

Winton is extra beautiful this weekend





A riot of colour awaits all those who come to the 38th Spring Flower Show. There is something for everyone: daffodils (novice, amateur and experienced categories), cut flowers, small flowering plants, shrubs, trees, vegetables and children's projects.

Sharing their appreciation of gardens in all their glory, is at the heart of the Winton Garden Club. Members see their work of preparing and presenting this annual show as a community service. The help of the Winton Fire Brigade in setting up is acknowledged. Plants supplied by members are available for sale. There is also an exhibition from the Floral Art Club, Southland Orchid Society and Winton artist Barbara Smith. Memorial Hall - Today Friday Sept 30th 1pm-6pm and Saturday October 1st, 9am-3.3ppm. Admission \$5 Adults, children free.

Creamed honey from the heart of Southland



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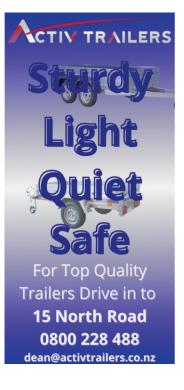
Winton Business House Golf Croquet



Come along for some fun! 2 members per team Monday 7, 14, 21, 28 Nov 5.30pm-7.30pm Cost \$10 per team each night

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To register phone Carole 027 231-6386 by October 27.







Celebrating 20 years in business in Winton



Situated in the heart of Central Southland in Winton, Country Jewel, formerly Lustys Jewellers, and then McMaster Jewellers has earned an enviable reputation for delivering quality products with obliging friendly service.

Owner Kerry Phillips, has 38 years experience in the jewellery industry including three trips to Antwerp in Belgium buying loose diamonds.

Kerry and her team of skilled sales consultants, Vanessa Iddles and Julie Pilkington, have completed industry certified courses including Diamond Grading, Coloured Gemstones and Jewellery Essentials.

A member of Nationwide, the largest independent jewellers group in Australasia, Country Jewel has been NZ Member of the Year in 2018 and nominated in two other years.

To celebrate their 20th birthday and to say thank you to their valued clients, Country Jewel is having its first ever storewide sale and some lucky customer will win a diamond. An invitation is warmly extended to all to visit and everyone who does will go in the draw.

MEETINGS

Winton Business Assn

Monday 3 Oct 5.30pm, Top Pub dining room. All welcome.

Winton Garden Club

Tuesday October 11th, 7.30pm, Anglican Church Hall. For enquiries phone Marilyn 236-8990

Walking Group

Walking date: 13th and 27th October. For particulars phone Helen 236-8698

Otautau Patchwork Group

meet every Tuesday, 9.30am at the Bowling Club, Rye St, Otautau. Anyone interested in patchwork/quilting will be made very welcome. Bring your own lunch and spend the day with like-minded women indulging in your passion. Enquiries: Joyce 021 0225-1623.









Winton Dental is something to smile about



Joseph and Amy opened their new WInton Dental business on 12 September at 233 Great North Road, Winton

Finally, after many months of waiting, Winton Dental is now open. Joseph and Amy would like to take this opportunity to thank the Winton community for their warm welcome and support. They are very happy that they can serve this friendly Winton community.

Winton needed a dental clinic since Dr Tan retired a few years ago.

With the parent dental practice in Invercargill, The Dentist on Kelvin, Winton Dental can provide most of general dental treatments in house. They are a big believer in preventative dentistry and believe in 'A smile is the prettiest thing you can wear'. They are looking forward to seeing friendly patients and sharing dental knowledge.



Meet the Candidates Evening



18 Candidates attended with 112 including the organisers

An opportunity for candidates for the upcoming Southland elections for the Winton/Oreti areas to address their community was held on Wednesday 14 September at the Salvation Army. John McHugh chaired the meeting, with Mayoral candidates speaking for 3 minutes, and other candidates 2 minutes, followed by a question and answer session from previously emailed questions.

Winton's "Pink for a Day" is Friday 28 October 2022 - a fundraising event where you can get everyone in your organisation to wear pink, share in a fuchsia food feast, decorate the office in all things pink, come together, have a laugh and most importantly raise much needed funds for The New Zealand Breast Cancer Foundation.

Winton Business Association are proud to be organising this fundraiser



ADIES LUNCHEON

Garden Bar, Top Pub - 12noon Friday 28th October Tickets \$45 each

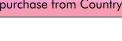
All profits to be donated to NZ Breast Cancer Foundation

RAFFLES available for purchase * Glass of Bubbles on arrival

> Tickets available for purchase from Country Jewel

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Ann Robbie receives Queen's Service Medal



Ann Robbie has dedicated most of her life to honouring the south's war heroes and now she has been bestowed a medal of her own.

On behalf of King Charles III, Southland District Mayor Gary Tong presented Mrs Robbie with her Queen's Service Medal for service to historical research on Friday at a special ceremony attended by around 100 invited guests at the Winton Memorial Hall. Over the past 30 years, Mrs Robbie has devoted countless hours and her own resources to the discovery and restoration of more than 400 war memorials throughout the province, ranging from large public cenotaphs to gates to small memorial boards.

Without her efforts, many would have been lost forever. Instead, each has been catalogued into Southland's Kia Mate Toa database to ensure its preservation for future generations.

PRESS RELEASE 12 September 2022

Mayor Tong said Mrs Robbie's work had saved an incredible amount of history which should never be forgotten.

"It has taken a quite remarkable investment of her own time, tenacity and money to ensure these significant community artefacts have been preserved so that future generations will not forget the sacrifices of those brave Southlanders who served in wartime," he said.

For more than 45 years, Mrs Robbie has provided her services as a bagpiper at Anzac Day services and funerals throughout Southland.

She has tutored young pipers in the City of Invercargill Highland Pipe Band and played with the Winton and Districts and Waimatuku Pipe Bands.

Last December, Mrs Robbie received two awards for many years of service to Southland communities - the inaugural Our Southlander Award and a Community Service Award from the Wallace Takitimu Community Board.

Farmers' Meals

It has been a large community effort to bring these meals to our farmers for the past 6 years.

The organising committee would like to thank everyone who supported the 2022 Farmers' Meals held in Winton.

They are very grateful for the following sponsors and also the community cooking teams: Vetsouth, Wilson's Vege stall, Winton Farm Source, Country Manor Catering, Open Country, Winton Mitre 10, Nightcaps Young Farmers, Central Southland Presbyterian Parish, Winton Catholic Church, Winton Salvation Army, Winton Anglican church, Winton Community Worker Committee, Rural Women... And also the anonymous individual community members.











SOUTHLAND DISTRICT COUNCIL UPDATE:



Centennial Park, Tree and Hedge Removal

John Street and Eglinton Street Winton.

Nearer the end of this year, council contractors will be undertaking tree and hedge removal work at Centennial Park Winton.

The hedges will be removed at the northern and southern end of Centennial Park and will be replaced by a fence similar to the existing boundary fences.

Six trees will also be removed at the north end of the park on the west boundary.

This work has been approved by the Oreti Community Board and in consultation with and approval from the Midlands Rugby Club. We will provide updates as dates are confirmed for this work. PRESS RELEASE
9 September 2022

Much sadness at the passing of the Queen

It is with great sadness that Southland and New Zealand awoke this morning to learn of the passing of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II.

She was a revered monarch, much loved and respected not just throughout the Commonwealth, but around the world, during her extraordinary reign of 70 years.

She will be remembered for her dignity, wisdom and unwavering sense of duty to her subjects.

Our thoughts are with King Charles III and the Royal family as they mourn the passing of a cherished sovereign.

Gary Tong JP Mayor Southland District

SEEKING VOLUNTEER DRIVING MENTORS

SUPPORT:

Are you willing to donate your spare time and give back to our Rural Southland communities, by helping change a persons life.





© REQUIREMENTS:

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- You will spend 1-2 hours a week with the learner.
- You will help a person achieve a life changing goal of gaining their restricted or full drivers licence.
- Training vehicle and full training will be provided.

Contact Sheree Johnstone at Southern REAP (Rural Education) for information on: 027 269 1611 or email sheree@reap.co.nz

WORKPLACE FIRST AID - WINTON

ST JOHN LEVEL 1 FIRST AID COURSE

Attain your St John First Aid Level 1 certificate (valid for 2 years). Ideal for anyone wanting to learn basic first aid or needs to update their first aid qualification. Minimum qualification requirement for a workplace first aider.

Covering scene assessment & safety, CPR for babies, children & adults, AED familiarisation, bleeding, burns, diabetic emergencies, fractures/dislocations, soft tissue injuries, asthma, seizures, stroke, chest pain, allergic reactions and more.

- Monday 31 OCTOBER 2022
- 8.30am 5pm
- \$110 per person
- Salvation Army 7 De Joux Road, Winton





Contact Southern REAP (Rural Education) to register on info@reap.co.nz or call 0800 111 117





Essential Contact Numbers

WINTON COMMUNITY SUPPORT WORKER

Louise 236-9934 or wcsw@xtra.co.nz

HEALTH SHUTTLE

for MEDICAL appointments in Winton and Invercargill Phone 0800 103-046. (Operates by donation). A shuttle to Dunedin is also available leaving & returning daily from Invercargill.

LET'S LINK TRANSPORT SERVICE

Ken Galt 027 454-9119 or Louise 236-9934

LETS LINK ODD JOB SERVICE

Phone Louise 236-9934.

FREE SMOKE ALARM CHECKS

Checks/updates/batteries changed by a Volunteer Fireman. Phone Louise to book 236-9934

HELPING HANDS

Lawn, garden and pet care for those suffering short term medical issues. Phone Robyn Bye 0274 182-053.

WINTON LIBRARY

0800 732-542

WINTON MEDICAL CENTRE

236-7444 or Urgent Doctor Service Invercargill 03 218-8821

WINTON PHARMACY

236-7729

WINTON TRANSFER STATION

Florence Road Mondays & Wednesdays 2pm-5.30pm Fridays 12-5.30pm Saturdays 1-5pm Sundays 2-5pm

LET'S LINK FOOD BANK

Ken Galt 027 454-9119 Louise 236-9934 Andy or Lexee 027 540-1160

LOSS & GRIEF SERVICE

Appointments at Reap, Fridays 10am - 2pm Phone 0274 438-788

Church Services

Winton Christian Centre

Weekly 10am Sundays RSA Hall, Great North Road

Catholic Church

Mass Sundays 10.30am Priest Rev Hamesh Wyatt Great North Road, Winton Contact 236-9084

Salvation Army

Sundays 11.00am Friday night youth group 7 Dejoux Rd, Winton

<u>Presbyterian Church Winton</u> Sunday Services

10am Traditional Service

<u>Dipton</u> Church Service, every 2nd and 4th Sunday, 5.30pm

Monthly lunch for the elderly who live alone. Second Thurs of each mth

Coffee Club

1st and 3rd Wednesday each month, 10am. All ages.

Queries please phone office 236-9792 Tues to Fri 9am-2pm

Winton Church 11 Meldrum St, Dipton Church James St, Dipton Postal Address P.O Box 5, Winton Baby change facilities available.

Anglican Church Services

Weekly 10am Sundays. All welcome Cnr Meldrum St & Great North Rd



www.lossandgriefcentre.com







Closing deadline for advertising 10am, Tuesday 25th Oct 2022.

Business advertising available with very limited spaces; 45x90mm \$35 or 90x90mm \$50

Closing deadline for articles 10am, Tuesday 25th Oct 2022

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