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# window onwakefield

#### Community News for the Wakefield Area

#### Wakefield Fun Day

by Sue Burrowes

What an amazing day! The sun shone on a warm dry day; the bands played, the children loved all the activities and the parents relaxed, sampled the food, and enjoyed listening to the music. This, of course, was the object of the exercise.

After the trauma of the fires, Lions Clubs Zone 2 - our area, started receiving donations from clubs from all over the South Island; plus a couple of clubs in the north. The donations were sent specifically for the Wakefield community and coming home from our convention in Hokitika during March, we realised it was now a substantial sum and we had to

come up with an idea which would benefit the families who were involved in the evacuations and the rigours of living in a major fire zone.

Fun and relaxation was uppermost in my mind and after discussing with John, our Zone Chair, and consulting with Principal Peter from Wakefield School and talking to clubs in our area, we came up with a plan which was greatly supported by everyone, including the Wakefield Community Council and it was decided the day would be a free event. The Fun Day was born!

We are greatly indebted to all the participating Lions/Lioness Clubs, the vendors, the activities people, the musicians, WCC, Wakefield School and all the helpers who willingly gave of their precious time to make this such a happy, happy day. Over 1,200 people from the Wakefield area attended and had a marvellous time judging by the remarks we received and the thanks.

#### OUR VERY SPECIAL THANKS TO THE FOLLOWING:

- \* Nigel Jones Richmond Lions Club, for stepping up when family circumstances intervened.
- \* John Bilderbeck Zone Chair/Nelson North Club, for your support and hard work.
- \* Jill O'Brien postie.
- \* Stu and Heather Watts, and Evie South delivering leaflets.

\* Waimea College Students - face Painting; Flossy the Balloon Lady; Joel and his trick bikes; Kirsty and her Wild Oats ponies; Blast Entertainment, Kate and Phil - bouncy castles, wall, and team; NBS bouncy castle, Nelson Classic Cars - Jim Fry, Colin Gibbs - hay bales and lots of help; Sport Tasman - games and gazebos; helper Charlie Munro; pony help - Maddy Collins; seating - Wakefield Hall.

- \* The Plinkers Ukuleles, Motueka Brass Band, Nelson Highland Pipe Band
- \* Mitre 10 BBQ, Murray Leaning MC plus the donkey!, Ewings BBQ.
- \* Marquees Bowater Toyota (Chris); Cancer Society; Nelson Building Society; Mitre 10.

\* Wakefield First Responders - Fritz Buchendahl and Wakefield's finest plus vehicle; Constable Jamie White - Wakefield Police.

\* Wakefield School - Peter Verstappen and Bruce Puklowski.

\* Food - Pomeroys coffee, Wakefield Four Square - drinks [thanks Phil and Ruth], Goodman Fielder bread; Pestells - sausages; Jim Fry - apples.

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#### To our amazing Lions teams for all your ideas, hard work and effort over two months!

Nelson Host Lions - candy floss, Nelson North Lions - BBQ, Richmond Lions - BBQ and afternoon teas, Nelson Lioness Club and Haven Lioness Club, amazing man/woman power!

Hopefully I haven't missed anyone but we thank you all, and to these wonderful people above, thank you for a most marvellous and successful day and we hope we brought some happy cheer to all those who attended.















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... some more photos below from the Fun Day

## ive Well Stay Well

by Margaret Clark

"Live well stay well" is a health and social group that meets on Tuesday mornings, two weekly in Wakefield or Brightwater from 9.45 - 11.00am.

A varied programme is organised which is informative and fun, plus regular coffee and chat sessions. The group is mostly followed by a walk (and talk) around Wakefield or Brightwater for those who feel like being more energetic.

Over the last month we have visited Cropps "Bee Brilliance" factory in Brightwater, and had Hannah O'Malley and Dr Wayne Hurlow focusing on "Plant based eating" (see photos).

#### Whats coming up for June?

June 11 - Meet for coffee and chat at Cafe Rhubarb at 9.45am. Then we will adjourn to the Village Green where we have Mike coming with his electric bikes. He will show us how they work and talk about the benefits. You may even want to have a try out to see if they are for you.

June 25 - At Wakefield Hall 9.45 -11am. The speaker Is our own local policeman Jamie White, who will talk about local issues plus learnings from the fire and other happenings.

July 9 - Meet at Cafe Rhubarb again, 9.45am. All interested are welcome to attend especially if you are new to the village and want to get to know the locals.

Anyone is welcome. Any enquiries for transport or to go on our email list to let you know what's happening, please call Margaret 541 9693, Yvonne 542 2235, Sandra 541 8124 or Sonja 541 8176 for information.





## **Farewell from Doug and Pam**

#### by Doug Chapman

After seven years as the owner of Wakefield Pharmacy, Pam and I have decided to sell the pharmacy to Richmond pharmacists Scott Fry and Andrew MacGlashan.

I have thoroughly enjoyed my time here at Wakefield and feel privileged that I have got to know so many wonderful people. It is great to be part of a caring and tight knit community and hope in a small way that I have added to the community spirit we have been lucky enough to be part of.

Pam and I are moving to Christchurch for family reasons and wish to be closer to our soon to arrive first grandchild and our daughters Anna and Kate who are both overseas at present but are planning to return home to Christchurch in the near future. I will continue to work as a pharmacist and will probably act as a locum for a while, but hope to do a little less work and find more time for fishing, tramping and maybe a bit of travel to see more of our lovely country.

I will miss chatting with the locals who use the pharmacy and the couriers Nick, Mark, Jill, Joe and Julie who we saw most days as they delivered medicines to patients who couldn't get in personally. It can be challenging to work in a pharmacy which services such a large area but with the help of these couriers we are able to deliver medicines to people over much of the top of the South Island.

The customers are the most important part of any business and it is the customers who I will miss the most when I leave. I have made many friends while working here and I will be sad to go.

My last day of work will be Friday June 30th. I hope to see most people before I go but if I don't get a chance to say goodbye thank you for your friendship and support.



## Trapping

Update - Wakefield Reserves by Chris Tonkin

Readers of my last report (January) might recall that with drought conditions in full force I was intending to shift traps closer to water sources in order to test the theory that this is where predators would be concentrated.

Quite apart from the fact that with all natural water flows having ceased, leaving (in the case of Faulkner Bush at least) nothing but a slightly damp former creek bed, what I found was that instead of favouring a cool environment, the critters literally headed for the hills.

As it turned out, during February/March podocarps on the dry parts of all reserves were in full fruit, and with an abundance of seed around, the parched higher ground turned out to be the place to set traps. It



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seems fruit and berries supply sufficient moisture to maintain rodents in these conditions, a useful lesson for next summer.

Although I am far from establishing any sort of understanding around seasonal variations in predator abundance, what I have learnt after almost three years of trapping Wakefield reserves is that a few trap locations produce consistent results while others can sit there all year without a single kill.

Thanks to the generosity of DOC St Arnaud I recently acquired several more DOC 200 traps which are more efficient for trapping the target species - rats, weasels and stoats. At the moment mice are common and a real problem because unless special precautions

are taken they can clean up bait overnight meaning much more time required to maintain trap lines. This is not a problem with the DOC 200's so with the more suitable traps I'm hoping to nail as many rats as possible before winter.

Robsons Reserve	105
Falkner Bush	41
Edward Baigent	91
Reserve	

Total kills of rodents and mustelids to date (September 2016 - April 2019)

## **Wakefield Community Council Report**

Report of the May meeting of the Wakefield Community Council by Stuart Watts, Chairman, phone 541 8151

#### Items discussed:

**Top of the South Dark Sky Committee Update** - Ralph Bradley gave an update on the progress being made on the formation of Dark Sky Parks in this area. It was moved that a letter of support for the establishment of the Dark Sky Park at Wai-iti and over the DOC estates in the Top of the South, be sent to the group.

**Projects** – Stuart Watts outlined the subcommittee's two ideas to the Community Council; continuing putting panels in the information booth; and installing a plaque on the Memorial gates at the Recreation Reserve, acknowledging the three sons of Walter Pearless. Also adding a photo of Walter above his plaque.

**Apple Fair** – Next year's date will be Sunday 5th April 2020. Due to traffic and parking congestion they are looking into ideas to rectify this. Need more committee members.

**Wakefield Village Hall** - New booking officer and maintenance person required for hall (from end of May) as Richard and Rose Shepard have resigned from the positions. It was decided to put an advertisement in the WoW and email the regular users in the hope of filling the positons, and pointing out that if no-one applies, it may go back to the TDC to administer, with possible increase in user rates.

**Hall Maintenance** – The foyer has been painted and has new carpet. Main hall and back room have new lights. Kitchen has new heater and light. 40 chairs have been donated. Letter to TDC re outside painting of the hall, noting the work that has been done inside the hall by us. Started to sort out the damaged chairs.

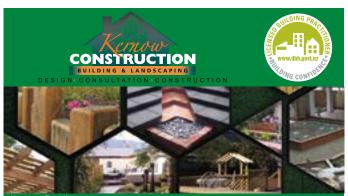
Bamboo and hops by river bank - TDC will deal with this in July. A comment was made about rubbish in the creek beside the tennis courts.

**AGM** – Reminder of the date, Monday 17th June, 7.30pm at the St Johns Worship Centre. Please consider if you will stand for the committee and any of the positions.

**ANZAC** – A very successful service with the army in attendance and fly over by an Air Force Orion.

**Fun Day** - Sponsored by Lion and Lioness Clubs from throughout New Zealand, for the residents, following the Pigeon Valley fire. Send a letter of thanks on behalf of the WCC and residents to the Lions Club's organising committee.

Information Booth - Painted and spouting cleaned out and repaired. Gutter guard was installed.



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## Quiz

by Derek Evans

 By what name was Maria Eva Duarte better known?

2. What is the capital of New York State?

Who plays George Gently in the series of the same name?

4. TANZA (To Assist New Zealand Artists) delivered the first Kiwi record to be written, recorded and released in New Zealand, and featuring entirely local talent. What was it's name?

5. What flower is known by its common names "Bird of Paradise" or "Crane Flower"?

6. What year was the Driving Test introduced in the UK?

By what name is Schuberts 8th Symphony better known?

8. What is the maximum number of times you can fold a piece of paper in half?

9. What is the southernmost point of the African continent?

10. What material was used to manufacture the poppies at the Tower of London which marked one hundred years since the first full day of Britain's involvement in the First World War?



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Contact Margaret 5419693 Yvonne 5422235 Sandra 5418124 or Sonja 5418176 for information

## Winter Colouring Fun



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## In the Bush

In a blink of an eye we are rushing head long into June and our shortest day - the day with the least amount of available sunlight is Wednesday June 21st.

Our regular maintenance/weeding bee was held at Faulkner Bush on the 11th May and was very well attended. We even (for the first time ever) ran out of weeding bags such were the amount of weeds pulled! It was our second consecutive weeding around the board walk area. It was indeed a huge effort by our society volunteers who I cannot thank enough for the time they give so willingly for the upkeep of our local scenic reserves.

We have also just completed the spraying of all the paths and drainage areas within Faulkner Bush. This keeps both very tidy, particularly with the paths/walkways so that weeds are not impinging to therefore cause tripping issues and the like.

Hopefully in the next month we will be looking at resurfacing the paths in the Cabbage Tree Paddock (adjacent the boardwalk), but just need some rain in order to be able to compact this properly and the society will move on to other paths as time allows.

#### Edward Baigent Memorial Scenic Reserve

We were extremely grateful to the committee of the Higgins Heritage Park Community Craft Fair who donated funds from their Fair Day on the 2nd January for extra seating/picnic tables at the reserve. Our members Eric Palmer and Chris Tonkin have just completed this task with the construction and placement of two at the reserve. They look fantastic and the ye olde style really "fits" with this reserve.

Our society and community could never give enough thanks to both Eric and Chris for this exceptional job and the time they gave to get it done. Both did relay to me that while on the job many folks were stopping to chat and give the thumbs up for the tables. Really heartening to have such positive feedback for this project. This project was fully supported and discussed with the Reserves Department staff at the Tasman District Council who also approved our design and placement.

Just on the down side, the new carpark area this week gave flat access to pig hunter(s) to process their pig and then hang the head and skin on the fence. This matter was reported to the local police who will keep an eye on this area with regular checking when they are on duty, also monitoring for any camping activity, which is not allowed in any part of this scenic reserve. We have all worked very long and hard to bring this scenic reserve back to a pristine state for the enjoyment of all - let's keep it this way and all be vigilant for zero tolerance to any disrespectful activity to the detriment of this very treasured community scenic reserve.

Do feel free to contact me at any time for concerns or suggestions in regards the work that our society does. New volunteers are also very welcome. To go on our telephone tree just give me a call or email me your details.

Sincerely

Doug South (President) Wakefield Bush Restoration Society (2000) Inc Telephone 541 8980 Mobile 027 907 2879 Email tuivlle@xtra.co.nz



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## **Wakefield Volunteer Fire Brigade**

Good morning Wakefield people.

As always this has been another very busy month for training as well as call outs for from 23 April to 23 May the brigade members with a steady increase in medical calls.

This month we held an "Employer Recognition Program" at our station. This program gives FENZ a chance to thank employers of our local volunteer fire members.

The partnership between Fire and Emergency New Zealand, volunteers and their employers is based on mutual benefit. Our Employer Recognition Programme aims to assist in the acknowledgement of this contribution to Fire and Emergency New Zealand and the community.

Fire and Emergency New Zealand takes this opportunity to THANK YOU, the employers of our volunteers, for allowing your staff the ability to respond to emergency calls in line with the Fire and Emergency New Zealand Board's Vision of "Working with communities to protect what they value". This includes the self-employed whose contribution is no less and at times is indeed greater than others.

From Fire and Emergency New Zealand's perspective having employers and business people out there helping, encouraging and supporting our volunteer fire fighters, your employees, is wonderful. The contribution you make is helping to build the overall health of the community, which in turn we know will lead to a better business climate.

The good corporate citizenship demonstrated by having your employees involved in voluntary activities sends a strong message to the local community that your business is concerned about local issues and is willing to work with it to achieve the greater good for all.

The following is a list of employers for the members of the Wakefield Volunteer Fire Brigade:

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Fritz Buckendahl **CFO Wakefield** 027 22 44 162

**Continuing Village Projects** 

#### WAKEFIELD COMMUNITY COUNCIL UPDATE - On continuing village projects by Evie-joy South

1. The Information Kiosk on the Village Green - to further document an historical overview of the children of Marianne and Doctor Walter Relf Pearless - which would also include some personal family photos and memories from Pearless family members. The historical research done thus far would be checked in conjunction with assistance from our local historians; John Dearing, Roger Batt and the Waimea South Historical Society.

2. The Pearless Memorial Gates (located at the northern entrance way to the Wakefield Recreation Reserve) adjacent to the Wakefield Bakery. On the right hand side is a plaque giving tribute to Surgeon Lieutenant Colonel W R Pearless. What is proposed is to have a photograph of Walter Pearless dressed in his military uniform, above his marble dedication plaque. Also on the left hand side to add a plaque to acknowledge Walter's three sons in the following manner;

IN THEIR FATHER'S FOOTSTEPS IN RECOGNITION OF WALTER'S SONS Dr Walter Hugh Pearless (Hugh), battled with the worst influenza epidemic in the Waimea County. Herbert Campbell Pearless, Sergeant 7/257, WW1. Reginald Lessel Pearless (Lessel), Lieutenant 17162, WW1 Lieutenant 807242, WW11.



After discussion the Community Council nominated a "project" committee of Stuart Watts, Heather Watts and Evie-joy South to progress these and also moved two monetary contributions to assist in part to offset the costs involved. Further funding will be applied for by the project committee. The Memorial Gate project will also be undertaken with full consultation with the Reserves Department of the Tasman District Council.

Any members of our community are most welcome to contact us should they have any information pertaining to the Pearless family or any other suggestions that they might wish to make in regards these proposed projects. Stuart and Heather Watts, phone 541 8151, email stuartandheather@live.com, or Evie-joy South, phone 541 8980, email tuiville@xtra.co.nz.

## Calls from last month -

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Spring Grove Wakefield

**Eves Valley** 

Brightwater

Wakefield

Wakefield

Brightwater

**Rainey River** 

Medical Medical Medical Medical Medical Vegetation fire Structure fire Medical MVA MVA Medical Structure fire

Jansen Bridge Car in river Car vs car

Total calls for this year so far is 80



## Waimea Plunket Playgroup

#### by Amby Cowe

At Waimea Plunket Playgroup we have had an influx of new families join us. It's so lovely to meet other local mums to share advice with and support each other through this challenging and rewarding journey of parenting.

In May we had Road Safety Week. We made a pedestrian crossing on the concrete and talked about how to hold hands, check for traffic and walk carefully across the crossing. We also talked about what to do if you have a ball roll or a hat blow onto the road (STOP! Talk to an adult!). The tamariki coloured road safety themed pictures and talked about traffic lights and what the colours mean.

If you would like to join us we are located in the creche room behind St Pauls Church Hall, next to Snowden Bush in Brightwater.

Playgroup sessions run from 9am – noon every Wednesday during school term time. Morning tea is supplied for children and adults. Cost: FREE!











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## **Wakefield Playcentre**

Wakefield Playcentre has started back for term two and is already off to a busy start with lots of fun activities taking place, making the most of the beautiful autumn weather. We have also had nine new families join us over the past month, so we would like to welcome all of our new friends and their whanau to Wakefield Playcentre.

Welcome to Cooper (who has joined us from Appleby Playcentre), Alfie, Mabel and Ruby, Sasha, Atticus and Faraday, Jaxon, Griffin and Rose, Mylo, River, and Asher. We are loving having you join us on session and getting to know you all.

With so many new friends joining us, we have been working hard on our social skills and it is great to see the tuakana teina relationship happening daily with all our tamariki. It is great to see this being implemented in many areas of play, and one area where we are seeing it really come through is in the children's imaginative and creative play.

Wakefield Playcentre currently has nine four year olds, seven of whom attend every Wednesday together. Along with several parents and caregivers, these four year olds have been working on their pre-literacy skills, and their oral language and communication skills in preparation for starting their school journeys soon. It is great to watch these tamariki build on and become more confident with these skills each week.

We also have two trips coming up in the next couple of weeks. We will be heading out to Rabbit Island, and also to Nelson Gymnastics with Appleby and Victory Playcentres. We are using these trips to explore our wider community and make connections with other Playcentres in the Nelson Tasman District. Richmond Playcentre is also organising a trip out to visit us here at Wakefield Playcentre. We will look forward to sharing all of these events with you next month.



Remember, parents and children are welcome to visit Wakefield Playcentre any week day from 9-12.

We love meeting new families, so come down and say hi, and see how awesome Playcentre is.



by Elle Tibbs

## **Willow Bank Heritage Village**

#### by Julian Eggers

Willow Bank's philosophy is: to preserve history in a fun and interactive way that is free and accessible to all. We appreciate donations to help us make our vision a reality for the community.

Willow Bank Heritage Village is just minutes south of Wakefield and is such a secret gem of Wakefield, that still so many people don't know about. The monthly open days for Willow Bank Heritage Village are on pause over the winter months but the new season will be back in full swing from September 2019, and open first Sunday of every month.

But what a season Willow Bank Heritage Village has had, with new additions being added like the hospital, school house and the dentist (murder house).

Events this season included being the venue for the vintage car rally, 2018 Halloween event and the Annual Wakefield Apple fair and their open days which have become pretty popular with the use of the 100 year old coffee machine, burger and milkshake bar.

Christine and the small team of helpers would like to thank the generous support from the community and people who put the

effort in coming to experience the village.

Thank you.

See you back from September 2019.



## **On the Beat**

by Constable Jamie White, Wakefield Police

#### Hi Everyone,

I trust you are all well and looking forward to the winter season quickly approaching us. I for one can't wait to get back up the slopes of Rainbow Ski Field. It's hard to believe we are in June already. Whilst May was pretty mild, I have no doubt that the frosts are not far away. With winter upon us I would like to remind you to take care on our roads. It's a good time to have your vehicle checked and remember to always drive to the conditions. It's better to take an extra five minutes to get to your destination than not at all.

You may have noticed work is being completed on the Police house at the moment. For those who are wanting to know the entire exterior of the house and garage are going to be completely repainted. It is certainly nice to have the place tidied up and looking presentable again. My wife Leah and I are excited to be expecting our second child around June 20th. If you need to come and see me at the Police house please be aware that we will have a newborn in the house.

Hopefully you will have seen via the media that we now have a new non-emergency number 10-5 to call. It doesn't replace 111 - that is still the number for emergencies - but it gives you another option when it isn't urgent. If you need to report a crime which has already happened, like a burglary or property damage and there is no threat to persons or property, dial 10-5.

We were invited to attend the Wakefield School assembly several weeks ago. The pupils of Wakefield School raised money for various organisations and they wanted to give some of that to the Police. We were privileged and humbled that they thought of us and their efforts are to be commended. The money they raised has been given to the Wakefield Community Council. It will be used for a project we are currently working on to install cameras in the village. We would like to say a big thank you to Wakefield School pupils for their hard work and generosity.

I know it has been several months since the Pigeon Valley fires but I wanted to take the chance to say thank you to you all. It was an incredibly tough time for locals but I was impressed by your resilience and patience. It was fantastic to see the wider community unite together and help out those who needed it. You did our village proud and this was observed and commented on by emergency services and media alike. It was a privilege to be able to be involved and to be able to help where I

could. Thank you for your messages of support and the generosity of those who offered to help, it was greatly appreciated.

For those of you who are wondering we have managed to harvest the burnt trees on our family farm up Pigeon Valley. A big thank you to Dick Brothers logging for helping us out with this.

Well that's it for another month. Take care and be kind to one another.





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#### WAKEFIELD & DISTRICTS HEALTH TRUST

AGM

Wednesday 10th July 2019 7.30pm Wakefield Health Centre

[Also see our advertisement for Expressions of Interest for our Trustee positions] Dovedale School Presents...

### LIFESTYLE BLOCKER'S SKILLS DAY

#### Saturday 10th August 2019

Workshops include: Butchery, Fencing, Farm Management, Pruning & Grafting, Beekeeping, Animal Health, Calf Rearing, Cheese Making, Fire Safety for Rural Living, Welding, Purchasing & Keeping a Pony, Pig Rearing & Nutrition & many more...

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#### WAKEFIELD COMMUNITY COUNCIL

#### AGM

Monday 17th June 2019 7.30pm St Johns Worship Centre

All welcome, please come and get involved in your community. We are always keen to see new faces.

## **Higgins Heritage Park & Community Fai**

by John Hurley

It is certainly hard to believe that only six months on, our "combined" Community Fair and On Steam Day now must brush off the cobwebs and plan our 2nd January 2020 event at the park.

The exciting news to hand is that the trustees of the Higgins Heritage Park have unanimously agreed on the continuance of the joint venture - the inclusion of a community craft fair event under our umbrella being a 100% success story.

We now also have in place a "joint" committee of both our craft fair and park teams to progress this event for our park, community and region.

A recent t-shirt shown to me by one of the craft fair team pretty much sums up what happened for us last year; WE do loud, WE do fun, WE do awesome.

AND we did have and do have an awesome team to move this event to new heights. The support from our locals and community was exceptional and certainly put the park and Wakefield on the map – THANK YOU ALL – see you next year.

For any further information or inquiry to this event do feel free to contact the admin team for the fair; Evie-joy South - phone 541 8980, mobile 027 907 2879 or email to higginsparkcommunityfair@gmail.com.



## **Quiz Answers**

#### by Derek Evans

1. Which of Henry VIII's wives gave him the male heir he wanted? Jane Seymour

2. Which Charles Dickens Novel begins - 'Whether I shall turn out to be the hero of my own life, or whether that station will be held by anybody else, these pages must show'? David Copperfield

3. Where is the driest place on Earth?

The Atacama Desert is a desert plateau in South America covering a 1000km strip of land on the Pacific coast, west of the Andes mountains - the only true desert to receive less precipitation than the polar deserts.

4. In golf why is 'one under par' called a birdie?

In the 19th century, the term "bird" was the equivalent of "cool" or "excellent" - golf scholars believe this is where the term came from.

5. What famous landmark is moving backward? Niagra Falls at a rate of three feet per year but a water diversion for hydro electricity has reduced it to one foot per year.

- 6. What artist illustrated the St Trinians cartoons? Ronald Searle
- 7. What is one sport where neither the spectators nor the players know the score? Boxing

8. What colour are lion's eyes?

Their eyes are a blue-grey colour at first and begin to change to an orangey brown by the age of two to three months. A second eyelid, called a nictitating membrane, helps to clean and protect the eye. Most of the other "cats" eyes are green.

9. What did Vincent Van Gogh's painting, "Starry Night", represent? Vincent Van Gogh painted "Starry Night" in 1889 from a room in the mental asylum at Saint-Remy where he was recovering from mental illness and his ear amputation. It depicts the view outside his sanatorium room window at night, and it was painted from memory during the day.

10. To what does American Pie, composed by Don McLean allude? Taking off in bad weather with a pilot not certified to do so, the plane crashed, killing Buddy Holly and everyone aboard.

## Health

#### Please note we will be closing early at 4pm on the 6th June

#### Zostervax

Shingles

While influenza immunisation season is a convenient opportunity to provide zoster vaccine to older patients who had not previously received it, please remember that unlike influenza, zoster vaccine is not an annual vaccine and only one dose is funded (and needed) per patient.

Those aged 66 to 80 have until 31 March next year to be eligible for a catch-up vaccination.





## Want to live five years longer? Play golf.

A recent study out of Sweden identified that golfers live on average five years longer than non-golfers, regardless of gender, age and socioeconomic status .The study, which was published in Scandinavian Journal of Medicine & Science in Sports, is based on data from 300,000 Swedish golfers and shows that golf has beneficial health effects. The death rate amongst golfers is 40 per cent lower than the



beneficial health effects. The death rate amongst golfers is 40 per cent lower than the rest of the population, which equates to an increased life expectancy of five years. So what are the potential benefits? here's what they found:-

#### Exposure to the outdoors

Exposure to green areas relaxes the body, reduces stress and can aid in alleviating anxiety. Plus the added value of Vitamin D from the sun. (Remember slip,slop,slap)

#### Foster relationships

A great way to meet new friends and keep in touch with existing friends and family.

• Strengthens the bladder - Say no more.

#### Burns Calories

With all the walking, carrying and swinging involved golfers can burn up to 1000 calories in a single 18 hole game.

#### Keeps your heart rate up

Golf will keep your heart rate up, keeping it pumping and increasing your blood flow, potentially lowering your risks for heart disease and decrease levels of bad cholesterol.

#### Good for your brain

The mental alacrity involved in keeping score, improving strategy and decision making and fostering hand eye co-ordination will keep the brain active in logical functions.

#### Improves vision

Watching where your ball went and searching for it when it goes astray improves the keenness of your vision.

#### Low risk injury sport

Golf is a low risk injury sport but provides enough physical activity to keep the muscles engaged.

#### Better sleep

Since you are getting quite a bit of exercise it is found to give you a better sleep.

#### Reduces Stress

Being in an outdoor area where you can interact with others who share your interests is a great way to forget any troubles.

We have a variety of playing opportunities both midweek and at weekends for both men and women. Golf is not a good walk spoilt so come and see us soon, you'll be glad you did.

#### Totaradale Golf Club, Pigeon Valley Road, Wakefield Tel: 03 541 8030 www.totaradalegolf.co.nz

## Wakefield Bowling Club

#### by Tony Eames

There has been a lot of work in the club by members during the break between summer and winter seasons with working bees for the club rooms and the greens.

The winter season opened on 11 May with fine weather.

Club trophies have been contested with drawn pairs. The Bonnington Trophy for the women was won by Chris Longman and Lesley Woodbury and the men's Shuttleworth Trophy was won by John van der Laan and Dennis Hall.

Full day tournaments are held on alternate Sundays throughout the winter.

There are mini tournaments on Wednesday afternoons and social roll ups on Friday afternoons open to casual players for green fees of \$5 per person, both 12.45pm.

Winter Interclub is held on Monday afternoons and club member events on Saturdays.

The first regional tournament of the winter was a 2-4-2 pairs held at Motueka with 28 teams competing and was won by Wakefield's Margaret and Tony Eames.

Wakefield hosts a major two day tournament on Saturday and Sunday of Queen's Birthday weekend, sponsored by Wendy Pearson of Tall Poppy Real Estate.



Chris Longman & Lesley Woodbury with the Bonnington trophy and John van der Laan & Dennis Hall with the Shuttleworth trophy.

The AGM was held on 25 May with Julie Hall being re-elected as President, Margaret Eames Secretary, Alan Robertson Treasurer and Chris Longman, Vicki Sixtus and Tony Eames as board members.

Please feel welcome to come along to the club at the times above.

For further info please phone the clubrooms on 541 8556.

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## Wakefield School

#### Toroa's Class Culture Creation!!

In our learning space we are focussing on the topic of 'our class culture' and part of our culture is to be mindfulness masters. One activity we like to do to help us with this, is to think of positive thoughts and imagine that they look like butterflies. Then we catch the positive butterflies and let the negative butterflies go by.

We thought we could make our own real-life version of this in our classroom and so we started with the butterfly net. To fit more than 50 butterflies in our net we knew it was going to have to be really big and really strong, so Kent suggested that we make it out of harakeke, or flax. But then Kent told us we were going to have to weave our net together and we panicked!!

To practice we used wool and learnt how to three-strand plait. Some of us were the teachers and patiently taught a buddy how to do this so that the plait was tight.

This is what our practice pieces looked like...





Then when we plaited the harakeke we had to also loop it into a circle to form the sides of the net.

Kent and Jen worked together to link all our plaited harakeke pieces, attach a handle and finally suspend it from the roof in our classroom. If you have visited our classroom you will have seen it hanging up, ready for the butterflies.

If you haven't, here is a photo of it.

The next step was to look into all the butterflies that we could use to decorate our net. It made the most sense to look at butterflies that were found in New Zealand because we are from New Zealand and this linked with our culture focus. We spent hours researching the different butterflies, finding out their Māori name and where they are found in New Zealand. Here are some of our findings:



This is the Blue Moon butterfly. It is from Westland and Northland. We like the patterns and the blue colour. We think the shape is very interesting.



This is the Black Mountain Ringlet butterfly. It's Māori name is Pepe Pouri. It is found in the Southern Alps.



This is the Southern Blue butterfly. It is found in Kaikoura, all the way down to Dunedin.



This is the Red Admiral butterfly. It lives all across New Zealand. We like it because of its colours on the wings.

We still had too many butterflies, so we narrowed it down to ones only found in New Zealand and nowhere else in the world, making them really special, like us. This left us with just nine butterflies; two of these nine are actually found in the Nelson/Marlborough area, making them extra special.

After choosing the one butterfly we wanted to use in the net, we then spent many more hours looking at their patterns, markings and colours. We have practised drawing these patterns and get the colours correct on a random butterfly template.

These are some of the ones we have done so far...

Our next focus is to add the patterns and colours to the proper butterfly template, add our positive thought to them and put them in our net.

When you next visit our classroom, hopefully our net will be full of positive thoughts and butterflies.





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## A Matter of Accounts

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by Sonia Emerson, CA, BBus

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## **Town and Country Talk**

by Brenda Halliwell, Vet

Over the last few years, the field of veterinary dentistry has expanded hugely in knowledge and also across many species. There is so much more information about animals and their teeth that it is a specialist subject.

At home with our pets there is no need to put up with stinky breath, gum disease and broken teeth – there is so much more we can do!

The most common dental health problem we see in pets is periodontal disease. This starts with inflammation of the gums around the teeth which progresses to plaque, tartar, infection and eventually loose teeth. Bacteria in the mouth easily get into the blood stream through these diseased gums and spread to other organs such as heart and kidneys. The same thing happens in humans but we brush our teeth twice a day every day to prevent it.

#### 70% of cats and 85% of dogs over three years of age are affected by periodontal disease

The main symptom of periodontal disease is smelly breath. Sometimes there might be drooling or trouble eating but animals don't often show signs of pain. The other oral health issues we see include broken teeth, worn teeth, tooth decay, tumours, overbites, underbites, baby teeth that haven't fallen out, oronasal fistulas and fractures.

In the clinic we have to anaesthetise animals to do dentistry effectively. It's not possible to do a good job while a dog or cat is trying to get away! Or bite! As in humans dental xrays are essential to see below the gums and fully assess teeth health. Damaged teeth are treated as necessary which often means extraction. But specialist veterinary dentists can do root canals, fillings, crowns, bridges and yes even braces. We always finish off with a thorough clean and polish to make those teeth sparkle!

Prevention is best. Just as with humans, it is recommended that your pet experiences the mechanical process of a good toothbrushing every day. So, get brushing! It makes a HUGE difference! And it also means you are seeing their mouth every day so see problems early.



Dental diets, dental chews, chew toys, additives in water and oral gels all help to slow down dental disease but toothbrushing is the gold standard – the same as people. Once developed, periodontal disease can be managed but not eliminated.

It is estimated good dental hygiene can add 2-4 years to your pet's life as well as ensuring they get the quality of life they deserve.



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#### Other interesting animal teeth facts:

Snails have the most teeth of any animal. But they're not like regular teeth. A snail's teeth are arranged in rows on its tongue. A garden snail has about 14,000 teeth, while other species can have over 20,000!

Rabbits, squirrels and rodents have teeth that never stop growing. They have to chew on tough foods like nuts, leaves and bark to wear down their teeth and keep them from growing too long.

Sharks constantly lose their teeth. Sharks' teeth are positioned in rows within their mouths that simply move forward as they lose them. They usually lose at least one tooth per week—that's why you can find shark teeth on the beach.

Hippopotamuses have the longest canine teeth of any animal. At one metre long, the incisors of a hippo can bite right through a small boat.







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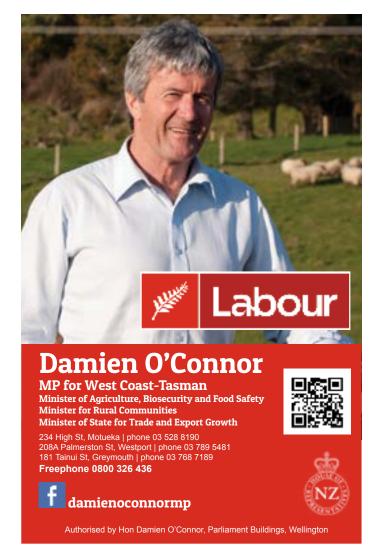
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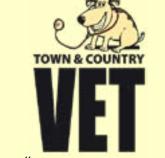
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## **Community Notices**

#### WAKEFIELD & DISTRICTS HEALTH TRUST TRUSTEE EXPRESSION OF INTEREST

#### INTRODUCTION

Wakefield and Districts Health Trust is the successor to the Wakefield and Districts Community Health Centre Incorporated, established in the 1980's to build a medical centre to ensure that residents from Wakefield and the surrounding district would always have local medical services.

The Wakefield and Districts Health Trust was established to be beneficial to the Wakefield and districts community by:

- Primarily, but not solely, maintaining a building adequate for the provision of medical services to, and for the benefit of, the community;
- Providing or otherwise facilitating the enhancement of medical and health-related services to, and for the benefit of, the community;
- Providing the community with access to medical providers and service outside of the Wakefield and Districts community; and
- Generally enhancing the health and wellbeing of the community

This is the organisation that in the last 18 months has been involved in the purchase and installation of more than ten AED defibrillators around our community. [For a full list of locations, check out the Community Director in the Window on Wakefield].

We are now seeking expressions of interest for Trustees to join our governance board.

#### POSITION

We are looking for a new Trustee who can complement and work with our existing Board to make enabling decisions for the organisation. We want individuals who can support and are committed to helping us achieve our objectives. Applicants must reside in Wakefield or surrounding districts and be prepared to attend a minimum of six meetings per year.

#### **IDEAL APPLICANT DESCRIPTION**

The Board of Trustees is responsible for the governance and oversight of the management of Trust. Board members should demonstrate some or all of the following attributes:

- A good knowledge of the Wakefield and districts area and an interest in health-related matters.
- An ability to contribute to meetings in a fair, balanced and considered fashion.
- An ability to present and convey information in a straightforward fashion.
- An ability to evaluate reports, assess data and to enquire when further information is needed.
- Governance experience.
- Excellent communication and relationship skills.
- Knowledge of financial statements and balance sheets.
- An understanding of strategic planning processes.
- Prior charitable experience an advantage.

#### TO APPLY

Please contact the Trust Secretary at <u>wdhealthtrust@gmail.com</u> to request the Expression of Interest form and job description. Please complete the Expression of Interest form and return via e-mail with your curriculum vitae and a brief covering letter to:

Secretary Wakefield & Districts Health Trust wdhealthtrust@gmail.com

All expressions of interest must be received by 5pm Friday 14th June 2019 [note change of date]

## **Community Notices**



## Wakefield Art Group

*Everyone welcome. All levels of interest. Our group has been meeting weekly since July 2012.* 

Every THURSDAY 9.30 am – noon Wakefield Village Hall – Supper Room \$3 per session - cup of tea/coffee included

For more information contact: Fiona Ph: 027 767 7909 E: <u>kahurangicottage@gmail.com</u> or Sonja – Ph: 027 3740500 or 5418 176 E: sonjal@ts.co.nz

#### WAIMEA PLUNKET PLAYGROUP

The Brightwater Community Anglican Church, Waimea West Road, Brightwater Time: 9.00 – 12.00 noon Day: Wednesday morning Cost: FREE

#### ST JOHNS CHURCH COMMUNITY LUNCHES

The monthly St. John's Community Lunches will recommence in February 2019. These are held on the third Thursday of each month from February to November.

Anyone is welcome to join us for a midday meal and fellowship. A small donation helps to cover our expenses. If you wish to attend it is helpful, although not absolutely necessary, if you phone Caroline 5418491 by the Monday evening prior to the Thursday date.

> The dates of the lunches are as follows: June 20th July 18th August 15th September 15th October 17th

If you wish to attend but do not have transport please phone Nicola on 5419335 and she will pick you up in the church van.

November 21st

#### BRIGHTWATER SCOUT GROUP NEEDS YOU!!!

The Brightwater Scout group is urgently looking for a Group Leader.

The position requires approximately two hours per week and a scouting background is preferable but not essential.

Unfortunately, this prospering group will have to be closed down at the end of this school term much to the disappointment of the enrolled youth and leaders, as a Group Leader is an essential appointed role for the group to remain open!

> If you are a happy and enthusiastic person interested in being part of this amazing group, please contact the Nelson Zone Leader, Mike Smith on 027 658 3699 for more information.

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Any queries please phone Jill Stewart 541 8382.

#### New season of Indoor Bowls !! Wakefield Hall

Another season of Indoor Bowls is under way at Wakefield. Last season was our most successful for a number of years with most of our experienced players returning.

#### The Wakefield Indoor Bowls Club Invites young and old to their 2019 season \*Tuesday afternoons 1 pm

Social bowls **\*Tuesday nights 7.00 pm**Social and competitive bowls

A special offer for new players is 100% discount on local subscription for the first year!

The Wakefield Hall is the ideal venue, being spacious and light with excellent facilities, warm in winter (the temperature is kept at a very cosy 23'C),

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For more information phone Judy on 5418342

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#### April BABYSITTER

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June

Experienced 14 year old babysitter available after school, evenings and weekends. Reliable and trustworthy. References available. Please phone Jessie on 027 358 5049.

#### **BABY SITTER**

Baby sitting or odd jobs. 16 year old fundraising for Africa School Trip with World Challenge. Available for baby sitting, can feed your pets while you are away, wood stacking and other odd jobs. Also looking for summer holidays job - berry picking or similar. Anything considered.

Phone Caitlyn Scott on 541 8867.

#### SECTION FOR SALE

April Section for sale, Pigeon Valley, approx 3 acres. Conditions apply and sale will not be immediate, delays may exist.

More info ring 541 8543 preferably after 6.30pm.

#### WAKEFIELD **BOWLING CLUB**

Scrap metal.

Wakefield Bowling Club is willing to collect any old metal, wiring, whiteware (excluding fridge & freezers),

car batteries, etc.

Please phone

Trevor on 5418855.

#### June DOG WALKING

I can walk your dog for you if you don't have the time. I am mature, reliable and experienced. I can also feed your pets in your own home.

Call Christine, 541 9233 or 027 677 0080

#### FOR SALE

April

June

Due to ill health. 2 x 12m containers plus cover for same at 6m x 12m. Still in box, gives cover of 72m2 under shelter, plus 29m2 x 2 floor space in containers.

Located in Pigeon Valley. Phone 541 8543

#### FREE

October

Ram - think Romney x 2.5yrs, huge, offspring grow quickly.

Very friendly, loves to be pet and rubbed, no aggression even during mating season. From facial excema resistant flock, but not certified

Pick up only Pigeon Valley - 021 148 9854

#### WANTED

June The Revive Cookbooks 1-7 and Cook: 30 by Jeremy Dixon Second hand please Sonja 027 3740500

#### WILLOW BANK REQUEST

We would like to set up an old garage and need a petrol pump.

They are extremely expensive and we would like to find a reasonable priced one.

We only need the case of an old petrol pump and we would restore it if necessary.

> Contact details are 027 856 6681 Christine or willowbank2002@gmail.com

#### WANTED

Expressions of interest from local craft and hobby folk for sites at the Higgins Park Community Fair Day at the Higgins Heritage Park & Steam Museum location on the 2nd January.

Same as last year, just a slight change in the fair name to better reflect our community focus.

Phone Evie-joy South or higginsparkcommunityfair@gmail.com

April

## **Community Directory**

Citizens Advice Bureau 548 2117 - 0800 367 222

**Rutherford Memorial Hall** 658 Wakefield-Kohatu Highway, Foxhill Bookings and enquiries: Sue White 027 474 6324 Hire Rates & Conditions: www.lordrutherfordhall.org.nz

**Pigeon Valley Steam Museum** Alan Palmer 027 319 7427

Higgins Park Community Fair Evie-joy South 541 8980 or 027 907 2879 higginsparkcommunityfair@gmail.com

> **Rural Ramblers** Carolyn Mason 541 9200

Spring Grove Drill Hall C Stratford 542 3992

**Totaradale Golf Club** Amber 541 8030

Wakefield Anglican Church – St Johns Sundays 9.00am - Communion up the hill 10.30am - Family and kids church at the Worship Centre Office 541 8883

St Johns Worship Centre Bookings Nigel Massey 541 8857

Wakefield Community Library Wendy Gibbs 541 8490 Pam Dick 541 8392 Hours - Tues 10.30 -11.30am Friday - 2.30 - 4pm Excluding Public Holidays (When library is not open book returns can be left at Hair Raisers Salon)

> Wakefield Football Club Chris Olaman 027 541 9029 David Emerson 027 256 0531

Wakefield Medical Centre 541 8911

Wakefield Pharmacy 541 8418

Wakefield Playcentre Contact: 541 8866

Wakefield Volunteer Fire Brigade DCFO Fritz Buckendahl 027 224 4162

**Country Players (Drama)** Jen Ámosa 541`8139 enquiries@countryplayers.org.nz www.countryplayers.wordpress.com

> Nelson Vintage Engine & Machinery Club Allan 027 319 7427

**Pinegrove Kindergarten** 03 542 3447

**Rural Women** Dawn Batchelor 542 3628

St Joseph's Catholic Church Sun 8am, Thurs 9.30am Parish Preist Seth Pijfers 544 8987

> Taoist Tai Chi Deb Knapp 022 083 9332

Waimea Sheepdog Trial Club Colin Gibbs 541 8435 gibbs@ts.co.nz

Waimea Area Quilters Sue Burrowes 541 9689 or 027 364 0773

Wakefield Book Group Mahala White - 541 8933 or Chrissy Harris - 541 9596

Wakefield Bush Restoration Society Doug South 541 8980

Wakefield Plunket Volunteers Group Wendy Wadsworth 541 9272

**Plunket Nelson Area Office** For appointments etc 539 5200

Wakefield School/ Community Swimming Pool Karyn Young 021 112 4203 Libby Thomson 027 541 8202

Target Shooting Wakefield targetshootingwakefield@gmail.com Contact: Dot Ashton 541 8989 or 027 543 0529

> Wanderers Sports Club 542 3344

> Wakefield Toy Library Saturday 9.30-11.30am Liz Ashburner 541 9453

NZ Postcard Society Inc. Doug South 541 8980

**Richmond Lions - Wakefield Rep** Ivan Burrowes 541 9689

Spring Grove Church of Christ Meet Sundays 10am 541 8011

Waimea South Historical Society Arnold Clark 544 7834

> Wakefield Bowling Club Margaret Eames 541 8316

Wakefield Brightwater Book Club Sue McAuley 544 7325 sue.mcauley@ncc.govt.nz Meets last Wednesday evening of every month

Wakefield Community Council Sonia Emerson 541 9005

Wakefield Indoor Bowls Club Ren Olykan 541 8275

> Wakefield Preschool Contact: 541 8086

Wakefield School PTA ptawakefield@gmail.com

Wakefield Tennis Club Ngaire Calder 027 279 9938 www.caldertennis.co.nz

Wakefield Village Hall Sonia Emerson allaccountsmatter@gmail.com 03 541 9005

St. John's Worship Centre Nigel Massey 541 8857

Window on Wakefield Articles & Content - 541 9005 Sonia Emerson

Window on Wakefield Advertising - 541 9641 Genie & Lindsay Bradley

Wakefield School Edward Street 541 8332

Justice of the Peace Katie Greer 896 Wakefield/Kohatu Highway Ph 021 547 756

**AED DEFIBRILLATOR LOCATIONS - AVAILABLE 24/7** Wakefield Four Square, Highfield Farm, Kohatu Flat Rock Cafe, Old Tadmor Store, Dove

Nursery, Corner of Thorne Road & Wins Valley Road, 29 Moonlight Road Glenhope, Corner of Totara View Road and Kilkenny Place, Southfuels Spring Grove, Belgrove Cafe and Bar, Lake Rotoiti Fire Station, Totaradale Golf Club

#### CIVIL DEFENCE - WAKEFIELD AREA COMMUNITY RESPONSE

In the event of an emergency, your first task is to ensure the safety of your own home, family and neighbours. Once you have attended to this, if you have **specialised skills/ equipment,** and/or feel you can assist others; or require assistance yourself, please make your way to the Welfare Centre which will be at the St Johns Worship Centre in Edward Street [unless notified otherwise].

Please note that the existence of a Welfare Centre does not absolve each individual from their responsibility to be personally prepared. You should ensure that you have your own survival kit in place, and that you are able to be fullv self sufficient for at least three davs.

In the event of an emergency, for urgent public messages, tune in to: More FM 94.1, Classic Hits 89.8, Fresh FM 95.4



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Tall Poppy Nelson is very pleased to introduce Janine Crack to the Tall Poppy team.



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