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## Community News for the Wakefield Area

### Window on Wakefield - 100 Editions

*by the Window on Wakefield team*

Window on Wakefield, as many of you will know, is the local Wakefield newsletter and the newsletter has now reached a milestone – it has reached its 100th edition as of April this year.

The Window on Wakefield started off as the Village News for many, many years and then after a two-year gap, a sub-committee of the Wakefield Community Council set about re-establishing it as the Window on Wakefield [many thanks to Colin Gibbs for the name]. The editorial/printing team at the relaunch consisted of Caraline Dyson, Genie and Lindsay Bradley, and Sonia Emerson and has largely remained unchanged until now. We are fortunate to be able to call on Ciaran Thompson to write articles for us when the situation calls for it too, which is fantastic.

To celebrate, on the 18th of April, a group of people involved from those that print it right through to the ones that deliver it gathered at Willow Bank Heritage village for an afternoon tea. They celebrated with a cake with a 100 design, referencing the 100th edition of the paper and those involved were thanked for their contribution to the newsletter.

The Window on Wakefield has certainly lived up to its nick name – WOW. The initials speak for themselves and there would not be a paper without the continuous support of not just the people who publish, edit, deliver, advertise, and write for Window on Wakefield but for everyone out there who reads it. Thank you for your continued support of our community newsletter.

Our businesses who advertise in Window on Wakefield are the ones responsible for enabling the content to be printed. Without them paying for their advertising, we would not be able to cover our costs, as well as make some profit. All of the profit from the Window on Wakefield goes back into our community. This includes things like security cameras for the village, contribution towards McGazzaland, the mural, seats and tables in the village green, youth grants and many other things.

We would like to specifically thank Jill O'Brien, and Nick and Jackie Costley who alongside their usual post, deliver the Window on Wakefield to our rural addresses, free of charge every month. Then there are our volunteer deliverers, under the organisation of Pam Jackett, who rain, hail or shine, beat the streets to bring a copy to every letterbox - thanks to Caroline Malietoa, Bev Sowman, Deborah and Max Green, Jo and Ron Hay, Gladys and Max Hollick, Amby Cowe, Lance and Vivien Grant, Selwyn Jackett, Tania Parr, and several others who help out when needed.

We are sure you will agree that we are fortunate enough to have interesting content in our newsletter, provided by people from a wide range of activities and age groups. The Window on Wakefield is provided for the benefit of our community and we welcome articles from community groups as well as those that have interesting stories to tell, or news to share. So if you have thought about contributing, let us know.

A final thank you to Willow Bank Heritage Village for providing a fantastic venue for our celebration, and Cafe Rhubarbe and Sweetbites for the catering.

Here's to many more!!



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# Wakefield Community Bus

by Ian Viapree for Nelson Tasman Community Transport Trust (NTCTT)

The bus has been running regularly on Tuesdays and Wednesdays at Level 1, but to comply with the government Covid requirements all passengers are requested to wear masks. A limited stock is kept in the bus, but please bring your own if you can.

Unfortunately, whilst passengers on Thursday are at reasonable levels, Tuesday remains less popular and the bus frequently runs with only one passenger or does not run at all. As a result we have decided to suspend the Tuesday service until further notice.

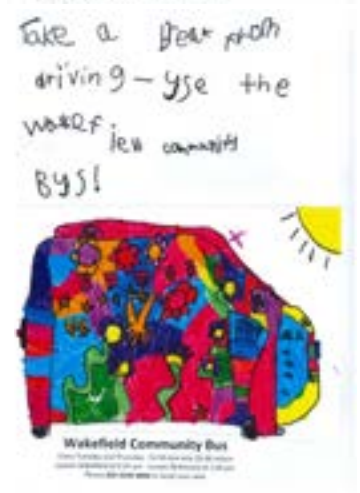
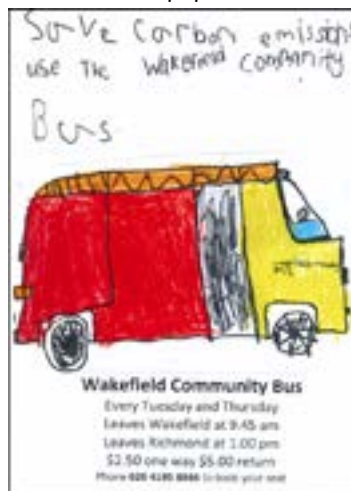
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We would welcome your feedback to help us understand why Tuesday appears to be unpopular and give some pointers on how the service can be improved. There is a feedback form on the NTCTT website [ntctt.org.nz](http://ntctt.org.nz) you can fill in on-line. You can also go to the facebook page where there is a link to the form. It will take only a minute of your time. We will also keep some forms on the bus.

On a brighter note, many thanks to Isobel and the pupils of Kereru 3 class, Wakefield School for producing the wonderful posters on display in the Four Square Supermarket. In case you've missed them, here are a few of them.

All the reasons they have given for using the bus are totally valid.

After all the effort they've put into them, we hope that they are successful in encouraging more people to use this service.



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# Wakefield Volunteer Fire Brigade

Good afternoon Wakefield

We had a quiet month in April which is good for everyone. As you can see with the callout sheet below, medical events are around 45-55% of our responses so we are spending more training time learning and updating ourselves with our first response training.

Autumn has well and truly arrived and now all the leaves are falling to the ground which can cause havoc if we experience a heavy down pour of rain which may cause the leaves to block the grates of our storm water drains and can cause local surface flooding. If you do see this happening, please take two minutes to clear the grate as this may help surface flooding in your area.

Calls from March 24th to April 24th  
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# Health Centre

by Gavin Drummond

## Practice Update

You may have seen some new and not so new faces around the Wakefield Health Centre.

Dave Emerson has been with us for a little while now. As a Wellbeing Practitioner he provides support to improve overall health outcomes for people who are experiencing issues whether psychological, medical or social by providing brief pragmatic support and plans.

Dave has been recently joined by Kim Smith who is the new Health Coach. This role is a free new initiative to provide self-management support that will assist people to achieve their goals for their own well-being. This includes emotional support and guidance, health education and navigating other services.

We are delighted to have these skills at the Practice for our patients.

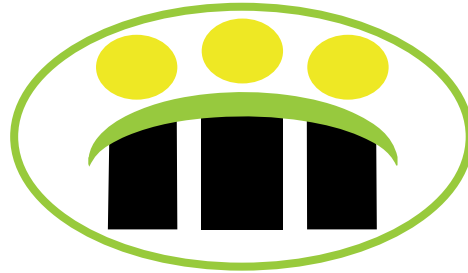
Dr Nick Bardsley joined us in February as our registrar and some of you will have seen him at our practice. He will be with us for six months until he moves onto another practice.

Jacqui Barrett has joined us as a receptionist having worked in the same role for Tasman Medical for the last eight years. Jacqui lives in Brightwater and is looking forward to meeting you all.

Gill Quarmby has also recently joined us as a Practice Nurse. She also lives in Brightwater and was previously a Practice Nurse at Tahunanui Practice having previously worked at Nelson Hospital.

## Cheques

Our bankers have told us that they will no longer be accepting cheques from 25th June 2021 and therefore in line with this we will unfortunately not be able to cheques from 18th June 2021.



## Wakefield Health Centre

Surgery hours:

Monday to Friday 8.30am – 5:30pm

Wednesday 8.30am – 7pm

**New Enrolments Welcome**

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# Totaradale Golf Club

by Mike Hrynkiw

## Course Record Smashed

On the first day of the 2021 Totaradale Easter Open, PGA professional Blair Riordan posted a scorching 64 to set a new Totaradale course record. Blair carded a 34 on the front nine and then finished strongly with five birdies from the last six holes of the back nine to take an impressive lead into the clubhouse. The second day proved a little tougher but Blair still managed to take out the Overall Gross with local man Robbie Stuart taking out the Overall Nett and Jean Nichol winning the Overall Stableford.



## Club Patron Madge Johnston passes away

Sadly missed, the club's patron Madge Johnston passed away late March. Many of you in the area will have been taught by Madge either at Brightwater or Richmond schools and will have very fond memories of her. Madge had a great innings of 98 and had been an active member of the club since 1964 serving on several committees and had been a committed supporter of the club. As a founder member Madge was also actively involved with the Richmond Bridge Club and leaves a void for both clubs.



## First ever Hole in One

Member Marg Orman spent many years playing and coaching hockey at various levels and eventually took up playing golf, after all its just hitting a ball with a stick or is it? We'll let you be the final judge of that however Marg just needed one club, one ball and just one stroke on the par three 17th hole to record her first ever hole in one at the sprightly young age of 78.

## Term 2 Junior Coaching [Age 8 - 14]

With the school holidays finally over the club has the next phase of Junior Coaching in place with PGA Professional Nick Loach. As Golf Development Officer for Tasman Golf Nick has committed to seven Sunday sessions during Term Two. All sessions will commence at 10.30am and are provided free of charge courtesy of Tasman Golf Inc.

Dates:- Sunday May 9th, 16th and 23rd and then June 6th, 13th, 20th & 27th



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# Team Heyward Property Talk

## New Measures Impacting Residential Property Ownership

by Alex Snegirev

On Tuesday, 23 March 2021, the Government announced it would be implementing a range of integrated measures to accelerate the building of new houses, including freeing up build-ready land and investing in infrastructure. Whilst the supply-side measures sound positive, the devil is always in the detail. However, REINZ is not confident the measures designed to dampen speculation by investors will hit the right mark.

To briefly summarise based on what we know at the time of writing:

### Housing Acceleration Fund

The Housing Acceleration Fund aims to increase the supply of houses and improve affordability for home buyers and renters. The key components of the fund are:

- An infrastructure fund (\$3.8 billion) to unlock a mix of private sector led and government led developments in locations facing the biggest housing supply and affordability challenges.
- Additional funding for the Land for Housing Programme to accelerate development of vacant or underutilised Crown-owned land, in order to deliver a broader range of affordable housing options for rental and home ownership.

### First Home Loan and Grant

From Thursday 1 April 2021, the income caps will increase and the house price caps will increase in targeted areas.

The income cap (maximum yearly income before tax) for a single person will increase from \$85,000 to \$95,000. For two people, it will increase from a combined maximum yearly income before tax of \$130,000 to \$150,000.

### Extension of the bright-line test to 10 years

The bright-line test means if you sell a residential property within a set period after acquiring it, you will be required to pay income tax on any profit made through the property increasing in value. The current bright-line period is five years. The Government has announced it intends to extend the bright-line period to ten years for residential property except newly built houses (new builds) which will remain at five years.

Inherited properties, and properties which have been the owner's main home for the entire time they owned it, will continue to be exempt from all bright-line tests.

This change will be effective from this Saturday 27 March 2021 except for new builds acquired before this date (for tax purposes, a property is generally 'acquired' on the date a binding sale and purchase agreement is entered into, even if the agreement is still conditional).

### Interest deductions on residential property

The Government is going to change the rules that allow property owners to claim interest on loans used for residential properties as an expense against their income from those properties. The legislation will apply from 1 October 2021.

Interest deductions on residential investment property acquired on or after 27 March 2021 will not be allowed from 1 October 2021.

Interest on loans for properties acquired before 27 March 2021 can still be claimed as an expense.

Property developers (who pay tax on the sale of property) will not be affected by this change. They will still be able to claim interest as an expense.

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# Higgins Heritage Park Happenings

by David Win

Next time you visit, check out the variety of vintage rotary hoes at our Nelson Vintage Engine and Machinery Group new display area.



This month's shout out is to people and organisations who had kindly donated chairs for our park. Thanks to; Wakefield Auto Services, Richmond Lions, Wakefield Community Council, Heather and Stuart Watts, Wendy Pearson – Tall Poppy.

Our Higgins Heritage Park volunteers are keenly interested in many things including about history, heritage, ancestry and have a wide range of experiences from many walks of life – one such person is Wayne Greig, creator, donator and operator of "Wayne's Trains", an expansive model German HO railway which Wayne has going at each park open day.

Wayne is also the author of 'Three Strands of an Unravelling Rope', a small taste of the history surrounding the infamous mutiny on the Bounty. It spans a period of time from a shipwreck on 22nd October 1707 which brought about the Longitude Act of 1714, through to tomorrow morning on Norfolk Island where the resident Pitcairn Island decedents of six mutineers are in a battle with the Australian Federal Government which refuses to honour the original agreement with the British Crown in the gifting of Norfolk Island to the Pitcairners' as a new and independent Homeland in 1855. Yes, the Bounty Saga continues today.

This unique, 500 copies only ever, limited edition, full colour book contains over 530 images of photos, paintings, charts, maps etc (samples are on Wayne's Facebook page) is available at 'Wayne's Trains'.



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This area is located at the southern end of the Scenic Reserve just down from the main entrance way. And we were not disappointed... lots of weeds including some previously missed old man's beard that had grown to a very good size. Our volunteer Gowan won the chocolate fish for finding this one.

A great cuppa and catch-up followed, thanks to the ladies for the home baking and Dorothy's supreme toasties.

I am very happy to report that our project of an historical plaque at the old house site at Faulkner Bush is now up. Our very sincere thanks yet again to the construction crew of Eric Palmer and Chris Tonkin.

The only down side was that our research team had spent hours amassing much information but of course only a certain amount can be used, so I hope you enjoy their efforts.

**SUBJECT TO CHANGE due to weather etc BUT do mark your calendars for the proposed planting of approximately 3,000 natives at Robson's Scenic Reserve, Wakefield on Saturday the 19th June.**

## VOLUNTEERS

Why not give us a call to go on our telephone tree, regular plantings, maintenance and weeding bees second Saturday of each month from 10am to noon with a cuppa and food provided by the society afterwards, a great way to meet new friends and connect with others in our community.

Regards Doug South, President  
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## Live Well, Stay Well

**Coffee at Café Rhubarbe in Wakefield  
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**On Tuesday 25 May 2021 at Wakefield Hall  
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**Wendy Lane of**

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# Live Well Stay Well

by Sonja Lamers

We are looking forward to our first trip away this year and meeting people new to the area and catching up with familiar faces.

## Upcoming Meetings

**11 May:** Coffee meeting at Cafe Rhubarbe in Wakefield, 9.45am onwards

**25 May:** Wakefield Hall, Wendy Lane of Backyard Bees will speak about their bee keeping and bee hive rental business

**8 June:** Coffee meeting at Headquarters Cafe in Brightwater, 9.45am onwards

## Mal Drummond/Elder Abuse & Neglect Prevention Advisor with Age Concern Tasman Nelson:

On 30 March our first guest speaker of the year for the Live Well Stay Well group was Mal Drummond, who is an Elder Abuse and Neglect Prevention Advisor with Age Concern Tasman Nelson, which provides support for the elder person. He posed the question to us "What is elder abuse and who commits it?"

It is certainly a subject that we need to be aware of and to talk about, as there are over 2000 referrals a year, but only 16% of abuse cases are actually reported.

For an elder person (anyone over the age of 65) there is an expectation of trust, whether it be from a carer, family or someone offering a service. Unfortunately this is not always the case. Mal explained the different forms of elder abuse: physical, financial, psychological, neglect and sexual. 70% of abusers are family members, 50% of abusers are adult children.

Statistically the most common forms of abuse are financial and psychological, from internet scams, misuse of someone's eftpos card, to bullying, emotional blackmail and withholding affection. Isolation and loneliness, and loss of independence are very big factors as to why people get abused, which can be fuelled by ageist attitudes and lack of respect.

Why is abuse so often hidden? Possible reasons include fear of consequences, or not wanting to make a fuss. Maybe the person is dependant on the abuser, or suffers from an illness. Low self confidence/esteem, or no support network, can all contribute.

Thank you Mal for an enlightening and informative talk, raising our awareness about this very serious problem. It is very important to bring it out into the open and to talk about it.

One of the aims of Live Well Stay Well group is to reach out to those who may be feeling isolated or alone. Great to know that we are helping, even in some small way, to tackle this serious problem of elder abuse.

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"Live Well Stay Well" is a health and social group that meets twice a month in Wakefield or Brightwater from 9.45-11.00am on a Tuesday morning.

We advertise our programme in the "Window on Wakefield" your local news and on Wakefield and Brightwater notice boards. A varied programme is organised which is informative and fun plus regular coffee and chat sessions. Our goal is to keep well and healthy by promoting good health practices and exercise plus having a positive social connection with others in our community.

Monthly we focus on a speaker with either health knowledge or people who help us understand our community more. We also have time in local coffee shops for Coffee and Chat sessions plus visits to local businesses of interest helping us to get to know our local area.

So this group is ideal for people newly moved to the area who want to get to know our community plus those who live here. Or perhaps you are feeling a bit isolated where you live and want to meet some friendly locals.

No joining fee but we ask you for a \$2 gold coin donation at our monthly Wakefield Hall get togethers to help us cover rent and food costs.

We communicate what is happening by an email group. Please contact either of the numbers below if you want to be on our communication list or WATCH THIS SPACE. You are very welcome to join us.

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# McGazzaland - Update

by Rea Nailer

## Have you noticed the amazing work going on at McGazzaland?

Wow!!! Tom, Craig and Dylan from Elevate Trails have been doing a fantastic job. As this is going to print it is not far off the asphalt stage. We are so lucky to have these talented men from Queenstown here building / creating this for us.

Tom and Kelly started Elevate Trails together a few years ago. They have built the Crankworx Rotorua Track and many more. So the building of the pump track means a lot to Tom and he wants it to be most epic one around. We are very lucky and grateful to have Elevate Trails building this for us as pre covid they would be all over the world building other awesome trails.

We would like to say a big thank you to all who have helped to get this project off the ground especially Katrina McLean and Sonia Emerson.



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# Wakefield School

by the Tui Team

The Tui team at Wakefield School have been talking about their super powers and how they use them to help other people. We all have lots of different super powers and they are things like being:

**Here are some of our posters and some writing about our superpowers:**

**Brilliant Bradley's** super power is being kind. If he had 10 cars and someone else had none, he would give them 5 of his.

**Terrific Toby's** super power is being patient. He will wait his turn and let other people pack their bags first.

**Zippy Zoe's** super power is being helpful. She is kind to other people and helpful to her sister.

**Lovely Lily's** super power is being honest. She will not lie and say she has cleaned her teeth when she hasn't.

**Curious Cohen** is being brave. "I love me because I am a good soccer player and because I am good at making things. I am a good hut builder."

**Terrific Theo's** superpower is being funny. He will help people by:

- Cheering them up with jokes
- Doing a joke for the teacher to make her laugh
- If someone has no friend he will do a joke to make a new friend

**Jaw-dropping Jaxson's** superpower is being responsible. He will help people by:

- Putting the chairs down at school,
- Packing his bag and his lunch at home

**Magnificent Millie's** super power is being kind. Three kind things she has done recently are:

- I have said, "Can I do anything for you, mum?"
- Shared my toys and lollies with Evie
- Hugged Oscar, my cat at night and turned on the fan because I know he likes it



## WHAT'S ON IN WAKEFIELD & BRIGHTWATER

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Circuit Class</b> 6:00am Casuals Welcome \$10 per session Wanderers Community Gym, Brightwater	<b>Live Well, Stay Well Group</b> 9:45am (fortnightly) Meets at various locations	<b>Circuit Class</b> 6:00am Casuals Welcome \$10 per session Wanderers Community Gym, Brightwater	<b>Circuit Class</b> 9:00am Casuals Welcome \$10 per session Wanderers Community Gym, Brightwater	<b>Circuit Class</b> 6:00am Casuals Welcome \$10 per session Wanderers Community Gym, Brightwater
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<b>Total Barre</b> 6:00pm Hope Community Hall	<b>Social Indoor Bowls</b> 1:00pm – 3:30pm \$2.50 per session Flat soled shoes preferred Wakefield Village Hall	<b>Energise Yoga</b> 9:30am – 10:45am Koroko Yoga Studio Brightwater	<b>Seniors Movement &amp; Balance</b> 10:30am Wanderers Community Gym, Brightwater	<b>Brightwater Pilates</b> 9:15am Lord Rutherford Park Hall
<b>Candlelit Yin</b> 6.30 – 7:45pm 4 week course starting 3/5 Koroko Yoga Studio Brightwater	<b>Junior Tennis Coaching</b> 3:30 – 6:30pm Waimea West Club	<b>Gentle Rest Yoga</b> 1:30pm – 12:45pm Koroko Yoga Studio Brightwater	<b>Energise Yoga</b> 9:30am – 10:45am Koroko Yoga Studio Brightwater	<b>Social Bowls</b> 1:00pm Names in by 12.45pm \$5 per session Free for under 16 yrs Flat soled shoes required Wakefield Bowling Club
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# Your Financial Future

by Russell and Becky Johnson, Licenced Financial Advisers

Do you have a KiwiSaver fund? If you do then you are an investor, you will have money invested in the share markets in New Zealand and around the world. However, many KiwiSaver investors do not give their investment the attention that it deserves. Let's face it, if you inherited \$100,000 dollars and decided to invest that for your future you would take it very seriously. You would want to know that it was going to achieve your investment goals and objectives.

For most of us, the money we have invested in our KiwiSaver Funds is going to provide a substantial part of our income and lifestyle once we decide to retire. You work hard to earn your money and your money should work hard for you. How hard it works can determine the quality of your lifestyle after to stop working.

## If you are employed...

– then your employer will match your contribution up to 3% and this greatly adds to the amount of money going into your KiwiSaver fund. What do you do though if you want to invest more into your KiwiSaver fund than the amount matched by your employer? You can of course increase the amount going into KiwiSaver, but access to this money is restricted. You cannot use it if you decide to retire earlier than the governments' nominated retirement age (which could change), or if you need it for an unexpected event. It is possible however to put the additional money into a fund alongside your KiwiSaver, it can be in a similar investment, but one you have access to if needed.

## If you are self-employed

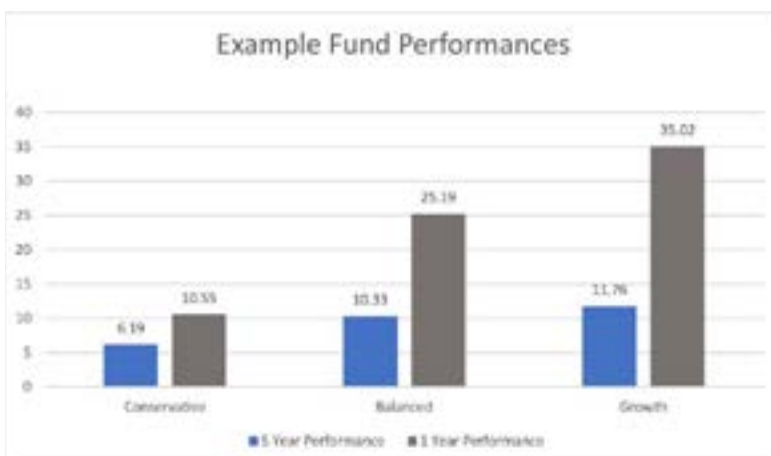
– you may need to make contributions directly into your KiwiSaver Fund by direct debit from your bank account. You will need to make both the employee and employer contribution to be inline with someone who is employed. You should consider taking professional advice to determine if KiwiSaver is the best option for you or whether to invest in a more sophisticated investment portfolio.

## Fund choice – or in default fund

Have you made a conscious choice on your KiwiSaver fund, or have you taken the default option? If you have taken the default option, then your KiwiSaver could be under-performing costing you your retirement income.

Whether you are employed or self-employed, the fund you have chosen will, over the medium to long term, determine how much money you have in retirement.

The graph below shows the performance differences of a KiwiSaver fund over 1 & 5 years. The difference in 5-year performance of the Conservative Fund at 6.19% and Growth Fund at 11.76% is very significant.



Over 25 years with \$400 per month invested (your \$200 matched by your employer), the Conservative Fund would be worth around \$271,800 and the Growth Fund around \$722,150. #

This demonstrates the importance of you being in the right KiwiSaver Fund for your needs and in seeking professional advice on the on your very important KiwiSaver Asset.

This information is intended as a guide only – it is not advice and seeking professional advice is highly recommended.

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# A Matter of Accounts

by Sonia Emerson, Chartered Accountant

## Self Employed Contractor or Employee?

In the current economic climate where times are tough for those in business, one trend that I have noticed is that less people are taking on waged employees. There is a real tendency for small business owners especially, to want to satisfy their additional labour requirements, by employing a subcontractor. But what does that actually mean? Are they actually self-employed, or still technically employees with a title of "subcontractor" and should the hirer then be deducting withholding tax instead of PAYE?

It doesn't really matter what you are called in your employment contract, or what the person who pays you calls you, it is the essence of the relationship that is important.

People often think that accounting is black and white, that there is one correct and obvious answer. But actually that is not the case, there is quite a bit of grey area when applying some of the IRD guidelines. This often requires you to work through a process in order to determine the answer [or of course seek the advice from an accounting professional]. Determining whether you might be a self employed contractor, or an actual employee is one of those types of areas.

Basically, it is incumbent on the business owner to clearly understand what separates and defines an employee from a self-employed contractor. It is important for you to know if you are employed, or self-employed, as there are very different tax and ACC laws that apply in each scenario.

When deciding whether you are employed, or self-employed, in many cases the answer will be obvious. For example, if you work for a large retail company on the counter, doing a job set by your boss, you are employed. However, if you own and run a fish and chip shop, you will be self-employed. If you have more than one job, you may be employed in one, and self-employed in another so you need to look at each job in isolation and apply the guidelines to each.

Remember, it's the essence of the relationship that is important. The following questions should help guide you.

### Are you an Employee?

If you answer "yes" to most of these questions, you are probably an employee.

- Do you have to do the work yourself rather than hiring someone else to do it for you?
- Can someone tell you at any time what to do on the job, or when and how to do it?
- Are you paid a set rate (for example, hourly, weekly, monthly or per unit of production)?
- Can you get overtime or penal rates?
- Do you work set hours, or a given number of hours a week or month?
- Does someone else set the standards for the amount and quality of your sales or output?
- Do you work at the premises of the person you are working for or somewhere that person decides?
- Are other people who do the same sort of job as you treated as employees?
- Are you under an employment contract (either individual or collective), or any law that says how your relationship with your "employer" should be run?
- Are you prevented from doing work for anyone else?
- Do you have to follow the rules or procedures of the person you are working for?

### Are you Self-Employed?

If you answer "yes" to most of these questions, it will usually mean you are self-employed.

- Do you decide or control how you do the work? For example:
  - o When you take holidays
  - o When, where and what hours you work
  - o The standard or quality of work
  - o How much you get paid and how
- Do you invest your own money in the activity in any way? For example:
  - o Could you sell the business?
  - o Do you support the business with your own money? For example, have you lent it money, or provided any working capital?
  - o Are you responsible for losses or your own bad management?
- Do you provide the major assets or working equipment needed for your job, (not just small tools, work clothing and/or vehicle to get to and from work)?
- Do you provide your own training?
- Are you responsible for getting the work done?
  - o Can you get other people to work with or for you, without needing to get permission from anyone else?
  - o Do you pay these people from your own funds?
  - o Are you free to do work for other people?
  - o Do you advertise on your own account?
  - o Do you arrange for someone else to do the work if you can't (for example, if you are sick)?
  - o Does your work contract say you'll be penalised if you stopped work, or left without completing a particular project?
  - o Do you have to correct unsatisfactory work in your own time and at your own expenses?

Hopefully this has helped you to establish whether you are employed, or self-employed. Next month we will talk more about what it means to be self-employed.

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# Wakefield & District Health Trust

by Don Everitt, Chairperson

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Our AGM is in July and it is time to make yourself known to us if you are interested. At present we meet monthly and there is some amount of board work between meetings.

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All expressions of interest must be received by 5pm Friday 18th June 2021.

## South Island Athletic Champs

On Friday 9th and Saturday 10th April a few of our Waimea College students who live in Wakefield headed to Christchurch to participate in the South Island Athletic Champs. It was a beautiful afternoon Friday for the competitors but Saturday was a bit more of a challenge with high winds. Here is what some of those students had to say about the weekend.

### Noah Lausen

On the 9th of April I went down to Christchurch to compete in the South Island Secondary Schools Athletics Competition. It started at 3.00pm on Friday afternoon and continued through until 5.00pm on Saturday. I competed in the 1500m at 4.00pm on Friday afternoon and placed 6th out of 14 other runners. I ran a personal best, it was a good race.

On Saturday the conditions were a bit rougher with rain in the morning and the wind picking up in the afternoon. I ran in the 800m at 11.00am and I was really pleased with my placement of third in the race. I loved the experience of competing against all the athletes from around the South Island. Even though I get a bit nervous before a race I enjoy the challenge. Overall Waimea College did really well throughout the different events.

### Tyler Bradley

As this is my first year at Waimea College I decided to challenge myself and compete in the 100 and 200 metre sprints for athletics. I got into the overall finals to compete against other secondary schools throughout Tasman. At this event I came in second place in the 200 metres which qualified me to go to Christchurch for the South Island Championship.

I travelled to Christchurch on Friday afternoon 9th April with my family. As I didn't have to compete until Saturday we had a leisurely drive down. I woke up Saturday morning to rain and was thankful that I had done a couple of races in the rain the week before the event so knew what it was like to run in the wet. By the time we got to the track the rain had stopped but the wind had started. My race for the 200 metres was at 9.40am. We had two heats and I was in the second heat. I got out of the blocks nice and quick but as I turned the corner the wind hit me and I couldn't go as fast as I wanted to. I came 4th in my heat which wasn't quite quick enough to make the finals but I was really proud of my effort on the day.



### Shaylee Manson

SISSA champs, held Friday and Saturday the 9th and 10th of April. My race wasn't until 4pm on Friday and I was dreading the 400m, so I talked my parents into looking around malls and shops to distract me from overthinking it. When we arrived at the track it was amazing and watching the other Waimea College competitors was great then the nerves kicked in... So I started warming up, then my race got called. As I set up my blocks the adrenaline kicked in and I couldn't wait for the race to start. It felt like the gun just went off and it was all over. The next day an early start of 200m and surprisingly I made the finals and it was very cold and windy. Overall it was such an amazing experience and opportunity watching others and competing. I can't wait for next season.



# Playcentre

by Rosie Hollands

It has been a short month for the Play Centre with a small break for Easter and then the end of the school term. But, as is usual for the Play Centre, it has still been as active as ever!



There have been some fantastic Easter craft creations unfolding and even a little Easter egg hunt at the Play Centre.

There was an excursion for the teddy bears down to the park for a teddy bears picnic, as well as a nature play in Faulkner's bush with some older siblings.

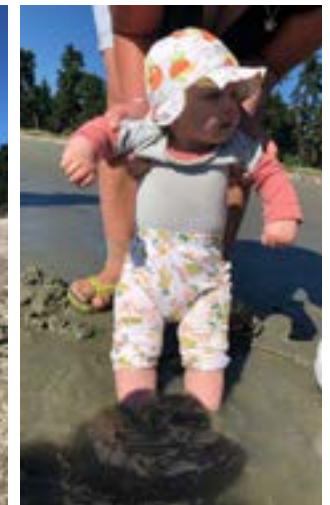
And then somewhere in there we also fit in our regular trip to Rabbit Island beach, always a favourite for the tamariki.

The Play Centre is so fortunate to have not only a fantastic facility, but to be able to explore the wonderful environment of Faulkner's Bush and also Edward Baigent Reserve.

Countless times I find myself very grateful to live in such a wonderful community that value such amazing spaces.

Thank you to those that help to keep these spaces protected and looking beautiful as always.

That's all from us until next term! As per usual there is lots of exciting ideas to keep us busy for another term, so if you have a little one who you think would like to join in on the fun, then please come down for a visit, Monday to Friday 9.30 to 12.00.



# Bowls

by Julie Hall

With our summer season now finished we had closing day on the 17th April with a game of bowls in the afternoon followed by a pot luck tea and quiz.

The winter season starts on May 15th and as in past years a very busy programme of bowls and social events.

Our last two open tournaments held in March sponsored by Wakefield Motors and the April one sponsored by Star Removals, again thank you to all our sponsors.

In April we also played a yearly trophy game against Richmond Bowling Club called the Washbourn Shield. This was donated to Wakefield Bowling club in 1922 by Dr Washbourn, he was never a member or played bowls! Next year will be the 100th anniversary so a very special event to come.

Wakefield Bowling Club itself opened on 25th November 1911.

Our first open tournament will be Queens Birthday weekend 5th and 6th June - a two day tournament which is generously sponsored by Wendy Pearson of Tall Poppy.

As always we are pleased to welcome people to have a go at bowls or just to have a look!

Please ring the clubrooms on 541 8556.

*Below - photo of Denise the President of Richmond Bowls Club receiving the Washbourn Shield at Wakefield.*



## Wakefield Community Toy Library

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## NEW TOYS!!!

Anyone who has stopped into the Toy Library recently may have noticed a few new toys added to the collection. Some of which include these beautiful John Deere tractors kindly donated to us from Drummond and Etheridge. A HUGE thank you to D&E for their generosity; they have been flying out the door to be put to work in many backyards already! Come to collect your kids dream tractor for a fortnight every Saturday, 9.30 to 11.30!



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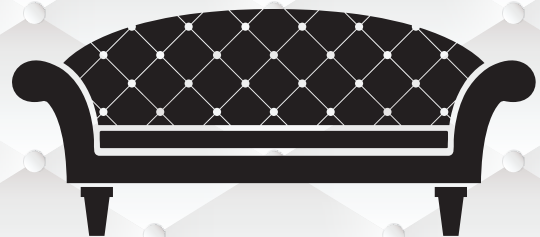
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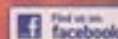
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# Town and Country Vet

by Brenda Halliwell, Vet

## DO YOU HAVE A SKINNY OLD CAT?

If you answered 'yes' then read on... Many of our cats look thinner as they get older. This can be just the normal aging process where muscle mass is lost due to being less active (just like people). But if your cat is looking skinnier and skinnier, that's not normal!

There are several common diseases that occur in older cats resulting in weight loss. These are:

- Hyperthyroidism (over-active thyroid gland)
- Kidney disease
- Diabetes

These diseases can be managed and enable our pets to live a good quality life. But left untreated, older cats have a poor quality of life and are likely to be euthanased earlier.

They can all be diagnosed quickly and easily with a blood test. And treatment can be as simple as popping a tablet into your pet's dinner. Some cases are more complicated however and require further tests and checkups along the way to keep your elderly cat well.

Unfortunately there are a lot of other diseases which cause cats to lose weight. Some can be treated with medicines or surgically, and others are untreatable. But it is much better for your pet to have a checkup so we can provide the appropriate care and give your pet the best quality of life for as long as they have left.

## Arthritis – the number one cause of chronic pain in pets

This colder time of year is when stiff old joints can become painful. Often the symptoms are mistaken for getting old and slowing down but many older pets can be suffering from undiagnosed arthritis. Pets rarely whimper, whine or complain about arthritic pain – they often just do less - dogs will watch you go to the washing line rather than go with you and cats will stop jumping up to the windowsill or other favourite high spots.

What can I do to help? There is no cure but arthritic pain and inflammation can be minimised by managing your pet's weight, exercise and treatment including physiotherapy.

Weight control – one of the most important things you can do for an arthritic animal is maintain their optimum weight. Extra kilograms are just more load on struggling joints.

Exercise management – Short, frequent walks on flat, soft ground will help maintain muscle mass and strength without high impact on joints. Swimming is great if it's not too cold!

Treatment options – there are many! A warm, comfy, well-padded bed away from draughts can make a huge difference. Massage, gentle flexion/extension of arthritic joints, acupuncture, good nutrition such as Hills j/d, nutraceuticals such as 4cyte and Grand Flex are all helpful. And of course, we can give anti-inflammatory medication and pain relief – these can transform an old pet's life.

Physiotherapy – There are many conditions that will be improved by physio including arthritis, joint sprains and muscle strains, post-surgery rehabilitation, neurological cases and performance enhancement eg agility dog.

Remember – age is not a disease! If your old cat looks skinny or your dog is slowing down, bring them in for a checkup.



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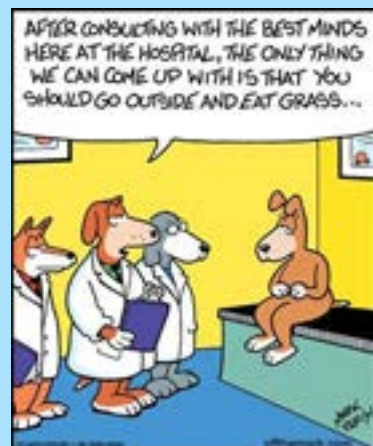
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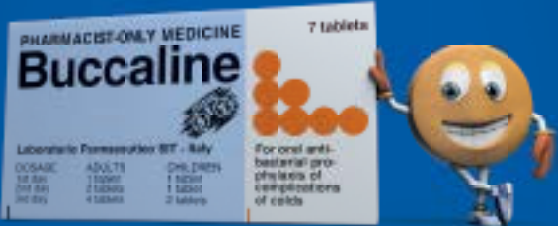
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Whether you have cattle, horses, dogs or cats, the staff at the Vet Centre always endeavour to treat each animal as an individual for personal patient care. Let us help you to treat your animals with the quality care they deserve.

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# Community Notices



## WAIMEA AREA QUILTERS 2021

AN EXCITING PROGRAMME FOR THE NEXT FEW MONTHS!

- MAY** SATURDAY 15<sup>th</sup>, SIT & SEW DAY AT ST. JOHNS CHURCH HALL WAKEFIELD  
10<sup>TH</sup> BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS  
LUNCH AT THE VILLA!
- JUNE** SATURDAY 12<sup>th</sup>, SIT & SEW AT ST. JOHNS CHURCH HALL, WAKEFIELD. \$5.00  
DOORS OPEN 9.00AM – 3.30PM BYO LUNCH.  
Dianne Thompson – Full Monty Project  
Fabric Assistance & preparation.  
Or bring your own project
- JULY** WINTER RETREAT AT PARETAI LODGE  
July 16,17,18<sup>th</sup> Full Monty Class with Dianne  
More info May Meeting.

Please bring the following: YOURSELF! And Show & Tell items you may have to share, sewing necessities!

or work on your project. Morning/Afternoon Tea provided.

**NEW LADIES OF ALL QUILTING/PATCHWORK LEVELS, ALWAYS WELCOME TO OUR FRIENDLY GROUP!**

Club Contacts for all information: Nicky ( Secretary) on 0273393444 or [muzzbuzz@ts.co.nz](mailto:muzzbuzz@ts.co.nz)

or Marilyn on 541 8435, Email: [marilyn.gibbs72@gmail.com](mailto:marilyn.gibbs72@gmail.com)

## ASSOCIATION OF ANGLICAN WOMEN (AAW WAIMEA)

Come and enjoy a lovely morning tea and meet some very friendly people.

At St Paul's Church Brightwater where everyone is welcome.

**Time: 10 am on the 25th May**

No cost, just come and enjoy the time, fellowship and food.  
Looking forward to seeing you.

For more information ring 541 8308

## WAIMEA SOUTH HISTORICAL SOCIETY INC.

### Notice of Annual General Meeting

To be held

In the Holy Trinity Church Hall

27 Dorset St Richmond

on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2021 at 2.00pm

Speaker: **Alan Rose** speaking about Clipper Ships the story of his Great Grandfather as written in the book "Driven by the Wind" by Karen Stadel.

Alan will speak first. Afternoon tea and the formal meeting will follow.

Everyone welcome

## Spring Grove Church of Christ

Main Road, Spring Grove

### Worship and Communion Sundays 10am

You are welcome to attend. Ph 541 8011

### "Gods Peace is Perfect"

*"You will keep in perfect peace him whose mind is steadfast, because he trusts in you"*

### Isaiah 26 vs 3, NIV



## WAIMEA PLUNKET PLAYGROUP

The Brightwater Community Anglican Church,  
68 Waimea West Road, Brightwater

Time: 9.30 – 11.30 am

Day: Thursday morning

Cost: FREE

If you have a child/ren from newborn to four, come and join our weekly playgroup.  
Open term time only.

We offer our Tamariki a small healthy Kai.  
and  
our caregivers hot drinks and something sweet.

Waimea Plunket Playgroup welcomes all Tasman families.  
So what are you waiting for?! We hope to see you there.

We will continue to provide this service at level two.

## WAKEFIELD ANGLICAN COMMUNITY LUNCHESES

The Community lunches have now commenced for this year. As long as we don't have to cancel due to Covid restrictions or other reasons the lunches will be held on the following dates: (third Thursday of each month at 12 noon).

May 20  
June 17  
July 15  
August 19  
September 16  
October 21  
November 18

## MEALS ON WHEELS DRIVERS WANTED

I'm needing volunteer drivers to deliver meals on alternate Mondays and Thursdays.

Meals are picked up from The Homestead Rest Home in Wakefield at 11am, and delivered to folks in the area from Foxhill to Brightwater. This usually takes approximately 1 1/2 hours.

This service enables elderly and unwell people to remain in their homes for longer.

If you think you can help with this community service, please phone Heather on 541 8151.

# Community Classifieds

## FOR SALE

Dolls new and old, also knitted and sewn clothes for your doll.

Will make to order, also will make favourite outfit into dolls clothes eg jeans and frocks.

Do dolls nappies, ponchos, jersies, hats, trousers, crossover frocks with matching nappies - ring Judy 541 8342

## WANTED

1 young cockatel male  
Phone 541 8314

## HORSE GRAZING AVAILABLE

3 acres hillside paddock off Totra View Road. Phone 021 162 8589

## FOR SALE

Bernina Sewing Machine 200  
Complete with embroidery package, hoops etc.  
Just serviced and in good condition.  
Manual and tutor discs etc.  
\$500 - phone Sue 027 364 0773

## FOR SALE

Gorilla Industrial Extension Ladder  
- hardly used \$200  
150Kg Maximum load  
Closed 3.1m - Extended 5.3m  
Weight 13.4Kg Model No EL10/17-1  
Contact: Sue 027 364 0773

## COUNTRY PLAYERS

### AGM

Thursday 13th May

7.30pm

Wakefield Village Hall

## August WANTED PRIVATE SALE

Looking for a minimum of 3 bedroom house in the Wakefield area to buy. Anything will be considered. Please call or txt Alice 027 764 0121

## WANTED

A copy of any photos of the Wai-iti Domain from 1900 to the 1960's. Needed for signage at the Reserve. Contact Ralph on 541 8859 or via email [ralphbnz@gmail.com](mailto:ralphbnz@gmail.com)

## FREE

4 chooks assorted. Three still laying, one an old granny.

Ring/ txt 021 250 9446 or ring 541 8950 evenings.

## CLEANER WANTED

Two hours per fortnight  
To help with general cleaning.  
Must be reliable and trustworthy.  
Rates by negotiation.  
Phone 541 9658 or 027 541 9658

## 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 541 8855.

## MAINLY MUSIC

Wakefield St Johns  
Anglican Worship Centre

Monday's 10.00am.  
Cost \$4.00 per family.

This is a time for parents and children to enjoy music, song, dance and lots of laughs. Any queries please phone Jill Stewart 541 8382.

## RAW FOOD

Come and see what raw foodies eat that gives them so much energy and vibrant health!

Every month we have a catered lunch at Broadgreen House in Stoke on the last Sunday of the month.

Cost is \$15 per person.  
Time: 12.30 - 2.30.  
Contact Sally for more info: 021 170 9443 or [sally@naturalnosh.nz](mailto:sally@naturalnosh.nz)

## Wakefield Craft Group

Come and join the ladies Craft Group held on Wednesday mornings in the Fire Brigade Supper Room Pigeon Valley Road 9.00am - 12pm

Bring any project - sewing, knitting, crochet. Learn to knit or crochet or just come for a look and join us for tea, coffee and company. Small donation

For more information phone Judy on 5418342

## INTERESTED IN LEARNING/PLAYING CHESS?

WHEN? 1st Thursday each month

TIME? 7.30pm-9.00pm

WHERE? Wakefield Library (by the Cenotaph)

CONTACT? Brian 541 9635



## Have you just had a baby or expecting one in the near future?

We have another exciting year of our Space programme planned for 2021 starting Feb 3<sup>rd</sup> at Wakefield Play Centre! Come to meet other families with tamariki similar ages, chat about parenting and child development topics, enjoy lovely music sessions, make some crafts for your baby to love, and have some time to relax with a cuppa! For more information email Fiona at [fiona.programmes@playcentre.org.nz](mailto:fiona.programmes@playcentre.org.nz) (Ph. 027 808 6797 or (03) 545 6512) or find our Facebook page @SPACENelson.



## Wakefield ART Group

Est 2012

Everyone Welcome. All levels of interest

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

For more information contact

Joyce 541 8832

E: [robbiej@amcom.co.nz](mailto:robbiej@amcom.co.nz)

Shirley E: [shirleyaudreyjones@gmail.com](mailto:shirleyaudreyjones@gmail.com)

# Community Directory

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

**Higgins Heritage Park**  
Secretary: David Win  
027 631 6786  
info@higginsheritagepark.co.nz

**Higgins Park Community Fair**  
David & Diane Win 544 7096  
info@higginsheritagepark.co.nz

**Rural Ramblers**  
Carolyn Mason 541 9200

**Spring Grove Drill Hall**  
C Stratford 542 3992

**Totaradale Golf Club**  
Megan or Jahola 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

**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 Amosa 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**  
Diane Higgins 03 542 4388

**St Joseph's Catholic Church**  
Sun 8am  
Parish Priest Seth Pijfers 544 8987

**Taoist Tai Chi**  
Deb Knapp 022 083 9332

**Waimea Sheepdog Trial Club**  
Colin Gibbs 541 8435  
marilyn.gibbs72@gmail.com

**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

**Marlborough Nelson Marine Radio Assn**  
Adrian Mullan 021 118 4832  
www.mmr.org.nz

**NZ Postcard Society Inc**  
Doug South 541 8980

**Richmond Lions - Wakefield Rep**  
Sue Burrowes 541 9689 or 027 364 0773

**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 Wed of every month

**Wakefield Community Council**  
Julian Eggers 027 771 8556

**Wakefield Indoor Bowls Club**  
Ren Olykan 541 8275

**Wakefield Preschool**  
Contact: 541 8086

**Wakefield School PTA**  
ptawakefield@gmail.com

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

**Wakefield Village Hall**  
Amby Cowe  
ambynz@hotmail.com  
541 8869

**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, Wakefield Bowling Club, Wakefield Football Club, Highfield Farm, Kohatu Flat Rock Cafe, Old Tadmor Store, Dovedale Hall, 29 Moonlight Road Glenhope, Corner of Totara View Road and Kilkenny Place, Southfells Spring Grove, Belgrove Cafe and Bar [what was], Lake Rotoiti Fire Station, Golden Downs Golf Club, 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 **fully self sufficient for at least three days**.

In the event of an emergency, for urgent public messages, tune in to:  
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# NEW LISTINGS FOR SALE



**5 Treeton Place, Wakefield**  
**Enquiries Over \$699,000**

2 bedroom double glazed home with separate double garage.



**74 Whitby Rd, Wakefield**  
**Enquiries Over \$749,000**

4+ bedrooms, 3 extra rooms, 1 bathroom, 1 internal access garage, quarter acre section.



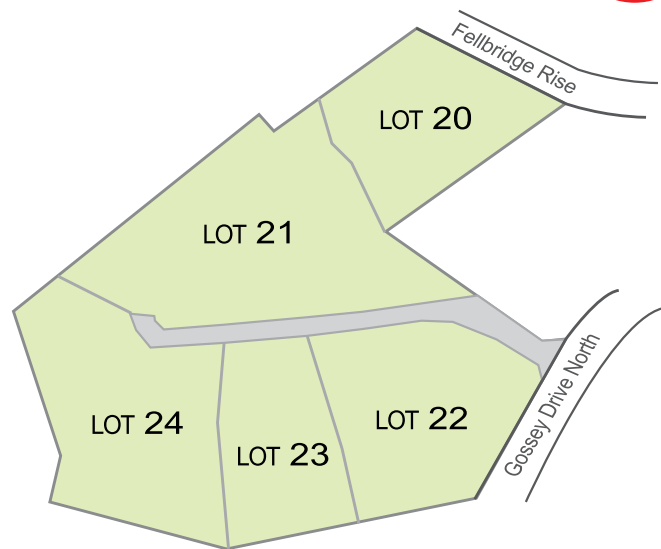
**22 White Road, Hope**  
**Enquiries Over \$719,000**

4 bedrooms, 1 bathroom, 1 garage, quarter acre section

## Premium Wakefield Sections



- ◆ Gorgeous mountain views
- ◆ Easy walk to the village
- ◆ Engineered Building Sites
- ◆ Titles anticipated Spring 2021
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