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News from the Stratford District Council

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STRATFORD
DISTRICT COUNCIL

Council services remain at Level 2

All of New Zealand outside of Auckland remain at Alert Level 2, with the next decision on alert levels occurring Monday 4 October.

Alert Level 2 limits for indoor gatherings, including hospitality and retail business has been increased to 100 people, if people can maintain appropriate physical distancing in the indoor space.

The TSB Pool Complex and Stratford Library and Visitor Information Centre will continue to limit the number of people visiting their facilities in line with this Level 2 update to keep staff and community members safe.

Bookings for the Centennial Rest Rooms and War Memorial Centre can now increase to 100 attendees.

Council staff would like to thank our community for showing patience and understanding while we operate under Level 2 restrictions.

With the school holidays approaching, our facilities are working on alternative arrangements to deliver their planned holiday programme activities.

Director Community Services, Kate Whareaitu says, "With the uncertainty of COVID-19 alert levels, our October school holiday programme will look a little bit different. Keep an eye on our website and Facebook page for more information and how to get involved," she says.

A reminder that visitors to all our facilities during Level 2 are required to record their visit by scanning in using the NZ COVID Tracer App or by completing a paper based form available, maintain 2m distance from others and be wearing a face covering if aged 12 years and over. Thanks for your ongoing support.

Remember you can contact Council through our contactless service over the phone and by email if you are unable to come in to our service centre.

Public Notices

Meeting Schedule - Mahuru/September

Policy & Services Committee

Tuesday 28 September 2021 at 3.00pm

All meetings are held in the Council Chambers, Miranda Street, Stratford. Meetings will be held by audio visual link if required due to COVID-19 Alert Levels.

S Hanne
Chief Executive

Notice of Temporary Road Closure

Council has permitted the closure of the following road on Thursday 30 September 2021 (weather permitting) between 7am and 5pm for the purpose of the network transformer upgrade by PowerCo:

- Flint Road West – RP380 to 875

The road will be closed to the public, with access for residents available at all times.

A letter drop will be carried out to residents affected prior to the start of the work.

V Araba
Director Assets

Visit stratford.govt.nz for a full list of Council services at Alert Level 2, and for more information on alert levels visit covid19.govt.nz

Calling all scarecrows!

Entries are now open for our 5th Stratford Scarecrow Trail.

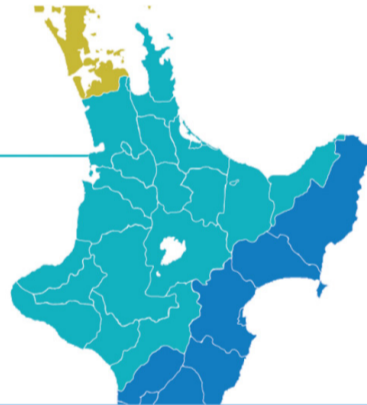
An online registration form is available from Council's website stratford.govt.nz or printed forms can be picked up from the Stratford Library and Visitor Information Centre i-SITE.

There are four categories with prizes up for grabs: Pre-school, Primary school, Business and Open. With an additional prize across all of the categories for the best use of Recycled Materials. Thank you to our sponsors Stratford New World, Fulton Hogan, Stratford ITM and Stratford Business Association.

Entries close 20 October - don't miss out on the fun!



Entity B



Three Waters Reform

What's the proposal?

The Government is proposing to establish four large publicly owned water service delivery entities for New Zealand.

These entities would own and manage the drinking water, wastewater and stormwater infrastructure for local communities, instead of councils.

In June 2021 the Department of Internal Affairs (DIA) released a map showing the proposed boundaries of these entities. Our district is part of Entity B with 21 other councils in the wider Waikato, Bay of Plenty and Taranaki regions which would service approximately 800,000 people.

Learn more about and keep up to date with the Three Waters Reform by following us on Facebook or visiting our website: stratford.govt.nz/our-services/water/three-waters-reform

Train to be a lifeguard

Are you looking for work over summer? Have you got what it takes to be a pool lifeguard?

Sign up for our 4 day pool lifeguard course.

- 4 – 7 October
- 8.00am to 3.00pm

Phone 06 765 6275 or email poools@stratford.govt.nz to enrol.

Visit stratford.govt.nz for more information.



Library and Visitor Information
Phone 06 765 5403
Monday – Friday 8.30am – 5.00pm
Saturday 9.00am – 1.00pm
Sundays & Public Holidays Closed

Transfer Station
Phone 06 765 8500
Monday – Friday 2.00pm – 5.00pm
Wednesday 10.00am – 1.00pm
Saturday & Sunday 1.00pm – 5.00pm

TSB Pool Complex
Phone 06 765 6275
Weekdays 6.00am – 7.30pm
Wednesday 6.00am – 6.30pm
Saturdays 7.00am – 5.30 pm
Sunday 11.00am – 5.30 pm

Glockenspiel
Performs Daily at 10.00am, 1.00pm,
3.00pm and 7.00pm

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