# News & Information from Mackenzie District Council Mackenzie



DISTRICT COUNCIL





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## Youth Collaboration with Mayors Taskforce for Jobs and Twizel Area School

A Twizel Area School group was recently challenged to build a picnic table.

They were given a pile of materials and tools and only photographs for instructions. The goal was to successfully build a picnic table using the fundamental employability skills of teamwork, communication, problem solving, and following instructions.

They did have a qualified builder on hand for support and to show them how to use the all important level. The rangitahi blew this task out the water, finishing in under half the allocated time - they are now deciding how to gift these tables back to our community.

Thank you to the following sponsors:

- Claire @ Mackenzie Building Supplies
- Adam Lee Building
- **Brad White**

And to Twizel Area School for their continued support in these initiatives





## **Dog Registrations Due**

Dog registrations are due by 31 August 2023.

Don't forget, you can pay any time by calling into the council offices at Fairlie and Twizel with your details, or using the online dog registration form.







## **Stage 3 - Community Information Evenings**

Earlier this year in March, Council consulted with the community on a range of issues involved in Stage Three of the District Plan Review, which covers the rural parts of the district.

The District Plan Review team used the results of this phase of consultation to help shape up a range of Plan Changes based on feedback. Stage Three is now well underway, and MDC is looking to notify the below Plan Changes in November, subject to Council approval.

- Plan Change 23 Rural and Natural Environment
- Plan Change 24 Sites and Areas of Significance to Māori
- Plan Change 25 Rural Lifestyle Zones
- Plan Change 26 Energy and Infrastructure
- Plan Change 27 Subdivision, Earthworks and Transport

#### **Community Information Evenings**

The District Plan Review team are holding a series of community information evenings. This is an opportunity for you to discuss the issues relating to Stage Three with MDC staff and the review team, let them know what you think and learn more about the process. The dates for these are below:

Date	Town	Location	Time
Thursday 3 August	Fairlie	Fairlie Community Lounge	6:00pm - 8:00pm
Monday 7 August	Albury	Albury Hall	6:00pm - 8:00pm
Tuesday 8 August	Kimbell	Silverstream Hotel	6:00pm - 8:00pm

### Find out more

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You can find out more about Stage Three of the District Plan Review by visiting our website at letstalk.mackenzie.govt.nz > DPR Stage 3 where you will find summaries on each topic, detailed background papers and a range of other material. We will be regularly updating this page to ensure the latest information is available.





Do you use Pukaki Airport? We are interested in hearing about your experience. Our short survey for operators and the general aviation community is now open.

The results of this survey will be reported in our Annual Report, and will provide a benchmark for future annual airport facility satisfaction surveys and we will use it to guide future development of our

You can complete our short survey online at: letstalk.mackenzie.govt.nz > Pukaki Airport User Survey

## Report an issue or problem?

Contact us on 0800 685 8514 or email info@mackenzie.govt.nz



## **Dates of Upcoming Meetings**

Thursday 3 August	Fairlie Community Board meeting	4:30pm - 6:00pm	Fairlie
Monday 28 August	Twizel Community Board meeting	3:00pm - 5:00pm	Twizel
Tuesday 29 August	Council Meeting	9:30am - 2:00pm	Fairlie
Tuesday 26 September	Council Meeting	9:30am - 2:00pm	Fairlie
	Audit and Risk Meeting	2:00pm - 4:00pm	Fairlie
Wednesday 27 September	Tekapo Community Board meeting	3:00pm - 5:00pm	Tekapo
Thursday 28 September	Fairlie Community Board meeting	4:30pm - 6:00pm	Fairlie

The public are welcome to attend meetings. Occasionally times and venues change so please call and check beforehand. There is a public forum at the beginning of each Council and Community Board meeting and members of the public are invited to address Elected Members on relevant matters. Agendas are available on the Council website at least two working days before each meeting.