

The Waitaki LINK Highlights

September 2011



Waitaki DISTRICT COUNCIL

RURAL TRANSFER STATIONS OPENING TIMES: Hampden Wednesday & Sunday 9am – 12pm : Kurow Wednesday & Sunday 10am – 1pm
Omarama Wednesday & Sunday 9am – 12pm: Otematata Wednesday & Sunday 1pm – 4pm

In Memory of Scott Ridley

A memorial plaque for former Communication and Policy Support (CAPS) Officer Scott Ridley was unveiled in the atrium of the Commerce Building at Otago University on Saturday 27 August. The same day saw Scott graduate posthumously with a Bachelor of Arts (Communications) and Graduate Diploma in Marketing Management.



Friends and family joined the University of Otago in celebrating the special day for Scott, while his mother Tricia and sister Rebecca accepted the degree on Scott's behalf.

f win! on facebook
monthly giveaways

Enter your email address & go in the draw to win tickets every month* to upcoming shows! Don't forget to "like us" to make sure you stay in the draw each month! **Good luck!**
*RUNS UNTIL 31 DEC 2011

OAMARU OPERA HOUSE



ARJ BARKER
From Flight of the Concord! Thursday 08 Sep 8pm



THE ANDREW SISTERS
A journey of the 40s & 50s! Sunday 11 Sep 2pm



THE BOG ROCKS MUSIC FEST
See The Feelers LIVE at the Whitestone Contracting Auditorium Friday 30 Sep 6pm



A FESTIVAL OF RUSSIAN BALLET
Always a sellout! Tuesday 08 Nov 8pm

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Snow footprints lead to the library

The libraries that opened during the snow days last month proved a welcome haven for readers and internet users.

Feedback from users suggests that the Oamaru, Hampden and Otematata libraries were much appreciated by those locals who braved the elements.



Conservation week 2011



11—18 September



North Otago's rare and common reptiles



Andy Hutcheson

Doc's Grand and Otago skink programme manager will share his passion for these endangered lizards unique to Otago

Oamaru Library: 6 pm

Monday 12 September 2011

Centennial Park Future Development Discussion

Council is arranging a meeting at 7:00pm on 7 September at the Excelsior Club Rooms regarding the future development of Centennial Park. As part of this process we would like to invite one or two representatives from each sports code or club to discuss the future way forward. Those clubs or codes interested in taking part in this discussion should contact Renee Fisher - Hewitt on 433 0831.

Exhibition at the North Otago Museum -Steampunk: Fabulous Fashions

Original Inspirations has now opened. This exhibition showcases garments from the Steampunk Fashion show alongside original Victorian items from the museum's own collection. Open daily - FREE ENTRY



Because every baby's a star



Oh,
I love my new cloth nappies
That's why my mummy got 'em
'Cos they're the best things you can put
On any baby's bottom



\$10 nappy packs, here again from Wednesday, August 31

SAVE MONEY - using cloth nappies on your baby from birth to potty can save you thousands of dollars

SAVE WASTE - just one cloth nappy used from birth to potty can save 450 disposables going to landfill

SAVE RESOURCES - it takes one cup of crude oil to make just one disposable nappy. And disposables take up to 500 years to rot down in the landfill.

\$10 gets you 4 cloth nappies from 4 different suppliers. That's around \$100 worth of nappies for just \$10!

To get your nappy pack, just pick up a leaflet from the Council offices in Oamaru or Palmerston, the Council website, libraries or any favourite baby place. Fill out the application form on the leaflet, pay your \$10 and choose whether you want a Newborn or Infant pack. (You will need a photo ID, proof of address and your baby's birth certificate)



Council's \$10 cloth nappy starter packs are available for purchase by caregivers or parents of babies up to 8 months old (or if you are in your last trimester of pregnancy). You need to be a Waitaki resident to get a pack. Terms and conditions of purchase are included on the application form.

Oamaru Service Centre Waihemo Service Centre

20 Thames Street, Oamaru 9400
Private Bag 50058, Oamaru 9444
Open to the Public
Monday to Friday 8:30am- 5pm
(Thursday 8:30am - 4pm)
Available by Phone 8am - 5pm
Phone: (03) 433 0300
Freephone: 0800 108 081
(within the district)
Fax: (03) 433 0301
Email: service@waitaki.govt.nz

54 Tiverton Street, Palmerston 9430
Open to the Public
Monday to Friday 8:30am- 5pm
(Thursday 9:30am - 5pm)
Available by Phone 8:30am - 5pm
Phone: (03) 465 1106
Fax: (03) 465 1111
Email: waihemo@waitaki.govt.nz

Upcoming September Meetings:

YOUTH COUNCIL

beginning with a public forum
Wednesday 7 September, 4.00pm
Council Lounge, Council HQ

HARBOUR SUB COMMITTEE

Monday 12 September, 9.00am
Council Chamber, Council HQ

WAITAKI RUGBY WORLD CUP

CO-ORDINATING COMMITTEE
Monday 12 & 26 Sept, 3.00pm
Conference Room, Council HQ

LOWER WAITAKI SOUTH COASTAL CANTERBURY ZONE COMMITTEE

Thursday 15 September, 3.00pm
(tbc) - venue to be advised

COMMITTEE OF WHOLE

Tuesday 13 September, 9.00am
Council Chamber, Council HQ

MAYORAL FORUM

Friday 16 September, 9.00AM
Otago Regional Council Chambers, Dunedin

EXTRA ORDINARY COUNCIL MEETING

Code of Practice for Stock Crossing - Submissions
Tuesday 20 September, 9.00am
Ink Box, Opera House

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