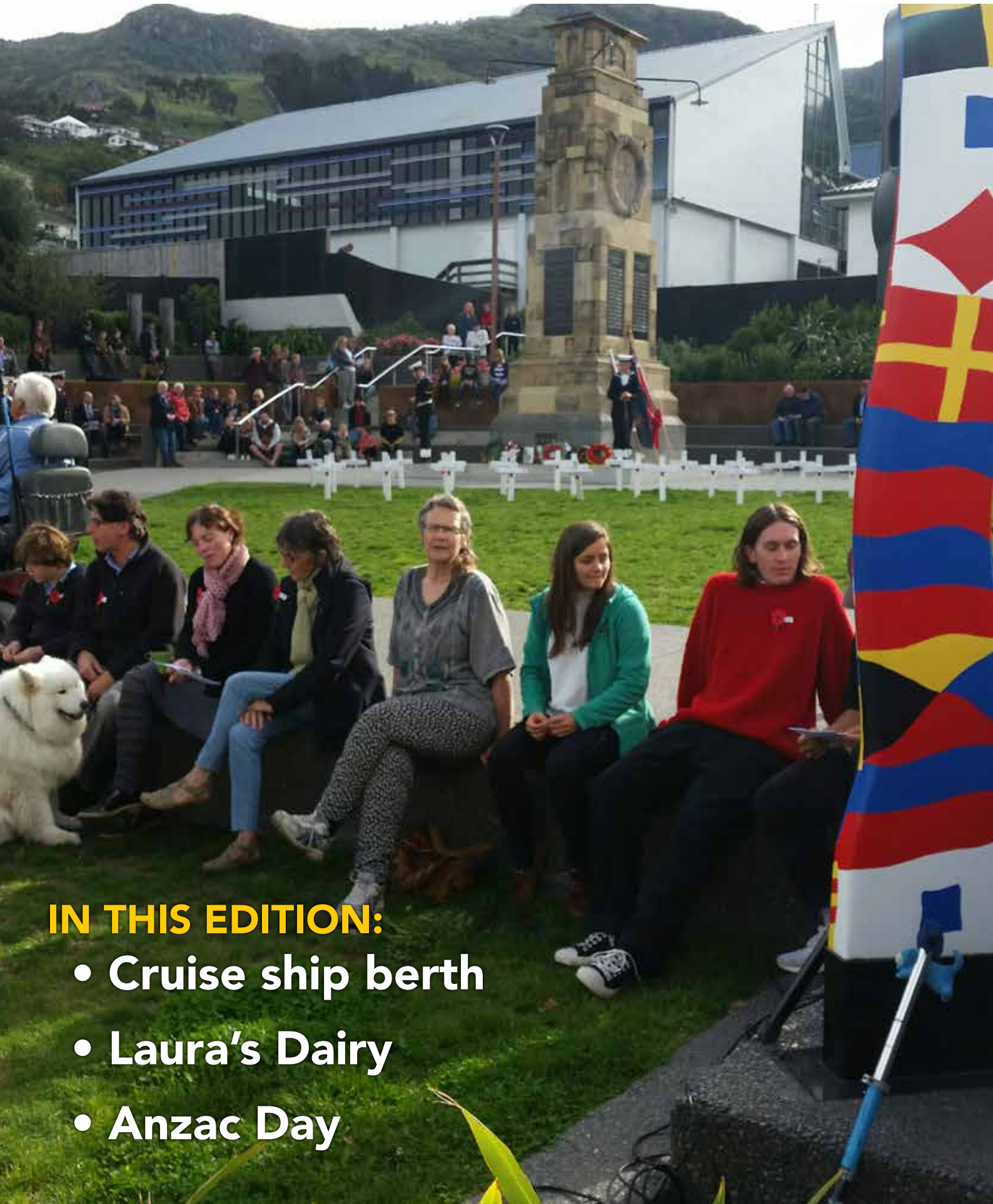


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Cruise ship berth to be built at Lyttelton

A \$56 million cruise ship berth to be built at Lyttelton will ensure Christchurch remains a destination of choice for the growing cruise ship industry.

The Lyttelton Port Company (LPC) announced plans for the berth early May.

It will be the first custom built cruise ship facility for Christchurch and will be able to accommodate some of the largest cruise liners from around the world.

Christchurch City Council made the decision to fund the project through LPC after a business case was done to assess the public value of a cruise ship berth.

"The cruise ship berth represents a massive investment in the future of Christchurch and the wider region," said Christchurch Mayor Lianne Dalziel.

An artist's impression of the cruise berth with MS Oasis of the Sea at berth.

"Cruise ships bring a lot of life and economic activity into the city so it is great that Christchurch will have a dedicated facility.

"With Lyttelton unable to host cruise ships for the last

few years, it has put tremendous pressure on Akaroa. I'd like to pay tribute to the community there that have enabled Christchurch to stay connected to the cruise industry. This announcement will bring some relief to them.

"I would also like to acknowledge the tremendous amount of work that has gone into both the cruise ship berth and the wider Lyttelton Port Recovery Plan so far," Ms Dalziel said.

LPC Board Chair Trevor Burt said the company was happy to be able to bring cruise ships back to Lyttelton in time for the 2019–2020 cruise season.

"The berth will future proof Christchurch as a cruise destination of choice for the next few decades, with the capacity to accommodate the largest ships coming to our part of the world," Mr Burt said.

The new cruise berth has been designed to accommodate one of the world's largest cruise ships, the MS Oasis of the Seas. The ship is 362 metres long, weighs 225,282 tonnes and carries around 5400 people.

The cruise ship industry was worth \$484 million to the New Zealand economy in the 2015–2016 year. In the 2016-17 season its worth was expected to grow to \$490 million.

“The cruise ship industry is continuing to develop rapidly with a dynamic increase in the volume of guests visiting New Zealand, so it’s important that Christchurch has the facilities to offer a gateway to the Canterbury region for all ship sizes,” said Cruise New Zealand Board Member Tony Petrie.

“Before the earthquakes cruise ships were able to berth in Lyttelton, and bringing this facility back to Lyttelton by way of a custom built cruise pier will provide an attractive arrival experience for cruise ship visitors and a boost for Canterbury’s tourism industry as well as retail businesses in Christchurch.

Article CCC Newslines.

At the Information Centre

We are delighted with this news. Cruise ships do provide benefit to our own local economy as well. In prior years, the ships provedore’s, the Farmers Market, hotels, tourist operators and some of the local businesses all have benefited.

We had a couple of extra questions for the Port Company. We were very interested to know when construction would actually begin. Allanah James, Strategic Communications Manager responded saying construction is expected to begin by this time next year. At the Information Centre we are also very keen for passengers to be able to walk into the township. It would be wonderful if a walkway could be built around the perimeter of the waterway along to the new head office to enable this to happen.

We were also pleased to know that the entire project is being funded by the port.

Comment Lyttelton Information Centre



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Review Creators

Lyttelton Harbour Review is a 100% voluntary community newsletter initiative developed after the February 2011 earthquake. It’s a Lyttelton Harbour Information Centre initiative produced by Chairperson Wendy Everingham and Committee Member Jenny-Lee Love.

The objective of the Lyttelton Harbour Review is to help keep local residents informed with what is going on in the wider Lyttelton Harbour community. Of course the success of the Lyttelton Harbour Review could not be possible without the ongoing support and enthusiasm from the wider community.

A big thank you goes out to everyone who sends information; is willing to be interviewed or lets us know what might be happening in the neighbourhood. The Lyttelton Harbour Review project would not be possible without you all.

If you have an event, topic, sport announcement, fundraiser or cause that you would like to share with the harbour community, then Wendy or Jenny-Lee would love to hear from you:

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Email either Wendy or Jenny-Lee with the words “Subscribe Me” in the subject line and the Lyttelton Harbour Review will be delivered to your inbox.

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Lyttelton Library
Lyttelton Top Club

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www.lytteltonharbour.info



Laura's Dairy and the Vision for the Future Health of the Community

Part of the beautiful Orton Bradley Park, with a gorgeous view into Whakaraupo Harbour, Laura's Dairy is a small, "human-scale," biodynamic farm producing raw, organic, A2 milk for the local community. Laura Beck is the visionary behind the farm and also the sole worker most weeks. She shares news from the farm with the community through regular newsletters and social media.

For those of you concerned about environmental issues at any scale, there are so many reasons why choosing local, small-farm milk is important. For people interested in nutrition, there are a whole lot more reasons to choose organic, raw milk. If you are concerned about local food resilience and the future of food, supporting Laura's Dairy is a good choice. This article attempts to catalogue all of the good that the farm creates, and to encourage more involvement from the local community.

Climate Change: Coal and Methane.

Did you know that all the conventional milk available in the supermarket and dairy has not only been pasteurised (killing so many of the nutrients and enzymes) but has also been dehydrated into milk powder, and then rehydrated and bottled and sent out to the supermarket? The milk factories dehydrate these massive quantities of milk by burning coal. That's right – the dirtiest, most polluting of fossil fuels is being used en masse in the production of every

bottle of milk available to everyday New Zealanders.

In terms of our contribution to global warming, or climate change, New Zealand's emissions are over half methane gas. Methane is produced by cows, sheep and other ruminant animals (animals which bring up the semi-digested grass from their stomachs and chew it for a second time). Methane lasts in the atmosphere for a shorter time than carbon dioxide, but has a more damaging effect. The mass farming of ruminant animals is having a large impact on our greenhouse gas emissions and on climate change. Changing to a more realistic scale for farming is an important step in mitigating climate change. Many farmers today, caught up in the government's push for growth, are out of touch with the possibilities for small-scale farms. Laura is a pioneer and others are beginning to look to her to see what is possible.

Climate Change: Transport and Carbon Footprints.

Apart from coal and methane, the dairy industry contributes to climate change through transport: trucking and shipping milk products all around the world. Buying from a farm within 25km of your home means cutting out all that CO2 created by the transportation of your milk.

Milk alternatives, such as soy and nut milks, are also shipped from the other side of the world (often the USA), so also have a considerable carbon footprint.

Furthermore, they are sold in non-recyclable 'tetrapaks' with plastic linings, which all end up in our landfills and contribute to the massive, world-wide problem with plastic waste. If you are reliant on these milk alternatives, maybe try making your own. Hazelnuts are grown locally.

Animal Welfare.

A "human-scale" farm indicates a place where all the animals are known by name, where one person can easily walk the farm, interact on a daily basis with all the animals, and look after their health. There is ample space for the cows to range freely.

As you may be aware, commercial dairy farming practices the removal of calves from their mothers very shortly after birth. Laura recognises the emotional connection between mother and baby, and is committed to letting the calves nurse for a much longer period, with the hope for this to be up to one year from birth. This includes both male and female calves.

Care of the Land.

Biodynamic farming is about caring for the whole of the farm from the soil through to the pasture, cow, farmer and customer. It recognises and honours the dynamic relationships between all these facets to produce food that is nourishing and free from chemicals and synthetic fertilisers. It's farming with nature so we can feed ourselves well now and to ensure that we can feed our communities in the future by building soil, health and resilience.

Nutrient Availability.

Raw milk is an incredibly nutritious food. There are not many ways that humans can consume and digest the fat-soluble nutrients that we need (ie they may be present in vegetable sources but are not able to be used by the human body) and fresh, raw milk preserves these nutrients in a way that pasteurised milk can't.

In raw milk the enzymes which help us to digest the foods we consume have not been killed by heating. This means that raw milk is often digestible by those with allergies (most of which are related to digestion) and is generally better for the health of the digestive system.

Pasteurisation (heating) and homogenisation of milk dramatically lower the content of vitamins, including vitamin C, B6 and A and minerals including iron, manganese and copper.

The reason commercially produced milk has to be pasteurised in order to be safe to consume is that less care is given to hygiene during milking, enabling the opportunity for contaminants such as bacteria, coliform and pathogens to enter the milk.

Potentially unhygienic feeding systems when cows are more intensively fed can also lead to contamination. Although supermarket milk might have a longer shelf-life, it has to be asked "At what cost?"

Community Empowerment, Local Food Resilience and a Community Supported Agriculture Programme.

Laura's farm is a gift to the whole community. Not only does it produce a wonderful, healthful resource with minimal harm to the environment, the animals and the consumer, the vision for the farm is for it to diversify and become the food bowl of the harbour.

Our beautiful harbour is not well suited to market gardening, so there are not a great amount of food crops grown here. Laura's invitation to her community is for many more people to get involved and to start a CSA, or Community Supported Agriculture, programme, where the whole community is involved in planning, decision-making, the work on the farm and, of course, eating the produce that is grown.

You can buy the milk in two litre bottles at the farm gate, and talk to Laura about ordering it. Buying milk today means supporting the growth of so much more tomorrow.

Article: Lucette Hindin



Lyttelton Harbours Volunteer Information Centre

A Bit of History

Your local Information Centre has been operating since 1996! During those years it's certainly had many different phases. In the early years it had paid staff and focused on providing information for visitors and acted as a workplace training scheme. Many people from all around Christchurch who were eligible for the Task Force Green work scheme benefited from the training they received from the centre.

During this period various people at the centre began developing tourism resources for the area. A series of maps and leaflets were developed.

Early 2000's the Trustees got some funding to start researching Lyttelton's built history. Liza Rossi did an amazing project that explored all the historical details of many of the notable houses and buildings in the township. This information went on to form the basis of the work the Historic Places Trust did establishing Lyttelton township as an historic area in its own right.

In the mid 2000's things started to get tough for the Information Centre. The political climate changed and the centre was under threat of closure. The trustees at the time decided to be bold and try and control their own future. They set out with a bold project to manage Tunnel Vision Backpackers and incorporated an Information Centre as part of the business. The business survived two seasons but then economic reality set in and the Trust was forced to abandon that idea.

As always in Lyttelton when things get tough the community step up to help. This saw a new phase for the centre and it operated as an agency out of Malcom Carne's framing shop. This was a great short term solution that enabled the Trust to build up resources and eventually move back to its former home at 20 Oxford St.

That was all back in 2008 and since then the team regrouped and it's basically been a volunteer organisation since. Volunteer numbers has gone up and down with the earthquakes taking quite a large toll on the volunteers of that time. However since re-returning to 20 Oxford Street in 2013 it's been a steady progress forward. We have become a real community hub. A place for visitors and locals, now hosting the Timebank, our community emergency response team, the Fruit and Vegetable Collective, Lyttelton Review plus meeting space for individuals and community groups. Our space is very well used.

Our longest serving volunteers are Andrea King, Karen Colyer, Kerry Donnelly, Reuben Romany and Wendy Everingham. Currently we have 20 volunteer customer service helpers from all around the harbour.

The return of cruise ships will be the catalyst for the next phase at the Information Centre.

The Information Centre is governed by a volunteer Trust. Current trustees are: Wendy Everingham, Karen Colyer, Anne Parkinson, Andrew Turner, Glen Harris, Jenny-Lee Love and John Thacker. We are seeking one or two new Trustees. If you are interested in tourism and the local community please contact Wendy Everingham 328 9093 infocentre@lyttelton.net.nz. Our board meets 4-5 times per year

Article Lyttelton Information Centre



Our Sewing Fairy.....

Have you heard about our Sewing Fairy? AKA Ruth Targus the idea came to her about four years ago. Trained in theatre design and with a love of sewing, her friends noticed that she was great at mending things. Slowly friends began asking her if she could patch some jeans, fix a zip or other odd jobs. Then she began doing swaps in return for mending. Then the idea came upon her that if her friends wanted this service maybe others in the community would like that as well.

The Sewing Fairy came to her at this point - A community service once a month where anyone could drop things for mending to her. That was four years ago. She initially started as part of the Garage Sale, the first Saturday of each month. You would find her there and could get advice or actual work done. Her thinking at that point in time was many people at the garage sale needed items altered so that would be a great place where she could be of service to people. With multiple garage sale moves she floated about and even was at the Information Centre for some of the time.

The opening of the library now presents her with a central meeting space that will be even more accessible for a wider group of the community. "The front community space is going to be perfect for me" she said. With her sign out on London Street during the market on the first Saturday of the month and her more accessible site she hopes that many more of you will take up her offer of alterations, mending that you need done or just popping in for advice and a chat. "I love giving people an option for their loved clothes. You don't have to throw them away, you can get them repaired and get many more years of use from them" she said.

Ruth hates waste and our throwaway society and by offering this service she hopes more people will think about the other options they have for their loved things rather than throwing something away.

Now that her two boys are at school she's got time to develop this passion of hers further. Several people have approached her for sewing lessons. She's jumped at the challenge. Her first class is aimed at youngsters aged 5-9 and the second for 10-13 year olds. Classes will be held in the library at the small meeting room near the children's section. Beginning Thursday May 11th at

3.10pm for younger children the class will run for an hour each week for a total of 8 weeks. That class will be followed by the older age group at 4.15pm. There are limited numbers per class. Classes will initially focus on basic skills and hand stitching methods. They will cost \$85 for the term including materials.

To book a place or for more details contact:

NZ Sewing Fairy
Ruth 0212 593086

Adult classes will follow.

Alternatively visit the Sewing Fairy at the Library
Every first Saturday of the Month 10-1pm





Anzac Day Lyttelton 2017



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They shall grow not old,
as we that are left grow old;
Age shall not weary them,
nor the years condemn.
At the going down of the
sun and in the morning,
We will remember them.



Predator-Free Port Hills –Lyttelton?

The Summit Road Society has launched an initiative to work towards 'A Predator-Free Port Hills'. We're concentrating on the urban fringes between Halswell and Taylors Mistake, and on the harbour side from Lyttelton to Purau.

We think the time is right to get serious about saving our native fauna, our birds and lizards.

Our scheme will concentrate on residential areas for several reasons.

Thousands of people have chosen to live here. We all do so because we cherish the natural values of the hills. Because of residents' plantings, the hill suburbs have some of our richest bio-diversity values. We have thousands of potential allies in the war on the nasties.

The peri-urban fringe is not covered by other programmes. The Banks Peninsula Conservation Trust has announced a similar aspiration in its hills to our south. We don't want our suburbs to breed predators who would re-infest areas that might be free of them.

This is a way we locals can do our bit in the campaign to make NZ predator-free by 2050. For the first time this year I heard possums in our trees close to the house and it has galvanized some action at my place, time to move the traps and find some tasty bait to attract these pests.

Since this idea was announced in November the Summit Road Society has been hugely encouraged by the support we're getting. Almost all the hills and ridges have residents who have already joined in.

Quite a few people in Lyttelton are currently trapping and recording animals caught. If you are already trapping, and as yet have not made contact with either the Summit Road Society or Tina Troup (local coordinator) please see contact details below. Part of this initiative is to encourage people to trap and to collect records of what traps people have and how many pests they've trapped. This will help native species and also give a better understating of where traps are, where more could be etc.

The Summit Road Society will use <https://www.trap.nz/> to record trapping details.

You don't have to trap, but if you want to, we can help out.

Setting traps and rebaiting for predators like possums and stoats does not require the big chunks of time. We welcome people who have been trapping for some time and have experience and knowledge to share or those who would like to become involved in trapping for the first time to make contact.

Perhaps you have spare money and no time so you might be prepared to donate a trap?



If you'd like to read an overview of the challenge before us and follow progress via Facebook head to Predator Free Port Hills: Lyttelton. If you're interested in knowing more please get in touch with Vicki at vcarlyon01@gmail.com or 0274141893 (after 6pm) who is acting as the local coordinator while Tina Troup is away for a few months.

Heritage in Christchurch

Survey: The future of heritage in Christchurch and Banks Peninsula

What do we want heritage to be, and look like, in 50 years? How can we make that happen?

We want to hear what you think as we explore new ways to protect and celebrate our heritage.

The link to the Council's survey is: <https://ccc.govt.nz/the-council/have-your-say/consultations/show/15>

Printed survey forms are available at Council libraries and service centres. All responses must be received before 5pm on Monday 22 May 2017.

The survey is to inform how we create a pathway for heritage in Christchurch and Banks Peninsula. Any specific actions and implementation will be worked through with heritage stakeholders, groups and individuals who provide feedback. To find out more about this project you can attend any of the following drop-in sessions:

Saturday 13 May 10am – noon

Grubb Cottage, 62 London Street, Lyttelton

You can also comment on the Council's Facebook page: www.facebook.com/ChristchurchCityCouncil

News from Naval Point Club

Wednesday 26th July 2017

Naval Point Club Lyttelton Annual General Meeting at 7pm in the wardroom.

Plains, Port Hills & Peninsula

The theme for Beca Heritage Week 2017 reflects this year's anniversaries which offer the chance to explore and celebrate the cultural and physical development of our district and the pursuit of leisure activities in a unique landscape, defined by Plains, Port Hills and Peninsula.



Do you have a great idea for a Beca Heritage Week event?

We're calling out to all community groups, businesses and individuals who want to hold events during the festival. On Monday 8 May, join us as we discuss this

years theme and answer any questions you may have about being involved.

When: Monday 8 May, 5.30–6.30pm

Where: Christchurch City Council Civic Building 53 Hereford Street

Christchurch (enter from Hereford Street)

If you are unable to attend, you can view the application information at ccc.govt.nz/heritageweek, after the meeting.

For any enquiries, please email heritage@ccc.govt.nz

Funding available for creative projects

Got an idea that will bring your little slice of Christchurch to life? Need some funding to get it off the ground? Applications are open for funding that will enliven the central city or suburban centres. Read more here: <https://ccc.govt.nz/the-council/newsline/show/1463>

To Rent in Lyttelton from 20 may 2017

2 bedroom unit.

Unfurnished. Lockable garage. Heat pump

Quiet location within easy walking distance to the centre of Lyttelton

Stunning views over the port and harbour.

Ideal for working couple

\$360 per week

Contact: Linda 02125 44986

Cultural Awareness & The Treaty Of Waitangi

1-5pm, Wednesday 17th May 2017

Increase your understanding of how the Treaty is relevant to your workplace.

Introductory/refresher level.

Experienced tutor and positive learning environment.

Venue: Quaker Centre, cnr Ferry Rd and Nursery Rd

Cost: \$50. Certificate provided.

Enquiries: Cathy Sweet 0272568908 csweet@xtra.co.nz

Advertising in the Review

Since the inception of the Lyttelton Review we have been very generous with advertising. Any one off advertisements for businesses have generally been published free. Advertisers are encouraged to make a donation to our volunteer organisation.

To be a permanently listed business in the directory and have articles written about your business we have a yearly membership fee of \$165 including GST. If you would like to have a yearly listing please contact us infocentre@lyttelton.net.nz and we will forward our membership application.

Attention: Crafts People, Artists, Artisans And Other Creative Types

Are you interested in selling the best of what you make locally?

Would you like work on your craft in an attractive location from time to time, perhaps in the company of others?

Stoddart Cottage Trust is looking for ways to open Stoddart Cottage to the public more often, and to foster greater community use of the cottage.

We are exploring the idea of establishing a craft co-operative based at historic Stoddart Cottage, in Diamond Harbour.

If you are interested please come along to Stoddart Cottage at 7pm on Tuesday 9 May. (Return ferry back to Lyttelton at 8.40pm and 9.40pm).

If you know others who might be interested please let them know too. The more people involved, the better it will work.

Can't attend? Txt or phone 027 2413772 or email famvanbeynen@snap.net.nz

Cooking Classes

Ground's upcoming cooking classes are set. Still very hands-on and a whole lot of fun. Don't forget you eat a 4-course meal with matching wines, so need to come hungry.

Book early as limited seats.

Saturday May 27th: Louisiana- Cajun & Creole

Due to popular demand we are bringing this class back again this year. Jambalaya, crawfish pie, file gumbo. Yes we do have real file, so come and learn what it is and how to use it. Try a genuine Po'Boy or Muffaletta and see how things are done in "the South".

Saturday June 24th: Korean Cuisine.

More than just Kimchi, this cuisine is the "it" food at the moment in the States and Australia. See what all the fuss is about. We will be looking at authentic family recipes, rather than the LA Fusion food trend.

Cost is \$130 per person including full meal, matching wines, class and recipes. Book at info@ground.co.nz

Other classes this year will include Winter Spice, Delights of Turkey, South American Food and Persian Cuisine. Dates to be announced.

Computers to the Community Scheme

As a result of the Christchurch City Council's replacement programme, there are a number of desktop computers and monitors surplus to requirements. In recognising the value of community organisations, rather than selling these computers, they are available to be gifted to not-for-profit community groups who would benefit from being able to utilise them in supporting their local community. If you would like to apply to receive some of these computers, please contact Maryanne Lomax on 941-6730 or emailing maryanne.lomax@ccc.govt.nz.

Community Law Canterbury

Upcoming legal training

After the high level of interest in earlier workshops this year, Community Law Canterbury are now running some repeat workshop for those who missed out last time. We have vacancies for the following legal workshops and welcome interest from managers and/or Board/Committee members of Christchurch non-profits.

- **May 09 Liability** - a guide for Managers and Board members to help reduce the risk of facing personal liability for the work you do for your non-profit
- **June 20 New Board members** - a guide to the law for those new to being on a Board/Committee (or those who would like a bit of a refresher)
- **July 11 Health and Safety** - a guide for Managers and Board/Committee members covering the six key health & safety obligations

Further information about these workshops is available by contacting susan@canlaw.org.nz

Get Set Go Workshops

Learn how to plan, organise and promote your own community recreation programme or event by attending Get Set Go and Spread the Word.

- Friday 19 May, 9:45am to 2:30pm:
The Loft, Level 1 Eastgate Shopping Centre,
Cnr Buckleys Road and Linwood Ave,
Linwood.
- Tuesday 27 June, 9:45am to 2:30pm:
South Library/Service Centre Boardroom – 66
Colombo Street, Beckenham.
- Friday 4 August, 9:45am to 2:30pm:
Fendalton Library/Service Centre Boardroom,
Cnr Jeffreys and Clyde Road, Fendalton.
- Friday 27 October, 9:45am to 2:30pm:
Fendalton Library/Service Centre Boardroom,
Cnr Jeffreys and Clyde Road, Fendalton.

For more information and to register, click here: <https://ccc.govt.nz/culture-and-community/events-and-festivals/running-an-event/courses-for-event-organisers/>

Attend a workshop with Donna Jacob Sife!

Donna is an award winning storyteller, educator, writer, social activist and highly skilled in working with diversity. She uses a mixture of storytelling, poetry, song and activities for listening, reflecting and connecting. The workshops are as following:

Making a Difference – Telling Stories to Heal

20th May 2017 from 1.30pm – 5pm, at St Martins Community Centre, Cnr Wades Avenue and Wilsons Rd.

Drawing from Donna's work in South Africa, Israel and Palestine, and with indigenous and refugee communities in Australia Donna will explore practical techniques for working with story to enhance communication and understanding between people of diverse backgrounds. This workshop is for anyone wanting to bring about positive change in their community and interested in exploring how to work with story to enhance relationships and understanding. No storytelling experience is necessary!

Cost is \$25-\$40 (pay what you can afford)

The Elusive Nature of Justice

20th May 2017 at 7.30pm at Hohepa Hall, 23 Barrington Street, Somerfield.

Donna takes a look at the trickster nature of justice and asks where can we find true justice and why is it so elusive? Donna's stories reflect on 30 years of international peace and diversity work.

Entry by koha (suggested \$15-\$25)

For further information visit: <http://storycollective.weebly.com/donna-jacobs-sife.html>

To book your place, email thestorycollectivechch@gmail.com or call Sharon on 022 121 3648

Lyttelton Farmers Market Community Stall

Every Saturday we reserve one place at the market for a community group. This is a free service, available to non-profit charity, sports and community groups, schools and volunteer organisations who want to raise funds or raise awareness of their cause.

If you would like to apply for a community stall, please email farmersmarket@lyttelton.net.nz



Torpedo Boat Museum

For the last eight years on many weekends I've been proud and happy to open a remaining jewel in Lyttelton's historic treasures, the Torpedo Boat Museum. Two hours at the Torpedo Boat Museum is so well spent. I enjoy chatting to the visitors and visiting Magazine Bay. It's a really pleasurable Sunday afternoon.

Times keep changing and to reflect that we need some new Sunday volunteers. If local history appeals and you like a pleasurable and peaceful time by the harbour this could be for you. Contact me and I'll show you through so that you know what's involved. Help our Trust keep a major part of Lyttelton's history alive. txt 0278653866 <https://lyttelton.timebanks.org/ad/15434-helpers-at-the-torpedo-boat-museum>

Cressy Trust, Lyttelton

Grants round closes for applications: Monday, 22 May.

Cressy Trust is a charitable trust with funds available for assisting the elderly in the Lyttelton Harbour basin.

The Cressy Trust has given more than \$100,000 in grants to individuals and groups to support social activities, fund medical or dental treatment, contribute towards home heating or repairs and a variety of other purposes. The latest grant round is underway now and closes third week in May.

Application forms are available from Lyttelton Health Centre, Lyttelton Information Centre, Lyttelton

Community House and in Diamond Harbour and Governors Bay.

Send your completed form to the following address: Cressy Trust, PO Box 95, Lyttelton 8841

Kids Basketball.

Come and experience a new sport and have some fun. These kids basketball sessions aim to provide the basic skills of this exciting sport while developing teamwork and friends - the emphasis will be on fun. We are targeting year 3 to year 6 students. But any child who is keen will be welcome.

The sessions will be held in the Lyttelton Rec Centre. Fridays 4:00 to 5:00 pm. Start date 5 May and finishing on 30 June. Nine sessions in total.

The kids will be coached by Finn Barclay. Finn lives in Lyttelton and is a year 11 student at Cashmere high. Finn is in the Cashmere High Boys' A team and has played for Canterbury under-13, under-15 teams and is currently trialling for the Canterbury under-17 team.

Jeff Bluett will assist Finn and manage the sessions.

Cost is \$40 per term. This covers the Rec Centre hire and a token fee for Finn who is saving to go to tournament.

Numbers will be limited to 12. Kids will need to bring their own ball and wear shorts, tee-shirt and non-marking sports shoes. Parents are welcome to watch the sessions. If any current or ex-basketballer parents are keen to assist that would be great.

To express your interest please contact Jeff Bluett (shawbluett@gmail.com) or 021-232-5584

Please provide name of child and year at school.



Community Drop In Session Naval Point and Wastewater Projects May 18th

The Christchurch City Council is hosting a community drop-in session for the *Naval Point Development* and the *Lyttelton Wastewater Project*. This will be an opportunity for the public to come along, ask questions about these projects, and to have their say.

This session is to be held on from **7-9pm, 18th May at the Lyttelton Community Board Room, 25 Canterbury Street.**

If you are not able to come in person, let us know what is important to you at Naval Point via the on line survey. Click this link to complete it: <https://ccc.govt.nz/the-council/have-your-say/consultations/show/21>

Naval Point Development

Christchurch City Council is currently preparing a Development Plan for all Council land and facilities at Naval Point, Lyttelton, including the recreation ground, public boat ramp and the Magazine Bay Marina. The Development Plan will guide Council and other stakeholders and users regarding future development and opportunities within the area.

The Naval Point recreation area is an important facility for Lyttelton, Christchurch and the wider Canterbury area. The condition of the existing site is no longer adequate. Facilities have not been upgraded and there are increasingly greater demands on the site. Naval Point and Magazine Bay is the home to Naval Point Club Lyttelton, Coastguard Canterbury, public boating facilities and a range of other community based organisations. The site is also used by many other recreational water sports including power boats, trailer sailors, dinghies, windsurfers, wakas, stand up paddle boarders and swimmers.

The Council is currently gathering information for the preparation of the Development Plan. There are many, mostly recreational groups who use the site, and with whom Council is working. However, Council would also like a clearer understanding of how people currently use the space, and how you would like to see it developed in the future.

The information you provide will be used in preparing a draft Development Plan. This will be subject to full public consultation prior to Council approval. An online questionnaire is also being developed and this will be distributed widely.

Lyttelton Wastewater Project

There will also be an opportunity at this time for more clarification on the Wastewater project, and the implications it will have on traffic in Lyttelton. Comments will be welcomed on how these disruptions may be best managed.

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SUMNER ROAD GEOTECHNICAL RISK MITIGATION WORKS

The Sumner Road Geotechnical Risk Mitigation Project team are working to reduce geotechnical risk in the area so it is safe for the road to be rebuilt.

Work removing the loose and unstable rock is nearing completion and the next stage of the project, constructing rock protection features along the road, will start in May.

The work continues to involve blasting. This means that some of the mountain bike and walking tracks in the area will remain closed and the Marine Exclusion zone in Gollans Bay is still off limits for sailors, kayakers and swimmers. There are signs on tracks and buoys in the harbour that warn of the rockfall risk and advise the public to stay clear.

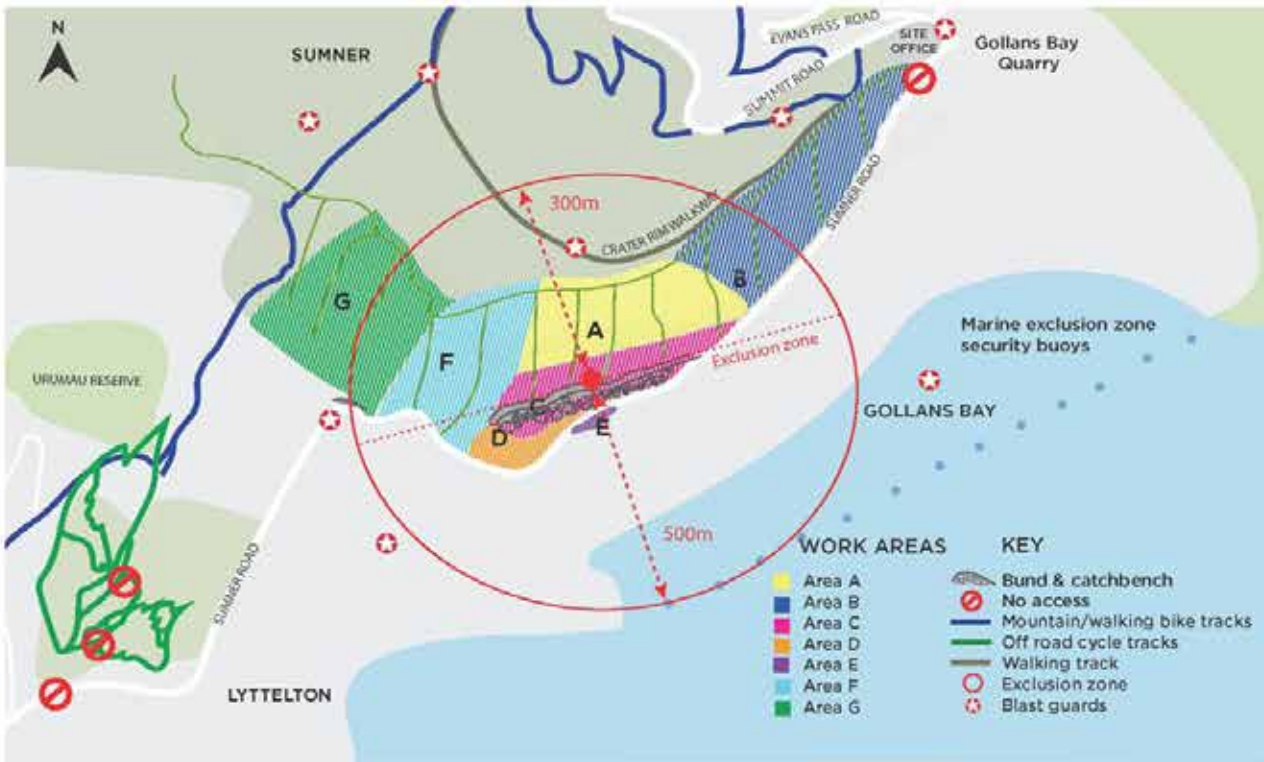
The Exclusion Zone shown below in the



To receive email notifications about blasting activity please email your name, phone and location to

sumner@mcdgroup.com or phone
0508 MCD COMMS
(0508 623 266).

map is off limits to the public during blasting times. On the day of blasting, guards will be posted at access points to the Exclusion Zone at least 30 minutes prior to any blast to prevent entry. Please obey the instructions of the blast guards to enable the blasting work to proceed safely.



What has been completed?

The team have been abseiling down the cliffs above the road to check the stability of the rocks on the cliff face. Any unstable rocks have been removed using crowbars or very small explosive charges, which is called 'scaling'.

The team put controls in place to minimise the noise, dust and vibration, established a strict blast exclusion zone in place and the general public are notified of this work beforehand, all as safety precautions. Scaling in in Areas B, F & G are complete. Above the bluffs in Area A (shown by the "A" in the drawing) scaling is nearing completion and so the team are moving on to constructing the rock protection features.



Scaling at sunset

What is a catchbench?

The catchbench is a rock bench, situated above the road and below the bluffs indicated by the "C" on the



drawing, very literally designed to 'catch' falling rocks before they land on the road.

The team need to excavate 100,000m³ of rock to create the Sumner Road 'catchbench'.

Most of the rock that will need to be excavated out of the catchbench and moved to Gollans Bay Quarry over the six-month period will be basalt, a hard rock. Standard mining techniques will be required to move this material. While the team used low velocity explosives to carry out scaling, the team will use high velocity explosives to excavate the catchbench.

Higher velocity explosives are directed into the rock so the energy is absorbed but the sound of the blast may be heard as a dull thud. So you may hear regular 'thuds' over the coming months as the catchbench mining is carried out.

The blasting work is scheduled to begin in early May and residents closest to the site will receive a letter notification to advise them of the work. If you would like to be added to the blasting notification list and receive an email before the blasting work begins please see the instructions below.

We welcome your feedback!



Talk to the project team any time free on: **0508 MCD COMMS or (0508 623 266)**



To receive regular updates on the project please email: **slcorridor@ccc.govt.nz**

To receive email notifications of blasting work send your name and email address to: sumner@mcdgroup.com

For more information on the Sumner Lyttelton Corridor project visit: www.ccc.govt.nz/slcorridor

Thank you for your patience

Lyttelton Community Garden Fundraising Dinner

ROOTS Restaurant



Wednesday 21st June 2017

five courses \$105

five courses with wine pairing \$155

Tickets available from 1st May at Roots and
Lyttelton Information Centre
(cash only)

Full ticket price will go to the Community Garden

Construction of the Gollans Bay Quarry Haul Road

Lyttelton Port of Christchurch is working with Fulton Hogan to re-build the Haul Road servicing Gollans Bay Quarry.

Re-construction of the Haul Road requires rock blasting along a small portion of the Haul Road alignment. Blasting will be completed through a series of small controlled blasts starting in May and continuing to August 2017.

Blasting will be intermittent occurring approximately twice a week between 9am and 4pm during this period.

Once completed, the Haul Road will provide access to the Gollans Bay Quarry. Rocks from the quarry will be used to reclaim additional land to allow the Port

to move its operations east, away from residential areas.

A blasting exclusion zone has been set up; this area will be patrolled before each blast time to ensure no one is in the blasting exclusion zone. Blasting signs will also be placed at main entry/access points to the publicly accessible areas to ensure people do not go into the blasting exclusion zone.





Interested in helping with a

Fashion Show?

A joint Venture between the garage Sale and
Lytelton Primary Shool.

Come along to our meeting:

Tuesday 9th of May 7pm
At the Portal

Above the Garage Sale, behind the Pool on Oxford Street

**Share your interests, see how
you can help with planning
and on the night**

For more infomation contact: Ruth Targus 0212 593086

Events

WEDNESDAY MAY 10TH

Fat Tony's 5-7pm
Happy Hour

Wunder Bar 8pm
Al Park and his pals

THURSDAY MAY 11TH

Fat Tony's 5-7pm
Happy Hour

Lyttelton Club 5-6 7-8pm
Happy Hour

FRIDAY MAY 12TH

Fat Tony's 5-7pm
Happy Hour

Lyttelton Club 4-6pm
Happy Hour

Wunder Bar 8pm
Crap Music Rave Party

SATURDAY MAY 13TH

Fat Tony's 5-7pm
Happy Hour

Grubb Cottage
CCC drop in. The Future of Heritage in
Christchurch and Banks Peninsula 10-12pm

SUNDAY MAY 14TH

Fat Tony's 5-7pm
Happy Hour

Freemans 3.30-6.30pm
Carmel Courtney and Friends

TUESDAY MAY 16TH

Lyttelton Club 7pm
Evening Housie

Tribal Diva Belly Dance 6.30pm

Wunder Bar 7.30pm
Open mic and showcase

WEDNESDAY MAY 17TH

Fat Tony's 5-7pm
Happy Hour

Wunder Bar 8pm
Al Park and his pals

THURSDAY MAY 18TH

Fat Tony's 5-7pm
Happy Hour

Lyttelton Board Room 7-9pm
Canterbury St. Community Board Drop in Session
re Naval Point Development Plan and Lyttelton
Waster Water

Lyttelton Club 5-6 7-8pm
Happy Hour

FRIDAY MAY 19TH

Fat Tony's 5-7pm
Happy Hour

Lyttelton Club 4-6pm
Happy Hour

SATURDAY MAY 20TH

Fat Tony's 5-7pm
Happy Hour

SUNDAY MAY 21ST

Fat Tony's 5-7pm
Happy Hour

Freemans 3.30-6.30pm
Carmel Courtney and Friends

Galleries:

50 Works Gallery: 'Bardo of the Nectar Lovers' - Maryrose Cook

Friday, May 28, 2017 - Sunday, May 28, 2017 An
exhibition featuring new work by Maryrose Cook.
Maryrose will attend the opening and will also give a
talk and musical performance during the exhibition.
50 London St Lyttelton Thurs- Fri 2-4pm Sat 11-4pm

Lytel Gallery: Tarryn Wilson New Works. Drawings
and Paintings May 5-31st. 20 Oxford St Lyttelton.
Monday to Saturday 10-4pm Sun 11-3pm

Coming Up:

Lyttelton Arts Factory

May 25th: The Songs of Tom Waits 8pm

May 27th: Mary Coughlan 3pm

Hell Fire Club

May 27th: Just 45's A Night of 7' Pleasure

Festival of Lights Street Party June 23rd



Community Activities in and around the Harbour this Week

MONDAY

Community Choir

7.30pm Union Chapel, Winchester Street, Lyttelton.
All welcome. Jillie 021 152 8068

Diamond Harbour Yoga

6.30pm - 8pm
General Class, Diamond Harbour Rugby Rooms

Harbour Yoga Vinyasa

9.15am-10.30am
General Class, Trinity Hall

TUESDAY

Community House

Shared Lunch 12.00pm 7 Dublin Street
Make new friends

Diamond Harbour Yoga

6am - 7am
Early Bird Class
Diamond Harbour Stage Rooms

Lyttelton Health Qigong for Seniors

9.30am – 10.30am
Union Church, Winchester Street \$5
Geraldine Parkes 03 328 7284 or 027 644 4455

Lyttelton Library Storytimes

11.00-11.30am

Lyttelton Yoga

9.30am - 10.45am
6.30pm - 8pm, Scouts Den Lyttelton
Contact Rebecca Boot 021 071 0336

Diamond Harbour Bridge Club

1.20pm for 1.30pm start
Diamond Harbour Football Club Rooms. \$4 table
For more information call 329 4868 or 329 4149

Lyttelton St John Youth Division

6.00pm St John Ambulance Station
52 London St, Lyttelton

St Josephs Worker Catholic Church

9am Mass 21 Exeter Street, Lyttelton
All Welcome More information call 384 1600

WEDNESDAY

Diamond Harbour Bridge Club

Bowling Club Rooms. All welcome
6.40pm for a 6.50 start
Partner finder - Carolyn Craw. Ph 329 4684

Diamond Harbour Singers

7.30 - 9.00pm
Every Wednesday in Stage Room of Community
Hall. All welcome. Contact Margie 329 3331

Diamond Harbour Yoga

6am - 7am
Early Bird Class
Diamond Harbour Stage Rooms

Lyttelton Cubs

6.30pm
Contact Mark Brabyn 027 281 6180

Lyttelton Garage Sale

10.30am 54a Oxford Street, Lyttelton
Second Hand Bargains and more.

Lyttelton Harbour Fruit and Vegetable Collective

Trading between 12.30 and 2.45pm at the Garage
Sale 54a Oxford St Lyttelton
Contact Jill Larking for more info 027 237 4960

Lyttelton Library Wednesdays Knit and Yarn

10.00-12.00pm

Lyttelton Play Group

Lyttelton Playgroup
At Kidsfirst Lyttelton
12,30pm- 2.30pm
33 Winchester St Lyttelton
Call 03 328 8689 for more information

THURSDAY

Community House Flat Walking Group.

10am
Contact Hannah Sylvester. Ph: 741 1427

Diamond Harbour Yoga

6am - 7am Early Bird Class
Diamond Harbour Stage Rooms

Governors Bay Volunteer Fire Brigade

7.00pm Governors Bay Fire Station
Weekly Training, New Members Welcome

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FRIDAY

Diamond Harbour Yoga

6am - 7am
Gentle Class
Diamond Harbour Rugby Rooms

Harbour Yoga Vinyasa

6pm-7pm
Gentle Class, Union Church

Community Activities in and around the Harbour this Month

Lyttelton Garage Sale

10.30am 54a Oxford Street,
Lyttelton Second Hand Bargains and more.

Lyttelton Library Fridays Babytimes

10.30-11.00am

Lyttelton Yoga

9.30am - 10.45am
Scouts Den Lyttelton
Contact Rebecca Boot 021 071 0336

SATURDAY

Lyttelton Farmers Market

10.00am London Street,
Lyttelton Fresh produce, Live Music, Buskers and More

Lyttelton Garage Sale

10.00am 54a Oxford Street, Lyttelton
Second Hand Bargains and more.

Lyttelton Harbour Bazaar Market

10.00am No 6 London St. Artists, Bric a Brac and More

SUNDAY

St Saviour's at Holy Trinity

17 Winchester Street
10.00am Service with Holy Communion
2nd Sunday of every month only
Port Hills Uniting Church Service
10am Sunday Worship. All Welcome

GROUPS

Banks Peninsula Community Board

1pm Second Monday Each Month
Meetings Open to the Public

Bay Harbour Toastmasters

6.30pm. Every 2nd and 4th Wednesday of the month
Lyttelton Community Board Room, 25 Canterbury St
Contact: Jann Meehan, 021 263 1040

Diamond Harbour Civil Defence

7.00pm Third Wednesday of the month.
Community Church Diamond Harbour
Contact: Wendy Coles 0211541434

Governors Bay Civil Defence

7.00pm Third Wednesday of the month.
Governors Bay Fire Station Contact
Contact: Ian Palmer 3299 160

Lyttelton Civil Defence

7.00pm Third Wednesday of the month.
Lyttelton Information Centre
Contact: Abbi

Lyttelton Harbour Business Association

Networking Meeting 9.30-10.30
Fat Tony's, 17 London St
More Info call 021 027 05450

Lyttelton Lions

7.30pm Second Tuesday Each Month
Lyttelton Community House
Contact: Mary 03 328 8523

Lyttelton Museum Historical Society

Contact Liza Rossie 021 211 0832

Lyttelton Netball Club

Contact Flo McGregor flomac@xtra.co.nz

Lyttelton Rugby Club

For details visit the club Facebook Page or contact
the club's Rugby Manager
Nathan.mauger@gmail.com 021 111 6069

Little Ship Club Canterbury

We meet on the 3rd Thursday of the month usually
at Naval Point Club Lyttelton from 7.00pm. The club
has regular guest speakers and undertakes a large
range of activities that increase the knowledge and
skills and enjoyment of its members and for the
benefit of yachting generally. All welcome
www.littleshipclubcanterbury.wordpress.com

Lyttelton Time Bank

10-4pm Tuesday to Friday. 20 Oxford St Lyttelton
328 9093 www.lyttelton.net.nz/timebank

Lyttelton Toy Library

Located at the Lyttelton Rec Centre Squash Court
25 Winchester St. Open each fortnight on Saturday
morning 10-12 noon. For more information
see Facebook Lyttelton Toy Library or email
lytteltontoylibrary@gmail.com or call Helen 021 075
4826

Naval Point Old Salts Lunch

The Old Salts Lunch is being held on the 2nd
Tuesday of every 2nd month with the next one being
held next Tuesday, 10th February starting @ 12:00
with 2 course lunch commencing @ 12:45.
Contact Barry Bowater 329 4828 or 0272743520

Narcotics Anonymous Lyttelton Meeting

6:30 Monday Community House. 5 Dublin St.
www.nzna.org

St Joseph the Worker R.C.Church

5.30pm Mass 3rd Sunday of the month. Parish House
21 Exeter Street Lyttelton. Ph: 384 1600

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PLACES TO STAY

B@B Settlers Retreat 153 Governors Bay Road	021 186 3220 021 144 2979	thackergj@slingshot.co.nz Hosts: John and Gaynor Thacker
Black Kiwi Apartment, Reserve Terrace, Lyttelton	022 0541954	blackkiwibnb@gmail.com Host: Sasha
Dockside Accommodation 22 Sumner Road, Lyttelton	021 152 3083	lytteltonaccommodation.co.nz
Governors Bay Bed and Breakfast Governors Bay Road, Governors Bay	03 329 9727	gbbedandbreakfast.co.nz Host: Eva
Governors Bay Hotel 52 Main Road, Governors Bay	03 329 9433 021 611 820	governorsbayhotel.co.nz Host: Jeremy and Clare
Harbour Lodge 1 Selwyn Road, Lyttelton	027 242 7886	info@harbourlodge.co.nz www.harbourlodge.co.nz
Il Sogno Bed & Breakfast 58 Koromiko Crescent Church Bay		ilsogno@snap.net.nz Host: Graeme and Angela
Little River Camping Ground 287 Okuti Valley, Little River	03 325 1014 021 611 820	littlerivercampground.co.nz Host: Marcus
Orton Bradley Park Camper Van Stay Marine Drive, Charteris Bay	03 329 4730	ortonbradley.co.nz Host: Ian
The Rookery 9 Ross Terrace, Lyttelton	03 328 8038	therookery.co.nz Host: Rene and Angus

EAT, DRINK, DINE

Roots Restaurant 8 London Street, Lyttelton	03 328 7658	rootsrestaurant.co.nz Meet: Giulio and Christy
Lyttelton Top Club 21 Dublin Street, Lyttelton	03 328 8740	www.lytteltontopclub.co.nz

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THINGS TO DO

Black Cat Cruises | Quail Island Adventure 03 328 9078 blackcat.co.nz
B-Jetty, Lyttelton Wharf [Below Oxford Street] 0800 436 574

Christchurch Gondola 03 384 0310 welcomeaboard.co.nz
10 Bridle path Road, Heathcote valley

International Antarctic Centre 0508 736 4846 iceberg.co.nz
38 Orchard Road, Christchurch Airport

Jack Tar Sailing 03 389 9259 jacktarsailing.co.nz
Dampier Bay Marina, Lyttelton 027 435 5239 Skipper: Mike Rossouw

Orton Bradley Park 03 329 4730 ortonbradley.co.nz
Marine Drive, Charteris Bay

Naval Point Club 03 328 7029 www.navalpoint.co.nz
Our Ocean Water Sports Club 027 379 9212

LOCAL EXPORTS

Lyttelsoft 03 328 8671 lyttelsoft.co.nz
Specialising in Accounting Software Meet: Penny Mercer

Real Homes New Zealand Limited 03 390 3393 realhomes.co.nz
PO Box 94, Lyttelton 021 224 6637 Real Estate Agent: Lynnette Baird

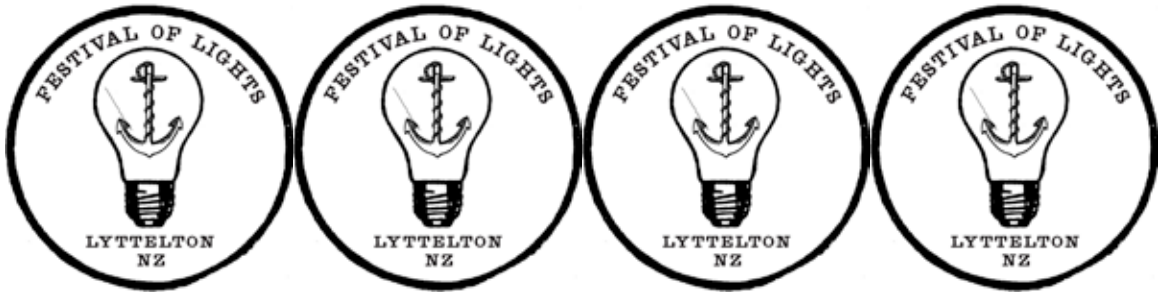
Saunders & Co 03 940 2435 saunders.co.nz
1063 Ferry Road, Ferrymead 022 133 6963

Furnishscene 03 977 4630 furnishscene.co.nz
Specialising in curtains, blinds, shutters, interior design and color consultancy. Meet Laura, Karen and Bridget

Peter O'Brien Plastering Limited 384 2574 pmobrien@snap.net.nz
153 Port Hills Road. 027 221 4066

HEALTH, BEAUTY, FITNESS

Christchurch Yoga Christchurchyoga.co.nz
Scout Den, Charlotte Quay, Lyttelton 021 071 0336 Instructor: Rebecca Boot



FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS STREET PARTY - 23RD JUNE SAVE THE DATE!

We'd love to hear from you:

- If you are an artist who would like to submit an expression of interest to exhibit a light art installation.
- If you would like to run an event in the Festival, or be a tutor in our second Creative Sampler (17th June)
- If you would like to be a stall holder...
- If you think you can help us to make our parade even bigger and better this year!!
- If you would like to light up your house and gardens!!



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