

The Tuapeka Times

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GENERAL.

The Coach n Horses will be open from 8am for brunch on ANZAC Day

Kittens to give away: to a good home, 12+ weeks old. Contact 022 0301287

For Rent: 3 Bedroom sunny house for rent includes: Fireplace, heat pump, fruit trees and glass house. Phone Francine 027 821 1501.

Lawrence Tuapeka Lawrence Community Board: Drop in Session 4pm Thurs 2nd May @ the Service Centre. This is an opportunity for residents & groups to talk informally to the LTCB about thoughts and ideas for our district. All welcome!

Tuapeka Vintage Club: Open 1 - 4pm Sundays. Everyone is welcome. Still wanting scrap metal for fundraising for the club, in particular corrugated Iron. Can be collected if needed. Please No Whiteware. 20 kg red spuds for \$20. Phone: 485-9652 or 485-9548.

Tranz Alpine Scooter Safari 2024 I'm supporting the "Tranz Alpine Scooter Safari" 2024 raising funds for The Cancer Society. This is a Moped Scooter run that goes from McLeans Island Christchurch over the Arthurs Pass to Hokitika on Sat 18th May 2024, a total of 250 Km. I will be riding my "1997 Hero Gizmo" 49cc bike that has one gear and peddles (which I hope not to wear out) which travels quite good up to 50km/h. I would love for you to join me! Your donation will make a difference towards research and care for many who need it. You can make a donation to Scooter Safari 2024 online at: scootersafari.org.nz/gordon-duthie To keep me warm I will be wearing nothing but the best "West Ridge NZ Woolen Products", Email westridgenz@gmail.com Your support will be gratefully received! Gordon Duthie

Rally Otago: This was held 12 - 14th April, Lawrence - Waitahuna areas hosted Stages 2 - 6 on Sat 13th. The Lawrence Car Club, Tuapeka Vintage Club and Quarter Mile Club along with supporters provided 30 people who taped and de-taped and Marshalled for the Rally. A fund of \$5000.00 is divided between the Clubs.

Marshals - Bill & Sharon Bazley, Gordon Duthie, Lance & Sue Thompson, Sam Percival, Bob Omelvena, Stu McCraw, Brett Norager, Stuart Homer, Jan Harper, Alan & Ann-Marie Richardson, Barry Guthrie, Russell Homer, Danny & Kade Thompson, Jimmy Crawford, Robbie & Viv Warhurst, Bruce Young, Bob Burnett, Allan Rishworth, Dave Cunningham, George Utting, Brian Taylor, Dave Sinclair, Anne & Harry Barnett, Rodger Anderson, Cory Dodds.

There were up to 80 farms, private dwellings included, affected with road closures who co-operated in support of the rally.

Irvine street became a mega maintenance area which included RTL, Fitzgerald Contracting, and Robbie Warhurst's yards.

This Rally is part of the APRC PACIFIC RALLY CUP and was televised all around the World from film crews on stages and within the town.

There were 120 cars +/- in the competition and reports describe this rally as the best in the world. There has been much praise from competitors and organising committee. These events bring a lot of people into the town who may not be here for any other reason who will support businesses and enjoy the hospitality and autumn colours we are known for.

These events promote the Town, District and People.

A BIG THANKYOU to all of you who helped make this such a success.

We also thank the Clutha District Council for their part in allowing this event to happen and their Contractors South Roads for the signage etc.

Bill Bazley, Gordon Duthie.

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Lawrence Creative Arts Daffodil Planting Project:

Lawrence Creative Arts extends a hearty thank you to everybody who showed up on Saturday 20th April and helped plant out 6,000 King Alfred daffodils! It was a momentous effort and the plantings couldn't have been achieved without our amazing Lawrence-Tuapeka community spirit. Special thanks to the Lawrence Lions Club for their generous funding and physical support, and thank you to Tuapeka GoldPrint for funding. We also acknowledge the Clutha District Council and the Lawrence Tuapeka Community Board for supporting the project.

Kids Tie-Dying Session with Lawrence Creative Arts:

Join us Saturday 27th April 11am - 1pm for experimenting with Ice Dying and Tie Dying. All materials provided, but you are welcome to bring along a small light coloured cotton clothing item to upcycle, we will be providing fabric to make a bandana or scrunchie! \$15 single or \$25 for a family. Children can be signed in and dropped off for the session. Please wear old clothing and bring some snacks. To book either text or call Rachel 022 495 3055 or email:lawrencecreativearts@gmail.com

COMMUNITY SERVICES

@YOUR LIBRARY: Please help your library continue to service Lawrence/Tuapeka via a quick form at the library when you are next there. Quick, easy, and SO HELPFUL for our future. See Simone or Sam.

Mainly Music: takes a break for the school holidays. Term 2 will begin on Friday 3rd May. Margaret 4859623

Lawrence Toy Library: Open by appointment. Check out our FB page and leave us a message to arrange a time to visit, or contact Terri on 027 380 4150.

Waitahuna Playgroup: All preschoolers welcome. Wednesdays 10am- 1230pm, school terms. Waitahuna Gymkana grounds - Waitahuna West Road. Enquires to Terri 0273804150

Reminder: It's the YELLOW Bin this week

ANZAC Letters

On 25th April 10am at St Pat's Parish Centre, Colonsay St for approximately 1/2 hour, Kirsty will read from her Uncle Walters letters, written between 1917 and 1918. After this, tea and home made Anzac bikkies will be served.

CLAIM THE DATE

Every Wednesday - Coffee Time 10-12 noon at The Prospector Café. All Welcome.

APRIL

25th: ANZAC Day
29th: Squash Club AGM 7pm @ Squash Courts

MAY

2nd: Lawrence Tuapeka Community Board Drop in Session 4pm @ Service Centre
9th: Lawrence Car Club AGM 7.30pm @ Coach & Horses
11th: Wax Out Clinic @ Presbyterian Church
17th & 18th: NZ Century Farm & Station Awards
18th: Grazing to Goldfields Tour 10.30 & 2.00 @ Museum
22nd: Lawrence Tuapeka Community Bd Meeting 3pm @ Service Centre

JUNE

8th: Pink Ribbon Breakfast
14th: Lawrence Lions Winter Crop Competition 6.30pm

JULY

3rd: Lawrence Tuapeka Community Bd Meeting 3pm @ Service Centre

AUGUST

14th: Lawrence Tuapeka Community Bd Meeting 3pm @ Service Centre

MEETINGS

Tuapeka Squash Club 2024: AGM will be held on Monday 29th April, 7pm at the squash courts. All welcome. Apologies to Terri, 0273804150.

AGM Lawrence Athenaeum & Mining Institute 7pm Monday 13th May at Century Farms Cottage, Ross Place Lawrence. All welcome. Apologies to secretary Rowena Paterson.

ROXBURGH CINEMA

The Mountain (PG) - Thursday 25th April, 3.00pm & Sunday 28th April, 3.30pm. 89 minutes

The Convent (R13) - Friday 26th April, 7.30pm

The Fall Guy - Saturday 27th April, 7.30pm





**Tuapeka Goldfields
Museum & Visitor Centre**

We are delighted to welcome our newest team member, Rachel Rees! Rachel brings a wealth of tourism experience to her role.

You'll see her working weekends at the front desk, so stop in and say "hello"!

FOR SALE

Brand New Stihl MS170 chain saw: \$400.00 ono, all funds going to Scooter Safari. Gordon 0274310039

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SITUATIONS VACANT

Tuapeka Aquatic Centre is looking for a winter cleaner, 4 hours per week with the potential to increase over summer. Please email splashout2016@gmail.com for more information.

SPORTS

Lawrence Junior Rugby: Lawrence Rugby Club Day - Saturday 27th April, Simpson Park grounds. Order of games: U11 - 10.30 / U7 (Rippa) - 11.00 / U9 - 11.00 U13 - 11.30. Come support the young rugby players of Lawrence. The Canteen will be open for hot drinks and food

Lawrence Premier Rugby: Hard fought loss to Toko last week, 34-27. Prospector player of the day was Jake Lyders. Club Day this Saturday the 27th at Simpson Park. Juniors play from 10.30am, Premiers at 3pm vs West Taieri. Special welcome to the sponsors & life members. Come along and support the Nuggies!

Lawrence Angling Club: Results Comp 12. Juniors Luke Wilson - Seniors Barry Guthrie

CHURCH NOTICES

St Patrick's Parish - 16 Colonsay Street: St Patrick's Parish: First Sunday of Month - Mass 11am. Rest of Month: Vigil: Saturday 4.30pm.

Lawrence Presbyterian Church: Lawrence-Waitahuna Presbyterian Church Services - 10am Service at the Worship Centre each Sunday on the corner of Colonsay and Peel Streets. Enquiries contact Rev. Andrew Harrex on 485 9147.

Lawrence Night 'n Day

Rivermill Bread - \$2.50
2L Meadow Fresh Milk - \$4.50 each or 2 for \$8.50

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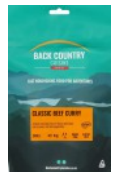
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Clutha Community Service Awards nominations open

Our communities thrive thanks to the volunteers who give their time and their expertise to us all.

We want to celebrate these very special individuals and groups. Nominate them for the Clutha District Community Service Awards to recognise the great things these hardworking people are doing in the community.

The awards are in three categories:

Individual Awards

This category is for the unsung heroes in the Clutha Community. Who do you know who deserves to be recognised?

Youth Spirit Award

For a year 13 student who has greatly contributed to their school and community during their time as a student. Do you know someone, or are you that person?

Community Group Awards

Tell us about your group, or a group you admire. This award is for groups which have achieved a special project in the past 12 months.

Winners in each Community Group category will receive \$1,000 and the Supreme Winner of that group will receive an additional \$2,000. The winner of the Youth Spirit Award will receive \$750.

You can download the nomination form from our website at www.cluthadc.govt.nz/community-awards, or pick up from your local community library.

Contact Cheryl-Marie at Clutha District Council on 0800 801 350 or email help.desk@cluthadc.govt.nz for more information.

Nominations and applications close on Friday 24 May.



Clutha District Council
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INVITE



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or Geoff Blackmore on 485 9503 by Friday, 3rd May.

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