

October 2019 Edition

Update from Winton Community Support Worker

It has been a busy month with one thing or another happening. I have many days where I intend to achieve certain things but plans go out the window when someone comes into the office or the telephone rings.

Planting at the Community Garden is underway for the new season although the recent rain and cold weather hasn't been the ideal start. Five trays of seedlings are also ready to go into the ground; if anyone would be interested in helping out with planting, we would love to hear from you. Give me a ring on 236 9934.



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Over the winter months I have been running soup and chat luncheons for the Seniors Citizens in their clubrooms on John Street. We have heard about Jimmy and Bev Pratts trip to Alaska, Jeannie Peebles busy life and last week Senior Constable Jim Mangos talked about the comings and goings at the Winton Police Station. These have been enjoyed by all that have come along and we will run them again next winter.

The month has also seen me attending a variety of meetings both here in Winton and further afield which are a good opportunity to share what's happening with others. I make any number of home visits during the course of the month; often these are in a supporting role, sometimes involving referrals to other agencies who are better equipped to deal with issues that are arising for people. I attend appointments at WINZ, the Medical Centre and other places in a support role and advocate as the need presents itself.

On behalf of the Let's Link Winton Food Bank I would like to say a huge thanks to the community for the recent donations of non-perishable items through the New World food drive and also from three Year 10 students at Central Southland College who arranged a Year 10 challenge amongst their peer classes. The shelves are very well stocked going into the Christmas season. If anyone is requiring a food parcel please contact either myself or Ken Galt on 236 9934 or 027 454 9119. Three food parcels have been given out this month.

Plans are also underway to have a Community Christmas Dinner here in Winton on Christmas Day. If this sounds like something you or your family would like to be part of please contact Marie Ronald at the Hospice shop or myself to register your interest.

I have a school holiday programme booked in for Wednesday 2nd October so fingers crossed for a fine day as it is an outside programme. This day takes place at Holt park in Otautau and is always thoroughly enjoyed by the 80 – 100 children that take part. Four different communities come together and enjoy a day of outdoor fun and challenging activities. A big thanks to the Community Trust of Southland for funding this day.

My committee and I had the opportunity to volunteer at the final farmers meal for the year last Wednesday night. The combined community groups, churches and volunteers that combine to put these meals on the table each Wednesday evening are to be commended for the planning and organisation. Large numbers of people enjoy a home style meal and friendly banter during this busy calving and lambing season. Hats off to all of you that are responsible, you are doing a fantastic job. Also, to all of the businesses that are supporting these meals, and particularly the Presbyterian Church individuals and families who are ultimately responsible for this popular initiative. Well done!



Remember, if you need help, support, an advocate, or assistance with any social, cultural, health or educational need please don't hesitate to contact me on 236 9934. Or like our Face Book page; Winton Community Support. My office is situated at the back of the Maternity Clinic (enter off Gow Street). My hours are Monday to Friday 9 am to 3 pm.

Have a great month, Louise

Next edition of the Winton Newsletter will be **1st November 2019.** Closing deadline for articles is <u>5pm 25th October 2019</u>. Information can be emailed to winton.nz@outlook.com



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Farmer Meals

The community Farmer Meals kicked off for 2019 on the 7th August and ran for 8 weeks over the busy calving and lambing period. This is an initiative that is in its 4th year running and involves many community organizations and businesses. Every Wednesday a beautiful home style meal was cooked for farmers and farming families to enjoy. This was provided at no cost and gave those attending an opportunity to get off the farm and mingle with others over a nice hot meal and conversation. An average of 50 people attended each meal and the feedback from farmers attending has been positive.

The final meal was held on 25th September with the sponsors, volunteers and the farmers all coming together . We would like to thank everyone who gave so generously to help make these meals a success whether it was providing ingredients, money or time you are all hugely appreciated.







We would like to thank the following sponsors for their kind contribution of ingredients, time or donations towards the farmer meals for 2019.

> Winton Farm Source Wilson's Vege Stall **Country Manor Catering** Prime Range Meats Vet South New World Winton

Southland Ethnic Support Inc Central Southland Rural Women Winton Community Support Worker Committee Plus generous individual donations



Winton Rotary Peter Walsh & Associates (Livestock Company) **Central Southland Presbyterian Parish** Winton Catholic Church Winton Salvation Army Church













Are you spending Christmas day alone? Are you struggling to afford a Christmas day meal? We are looking at holding a community Christmas day lunch on December 25th, at no cost, for those that find this time of year a challenge.

Expressions of interest are being sought to see if there is enough need in the community for this to go ahead.

If you think you may wish to attend then please register your interest by phoning either 236 9934 or 027 724 1615 by 18th October.

QUILTS & CAKE

Memorial Hall, Meldrum Street, Winton Labour Weekend, 10am–4pm

Patchwork group

NEW VENUE!! Otautau Patchwork Group will be holding their annual Patchwork Exhibition at the Memorial Hall, Winton at Labour weekend, 25th to the 28th of October. Also new for us this year is a Merchant's Mall, including Bernina Southland; Jenny & Pauline; Quirky Stitch from Mosgiel; B J Colourways & Collectibles; Pam Eade; Diana's Knitwear; and Stuart Thomson – Jeweller.

Our exhibition is called Quilts & Cake, your \$5 entrance fee includes tea, coffee and yummy cakes. We have a beautiful child's quilt made by our members for the raffle this year. Tickets are \$2 each or 3 tickets for \$5.

We will also be celebrating Monica Dolan being made a Life Member during the year. Monica will have a collection of her quilts on display.

Come along and see the stunning quilts and crafts our members have been making during the year, you will be made very welcome.

> Enquiries please phone / text Joyce on 021 0225 1623



List your property with Janice or Brenda between 1st September and 15th November and you'll be in the draw to win 1 of 3 chances to **GROCERY GRAB!**

Call into our office, or visit one of our open homes to collect your **FREE** reusable bag.

 Want to know what your property is worth? Phone Janice McKerchar 0274 410 927 Brenda Caldwell 0274 622 123

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We will be showcasing our talented local entertainers with LIVE ENTERTAINMENT throughout WINTON OPEN DAY 17 NOV 19

All welcome individual, group, community, school and professional. numnutaudio backing. For further information or to get involved, contact Richie MacKay by November 5th, 027 321 9645, numnutaudio@xtra.co.nz

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New Feature

Each month we are going to be bringing you a spotlight on a few local businesses in the area.

The following 2 pages have this months features : Nigel Molloy Joinery & Home Computing Services both in Winton





KITCHENS & MORE

Do you need a new kitchen? Are you looking for shelving, storage, a pantry, a laundry, cabinetry, doors, windows, bathroom, stairs, or kitchen appliance's?

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Whether you use your computer to stay connected with friends and family, manage your personal finances or work from home, HCS understands how things in your life can quickly go wrong when your computing needs are not being met in just the right way.

You can count on us to provide you with a fast and reliable service for the following service categories and more:

Virus & Spyware Removal

We are experts at virus and spyware removal (without having to wipe your computer). Once your computer is clean, we will recommend and install the appropriate protection to keep you and your family safe when you are online.

Personal Computer Clean-up & Optimization

Ask us about periodic tune-ups. We will clean-up your computer to keep it running in peak condition.

Computer Sales, Installation and Consulting

Whether you want a basic configuration or need a bells and whistles package, we will help you get the most value from your purchase of a desktop or laptop computer. Services include:

- New computer set up
- Data transfer from your old computer
- Connection to your internet provider or wireless router
- Printer and other peripheral set up and configuration
- Expert advice on selecting and purchasing a new computer, regardless of brand

<u>Upgrades</u>

Performing the necessary upgrades can prolong the life of your current computer. Services include:

- Memory and solid-state hard drive upgrades
- Windows upgrade installs
- Upgrade multimedia capabilities
- · Increase hard drive capacity
- Add a wireless card

<u>Networks</u>

A home network allows you to have multiple computers online simultaneously and also enables you and your family to be connected either wired or wirelessly. Services include:

- Set up & configure internet connection
- Set up email
- · Share printers and files between computers
- Enable wireless capabilities

Smartphones & Tablets

- Set up internet connection
- Set up email
- Set up printing

Data Backups

We will back up your data to a reliable source or online service. We can show you how to do this yourself or we can set up software to do this automatically, so you won't lose your important data.

Data Recovery

In the event that you have "lost" or mistakenly deleted data, we provide data recovery services, wherever possible.

Computer Recycling

For a small fee, we will pick up your computer, sanitize the machine by erasing all data (and provide a back-up copy, upon request) and take the computer and peripherals to a local electronics recycling centre.

P.S Our business is run from home allowing us to keep costs down which we can pass to you. We charge \$60.00 per hour with a minimum charge of \$45.00 and an onsite travel free of \$5.00 within the town boundary. If you live outside of town, we charge \$1:05 per Km. We do not charge travel time. We also service all of Southland + Te Anau and Queenstown. Prices exclude GST.



Daffodil Day Report

Thank you to all the businesses that purchased Daffodils prior to August 30th this year your support is valuable. We wish to acknowledge Winton Bakery, Paper Plus, Night n Day, and New World for our sites, the BNZ tellers for generously counting the donations and banking the money. Also to



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Drummond School for Mufti Day donation, Winton Kindergarten for dressing in yellow, Hospice Shop and Salvation Army Store for their Window Displays.

The Raffle for Simmons Bear was won by V Lomond Winton, The Public were very charitable again this year donating over \$5,000 final amount to be collated in Dunedin.

Ellen Ballantyne and the Winton Team.



The Hideaway 201 Long Lunch

Saturday 2nd November



Beautiful 5 course meal set in the gardens of the Hideaway, Lochiel. Bar available, Live entertainment. Tickets \$75. Phone 03 221 7364 or 027 652 9210



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CAN COME TOO



Congratulation to Levonne Diack from Hair at 117 at Centre Bush for being in business for 10 years on 5th October.



Nadia Lim is coming to Winton. 11am on **11th November** 2019. \$15 a ticket available from Paper Plus Winton or Winton Hospice Shop





October 2019

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
Сомми		1	2 Casual coffee group Pres church 10am Senior Citzens Bellbirds Performance S C H	3 Central Southland Community Pool Opens for the season	4 Loss & Grief Centre @ Reap	5 Takitimu Market Ohai 11am Winton Aglow 3pm
6 IHC Golf Tournament 11am Hospice Shop Fashion Show 2pm	7	8	9 Senior Citizens Crib & Scrabble	10	11 In the Pink Luncheon Noon Garden Bar	12 Have a go Crochet Day 1.30pm
Thrive Café Church 7pm Pres Church		– sci	HOOL HOLID	ays —	\rightarrow	\rightarrow
13	14 Plunket Purely Physical Jerome Kavanagh Workshop 4pm	15 Senior Citizens Cards Euchre 1.30pm	16 Wriggle & Rhyme 10am Plunket Casual coffee group Pres church 10am	17 Purely Physical Mummas 10am Spinning, Knitting, Craft 11am Fellowship Lunch noon Pres Church Te Reo Workshop 6.30pm	18 Loss & Grief Centre @ Reap Senior Citizens Cards 500 2pm Youth 3pm & 7pm @ Pres Church	19 MARKET DAKE Winton Community Market 10am Meldrum St
20	21 Plunket Purely Physical	22 Senior Citizens Cards Euchre 1.30pm	23 Wriggle & Rhyme Plunket 10am	24 Purely Physical Mummas 10am Spinning, Knitting, Craft 11am Te Reo Workshop 6.30pm	25 Senior Citizens Cards 500 2pm The Journey junior Youth 3pm & Youth 7pm @ Pres Church Quilts & Cake event 10-4pm	26 Quilts & Cake event 10-4pm Memorial Hall Winton
27 Quilts & Cake event 10-4pm Memorial Hall Winton	28 LABOUR DAY Quilts & Cake event 10-4pm Memorial Hall Winton	29 Senior Citizens Cards Euchre 1.30pm	30 Wriggle & Rhyme Plunket 10am Senior Citizens Housie 1.30pm	31 Purely Physical Mummas 10am Spinning, Knitting, Craft 11am Te Reo Workshop 6.30pm		

If you require any further information on any of these events please contact event organiser direct or email winton.nz@outlook.com. To have your group or event included next month please send details through by 25th October

ESSENTIAL CONTACT NUMBERS

WINTON COMMUNITY SUPPORT WORKER Louise 236 9934 or wcsw@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 Louise 236-9934 or Ken Galt 027 454 9119

LET'S LINK REST HOME VISITS Weekly on Wednesdays. Louise 236 9934 or Ken 236 8821 or 027 454 9119

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 032188821

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

LOSS & GRIEF SERVICE Appointments at Reap, Fridays 10am - 2pm Phone 0274 438 788



CHURCH SERVICES

Presbyterian Church Winton

October Services

6th Octob	er: World Communion					
9.30am	Traditional Service					
11.00am	- 1 5					
7.00pm	Thrive Café Church					
<u>13th October:</u>						
9.30am	Traditional Service					

9.30am Traditional Service 10.00am Dipton Community Service 11.00am Contemporary Service

20th October:

9.30am Traditional Service 11.00am Contemporary Service

27th October:

10.00am Combined Service Labour Weekend

School Holiday Programme

30th September - 11th October Monday to Friday 9am - 3pm

For those that live alone. Noon. Thursday 17th October (week later than normal)

> <u>Coffee Club</u> All ages. 10am. Wednesday 2nd & 16th

The Journey Junior Youth Year 7 & 8: 3 to 4.30pm. Weekly on Fridays during term.

The Journey Youth Year 9-13, 7 to 9pm. Weekly on Fridays during term.

> Any queries please phone the office 236-9792

Winton Church 11 Meldrum St, Winton

<u>Dipton Church</u> James Street, Dipton <u>Postal Address</u> P.O Box 5, Winton

Anglican Church Services

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

Winton Christian Centre

Weekly 10am Sundays Winton Bridge Club building 145 Park Street, Winton

Catholic Church

Mass Sundays 10.30am Priest Rev Hamesh Wyatt

Great North Road, Winton Contact 2369084

Sundays 6.30pm, 7 Dejoux Rd, Winton