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Public Notices

Meeting Schedule - April 2024

- **Public Forum (by request):** Tuesday 9 April at 3pm in Whangamomona. For information about making a request to speak, visit [Stratford.govt.nz/PublicForum](https://stratford.govt.nz/PublicForum)
- **Council Meeting:** Tuesday 9 April at 3.30pm. This Ordinary Meeting of Council will be held in Whangamomona and will include community consultation on the Draft Long Term Plan.
- **Workshop:** Tuesday 23 April at 1pm
- **Policy & Services Committee:** Tuesday 23 April at 3pm

Unless otherwise stated, meetings and workshops will be held in the Council Chambers on Miranda Street.

Changes to meeting times will be published in the meeting schedule at [Stratford.govt.nz/PublicNotices](https://stratford.govt.nz/PublicNotices)

S Hanne | Chief Executive

Temporary Road Closure - Toko Road

Stratford District Council will close the following road from **6am to 6pm** for the Bent Sprint Motorsport event being held on **Sunday 14 April 2024**:

- Toko Road between Ruapuha Road and the end of the road.

Access for residents will be available in-between the event's timed trials. Please speak to the event organisers on the day to arrange this, or park outside of the road closure area.

V Araba | Director - Assets

Temporary Road Closure - Anzac Day



Stratford District Council will close the following roads on **Thursday 25 April 2024** for the purpose of Anzac Day Commemorations:

- Miranda Street between Regan Street and Fenton Street, between the hours of 5.30am and 8am
- Fenton Street between SH3 Broadway and Portia Street between the hours of 5am and 6am
- Portia Street between Fenton Street and the War Memorial Hall carpark between the hours of 5am and 6am

Detours will be signed and available for the duration of these road closures. Access for residents will be available when it is determined safe.

V Araba | Director - Assets

Library and Visitor Information

Phone 06 765 5403

Monday – Friday 8.30am – 5.00pm
Saturday 9.00am – 1.00pm
Sunday & 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

Wai O Rua - Stratford Aquatic Centre

Phone 06 765 6275

Monday – Friday 6.00am – 6.30pm
Saturday 7.00am – 5.00pm
Sunday and Public Holidays
10.00am – 5.00pm

Glockenspiel

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

27 March 2024

Taranaki Masters Games making a splash in Stratford

On the evening of Friday 5 April, Swimming Taranaki will host a whole raft of regional swim events at Wai o Rua – Stratford Aquatic Centre as part of the 2024 TET Taranaki Masters Games. Rennie Naicker, Aquatic Services Team Leader at Wai o Rua, couldn't be more excited.

"We're big on encouraging fitness and fun at every age. Some people haven't swum competitively since their last school swimming sports, and for many in the Masters category, that may have been a while ago. Taking part in the Taranaki Masters Games is a great way to push yourself and experience competition again in a fun and social environment," says Rennie.

Competitors need to be aged 20 years or older to take part in the Masters swimming events, and entries are open right up to one day before the competition takes place.

"Our team at Wai o Rua are super proud that we're a venue for the Masters Games' swimming events. We get to show off Stratford and our wonderful pool complex to visitors from across the region," Rennie says.



"We're hoping for a great turnout; not just of competitors, but also supporters, too. We look forward to recognising plenty of our Stratford regulars giving it a go on the day, but our team here will be cheering loudly for everyone who takes part."

People can enter online at SportTaranaki.org.nz

Registration for the swimming events runs from 6pm – 6.30pm, with racing beginning at 7pm after a warmup.

There's not just swimming going on in Stratford during the Taranaki Master's Games. You can compete or cheer on competitors in a range of different sports in Stratford, including golf, speed golf, running and walking, croquet, volleyball and table tennis!



Easter Hunt!
Hop to it and be in to WIN!

Calling all kids and teenagers under 18...

- Grab an Easter Hunt entry form at the Stratford Library and Visitor Information Centre or Wai o Rua - Stratford Aquatic Centre.
- Find the hidden clues within Prospero Place and Broadway
- Return your form to the library by 4pm Friday 5 April
- Go in the draw to WIN 1 of 3 \$100 Easter hampers!

Easter holiday hours

Whether you're after relaxation or adventure, we hope you have a great Easter break!

To help you with your planning, here are the holiday hours for our council facilities.

Rubbish and recycling collection

- Normal Monday collection

Stratford Library and Visitor Information Centre

- Friday 29 March - Closed
- Saturday 30 March - Open 9am to 1pm
- Sunday 31 March & Monday 1 April - Closed

Wai o Rua - Stratford Aquatic Centre

- Friday 29 March - Open 10am to 5pm
- Saturday 30 March - Open 7am to 5pm
- Sunday 31 March & Monday 1 April - Open 10am to 5pm.

Transfer Station

- Friday 29 March - Closed
- Saturday 30 March to Monday 1 April - Open 1pm to 5pm. Back to normal hours on Tuesday.



Thanks to everyone who came to our Positive Ageing March Forum!



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