

# “ Lyttelton harbour review ”

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## An Opportunity Awaits

On the Road with St John

Wanting a career where each day is different to the next? Do you like people, driving, and have a desire to learn about first aid and have the possibility to turn your volunteer hobby into a real job? On top of that do you want to be of service to your local community?

As part of Lyttelton's community emergency plan it's been identified that we need more local people who can become volunteer helpers at St John. Currently the St John team in Lyttelton has very few locally sourced people. Most people either paid or volunteer are residents of greater Christchurch. This means that in an emergency many of these people are likely not to be in Lyttelton if we have an emergency situation.

Pete Dawson the local St John's leader has been actively trying to raise awareness of this issue. As many of you will have read St John's provided free First Aid Certificates to many Harbour Basin residents. In addition he invited the Lyttelton Review to spend a night on board the ambulance just to see what a typical night on the job is like and to find out more about the people both paid and volunteer on the shift.

Mike Capon is our leader for the evening. Originally from Lyttelton he now resides in Heathcote. He's a highly qualified paramedic who started his career with St John as a teenager, just a wee while ago! After volunteering for a time, in 1996 there was an internal vacancy at St John, he applied, was successful and now he is one of 2500 paid staff. With us for the evening is Liz McLennan a volunteer. She's been a part of the Lyttelton station for years but believe it or not she travels from Kaiapoi each shift. During the day she's a pre school teacher and then does one night shift a week for the Station.

Our evening starts at 6pm and I'm the observer. Just being in the back of the vehicle is quite an experience. The \$30,000 defibrillator is strapped in along with all the other bits and pieces the team might need for the night. It's quite roomy and I get into the rhythm quite quickly. As I'm soon to learn the night is a series of call outs and then series of waits at various locations around the town. I feel like I'm part of some underground movement that seeks out safe house locations all around the city. Turns out to optimise ambulance waiting times after you do a job the team are directed to bases to optimise ambulance response times. We spend down time in Addington, Bealey Ave 24 hour, Redwood and Disraeli Street.

Images: Mike Capon with the Ambulance and St John Volunteer Liz McLennan.



# On the Road with St John [continued]

Our first call is possible Anaphylactic shock in Heathcote. We race from Addington to Heathcote sirens blaring and heart racing to the household. Things are naturally tense on arrival. The team transport the mother and child to the hospital and it seems all will be well. I get a tour of the emergency department. Nothing like I imagined, seems very ordered and calm.

Next trip is out to Waltham. A 77 year old lady has fallen while trying to stand on a chair to reach something. She's being well looked after by her neighbours but looks like she's broken her arm and has a rather big bruise on her forehead. During all of this she's quite jovial and keeps us all laughing with her wry sense of humour.

The midnight trip is the most tense for the evening. A very fast trip to New Brighton over quake ravaged roads. I feel like I'm about to take off, as we jolt over bumps and goodness knows what as we make our way to the property. We arrive to a darkened home. It feels quite unnerving to enter the home and then try and find where the person is. You just aren't quite sure what awaits you. An unconscious woman is found in the bedroom. She's overdosed on pills. The team work hard to bring her around. Thanks fully she's still alive. As she goes between an unconscious and conscious state she keeps wanting her banana! Mike gives her an IV instead! Funny what's on people's minds when they are in a crisis. We all have a bit of a chuckle. She arrives at the emergency department and the team believe she'll be OK. Mike and Liz have done a great job reviving her.

The ugly side of the evening starts after 1.30pm. Two call outs to the north side of town where a teenage party has got out of hand. Someone's been stabbed in the finger, that turns out to be quite minor, another person has then had a glass smashed over her wrist. She's taken back to the hospital for further observation. Then there's the guy who's passed out on the street. He comes around and Mike walks him home to make sure he's safe for the rest of the evening.

The night seems like a true. lucky dip, a bit of this and that. Amazingly it's not that hard staying awake most of the night. While on a job the adrenaline kicks in and you seem wide awake, it's the down time that's the hardest. We slink back to Lyttelton just after 6am. It's been a good night out and I now have a greater appreciation of the job St John does. Hats off to Mike and Liz, working night shift with families and full time jobs can't be easy but they seem to manage it quite well.

If you'd like to become part of the Lyttelton Station team the first step is doing your first aid certificate and then you'll progress on a series of courses. All of your training, uniform etc are part of the job and are provided free by St John. Volunteers are expected to do training every two weeks on a Thursday plus commit to a minimum of three shifts per month. Most of your training can be done in Lyttelton so that makes things easier. If you are under 18 you might like to join the Youth Division. If you are interested you should contact: Pete Dawson Phone: 021-334381 or email [pete@fishcon.net](mailto:pete@fishcon.net)

Article: Wendy Everingham, Lyttelton Harbour Information Centre

## Calling All Local Artists and Crafts People

Want an opportunity to be innovative and expose your work for the benefit of your community? The Council has funding for a transitional project to get people thinking about how they would like Lyttelton's new civic square site at 44 London Street to be designed and utilised [this project will complement other community consultation regarding the new civic square's final design].

It wants you, either individually or collectively, to create and trial the possible future design of street furniture, play equipment, public artwork, lighting, etc, and in a manner that is uniquely Lyttelton. The chosen trial design/s will complement the existing informal use of the new civic square site until permanent construction begins and could be relocated elsewhere within Lyttelton in future if not incorporated into the permanent design of the new civic square.

The deadline for the Council's Request for Proposals is 31 January 2013. Please contact Dennis Preston, Phone 03 941 8728 or email [dennis.preston@ccc.govt.nz](mailto:dennis.preston@ccc.govt.nz) for further information and/or a copy of the Request for Proposals. As of 17 December 2012, the Request for Proposals will also be accessible: online at <http://www.ccc.govt.nz/thecouncil/policiesreportsstrategies/SuburbsRejuvenationProgramme/LytteltonWorkProgramme.aspx>; or from the Lyttelton Library or the Lyttelton Service Centre [now at 15 London Street].

Article: Christchurch City Council, with thanks

# Lyttelton Urban Downhill Update

We would like to thank Andrew Turner and the "The Lyttelton Harbour Business Association" for their interest in the March 16 Lyttelton Urban Down Hill Event.

We have already had two offers from businesses in Lyttelton to help feed and water our wonderful volunteer builders who will help build the many ramps and features necessary to make the 2013 course a success. We are always looking for help with baking and feeding Builders on Friday and Saturday morning. Other helpful offers of on site storage near the course is greatly appreciated. The Builders have a very busy morning on Sat to get everything in place by 1pm.

This year the CCC has requested us to put in for a road closure of the same course as last year. The schedule below includes the time frames we have worked out with the Head Traffic Engineer at CCC and our Traffic Management NZ consultant.

On Friday, any features will be coned and cars will be directed around these features, (some containers will be on one side of the road.) We will take extra care not to block access for any driveways along the route. We apologise to the lady on Winchester St. who was blocked by the Stark Trailer last year.

Saturday 10 am -11am Traffic Management NZ team will begin to put out "road closed signs" along Upper Jackson Rd , Dublin and Winchester St . Residents may wish to move cars to other open roads at this time.

Saturday from 11am TMNZ will let us know when they have completed the road closure signage, and hand over the road to our builders who will work like crazy to get their structures in place.

1pm -2pm	*2pm 3:30 pm	*3:30-4:00	*4pm-5:15pm	*5:20 -5:55pm	*5:55pm -6:30
Course Open Walk through by riders vans on duty.	Official Practice on Bikes.	Break in Riding	timed (two) seeding runs for riders	Top 30 riders announced for Final – Break	Final for the top 5 female and top 30 riders of the 2013 Urban Down Hill

\* These time may vary slightly due to unforeseen occurrences over the course of the day, event official equipped with a radio will have updates.

We apologise in advance for this inconvenience, our aim is for a smooth running event which minimises risk for riders and spectators. We realise parking pressure will increase as the day progresses and we are working on finding parking to direct visitors to. The Parking job is a great fund raiser for groups who wish to be involved in the early part of the day. We will also encourage the public to take the bus to Lyttelton.

Article: Andrea Murray, Huxster Mountain Bike Trust (Non Profit )

## Project Lyttelton Thanks Harbour Union Collective

On behalf of Project Lyttelton and the wider Lyttelton community I am writing to say a huge thank you for your generous donation. The donation of \$1000 has enabled us to purchase a PA system that will be used every Saturday at the Lyttelton Farmers Market and on numerous other occasions throughout the year. We can finally offer musicians a decent sound system to play at the market on and are able to provide great quality sound for market visitors.

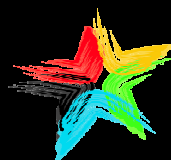
Already the system is booked to be used to put on the Christmas Eve Concert that is taking place next week on the Petanque. We are keen to spread the word to other local community groups that we have a sound system and that it can be booked for their use through the Project Lyttelton office. What a great asset and gift you have given the Lyttelton Community – from all of us a heartfelt and sincere thank you!

Wishing those who contributed to the fantastic Harbour Union album a very happy festive season and best wishes for the New Year.

Article: Project Lyttelton Letter, 19 December 2012

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# about the lyttelton harbour review

Lyttelton Harbour Review is a community newsletter initiative developed by local Professionals real estate agent Lynnette Baird and Lyttelton Harbour Information Centre chairperson Wendy Everingham. 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. Each week readers can read about community groups; businesses; events; and everything in between. If you have an event, topic, cause, or other, that you would like to share with the harbour community, then we would love to hear from you. Be heard, be seen, be informed - read it or offer it here.

## Italian Cooking Classes

Lyttelton West School

17th January strozaprete (a regional pasta) with zucchini and prawn sauce

24th January tagliatella with bolognese sauce

For more information or to register contact Francesca 021 08181217 [roncifrancesca@gmail.com](mailto:roncifrancesca@gmail.com)

## Ground

Happy New Year! We hope you had a restful holiday period full of good food, friends and family. It has been a long time since we sent out some news to you. For us, 2012 was another year of trying to adjust to post-quake Lyttelton and post-quake Ground. We are still without "permanent" premises, but are also still enjoying working out of the Naval Point Club over the water. Of course we are also still selling spice blends, humus, pesto, gourmet pies and lots of other goodies at the Lyttelton Farmers' Market every Saturday morning.

Jenny has begun a couple of food writing exploits in 2012. She regularly writes for the Zest section of the Christchurch Press. The column is called Epicurious, as it is a Q&A format for all things culinary. So if you are curious about anything epicurian, then send in your questions for Jenny to answer. She also now has her own website/blog for recipes, food news and ideas. Check out [www.jennygaring.co.nz](http://www.jennygaring.co.nz). This doesn't mean that Ground has been sidelined. In fact we have finally got around to re-vamping the Ground website to catch it up with post-quake developments. A big thanks to Graeme at Frog Web Works for his patience. So check out the new look [www.ground.co.nz](http://www.ground.co.nz). You can order your spice blends here if you can't make it to the Farmers' Market.

At both sites you can find out the latest information about this year's cooking classes. They are still the fun and social format of a "global dinner class", following a different theme each class and including a full 4-course meal with matching wines. Still great value at \$75 per head.

26th February 2013

Summer Starters, Entrees and Salads

12th March 2013

Delights of Turkey

23rd April 2013

Moroccan & Tunisian Food

Email us to book a place: [info@ground.co.nz](mailto:info@ground.co.nz)

## Roots Restaurant Update

Happy New Year and hope that you are all enjoying the beautiful summer. Roots Restaurant has now been open for 6 weeks!

Our current hours are: Dinner from 5:30pm Tuesday to Saturday (Reservations are essential)  
Lunch: Thursday and Friday from 12pm

We are also available for private party bookings: birthdays, weddings, etc. for any day. At the moment dinner has been working as a degustation where you choose between 5, 7, or 10 courses. There is an option to have your courses paired with wines or you can drink whatever you like from our drinks menu. Roots lunch varies from tapas to lunch menu. Our menu changes daily based on what we grow in our garden and find from local gardens and farms. With the warm weather many diners have been enjoying their meal in the garden, and we look forward to you joining us soon.

## The River Jesters Summer Tour 2013

Wunderbar: Thursday January 17 2013

Doors open: 9:00 pm

Gig starts: 9.30pm

Entry: R18

Tickets: \$5.00

The River Jesters are a psychedelic folk & blues duo from Dunedin. The band is touring New Zealand in support of their brand new album "Really Bad Apples" and has announced dates for the 1st leg [South Island], with support from Sebastian Warren! Albums will be available at all the shows for \$15, coming with a free kiss from whichever band member you so desire...

# contact the lyttelton harbour review

The team at the Lyttelton Harbour Review would love to spread the word about your community group, fundraising efforts, local heroes, business promotions, events and anything else that the local community would like to share. Phone, Email, or Post: Lyttelton Harbour Review, PO Box 94, Lyttelton 8841. **Deadline for any content: Thursday before Monday publication date.**

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## Bill Morris Live

Wunderbar: Saturday January 19 2013

Doors open: 9:00 pm  
Gig starts: 9.30pm  
Entry: All Ages  
Tickets: \$  
Website: [www.billmorris.co.nz](http://www.billmorris.co.nz)

Bill Morris and the Mark IV's come roaring out of Dunedin, running souped-up folk music on four cylinders, with AM radio on the dial and the windows down for air conditioning. The Mark IV's sound is built on the gritty realism of Bill Morris' song writing and a stomping groove generated by a crack band of players including Jason Horner (guitar) Hana Fahy (keys and vocals), Robin Cederman (keys) Chris Butchard (drums) and Daniel Potter (bass).

This is New Zealand folk music run through the grinder of punk and country to create something unique; a hard-rocking, story-telling beast of a band with its roots in the South Island dirt. Bill Morris' debut album, "Mud" was recorded in 2012 by Thomas Bell and features Robert Scott (The Clean), Rob Falconer (Shifting Sands), John Egenes and a host of other prominent Dunedin musicians.

Also featuring: Tahu and The Takahas & Hana Fahy

Rising from the sodden ground to fill your brains with swampy soul and blues: it's Tahu and the Takahas! Dunedin singer/songwriter, native bird wrangler and mad scientist Tahu Mackenzie stitched this band together from dismembered parts and now it shuffles across the land in search of human hearts to feast upon; a peaty stew of country and blues with a touch of psychedelic zombie love for good measure. You can run but you can't hide!"

## Don Burnham And The Fern Frond Boogie Boys

Lyttelton Club: Thursday January 31 2013

Doors open: 7:00 pm  
Gig starts: 7.30  
Entry: R18  
Tickets: \$10.00

Don Burnham and the Fern Frond Boogie Boys tour Aotearoa in 2013, bringing their contemporary and classic Western Swing songs and tunes to New Zealand audiences. Burnham is an inductee in the Western Swing Hall of Fame, and with his Kiwi wife Sarah Duckworth, vocals, plus ace musos Scott Lawrence, piano, and Jon 'Doc' Stein, steel guitar, the band will swing around New Zealand, featuring Don's song/ode to Aotearoa - the Fern Frond Boogie.

Best known as founder and leader of the all-star Lost Weekend Western Swing Band (since 1985) [www.lostweekend.ws](http://www.lostweekend.ws). Burnham has 3 CDs to his credit with Lost Weekend; his latest CD 'I Dreamed Count Basie Was A Cowboy' charted in the top 5 Western Swing albums of 2011-2012.

## Naval Point News: Half the Season to Go

At this time of year national Championships and major regattas are high on the priority list. Naval Point is hosting two national events this year. - the A Class catamaran NZ champs starting on Mon 21 Jan and the R Class Leander Trophy starting Sunday 3 February. The R Class event concludes with their spectacular Super Cup series on Wed Feb 6 in conjunction with the Club Open Day.

The keelboat fraternity has been ranging far and wide over the holiday break although the best weather seems to have been here at home. Those visiting the Marlborough area didn't get their usual pleasant conditions.

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The Lyttelton Harbour Review is published every Monday and can be delivered straight to your email inbox. Just send an email with the words "subscribe me" in the subject line, then sit back and wait for the next instalment of local news, events and reviews. If you do not have access to email, but would like read about our local events, Professional Real Estate print hard copies that are available from Thursdays at the Lyttelton Club; Samo Coffee, Fisherman's Wharf, Lyttelton Library and at the Lyttelton Harbour Information Centre on London Street. Or a copy can be delivered to your door, if you live in within the Lyttelton township: Contact Lynnette on 03 328 7707.

## Have You Heard of the Garbage Warrior?

He is Coming to Lyttelton Soon!

In case you don't know of him, he's Mike Reynolds, a very colourful American architect who built a house in the desert made from rubbish (tyres, empty cans, bottles, etc) and started a movement for resilience and sustainability and independence from expensive, wasteful systems. Then he made the film "Garbage Warrior", about his projects and his battles (hence "warrior") with bureaucracy and politicians – until they saw his remarkable achievements in disaster-struck places, and amended legal restrictions.

LIFT'S FILM EVENING MONDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> JANUARY WILL SCREEN 'GARBAGE WARRIOR' at 7.15 p.m. at the Portal, as usual, 54A Oxford St. (A trailer for this will be shown on Monday 14<sup>th</sup>, after the film "One Answer to Cancer") We shall also show a little of such action in New Zealand, as several people here were stimulated to follow his example.

LIFT'S FILM EVENING MONDAY 25<sup>th</sup> FEBRUARY, 7.15 p.m. at the Portal again. 'SUSTAINABLE SOLUTIONS' or 'EARTHSHIPS - NEW SOLUTIONS' (I'm not sure of the title) showing more on the building of sustainable housing in Mexico, providing solutions to today's most important issues like energy, water, food, shelter, sewage and recycling.

Come and see both of these films, so that you will be well prepared when Mike Reynolds, the Garbage Warrior himself, comes to Lyttelton.

SUNDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> MARCH AT THE NAVAL POINT CLUB Mike Reynolds will hold a seminar on his mission. It is bound to be stimulating! (details to be advised later – watch for posters round town, LIFT's newsletter and film evenings, Lyttelton Review)

Juliet at LIFT

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## Lyttelton Review: Graphics/Layout Person Needed

More than eighteen months ago Lynnette Baird from Professionals Real Estate created the Lyttelton Review. Since then, Lynnette has kindly donated approximately 12-15 hours every weekend to the design, construction, journalism and distribution of the Lyttelton Review. But there are so many more volunteer hours required in the marketing and promotional department within the Lyttelton Harbour Information Centre that Lynnette would like to see another member of the community become involved in the Lyttelton Review.

If you have time to donate to the Lyttelton Harbour community, each and every week, and have advanced MS Publisher skills, or graphic artist publication skills, then we would love to hear from you. Please note that this is a purely volunteer "work for free" position. Contact: Lynnette Baird 021 224 6637 or 03 328 7707 or [lynnette@realhomes.co.nz](mailto:lynnette@realhomes.co.nz)

## Community Resilience: Case Studies

Ministry of Civil Defence and Emergency Management has released a booklet entitled: Community Resilience: case studies from the Canterbury earthquakes. There are some great articles in this recently released booklet showing just how much communities did for themselves and those around them immediately after the quakes. These community groups and many others like them are to be celebrated for their response including: Exploring Resilience, The Grace Vineyard Church Response, The New Brighton Community Response Following the Canterbury Earthquake, Students vs. The Machine, Sumner Community Hub, Lyttelton's Grassroots Response, Challenging disaster management through Community Engagement, and Mobilising for Resilience: From Government to Governance.

Download Link: [www.civildefence.govt.nz/memwebsite.nsf/wpg\\_URL/For-the-CDEM-Sector-Publications-Tephra](http://www.civildefence.govt.nz/memwebsite.nsf/wpg_URL/For-the-CDEM-Sector-Publications-Tephra)

# c'mon get involved

Lyttelton is known for its culture of volunteer activity and community participation. If you have ever had the thought that you would like to be more involved in the local community, but you are not sure where to go, or who to talk to? Start by having a conversation with the team at the Lyttelton Harbour Information Centre, as they can give you some advice on the many types of great volunteer organisations here in Lyttelton. If you are passionate about elderly care, sustainability, youth culture, harbour activities, heritage, radio, business development, fundraising, or just about anything - then there is a group who would love for you to be involved!

## SCIRT: Works notice

Selwyn Road and Ross Terrace Retaining Walls

We will be starting reconstruction on two walls in Selwyn Road and Ross Terrace. Work will commence on Monday 14 January 2013 and continue until late April 2013. The work sites will be located between numbers 5 and 11 Selwyn Road and 1 and 6 Ross Terrace.

### Traffic Impacts:

The work will impact on traffic movements and traffic management will be in place. Be on the look out for changed traffic conditions and drive to the conditions. Selwyn Road (between numbers 5 and 11) and Ross Terrace (between numbers 1 and 6) will be closed during construction. During the period of the road closure where there is no vehicle access to properties, we will be asking residents to park their vehicles on the street outside the road closure area (shown in blue on the map). You will be able to safely enter your property on foot.

Article: SCIRT Works Notice | Press Release

## Looking for a House to Rent

Working couple (in science and in the Rebuild) + one elderly dog (also in Rebuild - site waste manager) are looking for a house in Lyttelton or through the tunnel if they have to. 2-3 bedrooms with a garage and /or lock up shed would be great! Call Serra 021 0295 6455 or [serra.kilduff@pur.govt.nz](mailto:serra.kilduff@pur.govt.nz)

## House Sitting or Short Term Rental Wanted

House sitting or rental wanted for 2 housetrained and house proud grandparents visiting from the UK. Any period of time would be great between the 5th February to 8th March this year. They are happy to look after pets/ plants etc. If you could help please call/ text Ruth 0212 593 086 or 328 8731. Thankyou.

## Fire Risk from Vacant Sections

Last week The Star newspaper raised the issue of now overgrown vacant sites and associated fire risk. A number of properties across the region have been left to nature with untended lawns and gardens rapidly becoming tinder dry, fuelling the danger of fast spreading fire.

City council principal rural fire officer Darrin Woods was reluctant to comment to The Star on the red zone danger as he was more concerned with rural hazards. But Mr Woods did comment that the regular strong winds and high temperatures "elevated the risk" and unkempt "rank grass" could allow fire to spread quickly.

Mr Woods said the best thing residents could do was to maintain their own property. "Mowing and watering lawns and keeping bark chip areas wet, should be adequate to prevent fires spreading from property to property" he said.

A Canterbury Earthquake Recovery Authority spokeswoman said the authority was aware of the "issue of overgrown vegetation on properties". CERA was "actively mowing high profile areas" and mowing about 200 sites a week. We are liaising with the city council and the Fire Service who are happy with our approach," she said.

Article: [www.christchurchstar.co.nz/news/fire-fear-in-eastern-red-zone/1710669/](http://www.christchurchstar.co.nz/news/fire-fear-in-eastern-red-zone/1710669/)

**World Buskers Festival 17-27 January**  
**[www.worldbuskersfestival.com](http://www.worldbuskersfestival.com)**

# plenty to share

In Lyttelton so many residents grow vegetables; or have fruit trees literally dripping with produce. Plenty to Share is about sharing any excess produce with the community. So if your lemon tree is yellow with goodness and you can't keep up with making lemon curd or drinking enough gin and tonics, bring those surplus fruits down to the organisers, where every Saturday the swapping of produce is well underway. If there is something on the Plenty to Share table that you would like to take home, then you are warmly invited to do so. You will find Plenty to Share on the corner of London Street and Canterbury Street.

## Peninsula to Plate

Little River Saturday 19 January

In its second year, the Peninsula 2 Plate competition and Banks Peninsula Farms Produce Marquee returns to the Banks Peninsula A&P Show, whisking together the natural beauty and rural history of the Banks Peninsula with a dash of gourmet local food culture. Cooking and butchery demonstrations, gourmet food, prime lamb competition...a food lover's delight!

The event promotes the range of amazing food produced right on Christchurch's doorstep. In particular, it aims to give the local farmers feedback about their lamb that they wouldn't normally get and get consumers thinking about where their meat comes from and about the power they have to source quality, local product.

The Banks Peninsula Farms Produce Marquee is fully covered with plenty of seating so it should be a comfortable venue regardless of weather. There are two major components: a number of local producers selling their wares which include beautiful preserves, award winning extra virgin olive oil, fresh summer berries, spray free hazelnuts, fresh and smoked salmon and the list goes on!

When: Saturday 19 January, 12.30pm to 5.00pm

Where: Awa-Iti Domain, Western Valley Road, Little River

Tickets: Available at the Gate, Adult \$8.00, Children Free

## Canterbury Buoys Get Revamped

Environment Canterbury's Recreational Boating Officer Evan Walker spent four days in December maintaining the navigation buoys around the Canterbury region in readiness for the summer boating season.

Mr Walker says buoys, along with signs, are an important way to give advice to the boating public. "They educate the public of the local and national boating safety rules. They mark speed limits (particularly where the 5 knot speed limit applies), ski lanes, and various reserved areas for example where no power boats are allowed" he says. "Maintenance involves lifting and cleaning the buoys and their moorings as well as replacing worn or corroded components annually. We monitor them regularly and fix the buoys if they have been moved, damaged or are heavily weeded" he says.

Mr Walker says there are 175 buoys to be maintained in total in the Canterbury region - 30 in Akaroa Harbour, 33 in Lyttelton Harbour, 82 in the Waitaki Lakes and another 30 in other areas. Buoys act an advisory to boaties when out on the water. Mr Walker says "there are also a number of buoys that act as a critical navigation safety marker (such as South Bay in Kāikoura) which tell boaties of dangerous rocks, and by colour, which side they should be passed, to avoid the danger. In some areas they are used as targets for those doing swim training."

Mr Walker says we get requests to put more buoys in and boaties find them useful, but it is an offence to interfere with the buoys or cut too close to them. They have wire or chain moorings so if boats go too close they will damage their propeller. Buoys are an important navigational device and are there to ensure boating safety for all. Maps which show reserved and restricted areas which are mostly marked by buoys can be found in the NavigationSafety Bylaws and can be accessed online at [can.govt.nz/publications/General/navigation-safety-bylaws-2010.pdf](http://can.govt.nz/publications/General/navigation-safety-bylaws-2010.pdf)

Alternatively, you can request a hard copy of the documents from Customer Services on 03 353 9007 or toll-free on 0800 32 4636. Environment Canterbury staff and boating safety officers will be out and about on the water throughout the season to educate boaties on the bylaws and promote public safety.

Article: Environment Canterbury | Press Release 11 January



# lyttelton market town

Saturday mornings are never dull in Lyttelton! Enjoy the local markets including the Lyttelton Farmers Market for fresh produce, meat, fish, eggs, honey and yummy baked goods. Head up to the Grassy Art and Craft Market for bargain items or unique art items from creative local artists. Also be sure to check out the Community Garage Sale located up the driveway behind the swimming pool. The Garage Sale is a fundraising activity for any Lyttelton community group; so if you're not buying, feel free to donate items instead.

## Spare Bricks for Project Lyttelton

Project Lyttelton have a new project at the Community Garden. If you have any spare bricks that you'd like to donate please contact the office 328 9243.

## CanCERN News

How could you and 40 people change the community of Christchurch? Generous sponsorship by international technology provider Tribal Group has enabled the University of Canterbury to give an opportunity for 40 students to study CHCH 101: rebuilding Christchurch- An introduction to Community Engagement in Tertiary Studies with a full tuition fee waiver.

To be eligible for the full tuition fee waiver award for this 15 point credit course, tell us what you could do with 40 students to make Canterbury Community better. Email ideas before Friday 18th January 2013. Award winners will be notified by 25 January and will be required to enrol before the 1 Feb. Ideas need to be emailed to Dr Billy O'Steen at [billy.osteen@canterbury.ac.nz](mailto:billy.osteen@canterbury.ac.nz).

## Network Waitangi Otautahi

*Water - A Commons or a Commodity? An evening with economist Suzi Kerr. Where? The Atrium in the Park - formerly called the ChCh Netball Centre, 455 Hagley Ave, South Hagley Park. When? 7.30pm Tuesday 26 February 2013.*

As we prepare for the outcome of the Canterbury Water Management Strategy we decided that we need to understand more fully the options for managing water now and in the future and have organised this evening with economist Suzi Kerr.

Suzi Kerr is currently a senior fellow at Motu Research and Education Foundation, a charitable trust established in 2000. The Trust aims to support and promote quality economic research that provides a stronger platform for better public policy decision making, and to ensure that such research work is published and disseminated for widespread public use. Suzi has a PhD in economics from Harvard University and has held other academic positions in both the USA and New Zealand.

Network Waitangi Otautahi has a commitment to providing opportunities for understanding the Treaty as a framework for the future - see [www.nwo.org.nz](http://www.nwo.org.nz). Do join us - everyone is welcome!

## CanCERN Helps to Give Back

You are invited to join us at this lunch time seminar. CanCERN, with the help of Arrow International and CERA, have worked out a way to save and obtain materials from residential red zone demolitions that are destined for the landfill and give them back to community groups and organizations who can make use of these items.

Groups will need to prove they have a project or worthy recipient at the time the request is made and the item will be obtained and made safely accessible in a short term storage facility. The contractors have said that pretty much anything is possible as long as it is easy to get at - need a new kitchen, new door, windows to turn into a funky greenhouse?

To truly make this work community groups and organizations can come along to understand the concept and purpose so we can reuse and recycle to the benefit of our communities.

Please note spaces are limited to fifty. Please bring your lunch. Coffee and tea provided.

Date: Tuesday, 5<sup>th</sup> February, 2013  
Time: 12:00pm – 1pm  
Location: Community and Public Health, 310 Manchester Street, Aoraki Room  
RSVP: Tuesday January 29<sup>th</sup>, 2013 – 5:00pm  
Email: [lee.tuki@cdhb.health.nz](mailto:lee.tuki@cdhb.health.nz)

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# LIVE AT THE POINT



- DEC 16 : THE EASTERN
- 30 : HANNAH HARDING & AL PARK
- JAN 06 : MIHO'S JAZZ ORCHESTRA
- 13 : DR. SANCHEZ
- 20 : MARLON WILLIAMS & DELANEY DAVIDSON
- 27 : RADIUS - JUSTINE & HARRY
- FEB 03 : DANNY WILSON & JOHN BEVAN
- 10 : TINY LIES AND FRIENDS
- 17 : DEVILISH MARY
- 24 : BLACK VELVET BAND

SPRIG.ORG.NZ (MORE INFO) WEATHER: If inclement, staged in Diamond Harbour Memorial Hall.

EVERY SUNDAY : GODLEY HOUSE  
DIAMOND HARBOUR : 1PM - 4PM

# 16 DEC : FEB 24

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The works of five  
**GREAT NZ  
SCULPTORS**  
bursting out of the  
coastal volcanic  
landscape.

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**OPEN TO PUBLIC: STODDART POINT  
DIAMOND HARBOUR: ALL-DAY**

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## Lyttelton Harbour

### **Community Garage Sale**

All donations of good used, or new, household items greatly accepted at Project Lyttelton 54a Oxford Street. Please do not donate items that cannot be sold, as this increases our costs trying to take unwanted items to the charity barn, or worse still the rubbish depot.

### **Governors Bay Pre-School Music**

Preschool music classes run on Thursday mornings during school term, 9:15 - 10am in the Governors Bay School library. Come and join us for singing, dancing and musical games. Cost \$3.50. All under 5s welcome, please bring a grown-up with you. Contact Mel Dixon 3299 908

### **Lyttelton Community Association**

New members welcome. As an issues based organisation, we do not hold regular meetings. If you would like to be advised of when the next meeting will be held, or have an issue to discuss, please email us at [LCAssn@vodafone.co.nz](mailto:LCAssn@vodafone.co.nz) or phone Ken Maynard 03 328 9553.

### **Lyttelton Community House**

Meals for the elderly continue to be prepared and delivered daily. If you know of any elderly residents who need this service, or would like to volunteer to assist, please contact Christine or Courtenay 03 741 1427.

### **Lyttelton Harbour Basin COMMUNITY Civil Defence**

New members welcome. Meet second Monday of every month, 7.00pm St Johns Ambulance Station, London Street. To become involved contact the Area Co-ordinator Julie Lee on 03 328 7779 or 027 739 1832.

### **Lyttelton Harbour Business Association**

For more details visit: [www.lytteltonharbour.co.nz](http://www.lytteltonharbour.co.nz)

### **Lyttelton Harbour Information Centre**

Monday to Friday 11.00am to 3.00pm; Saturday 10.00am to 1.00pm; Sunday 11.00am - 2.00pm.

### **Lyttelton Harbour/Whakaraupo Issues Group**

For details of the next meeting please contact Melanie Dixon 329 9908 or see our website: [www.ecan.govt.nz/lhwig](http://www.ecan.govt.nz/lhwig).

### **Lyttelton Lions**

Meet on the 2nd Tuesday of each month at Community House at 7.30pm. Anyone interested in becoming involved, or anyone who would like to learn more about this organisation, is most welcome. Contact Mary Jamieson 03 328 8523.

### **Lyttelton Historical Museum Society**

Lyttelton Museum committee is developing a concept plan for the re-building of Lyttelton Museum. Meetings held once a month. New members, donations or any other support is welcomed. Lyttelton Museum, PO Box 95, Lyttelton. 328 8972 [lytteltonmuseum@xtra.co.nz](mailto:lytteltonmuseum@xtra.co.nz)

### **Lyttelton Reserves Management Committee**

Reserves Committee meets on a regular basis to make decisions about the management of the reserves. It organises weed control and planting programmes that include public and schools planting days. To be involved email the group at [reserves@lyttelton.net.nz](mailto:reserves@lyttelton.net.nz).

### **Lyttelton Time Bank**

Either Bettina or Jen will be at the Lyttelton Harbour Information Centre every Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday 9.00am to 11.00am. Phone: 021 806 406 or email the team at [timebank@lyttelton.net.nz](mailto:timebank@lyttelton.net.nz)

### **Lyttelton Toy Library**

Now at 25 Canterbury Street. Sessions every second Saturday 10.00am to 12noon. Range of 500+ toys for children aged 0-5 years. Toys large and small, ride-ons, puzzles, games and dress-ups to borrow. Join anytime \$42.00 per year. Toy Librarian: Roz Jenkins 328 8552.

### **Lyttelton Volunteer Fire Brigade**

Meets for training and maintenance every Thursday night from 7.00pm at the temporary station in the Lyttelton Port Company admin building car park, 56 Norwich Quay. If you are interested in joining, then pop on in. Russ Barron, Brigade Secretary.

### **Lyttelton Youth Centre**

Youth Centre/Community House, 7 Dublin Street, Lyttelton. Contact Christine 03 741 1427 for further details.

### **Plunket Playgroup**

The Plunket Playgroup can be found at Lyttelton Main School, every Monday and Wednesday, 10.00am to 12noon. 50 cents donation and everyone is welcome. Contact Lisa York-Jones 03 328 8918 for more information.

### **Project Lyttelton**

The Portal, 54a Oxford Street, Lyttelton [located behind the Swimming Pool]. Office 03 328 9243.

### **Volcano Radio**

Currently - Off Air. Fundraising t-shirts available from Portico, 48 London Street.

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## Lyttelton

Abbraccia Bellydance	41 Voelas Road [West School]	03 328 8883	Paige 021 999 848
Acupuncture Therapy	18 Oxford Street	03 328 9053	Robin Kerr
Alexander Technique	Private Address	03 328 8968	Belinda Walker
Alterations and Ironing Service	Oxford Street	Private No.	Wendy De Backer 021 0288 1466
Bank of New Zealand	56 London Street	0800 80 04 68	Trish, Kelly, Donna
Banks Peninsula Accounting	PO Box 83, Lyttelton	03 328 7231	Chris 021 280 0086
Beauty by Carly	Private Address	Private No.	Carly 021 294 5676
Bells Pharmacy	50 London Street	03 328 8314	
Body Kinetics - Gym   Fitness	Oxford Street	03 328 7002	Jen 027 204 1224
Choice Take Home Dinners	20 London Street	03 328 8784	Available 5.00 - 6.00pm
Christchurch Council Service Centre	15 London Street	03 941 8999	Debbie/Patricia
Christchurch Yoga	Private Address	03 328 8889	Rebecca 021 071 0336
Coastal Living / Picture Framers	34 London Street	03 328 7350	
Coffee Culture	18 London Street	03 328 7080	
Dandy Designs - Web Business Develop	Private Address	03 328 8646	dana@dandydesigns.co.nz
Diamond Harbour Ferry	B Jetty, Lyttelton Wharf	03 328 9078	
Dockside Apartments	22 Sumner Road	03 325 5707	Grant / Kathy
Everest Indian Restaurant	2 London Street	03 328 8185	Parminder Singh
Fishermans Wharf	39 Norwich Quay	03 328 7530	
Freemans Restaurant	47 London Street	03 328 7517	
Frog Web Works	14 Winchester Street	Private No.	Graeme 027 473 5018
Four Seas Restaurant	23 Dublin Street	03 328 8740	
Ground   Gourmet Foods, Catering	Lyttelton Farmers Market	Private No.	Jenny 022 476 8633
Harbour Co-Op	12 London Street	03 328 8544	
Hands on Health   Nutrition Massage	Private Address	Private No.	Rebecca 027 494 6349
Himalaya Design	20 London Street	03 328 7600	Wed-Sun 10.00am - 4.00pm
Home Based Child Care	Private Address	03 328 7217	Marcia 021 236 1682
Irish Pub	17a London Street	03 328 8085	Ross, Janet, Roger and Sandy
Jack Tar Sailing	West Side, No.7 Wharf	03 389 9259	Mike Rossouw
Land Arch Landscape Architects	13 Exeter Street	03 328 8882	<a href="mailto:dan@landarch.co.nz">dan@landarch.co.nz</a>
London Fish and Chips	34 London Street	03 328 8819	
London Street Books	48 London Street	03 328 8088	Thurs-Sun
London Street Dairy	34 London Street	03 328 7358	Open 7 Days
Leslies Bookshop	18 Oxford Street	03 328 8292	
Lyttel Beauty	32 Voelas Road	03 328 7093	<a href="http://www.lyttelbeauty.co.nz">www.lyttelbeauty.co.nz</a>
Lyttelton Bakery	6 Norwich Quay	03 328 9004	
Lyttelton Builders Limited - Office and Yard	16 Canterbury Street	03 328 9305	Peter Tocker 021 862 537
Lyttelton Harbour Information Centre	65 London Street	03 328 9093	
Lyttelton Library	35 London Street	03 941 7923	
Lyttelton Health Centre	18 Oxford Street	03 328 7309	
Lyttelton Physiotherapy	18 Oxford Street	03 328 8111	
Lyttelton Recreation Centre	25 Winchester Street	03 941 5656	
Lyttelton Sea Foods	6 Norwich Quay	03 328 7628	
Lyttelton Service Station	1 Canterbury Street	03 328 8749	
Lyttelton Shuttle	Airport, Tours, Anywhere	Private No.	Linda 021 254 4986

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## Lyttelton [continued]

Lyttelton 'Top' Club	23 Dublin Street	03 328 8740	
Mac Todd Solicitors	50 London Street	03 328 9992	Ray Blake 021 43 66 50
Maid of Ink	31 London Street	03 328 9263	Basement Level
Min Sarginson Real Estate	53 London Street	03 328 7273	Min Sarginson 027 432 0327
Mondo Vino	42 Norwich Quay	03 328 7744	
Orbit Architecture	5 Norwich Quay	03 328 9294	Neil Aitken 021 155 5601
PedalOn Bicycle Service	2 Exeter Street	03 328 9246	021 055 6865
Port Electric	Private Address	03 328 8099	Ken 021 117 6848
Port Hills Auto Centre	42a Norwich Quay	03 328 9980	
Porthole Bar	40 London Street	Private No.	Mike 021 328 977 [Tue-Sun]
Portico	48 London Street	03 328 8088	Tue-Sun 10am - 4pm
Professionals Real Estate	36 London Street	03 328 7707	Lynnette 021 224 6637
Project Lyttelton Office	54a Oxford Street	03 328 9243	Sue-Ellen
Pynenburg and Collins   Architects	PO Box 80, Lyttelton	Private No.	Simon 021 163 7193
Ray White Real Estate	47 London Street	03 331 6757	Marie   Daisy
Roots	Private Address	Private No.	Christy   Guilio 021 120 8083
Rossouw Window Cleaning	Private Address	03 389 9259	Mike 0274 355 239
SAMO Coffee	3 Canterbury Street	Private No.	Open 7 Days
Sno Clothes and Milly May	8a London Street	03 328 8584	Heather
Special Branch NZ   Arborist	Private Address	Private No.	Tim 022 091 9202
Storm Hairdressing	34 London Street	03 328 8859	Sally   Kat
Tailored Portraits   Photography	Cressy Terrace	03 328 7122	Gillian Taylor 021 047 4415
Thea Mickell Services Ltd   Fundraising	Private Address	03 384 7547	Thea 027 607 7282
The Mindful Body	Private Address	03 328 9923	Janet 027 368 6515
The Rookery	Ross Terrace	03 328 8038	Angus   Rene
Time to Resolve   Mediation Service	Private Address	03 328 8219	Chantal 022 618 8532
View Hairdressing	Private Address	Private No.	Megan 027 488 5173
Volcano Radio	Private Address	03 328 8566	
World Organics Skincare	Private Address	03 328 7446	Nicki 027 423 9455

## Diamond Harbour

Bronwen Jones- Writing and PR Services	Rawhiti Street	03 329 4303	<a href="http://www.bronwen-jones.com">www.bronwen-jones.com</a>
Chalfont Cafe   D.Harbour Country Store	2 Waipapa Avenue	03 329 4854	Open 7 Days till 5.30pm
Diamond Harbour Ferry	Waipapa Avenue	03 328 9078	
Diamond Harbour Medical Centre	2a Waipapa Avenue	03 329 4402	
Godley House Cafe	2e Waipapa Avenue	03 329 4880	<a href="http://www.godleyhouse.co.nz">www.godleyhouse.co.nz</a>
Orton Bradley Park	Marine Drive	03 329 4730	
Snowdrop Cottage Children's Store	Waipapa Avenue	03 329 4464	Open 7 Days 9.00am - 5.00pm
Shunyata Retreat   Day Spa	10 Rawhiti Street	03 329 4773	Contact Paru
Thrive: Chiropractic, Acupuncture, Nutrition	Private Address	03 329 3254	Mark and Lou Warren

## Governors Bay

At Home Childcare Limited	18 Bay Heights	03 329 9970	Neave Ross-Wallace
Governors Bay Hotel	52 Main Road	03 329 9433	
She Chocolat	79 Main Road	03 329 9825	
Living Springs	Bamfords Road	03 329 9788	

# “accommodation”

places to stay around the harbour

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## Lyttelton

- **Canterbury Street Apartment.** Fully renovated one bedroom apartment ideal for short term or holiday stay accommodation. Completely self contained with separate living space, kitchenette, bedroom and bathroom. Spread over two floors this furnished apartment will feel like a home away from home. Tariff from \$120 per night. Phone Gloria 03 328 7065 or mobile 022 073 0014.
- **Dockside Apartments.** Three private apartments enjoying harbour views and available for casual holiday or short term occupancy. Scenic and close to London Street, an ideal option for friends or family. Options range from studio; one bedroom or two bedroom apartment. Tariff from \$90 - \$120 per night. Phone Grant or Kathy 03 325 5707 or view more details online [www.dockside.co.nz](http://www.dockside.co.nz).
- **No.1 Apartment.** Warm two bedroom apartment with magnificent harbour views available for holiday or short term accommodation. Undercover parking. Tariff \$120 per night with minimum three night stay. Longer rates available on enquiry. Phone Linda 03 328 9128 or 021 254 4986.
- **Randolph Apartment.** Private two bedroom modern apartment with superb views across Lyttelton available for holiday or short term accommodation. Apartment features private spa, off street parking and all the mod-cons including WIFI. Tariff from \$120.00 per day, with minimum three night stay. Longer term rates available. Phone Heather 03 328 8585 or 03 328 8584.
- **The Rookery.** Built in 1866 The Rookery Bed and Breakfast is one of the oldest surviving local cottages, with wonderful panoramic views of the historic port town of Lyttelton. Three renovated rooms are available; one with ensuite facilities. Tariff from \$115 - \$160 per night. Phone Angus or Rene Macpherson on 03 328 8038 or view more details on line [www.therookery.co.nz](http://www.therookery.co.nz).

## Diamond Harbour

- **Diamond Harbour Lodge** is the place to relax, enjoy and unwind. Harbour sea views, spacious rooms, TV/DVD, CD player, large selection of books, games, free wireless internet, fridge, microwave, under floor heating in bathroom, heated towel rail, linden leaves toiletries, towelling bath robes. Robyn and Pete Hedges 3 329 4005 or visit [www.diamondharbourlodge.co.nz](http://www.diamondharbourlodge.co.nz)
- **Manaaki Eco Farmstay Purau** offers self contained ensuite accommodation. One or two bedrooms with spacious fully equipped kitchen/living in a beautiful rural setting overlooking Purau Bay. Holiday (min 2 nights) or longer term rates available. Contact Wendy ph 329 3202 or view us online [www.ecofarmstaypurau.co.nz](http://www.ecofarmstaypurau.co.nz)
- **Mt Evans Bed and Breakfast** offers accommodation in two self contained cottages. Quiet rural setting only 500m from the beach. For further information contact Pauline 03 329 4414 or visit [www.mtevansbnb.co.nz](http://www.mtevansbnb.co.nz)
- **The Old Exchange Bed and Breakfast** right in the heart of the Village at 2 Waipapa Avenue. Two queen sized bedrooms with ensuite bathrooms, own private entrance, sea views and within walking distance of the Ferry. Contact Jill 03 329 4275 or mobile 027 482 6014.
- **Orton Bradley Park** offer self contained camper van sites for overnight stays. Services include 15 powered sites; treated drinking water; toilet blocks and dump site, with the golf club and tennis court next door. Fees start from \$15.00 per night for two persons, with additional adults at \$6.00 per night. Contact 03 329 4730.

## Governors Bay

- **Governors Bay Bed and Breakfast** offers a place to relax and rejuvenate on nine acres to bush side paradise beside the harbour. Furnished room with ensuite bathroom and separate sitting area also available for short term rent for those seeking emergency accommodation. For more details contact Eva on 03 329 9727, or view on line [www.gbbbedandbreakfast.co.nz](http://www.gbbbedandbreakfast.co.nz).
- **Governors Bay Hotel** restored to it's former glory and offers six guest rooms located on the first floor level. All rooms renovated with 32 inch flat screen televisions, queen size beds, free wifi, heaters and vanities. Four rooms with direct verandah access with views over the Lyttelton harbour. Contact 03 329 9433 or view more details on line: [www.governorsbayhotel.co.nz](http://www.governorsbayhotel.co.nz).
- **Living Springs** offer an array of accommodation options from fully service private rooms, studios, twin rooms, shared bunkrooms to outdoor camping. Also available are some powered caravan sites. All rooms are clean, comfortable and well maintained for your relaxation. Contact Living Springs on 03 329 9788 or view more details on line: [www.livingsprings.co.nz](http://www.livingsprings.co.nz).
- **Waitahuna** an 1850's Colonial Cottage fully restored and set in 4 1/2 acres of garden with waterfront access. Self catering accommodation in a lovely romantic setting. Breakfast supplies included in the tariff, fully equipped kitchen, double bedroom plus a modern sofa bed in the sitting room. Contact Gavin or Annabelle 03 329 9712 or 027 222 4604.