

# Winton Outlook

February 2022

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## 43 years of Garden Commitment



The Winton Garden Club's Christmas function was held at the beautiful Hawthorn gardens.

The evening was a surprise special event for Joan Jordan, who was presented with a Life Membership award, in the form of a beautiful wooden plaque with 4 photos of flowers on it.

Joan joined the Garden Club in 1978. Living in Lochiel on a farm with a young family, Joan was a very keen gardener; flowers and garden became her passion.

Joan held the position of Club President and Treasurer on two occasions. In 1983 Joan was an inaugural member of the Spring Flower Show Committee. In 1994 she became a co-convenor of the show, a position she held for 27 years, with a lot of time spent improving the show. Joan has also been an active member in the beautification of gardens around Winton.

Her passion for growing and showing daffodils has seen her win many awards and trophies both locally and nationally.

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(For our senior citizens)

**WHEN**  
**MONDAY & TUESDAY**  
**10am-3pm**

**WHERE**  
**384 Great North Rd** Winton

Transport arranged, Meal provided  
Activities & Company

**FOR INFORMATION** Ph Glenda 2360034 on a Monday or Tuesday



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## Planting project going well



*“Its great to see such good progress in our native tree project.”*

In December a group of Year 9 students worked alongside helpers from AB Lime and volunteers from the Winton Rotary Club to plant a strip of flaxes and grasses along the stream in our native tree area. The students had a great day out and learnt about natives and how to plant them.

A huge thank you to Michael Anderson for his donation of the plants and his time. We also really appreciate the support of AB Lime in sharing their expertise with us.

Please keep an eye on our plants and pop some water from the creek on them if they look a bit sad. There will be containers near the steps that have been cut into the bank to get to the stream easily.

- Annie Keown, CSC

## Winton Bridge Club

The 10 lesson course will start in March on Wednesday evenings.

Please contact the club on [winton.bridge@xtra.co.nz](mailto:winton.bridge@xtra.co.nz) with your details so information can be passed on to you closer to the time.

## MEETINGS

### Winton Garden Club

Monthly Meeting on Tuesday 8th February. Firstly meeting at the Anglican Hall, Meldrum St at 6.15pm to go for a garden visit. Then, back to the hall for a meeting and cuppa.

For enquiries phone Marilyn 236-8990

### Walking Group

If you are interested in joining us for a walk, we are meeting on the 17th February. For particulars phone Helen 236-8698

### Otautau Patchwork Group

meet every Tuesday, 9.30am at the Otautau Bowling Club, Rye Sreet, Otautau. Anyone interested in patchwork/quilting will be made very welcome. Bring your own lunch and spend the day with like-minded women indulging in your passion. Enquiries: Joyce 021 0225-1623.

**THE GOFER**

KELVIN CORMACK (ROCKY)  
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[cormackk50@gmail.com](mailto:cormackk50@gmail.com)

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- Solving Common Problems

TUESDAY 15 FEB

OR

TUESDAY 5 APR

OR

THURSDAY 14 APR

Between 9am - 3pm

VENUE:

Southern REAP,  
224 Great North Rd,  
WINTON



Contact Southern REAP (Rural Education) on [info@reap.co.nz](mailto:info@reap.co.nz) or call 0800 111 117



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Mid Oreti Catchment Group presents

## Grow Your Own Natives Workshop

### Part 1

Carex – Flax – Tussocks – Toe Toe

**Thursday 10th February, 6-7pm**  
Meet at AB Lime main office carpark, 10 Bend Rd, Winton

**Learn how to grow natives from seed!**



Join the Mid Oreti Catchment group for an evening of seed collection and sowing, begin to grow your own natives or for the Mid Oreti Mini Forest Movement!

Learn how to identify native species, Learn about right plant, right place for the right purpose and how to collect seeds. Finish off by sowing the seeds you have collected, and take home for you to grow, or leave for the catchment group to grow!

A second workshop will be held when your natives have sprouted and grown large enough to transplant and pot up!

Please come dressed in sturdy footwear or gumboots, and bring an ice-cream tub (or similar container) to plant your seeds in. A vaccine pass will be required to attend this events, and a mask will need to be worn.

Further info about this event and the Mid Oreti Catchment Group can be found on our Facebook page: [www.facebook.com/Mid-Oreti-Catchment-Group](https://www.facebook.com/Mid-Oreti-Catchment-Group)

Everyone is welcome!  
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# Winton Community Market

SATURDAY  
19th  
February

10am to 1pm  
Presbyterian Church Complex  
Meldrum Street, Winton

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## PHOTO & VIDEO COMPETITION WINTON AREA



Over \$4,000 of prizes up for grabs with the Winton Area Photo & Video Competition. Including a Canon EOS 90D DSLR, Canvas Prints from Canvart, Rode Video Mic and more.  
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**12 FEBRUARY - 12pm**  
**BROWNS DOMAIN, LIMEWORKS ROAD, WINTON**

Keep an eye on our Browns Sport Day Facebook page for updates

## Seniors Gentle Exercises

Where: Anglican Church Hall  
When: Wednesdays  
Time: 10.00 – 11.00  
Cost: \$5.00



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## Locals support Thriving South Rural Competition



The Southland Catchment Groups ran a Christmas Competition in December for businesses, individuals and farms to share a merry prize pool of \$2000. Entries involved sending a picture of Christmas decorated cow sheds, woolsheds, diary, workshops etc.

Locals, Guy and Rachele Legg, won 3rd place on their North Winton Farmlot. They received a goodie bag, and a voucher for their local catchment group - Makarewa Headwaters, who are buying plants for the newly formed Mid Oreti Catchment Group Mini Forest Project (supported by AB Lime). Locals can apply to and get plants very cheaply, or free if they are a school or community group.

The winners of the 2021 Southland CG Christmas Competition! were:

- 1st The Goodright Family - Crashed Santa.
- 2nd Warnocks - Jingle Bales.
- 3rd Leggs - Field of Dreams.

Spot Prizes:

- Black Family - Christmas is more fun on the farm.
- Hanning Family - Our little light of ours.
- Andrews Family - Pine Bush Christmas Tree.
- Gavenwood Christmas.

Thank you to all those who entered and made our rural community a happier place over Christmas.



### WORKPLACE FIRST AID - WINTON

#### 01 ST JOHN LEVEL 1 FIRST AID COURSE

Attain your St John First Aid Level 1 certificate (valid for 2 years). Ideal for anyone wanting to learn basic first aid or needs to update their first aid qualification. Minimum qualification requirement for a workplace first aider.

*Covering scene assessment & safety, CPR for babies, children & adults, AED familiarisation, bleeding, burns, diabetic emergencies, fractures/dislocations, soft tissue injuries, asthma, seizures, stroke, chest pain, allergic reactions and more.*

- Tuesday 1 March 2022
- 8.30am - 5pm
- \$110 per person
- Anglican Church, Winton



### WORKPLACE FIRST AID - REFRESHER

#### 01 WINTON - ST JOHN REFRESHER COURSE

This First Aid class is a revalidation for holders of any Level One First Aid certificate (less than two years old).

Refresh your first aid skills, knowledge and confidence with the latest information and techniques through practical scenarios and workstations.

*You must have a current Level One First Aid certificate (from any provider) that is less than two years old to attend this refresher course.*

- Tuesday 15 March
- 9.30am - 4pm
- \$100 per person
- Anglican Church, Winton



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## Essential Contact Numbers

### WINTON COMMUNITY SUPPORT WORKER

Louise 236-9934 or [wcs@xtra.co.nz](mailto:wcs@xtra.co.nz)

### HEALTH SHUTTLE

for MEDICAL appointments in Winton and Invercargill  
Phone 0800 103-046.  
(Operates by donation). A shuttle to Dunedin is also available leaving & returning daily from Invercargill.

### LET'S LINK TRANSPORT SERVICE

Ken Galt 027 454-9119  
or Louise 236-9934

### LET'S LINK ODD JOB SERVICE

Phone Louise 236-9934.

### FREE SMOKE ALARM CHECKS

Checks/updates/batteries changed by a Volunteer Fireman.  
Phone Louise to book 236-9934

### HELPING HANDS

Lawn, garden and pet care for those suffering short term medical issues.  
Phone Robyn Bye 0274 182-053.

### WINTON LIBRARY

0800 732-542

### WINTON MEDICAL CENTRE

236-7444 or Urgent Doctor Service  
Invercargill 03 218-8821

### WINTON PHARMACY

236-7729

### WINTON TRANSFER STATION

Florence Road  
Mondays & Wednesdays 2pm-5.30pm  
Fridays 12-5.30pm  
Saturdays 1-5pm  
Sundays 2-5pm

### LET'S LINK FOOD BANK

Ken Galt 027 454-9119  
Louise 236-9934  
Andy or Lexee 027 540-1160

### LOSS & GRIEF SERVICE

Appointments at Reap, Fridays  
10am - 2pm  
Phone 0274 438-788

## Church Services

### Salvation Army

Sundays 11.00am  
Friday night youth group  
7 Dejoux Rd, Winton

### Presbyterian Church Winton

**Sunday Services**  
10am Traditional Service

**Dipton Church Service**, every 2nd and 4th Sunday, 5.30pm

**Monthly lunch** for the elderly who live alone. Second Thurs of each mth

### Coffee Club

1st and 3rd Wednesday each month, 10am. All ages.

**Queries please phone office 236-9792**  
**Tues to Fri 9am-2pm**

**Winton Church** 11 Meldrum St,  
**Dipton Church** James St, Dipton  
**Postal Address** P.O Box 5, Winton  
Baby change facilities available.

### Anglican Church Services

Weekly 10am Sundays. All welcome  
Cnr Meldrum St & Great North Rd

### Winton Christian Centre

Weekly 10am Sundays  
RSA Hall, Great North Road.

### Catholic Church

Mass Sundays 10.30am  
Priest Rev Hamesh Wyatt  
Great North Road, Winton  
Contact 236-9084

## Winton Kindergarten

has available spaces for  
3 and 4 year old children in 2022.

Our hours are 8:30 till 12:30 or 8:30 till 2:30pm.

Families can contact Winton Kindergarten  
at [wintonk@ska.co.nz](mailto:wintonk@ska.co.nz) or phone us on  
03 236-8058 for more information.

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3HR MTB/TREK

3HR TREK

1.5HR SOLO, TEAM

OR FAMILY TREK

It is with sadness that we announce that we are cancelling The VetSouth Gorge Adventure Race for 2022. We have worked through our available options and feel that with the current climate this is the right thing to do.

We are looking at coming back in 2023 bigger and better so keep us in the back of your minds for a local adventure race next year.

Thank you to all of you who entered or supported us!

Keep safe - Chris, Liz and team



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[www.lossandgriefcentre.com](http://www.lossandgriefcentre.com)

Next edition of the Winton Newsletter will be 1st March 2022.

Closing deadline for advertising  
5pm, Monday 21st February 2022.  
Business advertising available with very limited  
spaces; 45x90mm \$30 or 90x90mm \$50

Closing deadline  
for articles  
5pm, Monday 21st Feb 2022

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