

# noticeboard

Wednesday, December 20, 2017

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## MERRY CHRISTMAS



Samson the Saint Bernard works on his pose to help raise funds for the Southland Kennel Club. Members Emma and Claire Penno and over-worked volunteer wranglers set up the photo shoots, complete with Christmassy-themed backdrops and props. Their efforts brought in \$1,000 for the Kennington-based club. For the record, Samson is 17 months old and is the pride and joy of an ICC staff member. On good days Samson answers to pup, Sam, hey you, Sammy and "geddoverhererightnow". Merry Christmas from Samson and the Invercargill City Council!

## Ginger bells ring out as winners named

With more than 50 entries to this year's Gingerbread House Competition, those named as winners were truly stunning! Remember, they are on display in Cambridge Place Arcade, off Esk Street, until January 5, where you can vote for your favourite in the People's Choice Competition!

- \* **Winner for each Category**
  - Adult - NZ Fairy House - Leah Winter and Kirsten Bernhardt
  - Family - Nightmare Before Christmas - Smith/Clarke Family
  - Youth - Frozen Manor - Zola Close
  - Child - Reindeer Christmas - Walter Gibbs
  - School - Gingerbread Water Tower and Fulton Hogan Truck - Rockdale Park Kindergarten
  - Business - Batch Café
  - Batch by the Sea
  - SIT Early Childhood Centre Room 2
  - SIT Early Childhood Centre Room 3 - The Great Experiment
  - Waihopai Playcentre - Whanau of Waihopai Playcentre
  - Room 1 New River Primary School - Tiny Town
  
- \* **Commendation Business**
  - Just Incredible - The Incredible House
  - The Hits - James & Liv's Hitsmas Hut
  - My Darling Daisy Tea Rooms
  
- \* **Commendation Schools**
  - SIT Early Childhood Centre Room 1 -
  - Santa Training Centre - Samantha Gibbs
  
- \* **Commendation Youth**
  - Oreti Beach - Sue O'Hara & Rachel Wallace
  - White Christmas - Agatha Shery Kurniawan



Invercargill City Council Senior Customer Services Officer Lyndal Robinson, left, and City Centre Co-ordinator Kari Graber, right, present Salvation Army Captain Annette Bray with money raised from both the 2017 Gingerbread House Competition and \$250 collected at the cashiers' desks throughout the year. More than \$150 was raised by the Gingerbread House Competition, and three big boxes of food were also donated to the Salvation Army food bank.



**Overall Winner** - Invercargill Club (Don Street). Carol and Rowan Stratford



**Overall 2nd Place** - Ebenezer Scrooge Manor. Bailey Gilson, Homestead Cobb & Co



**Overall 3rd Equal** - Barnyard. Maylanie Gelacio



**Overall 3rd Equal** - Southland Boys' High School, Brendan Baucke.

## Council operating hours for the holidays

If you would like more information please contact the telephone number listed. Keep this page handy - or refer to the online version at [www.icc.govt.nz](http://www.icc.govt.nz).

### EMERGENCIES AND URGENT ENQUIRIES, INVERCARGILL AND BLUFF - 03 211 1679 AT ANY TIME.

**ICC ADMINISTRATION BUILDING - 03 211 1777**  
The Administration Building closes at 12noon on Friday 22 December 2017 and reopens at 8am on Wednesday 3 January 2018.

**BLUFF SERVICE CENTRE - 03 212 8704**  
Council Administration Functions  
These services close at 12noon on Friday 22 December 2017 and reopen at 8.30am on Wednesday 3 January 2018.

**BLUFF: NZ Post / Kiwibank and Lotto Hours**  
These services close at 5pm on Friday 22 December 2017, and on statutory days.  
Opening hours are as follows:  
 • Saturday 23 December 2017: Open for NZ Post / Kiwibank 10am - 1.30pm, open for Lotto 10am - 7pm  
 • Sunday 24 December 2017: Closed  
 • Monday 25 December 2017: Closed  
 • Tuesday 26 December 2017: Closed  
 • Wednesday 27 December 2017: Open for NZ Post / Kiwibank 9am - 5pm, open for Lotto 9am - 6.30pm  
 • Thursday 28 December 2017: Open for NZ Post / Kiwibank and Lotto 8.30am - 5pm  
 • Friday 29 December 2017: Open for NZ Post / Kiwibank and Lotto 8.30am - 5pm  
 • Saturday 30 December 2017: Open for NZ Post / Kiwibank 10am - 1.30pm, open for Lotto 10am - 7pm  
 • Sunday 31 December 2017: Closed  
 • Monday 1 January 2018: Closed  
 • Tuesday 2 January 2018: Closed  
 • Wednesday 3 January 2018: Normal hours resume

### POOLS DIVISION

**Splash Palace 03 217 3838**  
[www.splashpalace.co.nz](http://www.splashpalace.co.nz)  
 • Sunday 24 December 2017: 8am - 4pm  
 • Monday 25 December 2017: Closed  
 • Tuesday 26 December 2017 to Tuesday 2 January 2018: 11am - 4pm  
 • Wednesday 3 January 2018: 6am - 9pm  
**Liquid Café 03 217 3838**  
Closes at 4pm on Saturday 23 December 2017 and reopens at 6am on Wednesday 3 January 2018.  
**Bluff Swimming Pool 03 212 7062**  
Closed from Monday 25 December 2017 to Friday 5 January 2018 inclusive.

### \* RECYCLING AND RUBBISH COLLECTION

- Monday 25 December 2017 and Monday 1 January 2018: No recycling or rubbish collection today. Collections will be one day later for the rest of the week, e.g. Monday collections will take place on Tuesday, Tuesday collections on Wednesday and so on with Friday collections taking place on Saturday.
- Monday 8 January 2018: Normal recycling and rubbish collections will resume for all collection areas.

### \* WASTE TRANSFER STATION OPERATING HOURS

- Invercargill Transfer Station
- Monday 25 December 2017: Closed
  - Monday 1 January 2018: Closed
- Bluff Transfer Station
- Monday 25 December 2017: Closed
  - Tuesday 26 December 2017: Closed
  - Monday 1 January 2018: Closed
  - Tuesday 2 January 2018: Closed

If you are unsure of your collection day or the operating hours of the transfer station, please visit [www.wastenet.org.nz](http://www.wastenet.org.nz) for more information. If there are any problems with the collection service, call Council on 03 211 1777.

### \* BUILDING SERVICES 03 211 1777

There will be no building inspections between Christmas and New Year.

### \* PARKING

- LEVEN STREET PARK ZONE, CENTRAL CITY 03 211 1786**
- Saturday 23 December 2017: 9am - 4pm
  - Sunday 24 December 2017: 9am - 4pm
  - Monday 25 December 2017: Closed
  - Tuesday 26 December 2017: Closed
  - Wednesday 27 December 2017: 7am - 7pm
  - Thursday 28 December 2017: 7am - 7pm
  - Friday 29 December 2017: 7am - 9pm
  - Saturday 30 December 2017: 9am - 4pm
  - Sunday 31 December 2017: 9am - 4pm
  - Monday 1 January 2018: Closed
  - Tuesday 2 January 2018: Closed
  - Wednesday 3 January 2018: 7am - 7pm

### \* BUS SMART

- Sunday 24 December 2017: No buses
- Monday 25 December 2017: No buses
- Tuesday 26 December 2017: No buses

- Wednesday 27 December 2017: Saturday timetable 10.30am - 3pm
  - Thursday 28 December 2017: Saturday timetable 10.30am - 3pm
  - Friday 29 December 2017: Saturday timetable 10.30am - 3pm
  - Saturday 30 December 2017: Saturday timetable 10.30am - 3pm
  - Sunday 31 December 2017: No buses
  - Monday 1 January 2018: No buses
  - Tuesday 2 January 2018: No buses
  - Wednesday 3 January 2018: Normal service resumes
- For more information call 0800 Bus Smart or go to [www.bussmart.co.nz](http://www.bussmart.co.nz)

### \* PARKS DIVISION 03 219 9070 - FAX 03 217 5358 OFFICE (QUEENS PARK)

- Queens Park (Office)  
Closes at 12noon on Friday 22 December 2017 and reopens at 8am on Wednesday 3 January 2018. For urgent assistance ring the 24 hour number - 03 211 1679.
- Parks and Reserves**  
Open to the public as per usual.  
**Glasshouse Displays - Queens Park**  
 • Closed on Monday 25 December 2017  
 • Open daily from 10am - 5pm  
**Cemeteries and Crematorium (Office)**  
 • Monday 25 December 2017: Office closed and no services  
 • Tuesday 26 December 2017: Office closed and no services  
 • Wednesday 27 December to Saturday 30 December 2017: Normal hours  
 • Monday 1 January 2018: Office closed and no services  
 • Tuesday 2 January 2018: Office closed and no services  
 • Wednesday 3 January 2018: Normal service resumes

### \* LIBRARIES AND ARCHIVE

- Invercargill Public Library - Dee Street 03 211 1444**
- Sunday 24 December 2017: 10am - 1pm
  - Monday 25 December 2017: Closed
  - Tuesday 26 December 2017: Closed
  - Wednesday 27 December 2017: 9am - 7pm
  - Thursday 28 December 2017: 9am - 7pm
  - Friday 29 December 2017: 9am - 7pm
  - Saturday 30 December 2017: 10am - 4pm
  - Sunday 31 December 2017: 10am - 1pm
  - Monday 1 January 2018: Closed
  - Tuesday 2 January 2018: Closed
  - Wednesday 3 January 2018: 9am - 7pm
  - Thursday 4 January 2018: 9am - 7pm
  - Friday 5 January 2018: Normal hours resume

### Bluff Public Library 03 212 8704

- Sunday 24 December 2017: Closed
- Monday 25 December 2017: Closed
- Tuesday 26 December 2017: Closed
- Wednesday 27 December 2017: 1pm - 5pm
- Thursday 28 December 2017: 1pm - 5pm
- Friday 29 December 2017: 12pm - 4pm
- Saturday 30 December 2017: 10am - 1pm
- Sunday 31 December 2017: Closed
- Monday 1 January 2018: Closed
- Tuesday 2 January 2018: Closed
- Wednesday 3 January 2018: 1pm - 5pm
- Thursday 4 January 2018: 1pm - 5pm
- Friday 5 January 2018: Normal hours resume

### \* SOUTHLAND MUSEUM AND ART GALLERY 03 219 9060

- Saturday 23 December 2017: 10am - 5pm
  - Sunday 24 December 2017: 10am - 5pm
  - Monday 25 December 2017: Closed
  - Tuesday 26 December 2017: 10am - 5pm
  - Wednesday 27 December 2017: 9am - 5pm
  - Thursday 28 December 2017: 9am - 5pm
  - Friday 29 December 2017: 9am - 5pm
  - Saturday 30 December 2017: 10am - 5pm
  - Sunday 31 December 2017: 10am - 5pm
  - Monday 1 January 2018: 10am - 5pm
  - Tuesday 2 January 2018: 10am - 5pm
  - Wednesday 3 January 2018: Normal hours resume
- Pyramid on Gala Cafe**
- The café is closed on Monday 25 December 2017
  - Weekdays, weekends and public holidays: 10am - 4pm
- I-Site**
- Saturday 23 December 2017: 8.30am - 4pm
  - Sunday 24 December 2017: 8.30am - 4pm
  - Monday 25 December 2017: Closed
  - Tuesday 26 December 2017: 8.30am - 5pm
  - Wednesday 27 December 2017: 8.30am - 5pm
  - Thursday 28 December 2017: 8.30am - 5pm
  - Friday 29 December 2017: 8.30am - 4pm
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## Council meeting

Notice is hereby given of the following meeting:

**Council Meeting**  
Tuesday, 30 January, 4pm

The above meeting will be held in the Council Chambers / Committee Room, First Floor, Civic Administration Building, 101 Esk Street, Invercargill.

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