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Civil Defence recognises long service by locals

Geraldine women Lesley Autridge and Helen O'Brien received Civil Defence long-service awards from Minister of Civil Defence Kris Faafoi late last year. Now retired from Civil Defence, they both served for more than a decade and each co-ordinated the local welfare centre.

The awards, presented by Geraldine ward councillor Kerry Stevens, recognise their roles in setting up and maintaining emergency welfare capacity locally.

Timaru District Council emergency management advisor Lamorna Cooper says, "They've been critical to developing a great community response in Geraldine. There'd be no team without them. And they've mentored people in the team to take on the good work."

Lesley says, "We got into it because Civil Defence was lacking in Geraldine and we'd had the big snow in 2006. We got people who we thought would be capable and we set up emergency cupboards on both sides of the Waihi River – at Geraldine High School and St Andrew's church hall.

"The training was great – life skills, first aid, health and safety, personalities working together, counselling. It was fun and the tutors were good."

In 2010, the training was put into practice after the first of Christchurch's major earthquakes hit. Helen says, "A group of us helped, in Addington. There were over 200 people registered." The team remained involved as the focus shifted to Timaru "because people had relocated there from Christchurch. We were helping with the accommodation."

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Lesley Autridge, left, and Helen O'Brien with their Civil Defence long-service awards and Lesley's civil-emergency bin. Lesley lists its basics: "Gloves, masks, torches, fire starters, rubbish bags, personal information, three litres of water per person for three days, a can-opener, a sponge bag, a bucket, candles, tissues, sanitiser, toilet paper, a foil blanket, a groundsheet, a first-aid kit, matches, a hi-vis vest, clothes, a pen and newspaper." Photo: Jan Finlayson.

Community board considers spending priorities

Spending priorities district-wide and in Geraldine were under the spotlight at January's Geraldine Community Board (GCB) meeting. The board resolved to make requests on Kennedy Park security, the Talbot Street sewer-riser project, unsealed road maintenance and Christmas decorations. They also decided to request a \$1 per household per year increase in the community board targeted rate.

The meeting was attended by Timaru District Council group manager corporate services Tina Rogers, and Councillor Steve Wills. Cr Wills was there as part of council's policy of rostering councillors to community board meetings to foster greater understanding of the roles of the two types of elected bodies.

Major projects. Timaru's Theatre Royal, the South Canterbury Museum/Heritage Facility, storm-water treatment and the provision of urban drinking water were highlighted by council and TDC staff as major priorities for the next 10 years. The GCB had the chance to influence the priority attached to all projects. Cr Kerry Stevens said the priority was not about the order in which projects were started or finished, but rather related to the chances of projects being included in the draft budget. Ratepayers will have a chance to make submissions once the draft budget is produced.

"This draft budget and long-term plan [LTP] is a very important document," said Ms Rogers. "It has a number of other important documents bundled in with it, like activity

management plans, asset status reports and infrastructure strategy.

"The LTP sets things out for the next 10 years. The first three years are the most important because in three years' time we'll produce another LTP, but it's really important for the community to see what is planned for the next 10 years. We actively seek input from the community. We'll produce a consultation document with a lot more information in it and send it out to every household."

Rate increase. The GCB heard that a 4.46 per cent overall average rate increase was in the budget.

"How that works out for individual ratepayers will depend on things like where they live...Continued on page 2

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CIVIL DEFENCE – LONG SERVICE

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Since then, Geraldine's Civil Defence welfare team has been on the cusp of deployment to Kaikōura after its 2016 quake, and locally in last year's July flooding.

Lesley and Helen have simple emergency-readiness advice. Helen says, "People should have water in several places in the house, have a torch and keep footwear by the bed in case of broken glass." Lesley says that people need to be prepared to be on their own for three days upwards.

Helen says that Civil Defence is tied in with Neighbourhood Support. "It's about knowing faces, what skills are in the neighbourhood, how many people could take others in their homes, doctors, practice nurses, who has a four-wheel drive,

a generator. That sort of thing."

Civil Defence capability comes, Lamorna says, with "life skills, knowing the community, knowing the equipment and having a good mix on the team: people with different networks. There's most definitely a great team in Geraldine now.

"It's unseen; it doesn't make it to the six o'clock news, but it's critical."

The present Geraldine co-ordinator Jan Oliver says they are always looking for a few new recruits. "It's not arduous and there's ongoing training." For information on Civil Defence welfare volunteering, phone her on 693 8842.

Jan Finlayson

COMMUNITY BOARD JANUARY MEETING

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"... and which water scheme they're connected to," said Ms Rogers.

Board members paid particular attention to projects in the Geraldine ward.

Roading. Cr Kerry Stevens suggested the board query the budget for unsealed road metalling and seal widening.

"Our roads are getting a hammering from bigger trucks and heavier trucks. The amount that's been planned won't keep up with the requirements. The budget shows a reduction going out to 2021. That's a planned deterioration."

Christmas decorations. The board also applied for an extra \$5,000 each year for Geraldine's Christmas decorations in the 2018-19 and the 2019-20 financial years.

Security cameras. Geraldine's CBD has four security cameras installed and, in the next financial year, that project was budgeted for completion. The board resolved to request that security cameras be installed in Kennedy Park in the next financial year (after 1 July 2018) and the money for the next round of CBD cameras be deferred a year.

"Board members are well aware that Kennedy Park's a matter of concern to the community, the high school, the police and the council," said Cr Stevens.

Sewer syphon upgrade. The Geraldine sewer syphon upgrade was originally budgeted for the 2018-19 year, but it has been spread over the next two financial years and

the board formally expressed their disappointment at the decision.

"People down the south end are absolutely sick and tired of sewage coming up on their properties in high rainfall. They've waited a long time for the road to be upgraded too," said board chair Wayne O'Donnell. "A delay in the sewer project means a delay in the road project."

Discretionary fund. The GCB has a fund over which it has complete discretion: the fund stands at \$33,000.

"It's for special projects that arise in our community that we want to support or advance," said Cr Stevens. "We've not been a big spender. The targeted rate that feeds into that fund is currently \$2 per household per year. The other two community boards both have a higher rate than us."

The discretionary rate money should not be spent on things covered by other district-wide budgets, said Cr Stevens.

"It should be attached to a project with a positive, community-building aspect to it," said board member Jan Finlayson. "The community will want something back; we should be judiciously spending some of it."

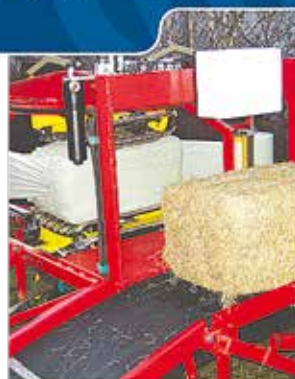
Misspelled street names. In the public forum preceding the board meeting, McGregor Simpson stated some significant heritage names were misspelled on road signs. The process to correcting such errors is complex, explained Cr Stevens. *The Geraldine News* will follow this issue.

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Picnic shelter officially opened



Geraldine Lions' project to mark Lions Clubs International's centenary – a public picnic shelter paying tribute to the area's natural and built history – was opened on Friday.

June Scott, whose husband Doug was a Geraldine Lions Club foundation member, cut the ribbon. She says the Waihi Terrace structure is "just beautiful".

The project is the brainchild of present club president Dave Mackenzie. He says, "It was my vision to build a structure completely unique to Geraldine. The beam represents the old bridge [the former Waihi River bridge slightly north of the current bridge], which had 50 years' life and was replaced in 1978 by the present one... The crossed table supports suggest the old bridge supports." Those components and others –

river stone, exposed aggregate, stained wood and slate – are "natural materials that reflect the local environment".

"Local people and businesses have donated materials and support, [and] the Timaru District Council, the grass and planting."

Timaru District Mayor Damon Odey says, "Everyone worked together to make it a reality... It's an awesome structure."

Past and present Lions Club members, Geraldine Community Board members and members of the public were present to celebrate the opening. Lions Clubs district governor Lorna Inch says, "Clubs everywhere have taken on centenary legacy projects. This is going to be put to good use."

Jan Finlayson



NEWS IN BRIEF

Geraldine academy's workshops

In addition to its weekly programme of classes, Geraldine Academy of Performance and Arts will be running special weekend workshops throughout 2018, says academy co-ordinator Jill Griffin-Roberts.

"We're really excited that we have some top-class tutors and artists coming. They include the Ol' King Cole jazz trio in association with Chamber Music New Zealand: they're doing a concert and a two-hour workshop. And there's Peter Feeney, a New Zealand screen actor and coach for professionals, who's going to give a masterclass. We also have [artist] Donna Demente from Oamaru, a salsa class, African dance and drumming, upholstery and others.

"It's a very varied programme. The idea is to have top-quality tuition in town so people don't have to go to big centres for it. I encourage people to register early."

For more information, follow the academy on Facebook, email academygeraldine@gmail.com or call Jill on 027 452 4791.

Jan Finlayson

Letters

Thanks to our St John's Volunteers

A big thank you to all the volunteers who train faithfully each year, for when some cocky like myself has a big red quad bike suddenly flip on him on steep hill country. Perhaps they shouldn't be called all-terrain vehicles (ATV). Your emergency care and attention, and that of our primary health care doctors and nurses and staff at Timaru hospital, has been awesome.

Although concussed, sore, still not focusing correctly and awaiting shoulder surgery, I am home and making a good recovery. It's nice to be breathing and enjoying exploring planet Earth for a few years longer.

Dave Stanton

Geraldine accommodation providers

Accommodation providers of all shapes and sizes need to be aware of inflation; seldom do things get cheaper. The power goes up, the rates go up, the insurance goes up, the cost of fuel goes up and wages go up.

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Dave Stanton

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Guard of honour for Seishi John

Last Saturday, Geraldine Four Peaks Seido Karate Club attended the funeral of Seishi John Davidson, founder of the Geraldine karate club.

Following the service, Geraldine members performed a guard of honour for Seishi John; Timaru and Temuka karate club members also took part.

Lyn Fattorini
Photo: Submitted





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Consultants to evaluate sports and recreation options

The next stage of the Geraldine sporting and recreational facilities review will go ahead with the appointment of a specialist consultancy firm to conduct a feasibility study into the needs of the Geraldine community for the future.

"We are thrilled with the community support we continue to receive and we're keen to see the results of this next stage which will contribute towards planning for Geraldine's future – our whole community has a stake in this," says Geraldine Combined Sports (GCS) chairman Aaron McCullough.

Global Leisure Group was chosen to lead the project that will determine the broader overall sporting and recreational needs for the Geraldine district for up to 30 years.

The first stage of the review will be completed by the end of March 2018. This will underpin a GCS submission to council's long-term planning process in April 2018.

GCS has been working on the project since September 2016, when the group met with council to find out more about a planned region-wide review. That review is expected to end before the middle of 2018.

As part of that review, GCS saw an opportunity for Geraldine clubs and groups to work together to ensure the district was well represented. They arranged a series of public meetings to encourage the community to think about Geraldine's future sports and recreation needs.

More than 40 submissions were received by GCS in late 2016 from local groups, clubs, businesses and individuals. Analysis suggested two key concepts: a modern fit-for-purpose building with flexible spaces where sporting, recreational, hobby and special interest groups could meet and host events and activities; and a multi-purpose all-weather turf for use by sporting groups.

GCS saw that the needs of Geraldine stretched beyond the scope of the council's sport and recreation review, so

the Geraldine-specific feasibility study uses a much broader definition of "recreation" and includes many clubs and groups that fall outside the TDC study.

The project will also go beyond a review of buildings to address the overall structure and governance of sport and recreation in the district. This may identify areas for increased effectiveness.

GCS received significant support from the business community. A number of key sponsors stepped up to fund a study into whether the identified concepts are appropriate for Geraldine and if they are, what they would look like.

Global Leisure Group consultants will meet with key community groups, conduct independent research and draw from established data to ascertain the need for and viability of these facilities in the district and/or how to better utilise existing facilities and resources.

"We're thrilled that the project is moving into the next phase and we can't wait to receive the outcome from Global Leisure Group in late March," said Aaron. "Global Leisure Group has strong experience in this field and, with their local knowledge, we're confident that their report will give us comprehensive recommendations on how Geraldine should ensure we have the best facilities and resources to meet our future needs".

Global Leisure Group is led by director David Allan who has more than 30 years' experience in the recreation and sport sector, having undertaken many big projects for rural councils and communities. The project will be led by David in collaboration with their consultant, Geraldine local, Anna Coleman. Anna has 20 years' experience in the community sport and recreation sector and extensive local knowledge.

Submitted by Geraldine Combined Sports

Recollections of Mary Leary

Mary Leary (1907-2014) lived with her grandparents in Gapes Valley, as her mother was a chronic invalid who spent extended periods of time in cottage hospitals. Her father worked at Maddren's flax mill in Winchester and often took the payroll to Makikihi for the flax cutters.

As a young girl, she once held a job cooking and cleaning for the manager of the Geraldine ANZ (then Union Bank of Australia). "He and his wife lived upstairs."

"One night I heard a soft knock on my bedroom door. It was the bank manager's wife. She said, 'Mary, I want you to get dressed and come with me. There is someone at the safe.' As I quickly dressed, she said, 'Don't worry, I've got the revolver.' I didn't even know they had one but it was she who was shaking, not me. I was all excited and couldn't wait to get downstairs. Oh, the ignorance of youth..."

"We looked into the bank area. There was someone hunched over the safe. The manager's wife threw open the door and challenged him. The figure spun round and looked straight down the barrel of a pistol held in the



Geraldine Museum submitted this photo and story by Mary Leary.

shaking hands of ... his wife. The manager had been to a lodge meeting and brought the annual fees back to put in the safe.

"Later, when the manager and his wife were on holidays, I had to make up the bed for the relief manager. Every day I had to shift

the darned revolver he kept on a chair by his bed – and it was loaded. I found later that almost all banks had firearms in those days, in case of robbery."

Submitted by the Geraldine Museum

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Geraldine RSA combines two golf tournaments

The Geraldine Returned and Services Association (RSA) annual one-day golf tournament, held at Denfield Golf Club, has become a two-day event. It now incorporates the prestigious Army Museum Tournament, which was held at Burnham for the last 38 years.

Previous organiser of the latter event and this year's RSA cup winner, Rob Hughes of Christchurch, says, "Over the 38 years we only missed two. One was because of the earthquake, and nobody can remember why we missed the other. It drew 80 to 150 ex-service personnel from all round New Zealand.

"Sadly, because of dropping numbers and changing priorities of the army, we decided it had to fold. I commend Campbell Paton of the Geraldine RSA for bringing the two tournaments together. This has been a great weekend and we look forward to next year."

Campbell Paton, organiser of this year's event, says, "We had 59



Tee time: Golfers at the RSA tournament. From left, Dave Laphorne, Les Smeath and Brent Cleveland. Photo: Hugh McCafferty.

entries from Nelson to Invercargill, mostly RSA or current service people though we have a few friends of the RSA too. It was a great day." Campbell himself scored a hole-in-one, which he says, "Was just as well because the rest of the round was rubbish."

In presenting the club's hole-in-one trophy, Denfield club captain Rod Holling paid tribute to the organisers of the tournament and hopes to see the two-day

event as an annual fixture.

RSA president James Goodman is pleased with the success of the tournament. "We've had a lot of support from a number of local businesses. A lot of people have worked hard to make this tournament a success."

Results. The Pierce and Morris Cup (open to Geraldine members only): Rick Putze. The RSA Cup (open to all RSA members): Rod Hughes.

Hugh McCafferty



NEWS IN BRIEF

I'm Going Home for Christmas



Geraldine High School students at the launch of their book, *I'm Going Home for Christmas*. Photo: Jordyn Te Rahui-Hobbs.

Our apologies for the incorrect caption in our article on the talented students at Geraldine High School. This does give us the opportunity, however, to remind readers that *I'm Going Home for Christmas* is available at the Geraldine Lotto and Book Shop while stocks last, or contact Mike Deavoll: m.deavoll@geraldinehs.school.nz

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GOLF

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Geraldine High School

NETBALL COACHES NEEDED

Geraldine High School is looking for coaches in 2018 for:

- Snr A and B Netball
- Junior Netball
- Snr and Jnr Basketball

If you are interested in coaching or managing a team in
2018 please contact Kim Andrews:

E: k.andrews@geraldinehs.school.nz
P: 693 0017 ext 7215

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Must be able to work nights and weekends
Experience preferred but not essential
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Woodbury School

FIXED-TERM PART-TIME TEACHER AIDE

We are looking for a teacher aide to support students in
our school, 17.5 hours per week (3.5 hours per day), for
one year.

Applications close on Friday 9 February.

If you are interested, please:
email: mdejoux@woodbury.school.nz
or phone the school on: 03 692 2817
and leave a contact number.

EATING OUT / Kai wahi kē

THE BREWERY, Geraldine. Open 7 days from 9am. Night
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Tuesday nights starting Tuesday 13 Feb

Geraldine High School gym

Eight weeks' duration. Team cost: \$260 per team.

13, 20, 27 Feb, 6, 13, 20, 27 Mar and 3 Apr

Game times: 6pm, 6.45pm, 7.30pm and 8.15pm.

Games are best of 3 sets. (First 2 to 25 and 3rd to 15)

- Teams do not need uniforms.
- Each team will be required to provide 3 players for duty
when rostered on.
- You do not need to provide a ref
- Six players on court at a time (only 2 boys allowed on
at any time)
- Rolling subs: everyone must rotate and play every
position.
- You must wear non-marking sneakers or you will not
be able to play.

Please register you team to:

Kim Andrews:

027 372 2334, k.andrews@geraldinehs.school.nz

or Courtney Bates:

027 603 5200, fourpeakfitness.cb@outlook.com

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Geraldine Library & Service Centre

Wednesday 14th February at 2:00pm



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