 movies**

### It's really happening!

Such a long time coming, but Hamner Springs now has a Movie Club. Enjoy great movies with friends on our huge 3m screen and immersive sound system.

The Hanmer Springs Film Club is administered by Hanmer Music & Arts Trust.  
To become a member simply email [hanmermusicandarts@gmail.com](mailto:hanmermusicandarts@gmail.com) with:

Name(s) of applicants, phone(s) and email addresses for movie updates

- Memberships are non-transferable
- All information given is confidential and used in accordance with the Privacy Act 1993.

Payment of **\$90 per membership** is required.

**Bank Account 02 0856 0038700 00**  
reference: **HSFC and your name**

#### Contacts:

Marguerite for membership enquiries.

Barrie for movies & tech.

We will be running 7 movies during the remainder of 2023 so pop these dates into your diary now.

**27th April, 18th May, 22nd June, 20th July, 17th August, 14th September, 12th October**

By becoming a member, you not only get cheaper movie entry, but you also get to vote on upcoming titles. More on this coming soon – but meanwhile, we open with an amazing brand new release.

### Blue Back – Thursday 27 April 6.40pm

Blueback is a 2022 Australian drama film directed by **Robert Connolly**, from a screenplay written by Connolly and Tim Winton, based on Winton's 1997 novel of the same name. The film centres on a young girl who befriends a wild blue groper while diving, and becomes a passionate activist for protecting the ecosystem of Australia's coral reefs from destruction. It stars Mia Wasikowska, Radha Mitchell, Isla Fogg, Liz Alexander, Ariel Donoghue, Clarence Ryan, Pedrea Jackson, Erik Thomson, Eddie Baroo and Eric Bana.

The film premiered at the 2022 Toronto International Film Festival on 10 September 2022, and had its theatrical release in Australia on 1 January 2023.

Here's the link to the official trailer  
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Jwv5DuCgZcl>

**PG**

Parental guidance recommended



## Field Day at Tiromoana Bush on 17 April 2023

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

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

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

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

Attendees will be emailed an information pack for the day.





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