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Did you know there is a "Foodbank" in Hanmer Springs that has funds available to help those that are struggling at the moment. This Foodbank money has been made available from generous donations by the Hanmer Springs community. A Four Square grocery voucher will be given to those eligible. If you, or you know someone that lives in the Hanmer Springs community that may be eligible please email:

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VISITING PROFESSIONALS

- *Plunket – Claire – second Monday of every Month*
- *Podiatrist – 6th October 2023*

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The Cervical Screening Self-test

HPV (Human papillomavirus) self-testing is now available.

HPV testing will become the primary cervical screening test in Aotearoa New Zealand from 12th September 2023. From this date, free cervical screening services will be available for key groups as part of the move to the new HPV test.

Free screening will be available from 12 September 2023 for:

- women and people with a cervix 30 years and over who are unscreened (have never had a screening test) or under-screened (haven't had a test in the past 5 years)
- anyone requiring follow up
- Māori and Pacific
- anyone who is a community service card holder

For more information give us a call on 03 315 7503 and talk to one of our nurses.

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.

IN AN EMERGENCY DIAL 111



Slow-roasted lamb shoulder with almonds

How does a substantial Middle Eastern-inspired banquet sound? Start with this lamb dish and add a fennel and orange salad, some garlic-flavoured yoghurt and either couscous or rice and you'll have a very delicious meal indeed for a group of eight. When planning, remember that you'll need to start it the day before and then factor in a full day's cooking.

Ingredients

- 10 garlic cloves, peeled
- 1 tsp cumin seeds
- 1 tsp sea salt
- 2 pinches saffron threads
- 1S tbsp sweet paprika
- 1 tsp ground ginger
- j tsp ground turmeric
- pinch cayenne pepper
- 3 tbsp unsalted butter, softened
- 2 small bone-in shoulders of lamb (about 1kg each), or 1 larger shoulder (2kg)
- 2 tbsp extra virgin olive oil
- juice of 1 lemon
- extra virgin olive oil, to serve
- S cup of toasted slivered almonds
- S cup flat-leaf parsley (leaves only)

Method

- 1. Using a mortar and pestle, crush the garlic cloves, cumin seeds, sea salt, saffron, paprika, ginger, turmeric and cayenne, then add the butter to make a thick, creamy marinade. Rub the marinade into the lamb and refrigerate overnight.
- 2. Remove the lamb from the refrigerator 2 hours before cooking.
- 3. Preheat oven to 130°C. Place lamb shoulders in a roasting tin large enough to fit both and drizzle with 2 tbsp olive oil. Add 125ml water. Fold the edges of two sheets of foil together to make a tent over the lamb, seal tightly then cook for 2S-3 hours.
- 4. Reduce the heat to 110°C and cook for 4 hours more (if using a single large shoulder, keep oven at 130°C for a similar cooking time). When the meat is ready, you will be able to tease it from the bone with a fork. Remove from the oven and allow to rest for 20 minutes, opening up the foil a fraction, then shred the meat off the bone.
- 5. Place meat on a platter, or divide among plates, and serve with lemon juice and extra virgin olive oil with the slivered almonds and parsley scattered over the top, as well as a really good grind of fresh pepper. Serve with orange and fennel salad.

zucchini and smoked fish pie

Fish pie is the ultimate comforting midweek dinner. This slightly lighter version swaps the traditional potato or pastry topping for zucchini rounds. The filling can easily be adapted to use whatever you have leftover over in the fridge, from a medley of roasted vegetables to shredded roast chicken from Sunday's roast. I like to serve this with a baby gem salad, something cooling and crunchy to cut through the richness.

Ingredients

- 30g butter
- 30g plain flour
- 500ml milk, lukewarm
- 1 bay leaf
- salt and white pepper
- 1 tbsp grainy mustard
- zest and juice of 1 lemon
- 350g smoked fish, flaked
- 2 boiled eggs, chopped
- 150g frozen peas, thawed
- 1 medium zucchini
- 1 tbsp olive oil

Method

- 1. Preheat the oven to 180C (fan-forced). Melt the butter in a large pan over medium heat and add the flour. Using a wooden spoon, beat to a smooth paste (a roux). Take off the heat.
- 2. Start adding the milk to the roux by beating in about 2 tablespoons at a time, until you have incorporated about a quarter of the milk. Switch to a whisk and gradually incorporate the remaining milk.
- 3. Return the pan to medium heat, add the bay leaf and simmer for 10 minutes. Whisk frequently to prevent the sauce from burning on the bottom of the pan. If the sauce becomes too thick (it should have the consistency of custard or a thick tomato sauce), whisk in a little more milk.
- 4. Remove the bay leaf, season with salt and white pepper (black pepper is fine if you don't mind the speckles), and stir in a heaped tablespoon of grainy mustard and the lemon zest.
- 5. Stir the smoked fish, boiled eggs and peas through the mixture. Spoon the filling into a medium pie dish (or other ovenproof dish).
- 6. Slice the zucchini thinly (about 2mm thick) using a mandolin. Arrange the slices over the pie filling in overlapping circles from the centre outwards.
- 7. Brush the top with the olive oil and bake for 20 minutes, or until the zucchini slices are golden brown and the mixture is bubbling. Serve with lemon juice.



trivia.

Quiz



1. The King of Alba ruled in which country?
2. What does a petrologist study?
3. In which country would you find the majority of the Yucatan Peninsula?
4. Which of Jesus's disciples were the sons of Zebedee?
5. Which is the only animal which is classified as a parasite?
6. What are alewife and blenny?
7. Lemurs are only found in their native habitat where?
8. What is the average life expectancy of a mayfly?
9. What does it mean if an animal is homoiothermic?
10. Who wrote, produced and sang the theme tune for *One Foot in the Grave*?
11. Which British Prime Minister was offered a dukedom when he retired?
12. Who was Private Godfrey's sister in *Dads Army*?
13. In which country would you be if you were in the city of Baku?
14. Who famously wrote that "the female of the species is more deadly than the male"?
15. Dakar is the capital of which country?
16. Which famous jazz festival is held on Rhode Island?
17. Which country has the internet code .pl?
18. Which Christian name derives from the Germanic for 'strong ruler'?
19. Where in the human body is the columella?
20. From which song are the words "nothing to kill or die for"?
21. Van Gogh's Sunflowers painting used to hang in the bedroom of which other famous painter?
22. What was Yusuf Islam previously known as?
23. Who wrote 'You'll Never Walk Alone'?
24. In which country would you find the Sutherland Falls?
25. Who wrote *The Handmaid's Tale*?
26. What would you do with a filibeg?
27. Which Ian Fleming book has the shortest title?
28. Who was the drummer in the group *Police*?
29. What was John Lennon's middle name?
30. Where in the body is the philtrum?



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Letter from China; Brave New World

Greetings from Hangzhou, pop 10,000,000, hosting the 2023 Asia Games. The city is geared up and looking splendid. 50 plus stadiums built or refurbished and a huge firework and light show for the opening ceremony is on the menu tonight. On the 12th floor with uninterrupted views, we should be in a prime spot. Gladly the 30 degree days have temporarily abated.

Here Hangzhou is the home of Alibaba, the retail giant of Asia. The founder, Jack Ma went to our university. Hangzhou is also seen to be the innovative high-tech centre of China. Here Alipay, a part of the Ali group is dominant. With Alipay you choose your food in restaurants, pay for anything and everything, order taxis using Didi the Uber equivalent, buy train, theatre, sports tickets and book hotels and more. It is an awesome system and it even has a translation service.

Credit cards and Pay Wave appear to not exist here, or are well hidden. Cash too is a rarity. There was the odd place in Beijing. Alipay is all you need and is part of life.

But whilst I am in awe of the technological breakthrough, a one stop shop, it is dependent upon internet and

battery on your phone. Language is difficult here, and English rarely spoken on Campus and even rarer off campus. So, without your phone life can be very, very hard.

In today's busy world many do not have time to help and work with you on ordering dinner. In a restaurant the other night with flaky internet from NZ, we found it almost impossible to scroll through the menu on the phone, the descriptions in Chinese and the photos impossibly small. We could not cope and walked out as the help and understanding was non-existent. Around the corner another restaurant was the complete opposite and we enjoyed a stunning meat free meal. Not eating meat is difficult, I am not sure I could cope if we had allergies.

Experiencing life as a minority is humbling. So far, we have not seen any other Kiwi's, Māori, Pakeha or indeed any Europeans. People point and stare and regularly photograph. When we tell them we are from "She sheeland" we are greeted like long lost friends. The Chinese love New Zealand and its people, beauty and countryside. They are well aware that we are trade partners and our products are highly valued.

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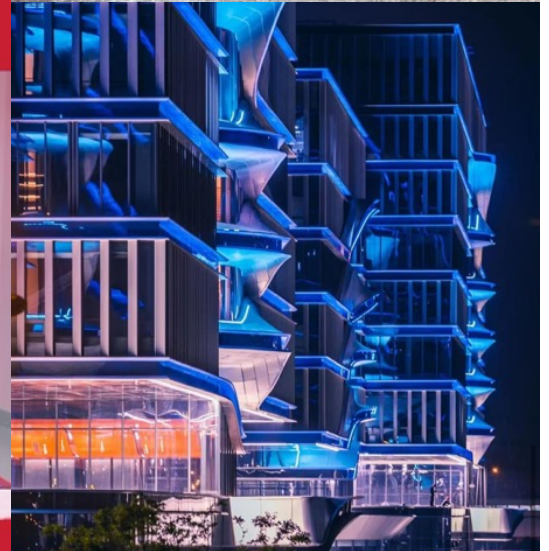
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1. Scotland
2. Rocks
3. Mexico
4. James and John
5. Vampire bat
6. Fish
7. Madagascar
8. Two hours
9. It is warm-blooded
10. Eric Idle
11. Winston Churchill
12. Dolly
13. Azerbaijan
14. Rudyard Kipling
15. Senegal
16. Newport Jazz Festival
17. Poland
18. Richard
19. The skin that separates the nostrils
20. Imagine
21. Gauguin
22. Cat Stevens
23. Rogers and Hammer
24. Stein
25. Margaret Atwood
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27. Stewart Copeland
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29. The groove
30. between your nose and the lip

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PAPUA NEW GUINEA EXHIBITION
 It's definitely worth popping in to the ACAC gallery in the library to have a look at the exhibition of Papua New Guinea artefacts. Papua New Guinea is a richly diverse country of many ethnic groups and cultures. This small exhibition gives a taste of the nation's culture, traditional art form and custom.



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Criteria

- Applicants must have their family home within the Hurunui District boundary, although it is recognised that some applicants may currently be attending a school outside the district.
- Successful applicants will need to demonstrate their positive attitude as well as their high level of ability and/or ingenuity.
- Successful applicants will need to demonstrate how they would benefit from financial assistance to help them achieve their goals.

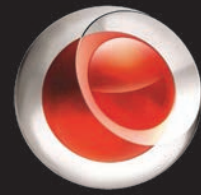
Conditions

- Funding is only for formal academic study, not voluntary work.
- This funding can only be received once.
- Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.

The application form is on the Council website:

<https://www.hurunui.govt.nz/community/awards-and-funding/secondary-school-achievers-fund>

Note- all applications must be made online.



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Proposed Temporary Road Closure

The Hurunui District Council has received an application from Hanmer Springs Business Association (co-funded by Hanmer Springs Community Board) to close the following roads, for a Christmas Parade event.

For the temporary closure of:

- Amuri Avenue - east and west sides of Amuri Avenue,
- 20m section of Jacks Pass Road linking east and west sides of Amuri Avenue.

On:

- Friday 15 December 2023
- From 5.30pm to 7pm

Any objections to the proposed closure will need to be lodged with the council by:

12 noon, Thursday 28 September 2023

email: info@hurunui.govt.nz

post: Hurunui District Council,
PO Box 13
Amberley 7441

This closure is proposed under paragraph 11(e) of the Tenth Schedule of the Local Government Act 1974. The proposed closure will apply to all vehicular traffic with the exception of emergency services vehicles.

Emma Dewhirst the Labour candidate for this electorate (Kaikoura) will be in Hanmer on Friday October 6 from late morning until early afternoon.

If you would like to meet Emma please email her

emma.dewhirst@labour.org.nz





MOLESWORTH (YARRA - FIVE MILE) POSSUM CONTROL OPERATION

Vector Free Marlborough (VFM) wishes to advise the public of its intention to aerially apply the toxin Sodium fluoroacetate (1080) in the Yarra – Five Mile area of Molesworth Station for the purpose of controlling possums. The Molesworth possum control operation is being carried out on behalf of OSPRI as part of its TBfree New Zealand programme, which aims to eradicate bovine tuberculosis from wildlife vectors that pose a risk to farmed cattle and deer.

Description of Control Area

The Yarra – Five Mile control area lies between the Boddington Range in the west and the Acheron River in the east and extends from the Acheron Accommodation House in the south, to Pudding Hill in the north. The most notable waterways flowing through the control area are the Five Mile Stream and Yarra River.

The Yarra – Five Mile control area is part of the permission area for the 2023 Molesworth operation, which takes in approximately 104,000 hectares of publicly owned land, administered by various agencies including the Department of Conservation, Land Information New Zealand and several local authorities. A detailed map may be obtained from VFM as per contact details below.

Commencement Date

The 2023 Molesworth operations is being carried out in two stages:

Bush Gully - Tarndale

Control in the approximately 96,000 hectare Bush Gully - Tarndale block was completed in August 2023.

Yarra – Five Mile

Control in the approximately 8,000 hectare Yarra – Five Mile block is scheduled to commence from **1 October 2023**, with the aerial application of non-toxic cereal pre-feed pellets. This will be followed approximately 7-10 days later by the aerial application of bait containing biodegradable Sodium fluoroacetate (1080).

All work is weather dependant, and commencement may be later than indicated. In the event of an extended delay, further notices will be placed to advise the public.

Bait Description

Aerial and ground control using 1080:

- Pre-feed - Non-toxic cereal-based pellet, approximately 16mm long, cinnamon-lured and dyed green.
- Toxic bait - Cereal-based pellet, approximately 16mm long, cinnamon-lured and dyed green with a toxic loading of 0.15% Sodium fluoroacetate (1080).
Note - all 1080 bait for aerial and ground application will contain deer repellent.

Precautions

The public are reminded of the danger that toxic baits and possum carcasses pose, particularly to children and dogs.

- **Do not touch or eat baits**
- Children must be kept under strict supervision in the control area.
- Dogs must be kept under strict control at all times and not have access to, or be taken into the control area, as they are particularly susceptible to harm from contact with toxic baits and poisoned carcasses. The risk that poisoned carcasses pose to dogs may extend downstream of the control area.
- Toxin warning signs will be installed at main public entry points and the public are reminded that it is an offence to remove this warning signage. Please follow the instructions on the signs.
- Game animals should not be sold or taken for eating from within or adjacent to this area until it is declared clear of pesticides.

****If you suspect poisoning**

Contact your local hospital, or dial 111

National Poisons Centre 0800 POISON – 0800 764 766

In the case of a domestic animal being poisoned, contact a local veterinarian.

**For further information please contact Operation Controller - Molesworth
Vector Free Marlborough**

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Hanmer Springs School

Pinkie Report

Term 3 Week 10

Journalists - Amelia Saric, Sharnie Inglis, Charlie Bryant, Rosie Abbott

Keep New Zealand Beautiful Week.

This week is Keep New Zealand Beautiful Week, where we went into town to work on picking up rubbish to help keep Hanmer Springs looking beautiful. Kārearea class went down to the avenue and picked up glass bottles, plastic waste, paper napkins, and more waste that was left around the town. We also went down to the Queen Mary grounds and picked up waste left down there.



Piwakawaka class went and collected rubbish from the library, past the hotel and to the lolly shop. They found lots of beer bottles, cigarette butts and plastic rubbish. Tui class and Korimako class picked up rubbish around the school grounds and along Cheltenham Street. They found lots of rubbish that the wind had blown around.

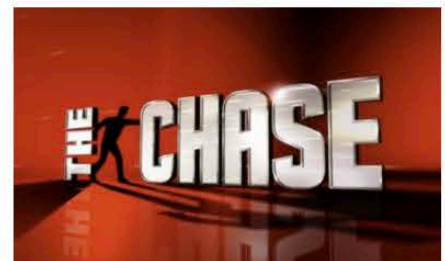


Student Council Disc Golf.

On Wednesday the student council went down to the disc golf course to have a game. We started at the first hole and threw the frisbee down the hill. Once we got the frisbee in the first hole, all of the boys went and did the third hole and the girls and Mrs Hay did the second. It was difficult to throw the frisbee at the right height, if it was too high, it wouldn't go very far. Everyone had a great time and we would like to do it again.

The Chase!

On Thursday the 21st of September some students were selected to participate in our school version of 'The Chase', to fundraise for our two upcoming school camps. We had a team of four from each class who were the contestants. We also had four chasers: Mr McChase/Mr McBride, Violet Venom/Roz Kelly, Brainy Bond/Andrew Good and Jason Fletcher.



Each team had to answer questions to unlock the prizes, then they had 7 questions to answer to move along the steps towards the prizes. They were followed by The Chaser who was trying to catch them. Some of the questions were really hard when you were up on stage staring at an audience, like 'what is the scientific name for a kiwi?' and 'if there are 24 hours in a day, how many hours are there in a week?' Luckily none of our teams were caught! Most teams got second prize by answering 5 or 6 questions correctly. At the end, a parent team came to verse The Chaser to help us win all of our prizes. This team answered 5 questions correctly to beat the chaser and we all won our prizes. The prizes were free jet boat rides, Manuka Skies vouchers, gift packs, Mumbles vouchers, Activity Hanmer outdoor puzzles vouchers, Rustic vouchers and a mufti day for your team. Thank you to Janelle and her team for organising this event, to Grum for being the host and to the following sponsors: Manuka Skies star tours; Amuri Jet Adventures; Activity Hanmer Outdoor Hunt; Hanmer Springs Hot Pools; Hanmer Holiday Homes; Mumble's Cafe; Rustic Cafe and Pines Holiday Park. We raised just over \$1000.



Thrive for Life session with Marina Shearer.

On Thursday the Y7 and Y8 girls went down to the Top Ten to have a session with Marina Shearer and Victoria from 'Thrive, Coaching for Life'. The sessions were about navigating the high school landscape; embracing a growth mindset; building healthy friendships; making informed choices; academic success and embracing diversity and inclusivity.



We learnt how to manage our time at high school and to ask for help. Marina gave us tips on balancing our academic and social life for a fulfilling school experience. She told us how important it is to promote a culture of kindness, respect and empathy, so that we can be happy and successful and look out for each other.

In the afternoon the Y5 and Y6 girls also had a session. We would like to thank Marina and Victoria for spending time working with us on these sessions. We found it an interesting session where we learnt lots of skills that will help us in the future.



Zero Carbon Act

The Zero Carbon Act makes it mandatory for the Government to take action on climate. It set emissions-cutting targets: the country must reach net-zero by 2050 for all long-lived greenhouse gases (carbon dioxide, nitrous oxide and everything that isn't methane). In addition, methane must fall 10% by 2030 and between 24 and 47% by mid-century.

Act: Repeal it

National: Maintain it, though "open to sensible changes"

Te Pāti Māori: Make it binding

Labour: Uphold it

Green: Make changes

EV discount (aka the "ute tax")

The Clean Car Discount, introduced in 2021, offers a rebate on the sticker price of fully electric and plug-in hybrid cars. With fees applied to higher-emitting vehicles, the scheme was intended to be cost-neutral. However, the higher uptake of cleaner vehicles since the launch meant the discounts exceeded the fees by roughly \$200m.

ACT: Repeal it

National: Repeal it

Te Pāti Māori: Maintain it but introduce additional policy

Labour: Maintain it

Green: Toughen fees on polluting cars

Clean Car Standard

Lesser known than the discounts on EVs, the Clean Car Standard incentivises car companies to import lower-emitting vehicles.

This year, the Government wants imported cars to produce, on average, no more than 145 grams of carbon dioxide per kilometre – and commercial vehicles no more than 218.3 grams, on average. The targets will get progressively lower each year.

ACT: Repeal it

National: Change It

Te Pāti Māori: Maintain it but introduce more policy

Labour: Maintain it

Green: Maintain it

Oil & gas exploration

In 2019, the coalition Government banned offshore oil and gas exploration. Oil and gas exploration permits have continued to be issued in Taranaki. Recently, iwi groups asked the Energy Minister to press pause on further oil and gas exploration permits.

Act: Repeal offshore ban

National: Repeal offshore ban

Te Pāti Māori: Ban all exploration

Labour: Maintain offshore ban

Green: Ban all exploration

Fees on agricultural emissions

Farming produces nearly 50% of the country's greenhouse gas – predominantly the methane belched by cows, sheep and deer. By adding nitrogen to the soil, farms also produce the greenhouse gas nitrous oxide.

The Zero Carbon Act requires the country's methane to fall somewhere between 24 and 47% by 2050 – a range climate scientists have modelled as being compatible with keeping warming to 1.5C. Under the law, nitrous oxide emissions must reach net-zero by mid-century.

Act: Oppose, unless trading partners start

National: Support, by 2030 "at the latest"

Te Pāti Māori: Support immediately

Labour: Support, by 2025

Green: Support, by 2025

Home insulation and heating

New Zealand homes are comparatively cold, damp and draughty. With heat leaking through under-insulated walls, windows and doors, houses use more energy to maintain the same temperature. These homes consume more natural gas or electricity (some of which comes from coal and gas power stations).

Act: Oppose

National: To be announced

Te Pāti Māori: Extend scheme

Labour: Maintain scheme, new grants

Green: New grant and loan scheme

Public transport

Car and truck drivers produce roughly 13m tonnes of emissions on the roads each year, about one-sixth of the country's total footprint. Buses, trains and ferries are a more efficient way of getting from A to B. Particularly if powered by electricity, public transport produces far fewer emissions than the equivalent journey by petrol or diesel car.

The Climate Change Commission has encouraged the Government to invest in making buses, trains and ferries more reliable and accessible, to encourage people to leave their cars at home.

Act:Maintain subsidies, return contracts to private companies

National:To be announced

Te Pāti Māori:Increase subsidies to remove all fares

Labour:Maintain subsidies

Green:Increase subsidies to remove fares for targeted groups, ½ priced for all

International climate pledge

Each country that, like New Zealand, has signed up to the Paris Agreement climate accord must submit an emissions-cutting target, to be achieved by 2030. These can be regularly updated – under the rules (though not always in reality) countries are only allowed to make them more ambitious.

Act:End efforts to meet it

National:Support

Te Pāti Māori:Increase pledge

Labour:Support

Green:Increase pledge

Short-term targets or "carbon budgets"

Under climate law, the Government must set a series of targets: a limit (or carbon budget) on how much greenhouse pollution the country can emit within a five-year period.

The Labour Government set the first three budgets: 290 million tonnes between 2022-25; 305m tonnes between 2026-30 and 240m tonnes for 2031-35

Act:Get rid of them

National:Maintain them

Te Pāti Māori:Make them more ambitious

Labour:Maintain them

Green:Make them more ambitious

Unlimited tree planting

The Emissions Trading Scheme (ETS) requires many large emitters to purchase and surrender one unit for every tonne of carbon emissions produced.

Forestry is one source of these carbon units. An owner of a native or exotic forest can earn one unit for every tonne of emissions their trees absorb. Currently, there is no limit on the amount of units that can be issued by the Government.

Act:Support

National:Oppose

Te Pāti Māori:Oppose

Labour:Oppose

Green:Oppose

Subsidies for business to swap boilers

In 2020, the Government created a \$70m pot to incentivise companies with large fossil-fuel-burning boilers to switch to lower-polluting tech: the Government Investment in Decarbonising Industry fund, or GIDI for short.

The Energy Efficiency and Conservation Agency (EECA) contributes up to 50% of the extra cost for green tech. In last year's Budget, the fund received a \$1b boost and an extended remit.

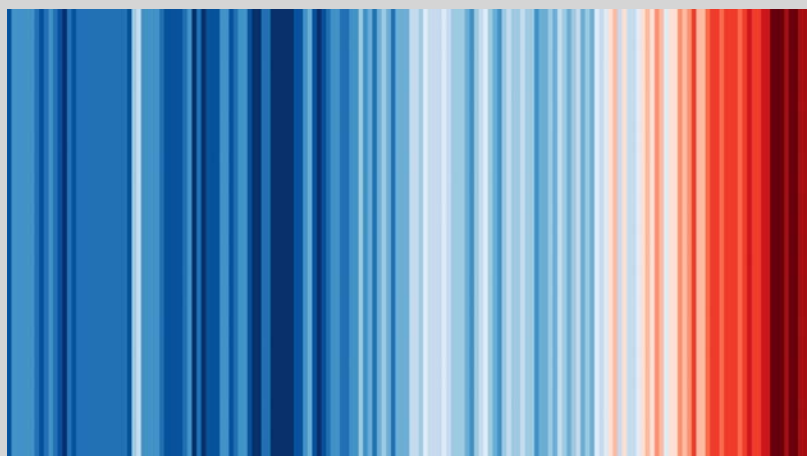
Act:Oppose

National:Neither support nor outright oppose

Te Pāti Māori:Support

Labour:Support

Green:Support, would increase



Global Surface Temperature change from 1850-2022.



Events Calendar

SEPTEMBER '23

- 15 Hanmer Springs Film Club-Golf Club 6.40 pm
- 18 Movie Night @ remnant House
- 30 Saxophone Weekly Workshop with Lana Law

OCTOBER '23

- 3 Christchurch Youth Jazz Orchestra @ 12 noon
Concert on the Green. Memorial hall if wet
- 6-8. Men's 54 Hole Golf Tournament
- 13 Hanmer Springs Film Club. Golf Club @ 6.40 pm
- 22 Family Event Remnant House
- 26-29 Hurunui Garden Festival
- 27 Hanmer Springs Fete

NOVEMBER

- 2&3 Chitty Chitty Bang Bang Amuri Players 7.30 pm
- 4 Chitty Chitty Bang Bang 2pm
- 5 Shootout Golf Final

- 8,9 ,10 Chitty Chitty Bang Bang 7 pm
- 18 Anglican Church Fete (if wet Sunday 19th)
- 18 BBQ with Lucky Koha Remnant House
- 19 Service with Lucky @ remnant House

DECEMBER '23

- 2 Alpine Marathon
- 11 Hanmer's little Big Band @ The Library 3-4pm
- 11 Hanmer's little Big Band @ The 5 Stags 5-6pm
- 9 Family Christmas Party Remnant House
- 16 Christmas Hamper Golf Tournament
- 17 Christmas Picnic in the Park &
H S School Grounds
- 24 Special Christmas Service @ remnant House

Please let us know if you have any future special events and we will list them here. Research has shown that this calendar is frequently consulted

AMURI LIONS CLUB

Canadian Foursomes Charity Match

Categories for both MEN and LADIES and non-handicapped players.

AMURI GOLF COURSE Sunday 29th October 2023

Tee off 11.30 am

Get a partner and come along for a fun day of golf. We are raising money for young people in our community. We sponsor them to go on sporting competitions, Spirit of New Zealand sailing, Outward Bound and other major youth activities.

We have a complimentary BBQ stand after you have played 9 holes and a great country hospitality afternoon tea at the end of the round. There are great prizes with the best gross and best nett claiming the major prize but many others on the prize table.
We also have a raffle and there is a cash bar.

\$25 per player

Please contact :

Mike Satterthwaite 0272212675

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Hurunui District Councillors

Please feel free to contact us, as your closest representatives

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03 314 4042 or 0274 383 464
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Joy Wilson 027 220 2511

Rod Ell 315 7222 or 027 437 2464

Jonathan Gardiner 315 7925 or 027 685 9276

Ann Toomey 03 384 2564 or 021 155 7622

HANMER SPRINGS BRIDGE CLUB

Results 21/09/2023

1st – R Hothersall & C Scrivener

GOLF RESULTS

Saturday 23th

September

Stableford

1st Garry Ritsma 38

2nd Carolyn Williams
38

3rd Sam Gavin 37

4th Steve Gill 37

5th Nicky West 36

6th Louise Pearce 36

Twos

Dean Pollock

Nicky West

Nearest the pin

Matt Smith

Net Eagles

Garry Ritsma

Carolyn Williams



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HANMER SINGS Adults Choir

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Tuesday nights 7pm-8.30pm @ the School

HANMER SPRINGS TENNIS CLUB

During season twilight tennis plus kid's coaching.
Contacts:
Olivia Reid 021 548 776 (adults)
Sarah Currie 021 082 64557 (kids)

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

HANMER SPRINGS LIONS CLUB

Dinner meetings every 2nd Thursday of the month at Five Stags at 6.30pm. All welcome. To join or for more information contact:
Boio Sarahu-Hothersall at
hanmerspringslionsclub@gmail.com

LOCAL LADIES CATCHUP

Every first Wednesday of the month at **Fire and Ice** from 5.30pm
We are a fun loving, vivacious group and can have from 5 to over 20 of us attend each month

FILM CLUB

Venue: The Golf Club Rooms
Next movies: **15th September, 13th October @ 6.40pm** \$18 – Cash only
Hot food, soft drinks & snacks available
Contact: hanmermusicandarts@gmail.com

PILATES

Pilates classes @ 12 Amuri Ave
Monday 5.30pm
Thursday 8.45am and 10am
Corrie 021 045 7666
Wendy 027 243 2123

LINE DANCING

Memorial Hall
Monday 1pm
Contact Penny 027 2408 321
Cost: Donation

HANMER SPRINGS BRIDGE CLUB

Thursdays at the Anglican Church Hall @ 7.15pm
Call Joy 027 220 2511

SING & STRUM

Wednesdays during school terms at The Five Stags 6.30 – 7.30pm
For more information contact:
hanmermusicandarts@gmail.com

AQUACIZE

Thermal Pools Entrance
Monday Mornings 10am
Informal group. Will need aqua stick.
For more information contact:
Linda 021 223 8188

TUESDAY WALKERS

Tuesday morn walks in local forest area. Approx 1.5 – 2 hours. Meet 9.45am at Jollies Pass Rd Forest Entry Car Park (by old DoC house).
More info Anne 021 277 7515 or Julian 021 148 2811

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 BIG BAND

Monday 7pm @ the School (during Term)
New members always welcome. You will need to read music or have a good ear.
Contact Marguerite 021 125 4062
Cost: FREE

MORRIS DANCING

Lots of laughs with some added exertion. Dancers and musicians welcome.
Sundays 7pm onwards
Contact John 021 395 022

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 027 360 9001
Dennis Hall 021 294 1541

FACILITIES, VENUES & CHURCHES

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 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

ANGLICAN CHURCH HALL

Available for hire for Community Groups, Meetings, worship, retreats etc.
Contact:
Shirley Whitaker 0274 161 415

REMNANT CHURCH NZ

Sunday 10am. All welcome.
Remnant House 108 Rippingale Rd
Children's Church & He Brews
Monthly lunches & Evening service
A Four Square International Church
Phone 021 076 7236 for details

HANMER CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY

31 Jollies Pass Road – Sundays 10am
1st and 3rd Sunday – Morning Worship
2nd and 4th Sunday – Communion
Tea & coffee after Sunday Service
Contact Jonathan Gardiner (Warden) 315 7925 or 0276 859 276















CATHOLIC PARISH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD, HURUNUI

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

USE **105** FOR POLICE NON-EMERGENCIES

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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 2.00pm**
- **Sunday: 10am to 2.00pm**

- ★ Out of hours recycling facilities for paper, card, cans, plastics (types 1, 2 & 5 only), and glass bottles
- ★ 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.
- ★ Clean paper, card, cans and plastics types (1, 2 & 5 only) can be recycled in official recycling bags. If in doubt – place it in the refuse to save contaminating recycling.
- ★ Non-complying bags and recycling bags containing glass and/or soft plastics will not be collected.

BAGS Rubbish & recycling bags available from: Hanmer Springs Transfer Station, Hanmer Springs Service Station, The Library, The Log Cabin, Super Liquor

All dressed up with somewhere to go!

Based on Rosalie Ham's best selling novel, *The Dressmaker* is the story of femme fatale Tilly Dunnage who returns to her small home town to right the wrongs of the past. A stylish drama with comic undertones about love, revenge and haute couture.

The Dressmaker features a story where the underdog succeeds while promoting Aussie dry wit. Myrtle 'Tilly' Dunnage (Kate Winslet) returns home to rural Australia after spending time abroad developing her fashion designing skills. As a child she was sent to a boarding school in Melbourne by Sergeant Farrat (Hugo Weaving) for she was accused of murdering a boy who bullied her. Her mother, Molly (Judy Davis) initially doesn't recognise her and isn't convinced she's her daughter. She eventually accepts her in her house and Tilly transforms it into a fashion factory where she makes clothes for the women of the town. In the meantime, she becomes romantically involved with Teddy McSwiney (Liam Hemsworth) whom she has known since they were children. The town still hasn't forgiven her for apparently killing the boy and believe she is cursed. Tilly will virtually stop at nothing to exact revenge on those who did her wrong.

The Dressmaker's compelling story features a wide range of interesting quintessentially Australian characters. A lot of the dialogue is witty and adds much to the Aussie humour on show. Davis garners most of the laughs in a performance which demonstrates her sensational acting ability. Winslet perfects the Aussie accent and many of the scenes she shares with her screen mother are hilarious. Weaving also has his turn in the spotlight with a wonderful performance as the cross-dressing police officer. Hemsworth plays it straight in comparison to his co-stars and reliably fulfills his role as the love interest. Credit must go to the stunning costume designs with the haute couture style befitting the movie title. With the story being reminiscent of a Clint Eastwood western where the main character comes to town, mingles with the locals then affects their lives one way or another, the music score by David Hirschfelder has some resemblance to a western. It's an exciting score that perfectly sets up the moods of the characters and the theme of the plot. The cinematography by Donald McAlpine also enhances the look of the film, ensuring that the rural town maintains its 'western' appearance. The overall quality of the film ensures that most viewers will be entertained.

FRIDAY 13 October

Hanmer Springs Golf Club

KATE WINSLET JUDY DAVIS LIAM HEMSWORTH HUGO WEAVING

THE DRESSMAKER

REVENGE IS BACK IN FASHION

HANMER SPRINGS COMMUNITY MOVIES
EVERYONE WELCOME

Doors Open: 6.10pm for 6.40 screening
Door Sales: Adults \$18, Under 18s \$15
Note: Cash only – No EFT POS available

Upcoming movie info and screening dates on the Hanmer Springs App



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