

# Central Link

He karere tā te Kaunihera ā Rohe o Whakaahurangi  
News from the Stratford District Council

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**STRATFORD**  
DISTRICT COUNCIL

## Anzac Day commemorations in Stratford

Wondering how you can acknowledge Anzac Day in Stratford? See below for Council's planned activity:

### Wreath and Lantern Making Workshop

22 April 2022 10:00am - 12:00pm

War Memorial Centre

Join us in making a wreath to lay in the Hall of Remembrance and lanterns to be used in the Anzac Day services. Please note as this is an indoor activity face masks are required to be worn.

Attendees are asked to bring their own secateurs if they have them, and greenery and flowers to add their own personal touch. Some flowers will be provided but donations of flowers would be most appreciated. People interested in making lanterns are asked to bring any medium-large sized jars they have.

Those who prefer to drop off pre-made wreaths can do so between 1.00pm and 2.00pm directly to the Hall of Remembrance on Friday 22 April.

### Hall of Remembrance

22 April to 25 April Opening hours: 6:00am to 5:00pm

Visit the Hall of Remembrance in the Municipal Building on Broadway to pay respect to Stratford residents who lost their lives in the first and second world wars.

This unique roll of honour was officially opened with photos of World War 1 soldiers in 1920 by His Royal Highness Edward, Prince of Wales. The World War 2 soldiers were unveiled on Anzac Day in 1951 by His Worship the Mayor N.H. Moss Esq.

### Parade and Dawn Service

25 April 6.00am parade starts

The parade procession will leave from the netball courts past the Malone Gates down Fenton Street and on to Miranda Street towards the War Memorial Centre where the service will start. Following the service a light breakfast will be served inside the War Memorial Centre. Please note masks are required to be worn if attending the light breakfast

If you would like to be participate in this year's parade please contact Chade Julie on 027 287 9944 or email [cjulie@stratford.govt.nz](mailto:cjulie@stratford.govt.nz)

Volunteers will be placing crosses on war veterans' graves in the Pioneer Cemetery, RSA sections of Kopuatama Cemetery and the old cemetery on Regan Street on Friday 22 April.



## Did you know?

When people work together on a shared vision they can help build the resilience of a whole community.

A group of people in Wellington are doing just that, and you can learn all about it by attending a **FREE screening of the film *Together we grow* in the TET Kings Theatre TONIGHT at 5pm.**

The film tells an inspiring story of the thriving *Common Unity* hub who help to build resilience in its local community by growing, sewing, repairing, sharing - you name it, Common Unity is doing it.

Head along to the film tonight to see how a sustainable lifestyle can be achieved by sharing knowledge and working together.

This free screening is made possible through our partnership with Sustainable Taranaki.

Keep an eye out for more 'Did you know?' features in our Central Link and on our Facebook page.



## Bells stored safely

Last Friday the Bell Tower on Miranda Street was carefully lowered and bells removed to be stored safely until a new home is found for them.

The tower was recently identified as a hazard in the event of an earthquake. The structure which was built in the 80s has now been removed. The historic bells will be on display again in the future, to continue its legacy as a memorial to the soldiers of Stratford who fell in the Boer War (1899-1902) and World War 1 (1914-1918).



## Easter Weekend Hours

Over the Easter weekend (15 to 18 April) some of Council's services have different operating hours, such as the Transfer Station which is closed on Friday 15 April.

View our full list of operating hours over Easter on [stratford.govt.nz](http://stratford.govt.nz)

**Covid19: Taranaki is in Red.**

Visit [covid19.govt.nz](http://covid19.govt.nz) for more info.

For details on testing and vaccination clinics in Taranaki visit [tdhb.org.nz](http://tdhb.org.nz)



## Win an Easter Treat!

Find the clues hidden within Prospero Place and Broadway, and go in the draw to win 1 of 5 Easter hampers!

Get your entry form at the Stratford Library and Visitor Information Centre. Entries close 12noon 23 April 2022.



## Public Notices

### Meeting Schedule - April 2022

**Policy & Services Committee**  
Tuesday 26 April at 3.00pm

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

**S Hanne**  
Chief Executive

### Dog Registration - Select Owner Status for 2022/23

Attention all urban dog owners who are currently either listed as Good or General Owners.

If you think you qualify to become a select owner it is now time to apply. An application form can be found online at [stratford.govt.nz](http://stratford.govt.nz) or from Council's Service Centre Monday to Friday 8.30am to 4.30pm.

To qualify as a Select Owner all of the following criteria must be met.

"Select Dog Owner" - Any person who meets:

- the good owner policy requirements; and
- dog neutering requirements; and
- fencing requirements; and
- all the dog bylaw requirements; and
- has made an application to be a Select Owner by 30 April 2022.

Application for Select Owner status must be received by 30 April 2022.

LATE APPLICATIONS WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED.

If you have any queries regarding this notice or would like to learn more about Select Owner Status please contact Council on 06 765 6099 or email [stratforddc@stratford.govt.nz](mailto:stratforddc@stratford.govt.nz)

**Blair Sutherland**  
Director - Environmental Services

### Library and Visitor Information

Phone 06 765 5403  
Monday - Friday 8.30am - 5.00pm  
Saturday 9.00am - 12.00pm  
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 - 3.00pm  
Sundays & Public Holidays Closed

### Glockenspiel

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

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