



Rangiora

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Around Town - January Newsletter

Hello and Happy New Year to you all. Although the New Year has come and gone rather swiftly and we are well and truly into the thick of our new year here at Rangiora Promotions.

As I am sure most of you will have heard the Muscle Car Madness - Downtown Street Party was a huge success. We would like to acknowledge our gratitude to Craig Stare and Marty Roderiguez from Stottle Promotions who kindly included Rangiora Promotions in this fantastic opportunity. Further details on this event are available below.

Hot off the Press - we are very excited about our latest development in the Rangiora Promotions Annual Event Calendar. In April this year you can expect to see a brand new event 'Eats and Beats' in Rangiora's Victoria Park. The name says it all and please read on to find out more information.

Best wishes, Belinda Topp - Promotions and Membership

I am delighted to report that our first event for the New Year has been completed and it can only be described as fantastic. With over 200 cars in the High Street area we had over a thousand enthusiasts looking over beautifully restored vehicles of every age. Somewhat disappointing was the lack of shops that were open however as we now have the Muscle Car Madness organisers on board as an annual event hopefully we can get more retailers engaged to take advantage of the huge numbers present.

More development of the CBD will occur this year with the old C J Smiths building being demolished in April bringing an exciting new building to the town centre, while in Southbrook the expansion keeps continuing ensuring Rangiora really is a destination that provides everything.

We at RPA hope you have a prosperous new year and look forward to working with you all over 2017.

Best wishes, Ross Ditmer - Chairperson

Muscle Car Madness Downtown Street Party



Held on Thursday 26th of January the Street Party had Rangiora's High Street buzzing with one of the largest crowds seen at any of our major events. We had over 200 cars parked in our Town Centre which was an absolutely stunning display and consisted of great variation of vehicles and beautiful paint jobs.

Outside the Council Lawn we had Live Music by Sound Control who had the Crowds entertained and all our wonderful cafes and restaurants remained open for one of their busiest nights of the year! It was great to see a handful of retailers open late until 9pm and we hope the rest of the street follow suit in 2018. So yes, that's right! This event will be one of our annual events moving forward and you can diary this now for next year - **Thursday 25th January 2018.**

We would like to acknowledge Transport Rangiora and Executive Limousines who supported this event and once again Craig and Marty from the Muscle Car Madness team - we are thrilled to be involved and to be able to bring such a terrifically supported event to our Town Centre.



Join us at the first Last Wednesday Club of 2017!

Wednesday 22 February

Where: Ashley Boarding Cattery, 167 Ashley Street, Rangiora

When: 5pm to 6:30pm

Hosted by: Donna Barlow, Ashley Boarding Cattery & Kirstyn Barnett, Your Inspiration at Home



Bring your deck chair and enjoy the first Last Wednesday Club of 2017 with Donna (Ashley Boarding Cattery) and Kirstyn (Your Inspiration at Home). Send your RSVP to [Chelsea](#).



Dates for your Diary

Make sure you head over to our [Facebook page](#) and check out the events section, hit the 'going' button - all our upcoming Last Wednesday Clubs until July 2017 are listed here

[22 February](#), [29 March](#), [26 April](#), [31 May](#), [28 June](#), [26 July](#)

Welcome to our newest member



Waimak Law

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Eats and Beats - Saturday 8th April, 3pm to 8pm in Victoria Park

At Eats and Beats you can enjoy five hours of live music while tempting your palate with delicious gourmet hot and cold food options. The event will also feature a carefully selected variety of gourmet food markets such as cheeses, breads, olive oils and more.

We would love to hear from any businesses who would like to set up a food stall at Eats and Beats and this will be specifically offered to Rangiora Businesses as a first priority. There will be limited spaces for each food type so you will need to [make contact quickly](#) if you are interested in being involved. A discount will apply for Rangiora Promotions members.

The finer details of this event are still being confirmed and further information will be available and sent out to you all as soon as possible. [Email Belinda](#) now to find out if there is space for you at this event.





Rangiora Promotions Annual Events

8 April 2017 - Eats and Beats in Victoria Park

July 2017 (TBC) - The Big Splash in conjunction with the Farmers Winter Festival

23 November 2017 - Christmas Celebration Night

10 December 2017 - Rangiora Toyota Santa Parade and Christmas Party in the Park

25 January 2018 - Muscle Car Madness - Downtown Street Party

A message from Waimakariri District Council

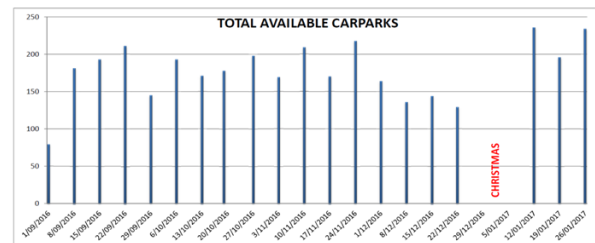
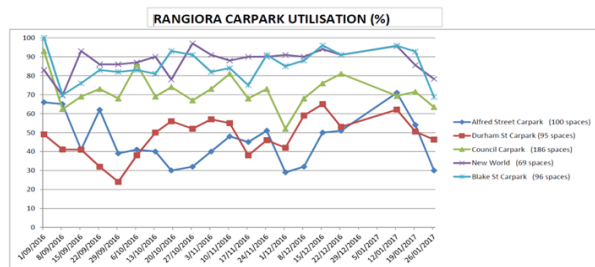
Rangiora Town Centre Parking Update

Monitoring of the Rangiora Town Centres off-street car parking areas is continuing after a small break over the Christmas period.



Monitoring of the five Council car parks provides an ability to assess the occupancy rates and overall demand of the town centres car parking supply. This is important as town centre business rely on the availability of spaces for customers to be able to easily access their stores.

To date, monitoring continues to show a good level of car parking supply available across most of the car parks sites. Since 1 September 2016 when weekly monitoring began, the average number of available car parks (at the time of each survey) was 178 across the five car parking sites. Not surprisingly, monitoring showed that the week leading up to Christmas resulted in the least number of available car parks, with just 129 available at the time of the count.



The first graph below shows the occupancy rate of each of the Council car parks since 1 September 2016. The second graph shows the overall number of available car parks over the same period.



Message from Enterprise North Canterbury

Want to get an expert view on your business and its finances?

Enterprise North Canterbury offer **completely FREE** Business Health Checks with the experts at BDO. These 40 minute one-to-one sessions aim to give you a better grasp of the financial fundamentals of your business. To find out more and book a space please [click here](#).

Messages from our Members

Red Cross – Volunteers Wanted

We are looking to add to our volunteer interested list and are looking for expressions of interest from people.

The role as a volunteer in our shop consists of committing to a four hour shift one day per week and sometimes a Saturday. The shifts are 9.30am - 1.30pm & 1.30pm - 4.45pm Mon - Fri and on a Saturday 9.30am - 2.15pm.

We sort clothing, homewares, Manchester, books, toys etc and price and present in our shop for sale. We also merchandise the shop, greet and serve the customers with a happy, helpful attitude, handle money, banking, opening and shutting depending which shift you are on.

If this all sounds interesting to you and maybe you might like to know more please contact me Maree Brogan by phoning the shop on 03 310 7421 or emailing me at maree.brogan@redcross.org.nz



Curves - Get STRONG for 2017!

Get STRONG for 2017 and be in to WIN with Curves 8 week Challenge. Give us a call on 022 310 5565 for more information and to register. Challenge starts on February 13!

And for a limited time join for only \$1! Curves has helped millions of women get fit, gain strength and stay healthy while discovering the many benefits of our 30 minute total body workout:

Preserve and enhance your muscle mass regardless of your age, Develop strong muscles which provide support to your bones and joints, fun, fast and effective, Variety of specialised circuits, Total body workouts, A Curves coach to teach and motivate.



OPEN TIL 8PM EVERY THURSDAY

Late Night Thursdays!

Beyond the Faerie Tree - late nights every Thursday (Open until 8pm). Pop in with your little person for a face paint or to peruse their beautiful stock of enchanting accessories. Check them out on [Facebook here](#).



Showground Function Centre – Valentine's Day Dance

Don't spend Valentines night crying to Bridget Jones! Join us for drinks, music, dessert & fun

Rangiora Showground Function Centre, Tuesday 14 February 2017, 6:00pm to 10:30pm.

Happy Hour - 6:00pm to 7:30pm | Live Music by Kzee Due | Dessert Menu available | Cash Bar | Free entry



Reserve your table now - 03 310 8236 or 027 310 1944



Rangiora Promotions now has 2359 likes!

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Membership Information

[Visit our website](#) to view our [E-Brochure](#) for benefits of being a member of Rangiora Promotions.





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