

Central Link

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

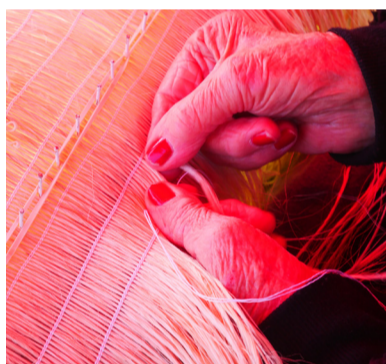
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TE KAUNIHERA Ā ROHE O
WHAKAAHURANGI
STRATFORD
DISTRICT COUNCIL

Mānawatia a Puanga!

A big thank you to Matua Clive Tongaawhikau, Whaea Raewyn Ashby and Te Whetu Marama o Whakaahurangi for opening Saturday's Puanga Market Day with karakia and waiata. This local kapa haka roopu (pictured below right) is an initiative led by Central Taranaki Kāhui Ako - Te Kāhui Ako o Taranaki Mohoao.



There's still time to celebrate and learn about Puanga or Matariki. You can:

- Remember loved ones who have passed, farewell burdens or make new goals - write them down and attach them to our rākau (tree), located inside the Percy Thomson Gallery, and while you're there check out the Matariki Deep Space exhibition and local school art.
- Check out our Puanga flags hanging along Broadway and all entries from this year's flag competition at the Stratford Library and Visitor Information Centre.
- Read our Puanga information boards on display in Prospero Place.
- Enjoy a mid-winter hākari (feast) with your whānau and friends.
- Wake up early and look for Puanga in our eastern skies.
- Read a book from the Library about Puanga and Matariki.
- Learn new te reo Māori kupu (words) to use daily.

Next year will be the first year that Aotearoa/New Zealand will celebrate Matariki with a public holiday on 24 June 2022.

Spending the school holidays in Stratford?

Find out what fun family activities are on locally by downloading our school holiday booklet online or pick one up from our Council facilities.

See what's on at the Stratford Library and TSB Pool Complex as well as activities run by Tūtaki, Rotokare Scenic Reserve Trust, TET Kings Theatre Stratford and Taranaki Pioneer Village Inc.

You'll find the booklet online at stratford.govt.nz

July holidays in Stratford!

Find out what fun family activities are on these school holidays!
10 July - 25 July

Limited spaces available for some activities. Registration unless stated otherwise.

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 - 5.30pm
Sunday 11.00am - 5.30pm

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

7 July 2021

Public Notices

Meeting Schedule - July 2021

Ordinary Meeting

Tuesday 13 July 2021 at 3.30pm

Audit and Risk Committee

Tuesday 20 July 2021 2.00pm

Policy & Services Committee

Tuesday 27 July 2021 at 3.00pm

All meetings are held in the Council Chambers, Miranda Street, Stratford.

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Chief Executive

Plastic Free
July - are you
taking the
challenge?



Visit plasticfreejuly.org to take the challenge and learn more about how you can do your bit to reduce the use of plastic.

Here are some great ideas for simple swaps in the kitchen, helping you choose to refuse single use plastic.



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