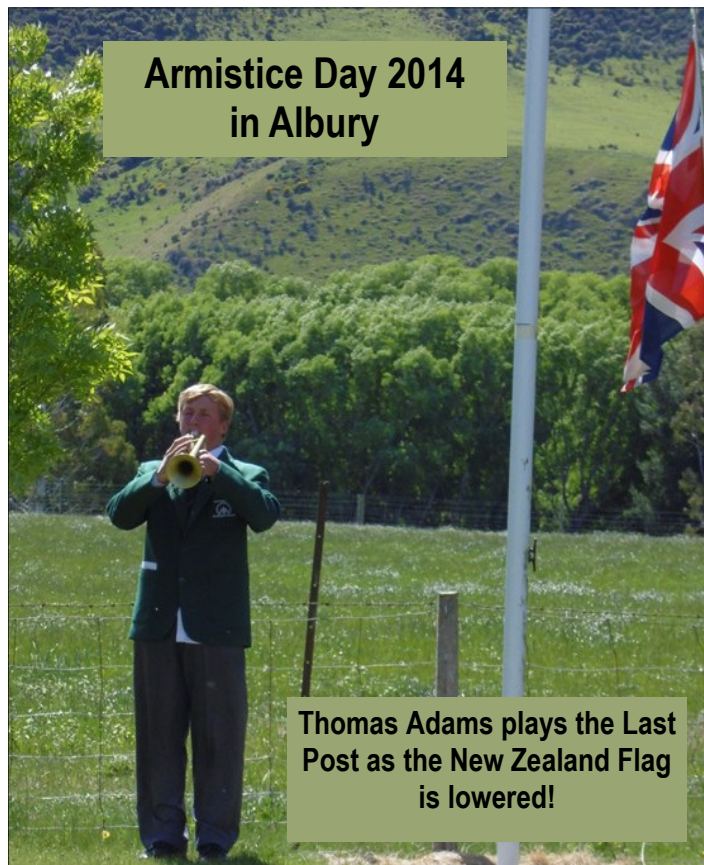


THE FAIRLIE ACCESSIBLE

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Armistice Day 2014 in Albury



Thomas Adams plays the Last Post as the New Zealand Flag is lowered!

On a windy **Armistice Day**, the 11th of November at 11am, members of the community, the RSA and Albury School children gathered at the Albury District War Memorial to remember the end of the First World War and those who fought in those far off lands!

Following readings, prayers and the laying of wreaths, morning tea was enjoyed at the flag adorned Albury Inn!

Heartlands to publish community diary on Facebook

Prompted by the numerous double and triple bookings of events on the one day in the area, Heartlands will create a community diary on their Facebook page, for use as a tool when planning events.

We are too small a population to support numerous events on one day and obviously the success of all events depends on attendance numbers.

It is simple, either ring, email or contact Heartlands on Facebook to list your event or meeting!
It will be your page for you to support and use!

KIMBELL MUSIC ARTS & CRAFTS DAY



Sunday 30th Nov 2014
11am to 6pm

Fingers crossed for a fine calm day on Sunday the 30th November as Kimbell hosts their inaugural Music Arts and Crafts Day

Live music all day with Mackenzie bands

'The B Minors' and 'The Mack Basin Band' opening the festival at 11am.

Award winning country singer/songwriter **Sarah Conlan** will be performing at 1pm with New Zealand's 2014 top country/folk duo 'Into The East' on stage at 2pm.

Christchurch's favourite party band, **Decoy Duck** will rock on through to the end of the day. They'll be on stage from around 4pm.

Acclaimed local artists, **Julie Greig and Randall Froude** will have a small gallery on site with Randall doing a demonstration painting which will be auctioned off, with proceeds going to the Neurological Foundation of NZ, at around 5.45pm.

There will be a range of art, craft and food stalls plus children's activities such as 'DIY fence art,' 'build a brain,' face painting and a bouncy castle! There will also be friendly llamas and alpacas to pat plus a stone carving demonstration.

Admission will be by donation to the Neurological Foundation of NZ.

Fairlie to light up for Christmas

The Christmas decorations, created in 2002 by the Fairlie Christmas Group have grown old and aren't looking so flash so this year we are asking the shop keepers along the Main Street and side streets to light up your shop windows to cheer the town at night!

Beginning the evening of the Fairlie Christmas Parade we will be inviting the lights to be turned on in the evenings through into New Year.

A few of the decorations can be retrieved but really we will be relying on the lights.

So we look forward to your support and the public will be invited to vote on the best lighting display with a \$100 prize being offered to the best display by the Christmas Group.

Note: Closing date for the next Accessible is Friday November 28th at 4pm

Email: accessible@xtra.co.nz Phone: Heartlands 03 685 8496 www.fairlienz.com

Dates to remember!

"Making the DIFFerence"

**DEER INDUSTRY FOCUS FARMS
SOUTH CANTERBURY/NORTH OTAGO**

TUESDAY 25th NOVEMBER 2014
from 12.30pm

Clayton Station, Clayton Road, Fairlie
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4 Wheel Drives Please

Hinds & Barley on the Hill
Production & Sustainability – Having it All

Guest Speakers:
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Luke Wright, Landcorp
Steve Penn - Landcorp

Finish 5.00pm with BBQ & Refreshments
Kindly supported by **Rabobank, Mountain River Vension**
& **Farmlands CRT Co-op**

ALL WELCOME

The next **Breastfeeding Works** Fairlie meeting is the last for the year. Pregnant, breastfeeding or supporting someone who is - we'd love for you to come along for advice, a chat and morning tea. See you at the Fairlie Playgroup School Road
10:30am Tuesday December 2nd

Fairlie's Christmas Parade is at 5.00pm on Friday 19th December!

Now we know this is drinks night, shout etc for many businesses but we are asking that before you start on that you might bring your work vehicle, put on a bit of tinsel and come join the parade!

It's for the kids! We ask girls, big and small to come as fairies and little guys to come as elves!
Yes we are sexist and really don't care!

Vehicles, old and new, floats, individuals on bikes, kids on bikes, little ponies pulling carts - we want you all!
Come along to the carols that follow on the Green!

Assembling opposite Moreh and the more the merrier!

Fairlie Dinner Group

The last gathering for the year to be held at

Red Stag 6.30pm
Wednesday 26th November

Bookings to Arlene 685 8657

Albury Ice Hockey Association Mackenzie Ice Hockey

Annual General Meeting
Tuesday 25 November 2014
7.30 pm

Lake Tekapo Community Hall
Aorangi Crescent, Lake Tekapo

Apologies to the secretary
Wilma van den Bosch 021 1541014
mackenzieicehockey@xtra.co.nz

Lake Tekapo NZ Made Fete

Sunday 8th March 2015

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Fairlie Playgroup AGM

Dessert at the Red Stag 26th November at 7pm

Tekapo School Public Meeting

Wednesday 3rd December 7.30pm
in the School library.

Meeting to develop a plan for the
75th Anniversary celebrations in 2015

All welcome.
tekaposchooljubilee@gmail.com

Hope for All

Anyone is welcome to come along and explore this message of
HOPE at an informal, mixed age discussion group.

Tuesday's at 10.00 am 103 School Road, Fairlie.
(Jodi Payne 685 8181)

Wednesday's at 7.30pm 11 Sloane street, Fairlie
(Peter and Chrissie Bell 685 8415)

Or check out www.hopeproject.co.nz and
www.10daychallenge.co.nz

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59 Main Street, Fairlie
Open 1-3pm **19th November** and **9th December**

We will be closed over the holiday season
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Fairlie Bakehouse (Bookings essential please phone 685 6063)



Stalls

*Pickles & Stitches –Lu Taylor
*Ankuro Charity Stall–Penny Wilson
*My Necklaces –Keri Bulling–Slocombe
*Michaelvale Peonies – Jo & Gerry O'Neill
*Hair Princess – Hair ties

Fairlie Learn to Swim 2015

Monday 5th - Saturday 10th January 2015
(6 consecutive mornings)

5 years of age and up only. \$40 per child registered.

Registration form available to download from
Mackenzie District Council website link...
(your community /facilities/ pools)
or pick up from Strathconan pool Fairlie.

Closing date: Monday 15th December

Enquiries: Cate Ross 03 685 8444
Julianne Sutherland 03 685 5721

Remember the reason for this
forthcoming season!

A time to think of others and give where we can!

MACKENZIE MARKET - Saturday mornings
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Rooms of Christmas

- a St Joseph's School Fundraiser -



Friday 12th December from 5.30pm

\$20 per ticket - with map and info attached

Available from Heartlands Fairlie
from 19th November (more info on pg 11)



- visiting private homes and ending with
the Tables of Christmas at the Red Stag
Entries are welcome for this!
Bring some cash for the raffle etc
Children 12 years and under are free and
must be supervised at all times!

Support the **BRONZ Toy Run** as it comes through Fairlie
7th December, by donating unwrapped Christmas gifts for
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prior to this date! At Heartlands! Giving is the joy of Christmas!

Fairlie Hotel Top Pub Phone 685 8061

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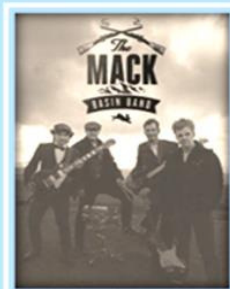
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Art auction on the day



Public entry by donation
- proceeds donated to
The NZ Neurological Foundation

EnergySmart - Healthy Home ballot coming up!

You gotta be in to win!

On Friday 28th November, **EnergySmart** celebrate the incredible milestone of 3000 Healthy Homes insulated in South Canterbury. Associated with this celebration is another ballot for home insulation!!!

Entry forms are being finalised now and we will have them here at Heartlands as soon as they are approved. Entries will close Monday 8th December and they will be having a live draw at **EnergySmart** on Friday 12th December.

Fairlie Accommodation Providers

Heartlands Display Window

Accommodation providers are most welcome to provide an A4 poster promoting your business for display in our window display cabinet!

This is a free service to you! A4 size only! Thank you

St Joseph's School Fairlie 75th Jubilee

30th January - 1st February 2015
**Registrations now extended
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**No further registrations will be
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Stephen Whittaker 685 4864
Grant Gibson 685 8561 Kelly Eason 685 8442
www.stjofairliejubilee.co.nz

Greetings everyone

Our last 'Gathering' for 2014 is coming up fast. I don't know where the days fly off to!

So it is next Thursday, at the gallery as usual, from 7:30pm, please BYO liquid refreshments, a small plate of snacks to share, and maybe a garden chair ...

The purpose of these wonderful evenings is purely for sharing of home-grown 'entertainment' from local 'performers', who are warmly invited to share their skills within that category.

Short funny stories, poetry, slides, songs, music and short plays are all very welcome! It's a great platform for fledgling (and more experienced) writers/speakers/entertainers to gain experience (and sometimes notoriety!), be appreciated and encouraged.

It always astounds me to see and hear what you all offer on the night, and to see the friendships found or rekindled – fantastic! It brings this beautiful community together.

Thanks to you all for your support and attendance.
We will set a date for January or February to kick off again, taking a break for December.
See you then! Julie

A Burkes Pass Gathering

~ for a night of poetry ~ stories ~ singing ~

~ amateur entertainers welcome ~

~ read your favourite poem ~ tell a great yarn ~

~ sing a song ~ play your ukelele etc ~

free entry, BYO refreshments & snack to share

Burkes Pass Gallery~7:30pm~Thursday 20th November

ph 03 685 6036 funded by Creative Communities

Mini van trips away 2014

26th November - Akaroa Leaving early but what a treat! Okains Bay - and lunch in Akaroa.
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December and it's a Christmas Treat! **Wednesday 17th** (note date change) Ring Anne 685 8496 Heartlands

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Mackenzie Ice Hockey Flourishes

Celebration of success will be the main theme at the Mackenzie Ice Hockey AGM on 25 November, with a number of noteworthy achievements from our younger players, which reflect the community support for the club.

The 2014 Aoraki Secondary School Sports Awards were held recently and the Sports Awards for Ice Hockey were awarded to Chris Rushton and Amber Midgley, both Mackenzie College students who play for the Mackenzie College Ice Hockey team and the senior Bull Tahr team.

Amber Midgley (17) qualified to take part in the 2012 IIHF Women's Development Camp in Vierumäki, Finland. This biennial camp is fully funded by the International Ice Hockey Federation to promote women's ice hockey.

Amber's dedication has now seen her selected for the Southern Women's Ice Hockey team, a combination team with players from Dunedin, Gore, Alexandra, Queenstown and Mackenzie. The competition is played over summer in Auckland, Christchurch and Dunedin.



James Russek (11), a Waihi School student from Tekapo, was part of the Southern Knights team that won the 2014 National Peewee Tournament (U13). The Southern Knights is also a combined team from the southern region and James spent many weekends in August, September and October travelling to Dunedin to practice with his team. Followed by tournaments in Auckland and Dunedin.

Flynn Linton, a Mackenzie Ice Hockey player from Pleasant Point, also practiced in the development squad for the Southern Knights.

Luca Midgley (13) will travel to Newcastle, Australia to play with the Southern Knights in the Friendship Games from 21st to 29th March 2015. He is following in the footsteps of Kyle Bell (13) who travelled to Aldergrove Canada in 2013 to play in this international tournament against teams from the USA, Canada, Japan and many more.

As the name suggests, the Friendship Games are organised to promote the values of friendship and to encourage cultural interaction and development.

The financial cost of success is high due to travel, accommodation and ice time expenses and these players are all very grateful for the support of local businesses and organisations.

Donations from the Albury Ice Sports Foundation, Tekapo Springs and the Southern Trust and sponsorship from many local businesses, enable Mackenzie Ice Hockey to offer affordable ice hockey to all our local children.

Alongside this, the Lions Club and a number of local businesses have supported individual players as they travel to represent the Mackenzie.

Mackenzie Ice Hockey is now in the process of establishing a special fund to help players who are representing Mackenzie in regional and national teams and to give promising players the opportunity to develop their skills by attending national and international ice hockey camps.

In 2014 the club had over 30 players under 13. Many of these young players will go far and Mackenzie Ice Hockey wants to give them the opportunity to focus on their play and success.

contributed



From left to right: James Russek, Amber Midgley, Luca Midgley, Chris Rushton and Kyle Bell (in Canada)

**Mackenzie Ice Hockey would like to thank all our 2014 sponsors and in particular:
Albury Ice Sports Foundation, Tekapo Springs, The Southern Trust,
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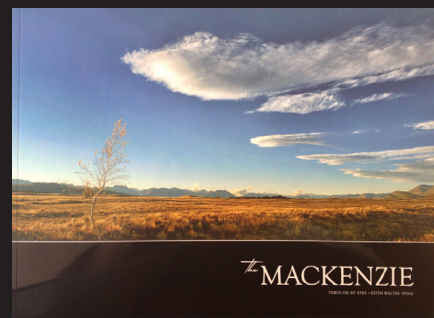
*(the artist needs to get some
work done!)*

ph 03 685 6026

Tekapo Housing Forum

The first meeting of the Tekapo Housing Forum will
be held on **Friday 28th November at 9am**
at the Tekapo Community Centre Hall.

The need for worker accommodation in Tekapo
affects our entire community. The Tekapo Housing
Forum will bring together all stakeholders in this
issue, business, community
and council to form a solution. This is an open
meeting and everyone is welcome. For further
information contact Mackenzie District Community
Development Worker, Amy Lamb,
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Tekapo Lakefront Development Public Drop-In Session

Members of the public are welcome to drop in at the Tekapo Community Hall on Tuesday, December 2, any time between 4pm and 6pm
to discuss the proposed Tekapo Lakefront Development.

Council staff and members of the Tekapo Property Group will be available to provide information and talk about the draft Traffic
and Landscape Plan. A representative from the Youth Hostel Association will also be available to discuss their plans to build a new youth hostel.
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This scholarship will be awarded to a person who has not gained any other scholarship, so candidates will be expected to indicate if they have applied for another scholarship.

Lions reserve the right not to award any scholarship.

Short listed applicants will be required to attend an interview.

Applications close on the 28th November 2014

with forms available from

The Secretary, 5 Mt Cook Road, Fairlie (BP 2Go)
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*The Bursary will be awarded at the discretion of the selection
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Details of the bursary and application forms are available from:

The Secretary, The Mackenzie Lodge No. 93
21 North Terrace Geraldine 7930
Phone 03 693 7271

or Mackenzie College and Twizel Area School.

**Applications must be on the prescribed form and
received by the Secretary no later than 5.00pm on
Friday November 21st 2014**

J Stewart (secretary)



Lions Club of Lake Tekapo BILL APES MEMORIAL GRANT

Applications are now being sought by the Lions
Club of Lake Tekapo for worthy recipients of the
Bill Apes Memorial Grant.

Applicants must be resident in the area served by
the Lions Club of Lake Tekapo and be aged 17
years or older. They will be seeking funds to better
themselves or the district eg. health and education.
Sporting applications are excluded.

Closing date for applications is
Friday 18 December 2014

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Safety on our roads

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With the Festive Season and school holidays fast approaching it is timely to consider planning our routes and considering what time of day we travel. Obviously early morning is an excellent time, before all the others get on the road perhaps!

A recent incident here in Fairlie made us aware of the problems experienced with a GPS. A couple of vehicles with delightful Indian visitors turned up at the Fairlie Foodmarket, asking how far to Te Anau. They were asked where they had come from, Queenstown, they replied.

The shop assistant began to explain that they were driving in the opposite direction to where they should be going and asked why they had come this way? They had put Milford into the GPS and for those of you who don't know, there is an area between Temuka and the sea called that!

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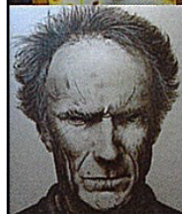
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Mayoral Message

It is early Monday morning and as I look out the window I can see that the sky is clouding over and the day is turning from blue to grey outside. It's pretty typical of spring - as were the strong winds over the weekend that threw branches, leaves and blossoms all over our nicely mown lawns!

On the noticeboard in the reception area of MDC I have smiled as someone has been counting down the Fridays until Christmas. Last Friday the number changed from Fridays to 'sleeps' and at that stage there were only 40 sleeps until Christmas. I know that will seem an eternity for children but 40 sleeps? Where did the year go?

Thinking back over the year, some of the Council highlights have been the completion of the Twizel Public Toilets, the rebuild of the Old Library Café in Fairlie, the progression of the first stage of the Tekapo Lakefront Development (we hope to be starting the earthworks in early January), and (in spite of the controversy that surrounded the land sale) the promise of a stylish new Meridian building in the Twizel Town Centre which Council believe will add to the year-round vibrancy of Market Place.

The continued progress of the Lake Tekapo Footbridge project, the installation and unveiling of the Trooper Mackenzie statue in Fairlie, as well as the outstanding efforts and results of the High Country Medical Trust in their fundraising campaign to build the new Twizel Medical Centre have given the Mackenzie an atmosphere of a place that is forward-focussed and progressive.

None of this would be happening if it weren't for the determined efforts of a variety of enthusiastic locals who give of their time and energy (freely) to build a better place for us and for future generations. Every successful project is the result of the vision and drive of an individual or group within our community and I would like to say a very big "Thank you" to all of them. Keep up the good work.

Today, I am off to a meeting in Geraldine with the board of the NZ Walking Access Commission and following that I shall be giving Mayor Gary Kircher (Waitaki District) a tour of the Mackenzie - reciprocating an earlier visit I made to his district.

As we share an important tourism product (Alps 2 Ocean Cycleway), we believe it is useful to have a greater understanding of the qualities and products of one another's district and be able to confidently talk about the whole Cycle Trail rather than just our portion of it.

There is stargazing and flying on the itinerary and I am just hoping that the weather is kind over the next 24 hours.

Later in the week I shall be in Wellington with the Chief Executive and Deputy Mayor, attending the Local Government NZ Rural/Provincial Sector meeting. This is the forum where all rural and provincial councils in NZ come together to be briefed on issues that are relevant to our sectors. It is also a very good opportunity to network with other CE's and Mayors to discuss common problems and share solutions. With Christmas rapidly approaching and many outdoor events planned I would like to encourage you to get along to as many events as you can and wherever you can, buy local. Don't ever underestimate the value to our businesses of the local customer. Mayor Claire

Aoraki Positive Aging Forum meets in Fairlie!



Robyn Baldwin, Amy Lamb, Mayor Claire Barlow, Robyn Hewson and Kylie Murphy enjoying the get together in Fairlie

Aoraki Positive Ageing Forum

Aoraki Positive Aging Forum held their meeting in Fairlie last week. The goal of the Forum is to improve the aging experience in our Aoraki community, from Timaru to Twizel, with a varied focus on the many issues related to aging.

In attendance were representatives from South Canterbury Health Board, South Canterbury Alzheimers, Presbyterian Support Services, Heartland Service Centres for Waimate and Fairlie, South Canterbury Parkinsons, Timaru Senior Citizens, Sport Canterbury and Age Concern.

The focus of this meeting was on the challenges and achievements relating to positive ageing in our rural communities. The key issue of transport which is provided by our local community vehicle trusts was applauded as was the effort being made by the Heartlands Fairlie Resource Centre, Waimate Heartlands and Twizel Community Care Trust to support the ageing population.

One of the key challenges raised by these rural support agents was the lack of access information on what resources and support are available to the aged population and what the eligibility criteria for gaining support is especially from govt. agencies. This will be an ongoing project for the Forum.

This was a positive and informative exchange and the Aoraki Positive Ageing Forum should be congratulated for visiting and making an effort to spend time in our district and understand our unique rural needs.

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Fairlie Primary School news

Blood, Sweat and Cheers were on the menu at the South Canterbury Primary Schools Mountain Biking Competition on Monday 11th November.

The team had trained hard prior to the event, spending their lunch times racing around our local river track.

Everyone was challenged to race in higher gears and push themselves harder every day.

This was rewarded with exceptional results:

Angus Clarke 1st, George Kerr 3rd, Ben Jordan 4th

Awa Mangu 5th in a large field of Year 5 and 6 boys.

Cassie Anderson was our top placed girl. Worthy of a mention are the efforts of all the competitors, Ashton Campbell, James Guerin, Henry Kirk, Penny Ross, Tegan James and Angus Munro.

contributed



Angus Clarke and George Kerr

Rooms of Christmas - December 12th

The prospect of five homes opening their doors to the public as a fundraiser for St Joseph's School is exciting and to get such great support is heart - warming! Each person will show their interpretation of Christmas; Paula's is 'Glitz and Glamour', Nic's 'A Country Christmas', Angela's 'A Principal's Choice',

Anne's 'A traditional Christmas' while the final room at the Musterer's High Country Accommodation will be a total delightful surprise! Once you have visited the rooms, it is off to the Red Stag for nibbles as you help judge the "Tables of Christmas" and celebrate the season with friends and others in the community! Refer to advert on page 3 and we look forward to seeing you!



Have your say on local waterways



People with an interest in local waterways are invited to come and talk to members of the Orari-Opihi-Pareora Zone Committee and the Temuka Community board.

The community meetings will focus on three of the key issues facing local water management:

- Water quality in Waihi and Temuka
- Stormwater management
- Flood Plain management

This is your chance to come along and have your say.

Meeting details

Temuka

7:30pm, Wednesday, 19 November

A.D. Hally Lounge, Community Centre, Alpine Energy Stadium, Temuka Domain, Domain Ave



GALLEN DESCENDANTS FAMILY REUNION

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The call has gone out for all descendants of Jamie (James) Gallen and Eleanor McDaid Gallen to meet in Fairlie for a Gathering of the Gallens mid January 2015.

We have Robinson, Keenan, Wade, Harnett, Dick and, of course, Gallen descendants scattered throughout the globe accepting the call.

There are currently well over 100 descendants of the original family registered to attend the three-day gathering, ages ranging from the late 80's to the new born. Nine of the original 13 children of Jamie and Eleanor emigrated to New Zealand, with three leaving it to the other six to keep the family name alive, and they are posthumously recognised for doing such an amazing job! All settled in the Albury/Fairlie district. These nine were: William, Hugh, Hannah, Joseph, Catherine, Eleanor, Winifred, Edward and Michael.

Of the remaining four, two (John and Mary-Ann) emigrated to the United States and two (James and Bridget) remained in Ireland.

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This is much appreciated and will go a long way in paying for local services for the event. We include a photo of the presentation from Trust Aoraki at the Top Pub which is where the Trust has gaming machines that fund these sports grants.

We also take this opportunity to thank the local businesses in town who generously sponsor these events.

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Fairlie Early Learners

It's been a busy few weeks, welcoming new children
and their families to the new preschool. Our official
opening was attended by around 30 adults and
children, which was a heartening turn-out. Tewera
King, Upoko O Arowhenua (Head of Arowhenua
Marae) carried out a Maori blessing, which was very
emotional and special to witness. Mayor Claire
Barlow officially opened the centre, with a little
help from Ella Metcalf and Isla Liken. Afterwards,
there was an opportunity to share some kai and have
a look around the new facility.

Over the past few weeks, ngā tamariki have been
learning about plants and how to care for them.
They have planted a variety of vegetables seeds
(and sunflowers, of course) and they are taking
much interest in their care and growth. Play dough
muffins have led on to cooking muffins and scones,
which have been enjoyed by everyone.

Up-coming Open Days:

Friday 21st Nov 10:30 - 11:30am

Monday 24th Nov 2:30 - 3:30pm

Tuesday 25th Nov 9:30 - 10:30am

Wednesday 26th Nov 10:30 - 11:30am

Thursday 27th Nov 3- 4pm

Activities will be available for the children to
participate in, whilst parents/caregivers have an
opportunity to look around the centre. Refreshments will
also be available. We have tried to arrange different
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Supply of alcohol to under-18s

The summer holidays can be a very social time, and definitely the case for teenage children enjoying a well-earned break after a busy school year. Unfortunately summer is also characterised by underage drinking and it's sometimes ugly consequences. While sadly this is nothing new, the law around supplying minors with alcohol is. In December last year it became illegal to supply alcohol to someone under the age of 18 years unless:

- * the person supplying the alcohol is the parent or legal guardian and the alcohol is supplied in a responsible manner, or
- * the person supplying alcohol has the express consent of the young person's parent or legal guardian and the alcohol is supplied in a responsible manner.

Parents can be fined up to \$2,000 if they don't follow these rules. One year on from these changes there is still confusion amongst some parents about when and how they can supply alcohol to their under age children.

I have seen notes that minors have come up with to get their parents to sign and then supply them alcohol, which the minors then take to parties to drink. This is not lawful and could be putting the parent in a position of liability, under this section of the law.

If supplying alcohol to any minor, parents must believe on reasonable grounds that he or she has the express consent of the parent or guardian of the minor. Expressed consent means actually speaking to the parents and gaining their permission.

A big focus of the new law is supplying alcohol in a responsible way. Responsible supply involves taking steps such as supervising the consumption of alcohol, providing food, offering low-alcohol and/or non-alcoholic drinks and ensuring safe transport options are in place. When supplying alcohol you should also think about what might be appropriate considering the age of any under-18s you are giving alcohol to, the volume and strength of the alcoholic drinks, and the duration and type of event you are hosting or that your under-18s are attending.

So for example you could find yourself liable, if you are coaching an under 18 rugby team and you supply the lads some beers to celebrate a great season. To do so you would have to have gained permission from all the parents to supply the team members who are under 18 years. Plus you would have a choice of non alcoholic beverages, low alcohol beer as well as food available. You should also be thinking of how you are supervising the boys and what transportation is available. Of course transportation is important for those under 20 as they are not allowed to have any alcohol at all if they are driving.

Parents buying their underage teenagers bottles of alcohol and sending them out to the great wide world to party up would also find themselves liable, as that is clearly not supervising the consumption of alcohol or supplying alcohol in a responsible manner.

The same sort of scenario would be for any pre or post ball function. If supplying alcohol to a minor, then expressed permission is needed. This is not blanket permission it must be express and you must have it for each occasion you supply or intend to supply alcohol to a minor.

So why all the rules and why did Parliament not just say 'no alcohol' for anyone under 18? The Government did not want to take away the right of any parent to teach their children to drink in a responsible manner, but they wanted to put some controls around the supply of alcohol reaching minors.

Please think carefully about supplying your under 18 year old children with alcohol. Morally and legally, it's up to parents to ensure they are safe and out of harm's way.

Shayne Broughton
Health Promoter Liquor Licensing.



Ben Dunbar



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The phoenix arises from the ashes as the renovations of the **Old Library Café** near completion. Congratulations to L and L Construction especially Richard Herlund on a job well done, exposing the brick and beauty of the rimu in the building! We look forward to the re-opening!

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Mackenzie Community Library News

We are currently drafting a customer survey (in paper format and online) to ask our customers what they would like to see happening at their library. We will be putting forward questions such as opening hours, new collections (e-books/dvds) and new services (adult education basic computer night classes, preschool storytime sessions, a homework club, and a digital citizenship information evening). Keep an eye out in The Accessible and at the library to have your say!

We are also revamping our Summer Reading Programme to encourage young children to use the library. We want them to know that the library is a vibrant and exciting place to come, and that reading is fun! This free programme is sponsored by Fairlie Lions and Creative Communities NZ, and is open to Mackenzie children aged from four years old to Year 6. The programme starts on Monday 15 December 2014 and finishes on 23 January 2015. We will be taking enrolments from 1 December 2014.

All you have to do is bring your child in to the library and set a reading target for the holidays with a librarian - the minimum is 4 books. The books must be from the Mackenzie Community Library, and should be at your child's reading level - we can help select books at the right level. As your child finishes reading each book, they come and tell us about the book they have read.

We'll stamp their booklet and they will also receive a small incentive prize for each book that they read.

Local businesses Daz's Coffee Lounge, Fairlie 4 Square, Gladstone Grand Hotel and the Strathconan Swimming Pool, have also been very supportive by offering some freebies for the kids participating. If participants reach their reading target by 23 January 2015, they will be

awarded with a book to keep, a certificate and a goodie bag.

Don't forget we have a late night –

Thursdays until 6.30pm. Please

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An Albury welcome



St Martins congregation welcoming their new Vicar at last Sunday's service. Michelle Cockell is now the Priest in charge of the Temuka and Te Ngawai Parishes.

Michelle and husband Gord are from Ontario, Canada, and arrived in New Zealand only last week (pictured on left in back row).

The couple very much enjoyed the local ritual of the 'aftermatch' at the Albury Pub!

We can't do this alone!

The Accessible is your community paper and we invite contributions from individuals, clubs and organisations!

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Aoraki Mount Cook Mackenzie Marketing Update - November 2014

The weather is still settling but the approaching summer season is looking promising according to feedback from tourism businesses in the region. Forward bookings are looking good and the excitement of more visitors is in the air.

AA 101 Must Do's 2014

It's that time again and the Aoraki Mount Cook Mackenzie region is once again a favourite for kiwis. AA's 101 Must Do campaign is running again and you can vote for your favourite 'Must Do'. Highlighted within the region is The Cairns Golf Course in Lake Tekapo and Glacier Kayaking with Southern Alps Guiding in Aoraki Mt Cook. Images are also uploaded by viewers which have included:

Lake Pukaki and Mt Cook
Cycling around Lake Tekapo
Church of the Good Shepherd
The Sealy Tarns & Hooker Valley
Lake Ruataniwha
Visit www.aatravel.co.nz/101/ to view and vote!

Christchurch Airport News

Christchurch will receive the largest increase in airline seat capacity compared to other NZ ports. An increase of 11% will come from most airlines as strong global inbound demand outpaces supply. New services by China Airlines, and increasing frequencies by Air New Zealand, Fiji Airways, Jetstar, Qantas, Singapore Airlines and Virgin Australia have led to a double-digit increase this coming season. The increase in demand for seat capacity will result in a significant expansion of regional tourism benefits for the entire South Island.

Christchurch Airport was the fastest growing point of entry for Chinese travellers arriving in New Zealand last year, with an increase of 48% in Chinese arrivals for year ended June 2014. Christchurch Airport have announced an expanded charter programme during Chinese New Year 2015. They have also announced a partnership between Christchurch Airport and one of China's largest travel agencies, GZL International Travel Service Ltd. With a full calendar of marketing activities to further raise the South Island's profile, GZL International Travel Service Ltd will work with airlines to bring Chinese visitors to the South Island.

Come and meet me in Twizel!

I will be in Twizel this Friday for a 'drop-in' session. This provides an opportunity to come and discuss your tourism related issues one-on-one. I look forward to seeing you!
Date: Friday 21 November
Venue: Shawtys Café, Market Place, Twizel
Time: 11am – 1.30pm

Out and About on our tracks and trails

If you're out and about on the regions walking tracks, whether cycling, hiking or going on a family stroll, take a snap and send it to me! I would love to post locals photos on our social media throughout the summer season.

If you have any questions about the information in this column or regarding tourism in the Mackenzie region, please contact me, I would love to talk to you.

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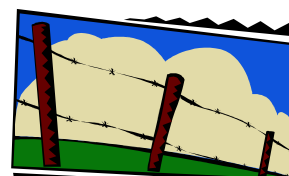
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Mackenzie College talent showcased

The Mackenzie College Young Performers' Concert was held on the evening of Nov. 4th, and once again featured some exceptional talent. Vocalists shone throughout the night, as did piano players, guitarists, the school orchestra and the Kapa Haka group.

There was even a rendition of the Cup Song from the movie Pitch Perfect.

The first half of the evening showcased solos. The bravery shown by so many students to get up on stage by themselves was impressive. Following a brief intermission were the Best Group and Best Duet categories.

Judge Catherine Day had a monumental task choosing winners, as the calibre was so notably high. Following the concert, Catherine commented on the high standard exhibited throughout the evening.

Prior to the prize giving, the recipient of the Midland Masonic Music Scholarship for Mackenzie College was announced.

This was awarded to Bradley Staley.

A special presentation was made to the strong group of Year 13 musicians who will be leaving the College at the end of the year. Although they will be greatly missed, the calibre of the younger students' performances leaves no doubt that the future of music at Mackenzie College is in excellent hands.

Winners were:

Best Group Performance Cup – donated by Mrs Heather Fifield

– Vocal group of Mieka Taylor, Charlotte Willson, Peggie Barnes, Caitlin Holmes and Megan Hay

Best Duet Performance Miniature – Charlotte Willson and Brett Walker

The Mackenzie Lodge No. 93 Music Awards –

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Best Yr 9/10 Soloist - \$50 and a miniature – Claudia Willis

Best Yr 11/13 Soloist - \$50 and a miniature – Brett Walker

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Best Group Performance

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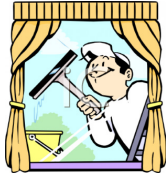
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Pte. William LAWTON, 6/3772, 2nd (South Canterbury) Infantry Reg. 9th Reinforcements. (*Labourer*) Embarked 8th Jan 1916. KIA, Battle of the Somme, France, 1st October 1916. NOK, Mr A Lawton (*brother*), Tisbury, Southland. Body not recovered. Listed on Caterpillar Valley (NZ) Memorial, Longueval, Somme, France, and at Albury.

L/Cpl Gordon Richard MAHONEY, 36464, G Coy, NZ Rifle Brigade (*Labourer*) embarked 19th January 1917. KIA, Battle of Ypres, 4th October 1917. Son of Richard Mahoney, Blacksmith of Albury (later 'Mahoney's Hill', Washdyke) Attended Albury School. Played rugby for Albury F.C. Body not recovered. Listed at Tyne Cot Memorial, Zonnebeke, West Vlaanderen, Belgium. Listed on Albury and Washdyke Monuments. Yet to be listed at Fairlie.

Tpr. Joseph MAHONEY, 7/2284, 8th (South Canterbury) Mounted Rifles & Imperial Camel Corps, 10th Reinforcements. (*Farm labourer*) embarked 4th March 1916. DOW, Washdyke, 23rd June 1922. Son of Richard Mahoney, Blacksmith of Albury. Brother of G.R. Mahoney. Buried at Timaru. Attended Albury School. Played rugby for Albury F.C. Listed on Albury Monument. Yet to be listed at Fairlie.

Pte. William MAYLEN, 49638, 2nd (South Canterbury) Infantry Reg. 27th Reinforcements (*Ploughman*) embarked 12th June 1917. DOD, France, 28th March 1918, aged 23. Son of Jane Maylen of Latheron Wheel, Caithness, Scotland. Worked for Brays at Cricklewood when enlisted, had his farewell at the Te Ngawai School 25th May 1917. Buried at Doullens Communal Cemetery (Ext. No 1), France. Listed on Latheron Monument (Caithness), and at Albury.

Pte. Joseph McGOWAN, 10/2051, Wellington Infantry Batt. 4th Reinforcements (*Labourer*) embarked 17th April 1915. DOD, Wesley Ewart Hospital, Wellington, 12th October 1923, aged 32 (of decease caught while on active service). Served at Gallipoli. Son of Joseph McGowan, Wheelwright of Albury. A brother served in the Australian Forces. Attended Albury School. Played rugby for Albury F.C. Yet to be listed on Albury and Fairlie Monuments. Died after Albury Monument & Albury F.C Honours Board were erected.

L/Sgt. Alexander McINNES, 6/518, 2nd (South Canterbury) Infantry Reg. Main Body. (*Farm labourer, later Store Manager*) embarked 16th October 1914. KIA, at the 'Daisey Patch' Gallipoli, 8th May 1915. Son of Malcolm McInnes of Hamilton, (later Scargill). Born Port Levy 1888. Brother, Trooper Malcolm McInnes (Canterbury Yeomanry Cavalry) was KIA during the August offensive at Gallipoli. Was a Store Manager at Cave at the time of his enlistment. Played rugby for Albury F.C. Body not recovered. Listed on Twelve Tree Copse (NZ) Monument, and at Cave and Albury.

Pte. Thomas Ford McNICKEL, 10/2697, Wellington Infantry Reg. 6th Reinforcements. (*Farm labourer*) embarked 14th August 1915. Gallipoli, DOD, Egypt 22nd November 1915. NOK; J. McNickel (*brother*) of Riverton, Southland. Worked for F. H. Smith of 'Waratah', Te Ngawai, at time of enlistment. Buried at Cairo War Memorial Cemetery, Egypt. Listed on Riverton Monument. Not listed at Albury. Yet to be listed on Te Ngawai, Albury and Fairlie Monuments.

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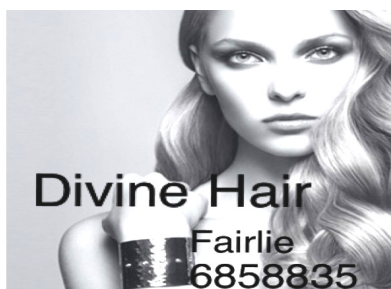
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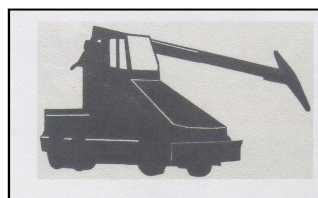
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**Garden Club members kindly donated and planted
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We look forward to watching them flourish.

Annual Trip Away – number 9 – saw 23 members travel to Invercargill. An early Saturday morning start, smoko at Nosh, then on to Gwyneth and Les Pullar at Waikouaiti. A magnificent huge garden with hosts, the nicest you would meet. Lunch at Blueskins Nursery, then full steam to Admiral Court Motor Inn. Great accommodation, hospitality superb, so happy hour went with a bang, as did the entertainment on both nights. Dined out at the Workingmens Club, as did the Outram Garden Club, so lots of contacts swapped.

First garden on Sunday at 9am was Pita and Sandy Dawson at Clifton. Their son was killed in the Christchurch earthquake and never found, so part of their garden was a memorial to him. It was hard to put a finger on what it was about this garden except to say it had a lovely feeling walking around it.

Travelled to Greenhills near Bluff to visit "Beachcomber Cottage" owned by Marilyn and Alan Clark. OMG, this was mind blowing, it had to be seen to be believed. Once you got your head around all the buoies and the creations made with them, there were super plants and ideas. Beautiful lunch at Oyster Cove at Bluff, was followed with an "official" photo at the signpost – several had never been to Invercargill or Bluff.

The whole afternoon was spent at Maple Glen in Wyndham – wow. Rob Davis and his elderly parents work this 25 acre garden and nursery. It was absolutely unreal and our time was perfect to view the azaleas, rhodies and other magnificent blooms, which attracted heaps of bird life. Rob took us on a conducted tour and definitely was a name fanatic.

Dined at the Cabbage Tree at Otatara on Sunday night, which would have to be highly recommended. A long trip home, all weary but still laughing – a good trip always becomes a great one, when everyone is back at their doorstep. Special thanks to the drivers and to "Heather from heaven" for the fab meals that awaited me and the drivers Jo Rowland and Jill Haugh.

Isobel Habraken

Mini Van Trips in 2015

We are already thinking of next year and where we might go on our trips so this is how it is looking so far!

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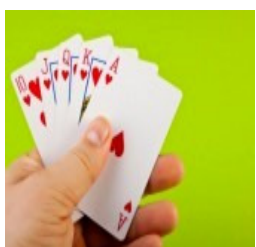
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5th November

A Braddick and A Edmonston	62.5
L Gallagher and B Tiffen	61.3
J Carson and A Blakemore	50.0

12th November

L Gallagher and B Tiffen	73.8
M McColl and C Marshall	52.5



Thank you

Thank you to everyone who gave me such a lovely farewell before I moved back to Auckland and the family. I was overwhelmed with your caring. Life is in limbo while I look for a home, but the hugs from my grandkids make it all worthwhile. Again, thank you all. I miss you. *Joan Gill*

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"I am bringing you good news of great joy for all the people."

From this time a missionary settlement was established under the patronage of Ngapuhi. So do celebrate with us at one of our four Christmas Services in Fairlie or Lake Tekapo!

We would also like to inform the community of some significant changes being made to our worship calendar from November 30th onward.

The biggest change is a change of worship time in Lake Tekapo.

Worship at The Church of the Good Shepherd

will now be every Sunday at 7.00pm.

From February 2015 there will also be a relaxed Family Worship service around a meal at 5.00pm in Tekapo on the first Sunday of each month.

From February 2015 the monthly Communion Service at St Stephen's in Fairlie will be at 9.00am on the first Sunday of each month. This will be a time of quieter, contemplative worship. In addition

to this, Christmas Eve and Easter morning

will be celebrated at St Stephen's. Worship at St Columba in Fairlie will now be every Sunday at 10.00am.

In the meantime please refer to the revised worship times for the Christmas/New Year season.

God's blessing Rev. Andrew McDonald

NOVEMBER

Sunday 23rd 9.30am St Stephen's - Fairlie

11.30am Church of the Good Shepherd - Lake Tekapo

ADVENT

Sunday 30th 10.00am St Columba Fairlie
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DECEMBER

Sunday 7th 9.00am St Stephen's Fairlie
10.00am St Columba Fairlie
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Sunday 14th 10am St Columba Fairlie
6.00pm School Christmas Service
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Sunday 21st 11.00am Fairlie Carols on the Green with Picnic
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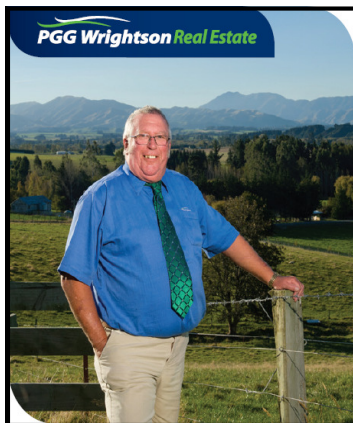
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Recipe this issue from Wayne Barnett

Wayne is the CEO at the Mackenzie District Council.

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Wayne has a keen interest in wine, the growing of the grapes, cycling, golf and hunting! He also enjoys making his favourite dish below

Fettuccine All'Arancio

(Fettuccine with Orange and Mint)

500g dried Egg Fettuccine 90g butter 2 tsp finely shredded fresh mint
Salt and freshly ground black pepper 120ml freshly squeezed orange juice
60g freshly grated parmigiano-reggiano cheese

Pour 4 litres of water into a large saucepan or pot and place over high heat
Melt butter in a large saute pan over a medium-high heat.

Stir in the orange zest and mint and season with salt and pepper.

Pour in the orange juice and cook until it has reduced to about two-thirds of its volume and has thickened slightly.

Remove from heat. When the water for the pasta is boiling, and the sauce is off the heat, add 1 tablespoon of salt to the boiling water and drop in the pasta all at once, stirring well.

When the pasta is cooked *al dente*, drain and toss with the sauce, adding the grated cheese. Serve at once.

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- 19th Fairlie Plunket AGM Red Stag 7pm
- 19th Local Waterways meeting Temuka 7.30pm
- 20th Burkes Pass Gathering at Gallery 7.30pm
- 22nd Mackenzie Markets Allandale Road 9.30am
- 24th Mackenzie Rugby Club AGM Clubrooms 8pm
- 25th Lake Tekapo Recreational Society AGM Fire Station 7.30pm
- 25th Albury Ice Hockey AGM Tekapo Comm. Hall 7.30pm
- 25th Deer Industry Focus Farms Clayton Station 12.30pm
- 26th Van Trip Away - Akaroa
- 26th Fairlie Dinner Group Red Stag 6.30pm
- 26th Fairlie Playgroup AGM Red Stag 7pm
- 27th Late Night Shopping Night - St Joseph's School Fundraiser
- 28th Tekapo Housing Forum meeting Com Hall 9am
- 28/29 Hospice Home and Garden Walks
- 29th Mackenzie Markets Allandale Road 9.30am
- 29th "Decoy Duck" playing at Gladstone Hotel
- 30th Registrations close for St Joseph's School Jubilee
- 30th Kimbell Music, Arts and Craft Day

December

- 2nd Breastfeeding Works meeting School Road 10.30am
- 2nd Tekapo Lakefront Development meeting 4 - 6pm
- 3rd Tekapo School Public meeting School Library 7.30pm
- 5th Endurance Ride
- 7th BRONZ Toy Run
- 6th Mackenzie Markets Allandale Road 9.30am
- 9th Healing Rooms St Columba Church 1-3pm
- 12th Rooms of Christmas from 5.30pm
- 13th Mackenzie Markets Allandale Road 9.30am
- 13th Fairlie Hotel Gangster Theme Night 9pm
- 14th Albury Carol Service
- 19th Christmas Parade in Fairlie 5pm
- 20th Mackenzie Markets Allandale Road 9.30am

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