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Thursday 4th April – 2pm-6pm

Tuesday 9th April – 10am-2pm

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- Which cartoon bear made a habit out of stealing what he described as "pic-a-nic baskets"?
- 2. The Rembrandts' *I'll Be There For You* was the theme song for which long-running US TV sitcom?
- 3. Which Italian Renaissance sculptor spent 40 years (off and on) working on the tomb of Pope Julius II?
- 4. What is the name of the palace-fortress of the Moors which stands on a plateau above Granada, Spain?
- 5. Coriandrum sativum is the scientific name for what herb?
- 6. *Sonny Boy* is the upcoming memoir of which American actor?
- 7. Which Shakespearian play includes the memorable stage direction 'Exit, pursued by a bear'?
- 8. What is a polar vessel with a strengthened hull/ reinforced bow called?
- 9. The Jamaican estate Goldeneye on Oracabessa Bay was the home of which best-selling British novelist?
- 10. In the children's song *I'm a Little Teapot*, how is the teapot described?
- 11. Of the 74 onstage deaths in Shakespeare's plays the majority are by what method: beheading, poisoning or stabbing?
- 12. Gratin is a culinary technique in which the dish is topped with a lightly browned crust of ... what?
- 13. Is a nave: a court card, a prankster or part of a church?
- 14. Akubra hats are made from the fur of which animal?
- 15. According to Greek mythology, which was the only vulnerable part of Achilles' body?
- 16. What type of Italian pasta is actually a dumpling?
- 17. What toxic plant is sometimes known as deadly nightshade?



- 18 While driving from Hanoi to Saigon in1930 Noel Coward wrote which song thatbecame his signature tune?
- 19. What is usually attached to an Albert chain?
- 20. From which flowering plant is opium obtained?
- 21. Actors Gene Wilder, Johnny Depp and Timothée Chalamet have all played what character?
- 22. Jack-o'-lanterns are typically carved from what?
- 23. In world sport, Bethpage Black, Cape Kidnappers, Carnoustie and Prestwick are all what?
- 24. Who won the first F1 Australian Grand Prix in Melbourne after its move from Adelaide?
- 25. "Got a good reason. For taking the easy way out" are the opening two lines of which Beatles song?





Salmon and Creamed Spinach En Croute

Australia's farmed salmon is among the best in the world. With creamy spinach and buttery pastry, this is a simple, celebratory fish dish that punches well above its weight.

Ingredients

- 2 tbsp butter
- 1 brown onion, peeled and finely chopped
- 2 garlic cloves, finely chopped
- 75g cream cheese, cubed
- ¹/₂ cup milk
- 280g baby spinach leaves
- 4 x 180g salmon fillets, skinless and pin-boned (centre cut preferred)
- 4 sheets frozen puff pastry, thawed
- 1 egg, beaten
- lemon wedges, to serve

Method

1. Heat a large frying pan over medium heat and add the butter. Fry the onion and garlic for about 3 minutes, stirring frequently, until softened. Add the cream cheese and milk and stir until the cheese melts. Add the spinach, stir and cook until the leaves have wilted and the mixture has thickened. Allow to cool to room temperature, then season with salt and pepper to taste. 2. Preheat oven to 200C. Place a salmon fillet on one side of the pastry and top with a quarter of the spinach mixture. Fold the ends of the pastry in and then fold the side of the pastry over to create a pocket, trimming any excess (use offcuts to decorate the top of the pastry if you like). Crimp the edge with a fork to seal. Repeat with remaining fillets. Brush the pastries with beaten egg and bake for 20 minutes until golden brown. Serve with lemon wedges.

Parsnip and onion soup

If you want to try new vegetables, a soup is a fantastic way to do so. This rich, creamy parsnip soup is simple and delicious.

Ingredients

- 25g butter
- 2 brown onions, roughly chopped
- 2 cloves garlic, peeled and roughly chopped
- 5 parsnips, peeled and cut into chunks
- 1 litre vegetable stock
- 150ml thickened cream
- freshly grated nutmeg, to serve

Method

Heat a medium saucepan over medium heat and add the butter, onions and garlic. Fry for about 5 minutes until softened but not browned. Add the parsnips and stock and bring to a simmer. Simmer covered for 20 minutes until the parsnips are tender, then blend to a smooth purée with half the cream using either a stick or tabletop blender. Taste and adjust seasoning as needed, then serve with the remaining cream swirled through the soup and a little freshly grated nutmeg.



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TRIVIA ANSWERS

- 1. Yogi Bear 2. Friends 3. Michelangelo
- 4. Alhambra 5. Coriander 6. Al Pacino
- 7. The Winters Tale 8. Ice Breaker 9. Ian Fleming
- 10. Short and stout 11. Stabbing
- 12. Breadcrumbs or cheese 13. Part of a church
- 14. Rabbit 15. His heel 16. Gnocchi
- 17. Belladonna 18. Mad dogs and Englishmen
- 19. A watch 20. Poppy 21. Willie Wonka 22. Pumpkin 23. golf courses 24. Damon Hill
- 22. Pumpkin 23. golf courses 24. Damon Hill 25. Day Tripper

Sincere thanks to Richard Tapper for providing this weeks Trivia Quiz. Ed.





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Influencers Beware!



Imagine the Hanmer Power House (built 1926) without power!

In the wake of regular power outages, Hanmer Springs businesses that rely on power for food preparation are having to spend a significant amount of capital (tens of thousands of dollars) to purchase commercial-grade electrical generators; to preserve their refrigerated supplies, and to provide a reliable service to their patrons.

It's hard enough to: (1) anticipate the fickle nature of our domestic tourist market (quiet weekdays & frantic weekends); (2) roster staff accordingly; (3) provide a top-notch experience for patrons (with the required smile on one's face) while (4) operating a profitable business.

You "influencers" out there! Next time you want to complain on TripAdvisor about your Hanmer experience, be careful! The next time you visit there may be no cafés or eateries!

Satellite Phones for Hanmer

Planned Power Outages

Wednesday 3 April 2024 11am -4pm Tuesday 14 May 2024 11am - 4pm

Alternative dates for the above outages are: Tuesday 9 April & Tuesday 21 May 2024

Should you require access to emergency services during a power outage, and your phones are not working, HDC Civil Defence Emergency Management has provided satellite phones at four locations in Hanmer Springs:

Top10 Holiday Park (available 24/7) 3 Bath Street

Pines Holiday Park (available 24/7) 158 Argelins Road

Drifters Inn (available 24/7) 2 Harrogate Street

Hanmer Springs Medical Centre (opening hours only) 59 Jacks Pass Road

These satellite phones are free to use for members of the public who need to dial 111 for medical, fire and emergencies involving Police.



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Footpaths - Paths For Your Feet

Council are patting themselves on the back for some recent footpath work on Rippingale Road. Council have replaced many linear metres of asphalt footpath (pronounced "asflalt", not "ash-felt") that were uneven and cracked as a result of the proximity of trees, and their roots. The sections of footpath between each tree were typically smooth and unbroken.

Local resident (and former town planner) Pauline Bennett, wants to know, "Why does Council build white concrete footpaths in Hanmer Springs?"

Like Pauline, I too don't understand how the folk in "roading and footpaths" don't talk with the planners that regularly consult on our Design Standards! White concrete footpaths are not in keeping with an alpine village.

Also, we're constantly being reminded that the Alpine Fault has a high probability of rupturing in the next 50 years (with an earthquake of magnitude 8 or greater) and many of us know, from experience, that concrete footpaths don't survive such events. So what happens to the broken concrete? It's dumped. Yes, and I can show you where concrete, from years gone, has been discarded in the Percival River! Not pretty!

In Christchurch a lot of broken concrete, from the 2011 Christchurch Earthquakes, was dumped in Lyttleton Harbour; the base material for a new area of reclamation. There is no harbour in Hanmer! We don't even have Ham!

What is wrong with an Amuri chip footpath like the one on Argelins Road? Oh, "Amuri chip footpaths need annual maintenance and we don't have the budget for that!" But annual maintenance keeps locals employed, and locals that are employed call our village "home", and that, my friends, creates a community.

Visitors come to Hanmer Springs to escape the built-up, urban, environment. They come to walk, ride and run our forest and mountains trails. As a runner, I want to run on tracks and trails, and, if I must, Amuri chip footpaths. I don't want to run on stark white (or tinted) concrete footpaths. If I wanted to do that I'd live in a city.

In my opinion Council should have used the Rippingale Road footpath funds to seal the vehicle crossings on Hanmer Springs Road (from Neville's service station, up past Alison's home (and her awesome hempcrete reading studio, built by Chris, Jonathan and Brent), all the way up to Adam and Sandi's home on the corner of Woodbank Road. Yes, Council ripped out all the beautiful trees because Mainpower had a chainsaw running, after having removed the gum tree whose limb fell on power lines. Of course the locals would like to receive reliable power, so the trees must go, and, to divert public sentiment "let's build them a concrete footpath" (that perhaps one person will use each day). Oh, and let's make the footpath white, let's make it straight, and let's do that in concrete!

Take note folk! White concrete footpaths are not in keeping with our alpine village theme! They are NOT!

Besides all that, Hanmer Springs Road is the one and only, all season, entrance into our village; the entrance we all use, including our visitors. (I'm not counting the seasonal Clarence Valley Road here!)

No developer would have got away with such a poor job on the main road (and the main entrance) into Hanmer Springs. Council regularly imposes conditions on developers to seal vehicle crossings to stop the migration of gravel onto sealed roads, but here, on the main road into Hurunui's jewel (Hanmer Springs) we have gravel migrating onto SH7A causing a nuisance, not to mention the eyesore that has been left by a half-finished job.

I'm not normally one to rant and rave but this unfinished project does nothing to enhance the experience our visitors have when they visit; and it does nothing to enhance my experience when I return home after a quick trip to the "servo", for fuel, or after a day trip to concrete town; Christchurch!



We're here to listen

Hurunui District Council wants to hear from the community on a range of topics

There's a lot happening in Hurunui!





For details of what is proposed on all of these topics, and to make a submission on any or all of these, please go to www.hurunui.govt.nz/have-your-say/consultations

Village Market on 30 March 2024.

Water safety What's the cost?

We're preparing our work plan and budget for the next 10 years. What can we afford? What's the cost to our region if we do less? We need your input, so check out the options we're proposing in the draft Long-Term Plan.

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The foodbank fund has resulted from many generous donations by individuals and businesses in the Hanmer Springs community.

If you, or anyone you know, are struggling please email:

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On week commencing April 1, rubbish, and recycling in Hanmer Springs will be collected one day later than normal on Tuesday April 2.

Please remember:

- Only Hurunui District Council bags will be collected; these are sold via the transfer station, library, Hanmer Springs Garage, Super Liquor, and the Log Cabin.
- Bags must be securely tied and at the kerbside by 8am as collection times may vary to normal.
- Bags must not exceed 15kg.
- Bags split prior to the crew's arrival and non-Council bags will not be collected. Bundles of cardboard will not be collected but can be recycled via the transfer station.

The following are accepted via Council's recycling bags, provided they are free from food waste and loose.

- Newspapers, magazines, catalogues, leaflets, and telephone directories.
- Clean cardboard, including greetings cards and egg boxes.
- Clean food and drink cans.
- Rigid plastic bottles and small containers, types 1, 2 and 5 with lids removed.

Household glass bottles will be collected, provided they are in a Council recycling box with all lids removed.

All transfer stations are closed on Good Friday, Easter Sunday, and Easter Monday.



Sports NZ Rural Travel Fund

Open for applications now, the fund is available to assist young people in rural communities to participate in sporting competitions.

The fund is open to all rural sport club teams and rural school sport teams who have members aged between five and 19.

This Fund is designed to subsidise travel costs to local sporting competitions.

This Fund should not be used for the purpose of travel to regional or national events, and is for teams only, not individuals.

Applications close on Monday 15 April.

Please visit

<u>https://www.hurunui.govt.nz/community/awards-and-funding/sport-nz-rural-travel-fund</u> for more information.



MainPower Notice

UPCOMING POWER OUTAGE.

WHY?

The focus of this outage is to install a temporary 60 metre long 'interrupter cable.' The cable will enable Transpower to work on their transmission lines at the Waiau Ferry Bridge without needing a multi-day outage to the area.

To minimise further planned outages in Hanmer Springs, we will also be carrying out additional work in the area, including pole replacements and general maintenance activities.

WHEN?

Wednesday 3rd April from 11am – 4pm.

There will be a further outage on Tuesday 14th May from 11am – 4pm to remove the cable.

Alternative dates for these operations are April 9th and May 21st.

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2024 RAINBOW AERIAL POSSUM CONTROL OPERATION

Vector Free Marlborough (VFM) wishes to advise the public of its intention to aerially apply the toxin Sodium fluoroacetate (1080) to the Rainbow area for the purpose of controlling possums. The Rainbow 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 Area

The permission area for the 2024 Rainbow possum control operation takes in land in the upper Wairau catchment, from the vicinity of Lake Sedgemere downstream to Bull Paddock Flat approximately 5km east of St Arnaud Village. The eastern boundary mostly follows the St Arnaud Range and the edge of Nelson Lakes National Park. In the west the boundary mostly follows the Raglan Range and abuts Molesworth Station.

Public Access & Recreational Facilities

Rainbow road, Wairau – Hanmer Springs Hydro road, Rainbow ski field road, Bull Paddock creek track, Ronan's stream track, Hamilton river route, Lee's creek track and hut, Connor's creek route and hut, Paske route and hut, Begley route and hut, Dip Flat RNZAF training camp, and Coldwater camping ground are all within the treatment area. Public access to these facilities will be restricted while the aerial application of toxic bait takes place and afterwards until they have been inspected and cleared of most toxic baits.

Toxin warning signs will be in place at all track entrances immediately prior to the application of toxic bait. Advisory signage will also be installed at key sites prior to non-toxic prefeed application.

Commencement Date

Subject to favourable weather, control is planned to commence from mid-April 2024, 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 dependent, 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 control using 1080:

- Pre-feed Non-toxic cereal-based pellet, approximately 16 mm long, cinnamon-lured, and non-dyed (sandy coloured).
- Toxic bait Cereal-based pellet, approximately 16 mm long, cinnamon-lured, and dyed green with a toxic loading of 0.15% Sodium fluoroacetate (1080).

The aerial operation will use helicopters equipped with Global Positioning System (GPS) hardware and calibrated buckets to ensure accurate **placement**.

Precautions

The pesticide is poisonous to humans and domestic animals. 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 - Rainbow
 Vector Free Marlborough
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Hanmer Springs School Pinkie Report Term 1 Week 9.

Journalists and reporters - Piwakawaka class, Tui class, Raanvi Singh, Bridie Roborgh, Y7/8 buddies

Thermal Pools Evacuation.

On Tuesday we went to the Thermal Pools to help with their evacuation. We were divided into our year groups. We were in the water when the fire alarm went. They took us to a safer place. After few minutes they took us to the kids pool. The evacuation was over. We went out of the pool. It was fun working with them. By Raanvi



We were divided into 4 groups. My group had to go to the hot pool opposite the Tea Kiosk. When the alarm went off, life guards told us to get out of the pools urgently. Then they led us to the grassy area beside Conical Thrill. We had to sit down while the teachers counted us up. The lifeguards checked the bathrooms, cafe, changing rooms, and all around the pools. They shut down all of the pools and the lazy river. We got to swim in the kids pool afterwards, it was fun. By Bridie.



<u>Tui class.</u>

The Year 2/3 students in Tui class have been writing about what they would do if they were the Easter Bunny.

If I was the Easter Bunny I would deliver eggs to people and I would hop around. I hopped in the bush and in a tree and on the grass and inside and on a trampoline. I would travel around the world while people are asleep. People are happy. By Lochie.

If I was the Easter Bunny I would wrap up the chocolate with patterns. I would hide the chocolate next to a tree and in a bush. By Izzy.

If I was the Easter Bunny, when the children are asleep, I would go off in the night and deliver the eggs to the children. By Eliza.

The Easter Bunny went to my house and had six Easter eggs. The Easter bunny was happy and the chocolate eggs were great. By Patrick

If I was the Easter Bunny I would hide the eggs and hide them good. After that I would go to another home to hide some. It is fun. I would hide some at Eliza's home. I only have six more left. I hide them behind Eliza's curtains. She will find them. It is fun. I gave her an Easter basket. By Iris.

If I was the Easter bunny I would deliver Easter eggs, but I would only deliver Easter eggs to good kids. When it is morning the kids are happy when they eat them. By Will.

If I was the Easter bunny I would get chocolate eggs for the kids. I would give them to the children before I leave. By Taylor.

Hanmer Springs School, reporting ... (2 of 2)

If I was the Easter bunny I would hide the eggs. The kids will find the eggs. It is yummy eating eggs. By Harriet

If I was the Easter bunny I would hide the eggs. I would sit by the tree with Meila. I would give the kids chocolate eggs. By Myra-Anne

If I was the Easter bunny I would go to the police station. I would deliver Easter eggs to all the policemen. By Zandi

Self portraits.



Buddies with TreeBears children.

Before new students start at school Mrs Saric sets them up with a Y7/8 buddy. Our school values tuakana-teina, where an older person helps and guides a younger person. This is a great way for our new students to make a connection and to learn about school from our friendly senior students. The buddies visit their little buddies at TreeBears. They have fun doing the things their buddies enjoy. They play tag and hide and seek with them. They play soccer and basketball. They enjoy playing with the playdough and doing painting. The little buddies enjoy these visits and look forward to the next one. Once at school the buddies look out for their little buddy and do different activities with them.



APRIL '24

- 26 Film Club Free Children's Movie 4pm @ The Five Stags
- 28 Amuri Players Auditions for The Vietnamisation of New Jersey

MAY ' 24

- 3 Film Club Movie @ Five Stags 6.40pm "The Zookeepers Wife"
- 4 Hanmer Four Square Half Marathon & 10K
- 12 Mothers' Day
- 12 Cathy Irons String Quartet @ Hanmer Springs Hotel (Vivaldi Four Seasons, plus works by Borodin & Mozart) 2.30 pm
- 26 Film Club Movie @ Five Stags 6.40 pm "Wonka"
- 25 Mt Isobel Challenge

JUNE '24

- 14 Film Club Movie @ Five Stags 6.40 pm
- 20-22 Amuri Players Performance: Vietnamisation of New Jersey
- 29th The Big Bike Film Night @ Top10 Holiday Park

JULY '24

- 5 Film Club Movie @ Five Stags 6.40 pm
- 12 Canterbury Golf Junior Open Champs
- 26 Film Club Movie @ Five Stags 6.40 pm

AUGUST '24

16 Film Club Movie @ Five Stags 6.40 pm

SEPTEMBER '24

- 6 Film Club Movie @ Five Stags 6.40 pm
- 9-11 Kaikoura Women's Three Day Golf Tournament
- 27 Film Club Movie @ Five Stags 6.40 pm

OCTOBER '24

- 4-6 Men's 54 hole Golf Tournament
- 16 Mixed Midweek Golf. Tournament

NOVEMBER '24

3 Golf Shootout Final

DECEMBER, '24

7th Hanmer Holiday Homes Alpine Marathon

Please let us know if you have events coming up within the next few months. Firstly, this page is often consulted and secondly, if you have your event listed here it helps prevent other people scheduling events on the same day as yours.

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Golf Results

Saturday 30th March Golf results Stableford 1st Paul Jones 41 pts 2nd Sam Gavin 39 3rd Wayne Love 39 4th Mark Worner 38 5th Mike Berry 36 6th Matthew Crake 36 7th Ken Williams 35 8th Adam Jacks 35

Twos

Sam Gavin Wayne Love Kevin Kerse Stretch Renai Robert Duncan Mike Berry

Jackpot Twos Sam Gavin Nearest the Pin Murray Pool

Net Eagles Not Struck

Results kindly submitted by Mike Gainsford. [Thanks Mike. Ed]

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Hanmer Springs Bridge Club

Results 28 March 2024 North / South – A van de Wiel & T Davies East / West – P Bennett & J Wilson

Results kindly submitted by Joy Wilson. [Thanks Joy. Ed]

Hanmer Springs Physiotherapy

Please note that Chris Dixon is away until the end of April. For the month of April please contact Corry Scrivener on 021 045 7666 for all Physiotherapy appointments



CLASSES, FITNESS, CLUBS & MUSIC

Mondays

AQUACIZE Mondays 10am Thermal Pools entrance. Informal group. You will need an aqua stick. Call Linda (021 223 8188) for more information.

LINE DANCING Mondays 1pm Memorial Hall. Call Penny (027 240 8321) Cost: Donation.

PILATE CLASS Mondays 5:30pm 12 Amuri Avenue Call Corry (021 045 7666) Wendy (027 243 2123)

HANMER SPRINGS BIG BAND Mondays 7pm At the school (during the school term). New members always welcome. You will need to read music or have a good ear. Call Marguerite (021 125 4062) Cost: Free

Tuesdays

TUESDAY WALKERS Tuesdays 9:45am Meet at the Jollies Pass Road Forest Entry carpark (by the old DOC house). Approx. 1.5 - 2 hour walks in the forest. Call Anne (021 277 7515) or Julian (021 148 2811) for more information.

HANMER SINGS Adult Choir

Tuesdays 7pm - 8:30pm At the school (during the school term) Come and raise the roof with us! We a 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. The more the merrier! Hanmer Sings is FREE! Donations are optional.

COMBINED PROBUS CLUB HANMER SPRINGS

First Tuesday of each month Fun and fellowship for the more mature. Call Corry Scrivener (021 457 666) or Dennis Hall (021 294 1541) to join, or for more information.

Wednesdays

TRAMPING GROUP

Day tramps in local mountains and surrounding areas. Every Wednesday. Call Janet (021 103 4303) for information. Mt Isobel Tramping Group

LOCAL LADIES CATCH-UP First Wednesday of each month. Fire and Ice, from 5:30pm. We are a fun loving, vivacious group and can have from 5-20 meet each month.

Thursdays

PILATE CLASS Thursdays 5:30pm 12 Amuri Avenue Call Corry (021 045 7666) Wendy (027 243 2123)

HANMER SPRINGS BRIDGE CLUB Thursdays 7:15pm Anglican Church Hall Call Joy (027 220 2511) for information.

HANMER SPRINGS LIONS CLUB Dinner meeting second Thursday of the month. Five Stags at 6:30pm. All welcome. Email Boio Sarahu-Hothersall at hanmerspringslionsclub@gmail.com to join or for more information

Sundays

MORRIS DANCING Sundays 7pm Lots of laughs and some added exertion. Dancers and musicians welcome. Call John (021 395 022)

Tennis and Gym

HANMER SPRINGS TENNIS CLUB Twilight Tennis & Kids Coaching (During the season) Call Olivia Reid (021 548 776) [adults] Call Sarah Currie (021 0826 4577) [kids]

HANMER SPRINGS COMMUNITY GYM Downstairs at the Sports Pavilion Machines for cardio and weight exercise. Call Shane Adcock (021 921 109) for membership enquiries.

CHURCH NOTICES

Saturday Church Services

CATHOLIC PARISH OF THE GOOD SHEPHERD, HURUNUI Saturday Mass 5pm St Roch's Church, 27 Amuri Avenue Culverden

Sunday Church Services

ANGLICAN PARISH OF HANMER SPRINGS CHURCH OF THE EPIPHANY Sundays 10am 33 Jollies Pass Road Tea & coffee after Sunday Service Call Jonathan Gardiner (Warden) (03 315-7925 or 027 685 9276)

REMNANT CHURCH NEW ZEALAND REMNANT HOUSE

Sundays 10am Remnant House 108 Rippingale Road Children's Church & He Brews Monthly lunches & Evening Service A Four Square International Church Call 021 076 7236 for details

VENUES FOR HIRE

ANGLICAN CHURCH HALL Available for hire for community groups, meetings, worship, retreats etc Call Shirley Whitaker (027 416 1415)

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HANMER SPRINGS GOLF CLUB

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



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