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I named her Elle Capone.

By Rod Davis

She was a mixture of beauty and gangsta but because she had become part of my life through a deed that nature forewarned...to me she was mainly a gangsta.



Falco novaeseelandiae – The New Zealand falcon. A threatened species that was so threatening it was difficult not to have mixed feelings. I had earlier put a \$2 coin in a jar that cajoled people to SAVE THE ENDANGERED FALCON...and walked away feeling I had done my part for global recovery. In hindsight I would have given my parking money to the constantly maligned whio – blue duck – or the endearing Piwakawaka – fantail – who constantly looks like it suffers from Tourette's with much flitting and faffing through dew dripping ferns.

Several locals had informed me that high up in the clifftops that guarded our house falcons made their nests in what are called scrapes. I was also to find out that when hunting, falcons start by watching from a high perch or by flapping slowly or soaring at great height. Stoops begin 900 metres above their prey and end either by

grabbing the prey or by striking it with the feet hard enough to stun or kill it. They then catch the bird and bite through the neck to kill it...all this is done at speeds of up to 160kmph!

Unfortunately I only found this out after what has now been named MASSACRE AT THE HENNERLY.

For almost 6 months these killer drones of the sky had been carrying out a regular reconnaissance on the highly vulnerable chicken run. I say vulnerable because whilst I was incredibly proud of the frame and chicken net that made up the sides....I had omitted to put any form of roof or even a cover ...to keep anything out from above.

It now amazes me that it did indeed take 6 months for our bird strike warriors to establish my IQ in building was way below par. I was a veritable headless chicken.

I had been watching the birdlife with greater awe and had even purchased WHICH NZ BIRD IS THIS?.....which along with a pair of binoculars ..complimented this new found hobby. Spotting a kereru in the kowhai tree or a kingfisher on a wire...or even a dotterel bravely attempting to nest on the fluctuating tides brought immense pleasure. The day I first sighted the Kotuku – the beautiful white heron – was a moment of fixation that caused a minor roadblock on the road to Karamea.

But I digress. Back to Elle Capone.

In my conversations with locals – mainly in pubs and after a multitude of whitebait patties and whiskey – the talk would go like this.

“So what ya know about these falcons?”

“Killers mate...hope you don't have pets”

“Well.. I've got a greyhound”

“Nah greyhounds don't stand a chance”

“What...they would even go for a big dog!”

“Mate...one even went for my first wife in the garden”

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Landcare Trust wants to meet Karamea farmers

By Sacha Healey

Rhianna Hughes-Eddy, the West Coast representative from Landcare Trust NZ, will be coming to Karamea on Tuesday 29th June to offer support to local farmers wanting to form a Karamea District Catchment Care group.

Catchment care involves environmental management of an area where water flows into a common waterbody e.g. a river or estuary. This model has been used in regions across NZ, gaining considerable funding and resources for environmental action based on each catchment's priorities. A group in Karamea would be the first on the West Coast, making it a real showcase for farmer-led environmental management in our unique region.

The workshop will cover what others have achieved through this catchment approach, before establishing whether there is interest in forming a group here, and what the priorities for action are locally. There are already various efforts being made here, for example the Karamea Area Water Sampling group, so a catchment group may choose to focus on other issues e.g. fencing, planting etc., or look at how a larger scale might amplify the work already happening. Landcare Trust offers support with the

administration and organisation, taking some of the workload off busy locals.

A proactive collective approach is about getting stuff done on a broader scale than what any individual can achieve alone. It also sets a group up to respond well to regulators, the community, and potential funders. However, it is important that those with the most skin in the game see the long-term benefits and lead the charge. For this reason, Clean Streams Karamea is hosting this workshop to foster the connection with Landcare Trust. However, a resulting group must be farmer-led, though we will continue to offer support and partnership on projects where that is desired.

If a group does form in Karamea, there is the opportunity to have Janet Gregory from MPI visit on 13th July to hear about local priorities for action. Janet worked for Landcare Trust facilitating the formation of the hugely successful Pomahaka Water Care group in Otago, so has experience on both sides of the table and can take a Karamea group's ideas back to the Ministry to negotiate support on their behalf. There is a very real possibility of funding for environmental action in our area, but it is only available to farmer-led groups.

To be part of the discussion and have your priorities heard, please register by emailing sachacleanstreams@gmail.com and join us at the workshop on **Tuesday 29th June, 1.30-3.30pm at the Karamea Community RSA Building.**



CATCHMENT CARE IN KARAMEA

A workshop facilitating farmer-led action

Tuesday 29th June, 1.30-3.30pm
Karamea RSA Community Building

Register by email to sachacleanstreams@gmail.com

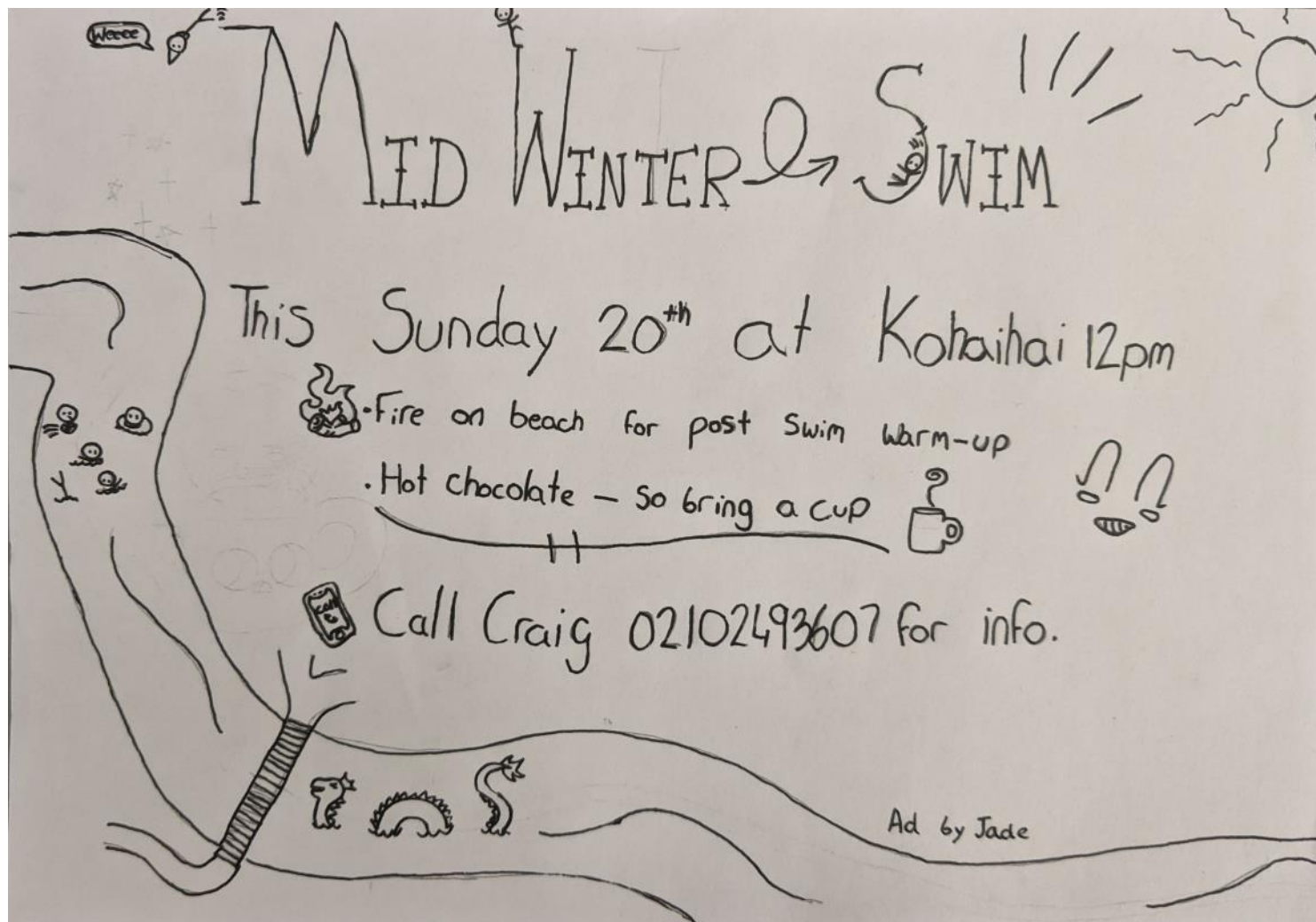


WINTER SCHOOL 2021

For more information contact Kathy Ramsey 7826808 or

karamaartscouncil@yahoo.com

Ladies Sparkle Dance Exercise	Tuesday 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd & 29th June. 6:00pm	Sauerkraut	Wednesday 16th June, 11:00am
Create a Kete Hoko/Shopping Basket from Flax	Wednesday 2nd June, 10:00am,	Kids Boot Camp / Exercise Class	Wednesday 16th June, 3:30pm
30 Minute Chair Based Yoga	Thursday 3rd June, 10:00am,	Cable Knitting	Thursday 17th June, 1:00 - 4:00pm,
How to Be Yourself	Thursday 3rd June, 2:00pm - 4:00pm	Floral Art	Friday 18th June 10:00am
Singing	3rd, 10th 17th and 24th June, 4:00 - 5:00pm,	Event: Granity Night Market	Friday 18th June
Plant Based Cooking	Friday 4th June, 11:00am to 1pm	Event: Winter Solstice at Ōpārara Reserve	Saturday 19th June
Hoopng with Chad and Aby	Friday 4th June, 3:30 - 4:45pm,	Event: Free Shop Saturday	19th June, 10:00am - 2:00pm
Bee Talk	Saturday 5th June 10:00am	Fundamentals of Western Tradition Ritual Magick	Saturday 19th June, 1:00pm - 2:00pm,
Maori Pronunciation	Saturday 5th June, 2:00pm	Chook Chat	Sunday 20th June, 2:00pm
Cold Process Soap	Sunday 6th June, 11:00am,	Healing Oneself	Sunday 20th June 6:30pm
Crochet Hook Up	Sunday 6th June, 2:00pm	Adult Boot Camp	Monday 21st June 6:00pm
Meditation Monday	7th June, 10:00 - 11:30am	Informal Chat about Intermittent Fasting	Wednesday 23rd June, 2:00pm
Guitar Masterclass - Dean Rainey	Mon Nights 7th, 14th, 21st and 28th June, 7-8pm	Making Sourdough Bread	Thursday 24th June, 11:00am
Crochet Socks	Tuesday 8th June, 11:00am	Beginners Mah-jong	Friday 25th June 1:00pm
Quilt Making Wednesday	9th June 9:30am - 3:30pm	Grandmother Circle	Friday 25th June, 4:00 - 6:00pm
Taboo Talk	Wednesdays 9th, 16th, 23rd and 30th June, 7:00pm	Event: Puanga Matariki Winter Fest	Saturday & Sunday 25th & 26th June, 3:30pm
		Sing Your Story Workshop with Fernando Tarango	Friday 25th June, from 6:30 - 8:30pm...
Foot Massage	Friday 11th June, 2:00 - 3:00pm	Permaculture Design for community Garden	Sat 26th June, 10:00am - 12:00pm,
Garden Development	Saturday 12th June, 9:30am	Open Day - Tony Johnson's Vintage tractors	Sunday 27th June, between 10:00am - 1:00pm
	-	Vegan Cheese	Sunday 27th June, 11:00am
3D Felt Workshop 2 full days:	12 & 13th June, 9:00am - 4:00pm	Fun With Words	Sunday 27th June, 2:00pm
Wine Making	Saturday 12th June, 9:30am	How to do Psychic Readings	Sunday 27th June, 6:30 - 8:00pm
Cheese Making	Sunday 13th June, 9:00am	Lanah Hake - My Picture of Peace	Tuesday 29th June, 6:30pm
Tall Tales and True Sunday	13th June, 2:00pm - 4:00pm	Event: Matariki Fire	Friday 2nd July, 6:00 - 8:00pm
Sewing with Shirley @7pm	Mon 14th June, Tues 15th, Mon 21st, Tues 22nd	Event: Pudding Club Sunday	4th July, 7:00pm
Arty Arvos with Ange	Monday 14th and Monday 21st June, 1:00 - 3:00pm		



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Stall bookings
Ph Donna
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“Ahh cmon ...surely not”

“Yup...it probably didn't help that she was covered in birdseed... and she was kind of perching on a branch as she pruning”

By now the image of a bird launching skyward with a gangly 32kgs greyhound dangling underneath....was becoming clearer.

And then of course there were my chickens..

“so they'd go for my chooks?”

This question bought much guffawing and partial choking on whitebait patties.

“mate chooks are like snacks to these guys....less chance than greyhounds and first wives”.

And to top all my worst nightmares off..

“they love brown shavers”

I vowed that night that I would make an effort to protect my 6 eggs a day brown shavers as their plight had now been graphically pointed out to me.

Now one of the great working mantras of those on the west coast reads..

PUT OFF TODAY WHAT COULD BE DONE LATER”

It suited my new found retirement. Nothing scheduled....no plans...ease into the day...no rush.

It was to be a fatal mistake and one that would put me off KFC for life.

The day dawned pristine and full of the sounds of birdlife...the tui whistled up a storm...the bellbird copied her...and our caged canaries trilled themselves awake. Weka scurried up and down the driveway like hedgehogs on steroids. Paradise ducks hooted away knowing that the season of the duck was nothing to be enthused about.

There is something about silence. It is to do with what's missing. Words missing on the page. A child not at the dinner table. A TV on mute.

As I swaggered towards the chicken run – swaggering being my homage to walking through retirement – I was met with a wall of silence where normally clucking, scraping and general poultry talk occurred.

My first image was of 3 chickens standing absolutely statue like underneath the Pohutukawa. Not a feather on their brown cloaks moved. Red crowns barely rippled in the morning breeze. I called out for the 3 chickens that were nowhere to be seen.

“Biggie”

“MC”

“Sauce”

An whilst I fervently believed they each knew the names carefully chosen for them...the rollcall went unanswered.

Nurse Ratchett, Bluebelle and Blanche had still not moved.

The whole chicken run was on pause and I didn't have the remote. As I entered the run something moved and out of the corner of my good eye I noticed the feathers of a different bird in the compost bin. Underneath this foreign feathered visitor I recognised the prone outline of Biggie my double yoker champion, her head at an odd angle and her chicken eyes glazed over.

Elle Capone had been on a mission and I was staring her down with an egg carton in one hand and some dried worms in the other.

These were not the best weapons of choice and for a brief moment I pondered the thought that this protected killer would soon be dangling my 115 kilo body up up and away like a macabre sequel to Mary Poppins.

My dog training kicked in but this time ‘LEAVE IT’ was to no avail.

And then it flew at me...I screamed like a gymnast who only scores 5 in her floor routine and as I dived for cover in the muddy soil I heard the distinctive cry of ‘keek’ keek keek’ as Ms Elle Capone left the murder scene.

It didn't take long to find the bodies of my 2 other chooks. The burial was carried out in the front garden and I truly believe my silver beet will flourish next season.

The smattering of numeracy that accompanied my retirement was enough to compute that it would now take 4 days to fill my carton and only if my surviving hens got over their PTFS – post traumatic falcon syndrome – as quick as possible.

Post massacre days were raw. My survivors were egg bound for 3 days and I could sense that they were mourning their fellow layers.

My attention was drawn back to Ms Capone and as the next few days produced clear blue skies she was easy to pick as she carried out her circular observations. Binoculars bought her closer. Her talons were as long as fondue forks and her beak bent back on itself. Her dark drooping moustache affirmed her gangsta status. She glided far and wide and always returned to her place in the cliffs. Her wings were flat and yet closed in when she dived. I could see how she replaced the eagle with her fearsome command of the immediate skies.

In her own way Elle Capone had demonstrated nature's pecking order and I could only admire her survival skills.

Dixie, Shelly and Layla have now joined the ranks. We never talk about Elle Capone in front of them and the eggs have begun falling out their feathery backsides with relentless consistency.

And on a fine day you will find me, binoculars in hand scanning the giant cliffs waiting for a glimpse of the beauty and savagery of my falcon friend.

Elle Capone.

Karamea Bowling Club

The Bowling Club needs more members . It's a great sport and with more players local competitions could be organised. A lot of people enjoy "business house bowls" so come along and join up and rejuvenate the club. You don't need to have your own bowls , the club has plenty of sets available .

Contacts are Brian Jones 7826704 and Rayma Straight
7826823



WHAT'S ON KARAMEA

June 2021

Event	Date	Time	Venue	Contact	Phone
Winter School	1st June - 4th July	Various	Various	Kathy Ramsay	03 7826808
Granity Night Market	18th June	5pm	Granity	Donna	02041965717
Oparara Winter Solstice	19th June	3pm	Oparara	Emily	emilie.schmitt@gmail.com
Mid Winter Swim	20th June	12pm	Kohaihai	Craig Stenhouse	02102493607
Mid Winter Christmas Tree Festival	24/6-6/7	5pm	Karamea Hotel	Jud Harrington	0272273284
Puanga Matariki Winter Festival	25th June	From 4pm	NBS Theatre	Nuku	02108775062
Catchment Care Workshop	29th June	1-3.30pm	RSA Market Cross	Sacha Healey	03 7897659

July 2021

Event	Date	Time	Venue	Contact	Phone
First Aid Course	6th July	8am	Karamea Fire Station	Dairy Women's Network	0800 396 748

REGULAR EVENTS

Event	Day	Time	Venue	Contact	Phone
Craft Group	Tue	1-3.30pm	Last Resort	May Chalmers	7826 749
Mahjong (every second Tuesday)	Thurs	12 - closing	Vinnie's Café	Anji Hamson	021-466426
Tennis Coaching (ages 8—18 yrs) (Bring racket, sports shoes, water)	Wed	3.15—4.30pm	Tennis Courts (No cost)	Paul Murray	027-2569967
Abundance Share Karamea	Thu	4 - 6 pm	23 Wharf Road	Shona Gibson	
Singing - informal and free, every voice welcome!	Thu	4pm	33 Wharf Road (opposite pub)	Liz Kerslake	
Anglican Church Service	Sun	11am	Holy Trinity Community Church, 87 Waverley Street		
Catholic Communion Service 2 nd & 4 th Sunday of month	Sun	11am	Holy Family Catholic Church, 7 Waverley Street		
Catholic Mass Service (1 st , 3 rd & 5 th Sunday of month)	Sun	12pm	Holy Family Catholic Church, 7 Waverley Street		
Karamea Winter League	Sun	10am	Domain	Deborah Wagner	By request

To add any community events to The Chronicle, please email info@karameainfo.co.nz or phone us on 7826 652 by the Chronicle deadline date



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Westport: 6-8 Brougham Street
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For more information and forms, go to
<https://bullerdc.govt.nz/animal-control/>



Westport Waterfront The Riverbank Update

Thursday 20 May 5.00pm
@ Clocktower, Westport

You are invited to attend a public meeting where Council will provide an update on
the Westport Waterfront The Riverbank project featuring the Toki Poutangata Bridge.

This project is well underway and soon you'll notice
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PINK
SHIRT
DAY

Tidal Creek No.2 Bridge opening



The Buller District Council invites the local community
to celebrate the official opening of
the Tidal Creek No.2 Bridge.

Date: Saturday, 3 July 2021

Time: 11am

Location: Tidal Bridge No.2

Come along and celebrate with us.



**BULLER DISTRICT
LIBRARIES**
Te Kete Wānanga o Kawatiri

Coming up next week:

**TUESDAY 22nd June, Life
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Minds: Author Talk with
Brendan O'Dwyer.**

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**Special Welcome to you all from the
Parish of**

Holy Family Catholic Church of Karamea
(Waverley Street – Karamea End)

- **Mass is celebrated on the First, Third and Fifth Sundays of each month commencing at Midday (12.00pm).**
- **Worship of the Liturgy and Eucharist is held on alternative Sundays being the Second and Fourth Sunday of each month commencing at 11.00am.**
- **Any changes to timings will be posted on Front door.**

For any further information or local support please free to phone or txt Dave Sanders at 027 211-4294/782-6775.

Alternatively please phone either 782-6873 or 782-6781.

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Contact:

Kathy: 027 390 1307

Diane: 7826 762



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Friday: 9am - 1pm

Sunday: 9am - 1pm

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126 Waverley Street
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Saturday, Sunday, Public Holidays

Doctor at Clinic

Tuesdays and Thursdays

Rural Nurse 027 404 4958

EMERGENCIES 111

Note: Please book a couple of weeks in advance if you're getting low on medication!



Karamea RSA Com- munity Building Available for Hire

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For further information contact:

Peter on 7826 123

(if not available contact the Information Centre)

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Waverley Street

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Phone Linda on 7826816

Beef Stroganoff

Recipe supplied by Donna Chambers

Ingredients:

600g of tender beef steak such as: fillet steak / boneless rib eye.
2 tbsp vegetable oil, divided.
1 large onion (or 2 small onions), sliced
300g / 10 oz mushrooms *sliced (not too thin)*
40g / 3 tbsp butter
2 tbsp flour
2 cups 500ml beef broth (*or Campbell's Real Stock Beef*)
1 tbsp Dijon mustard
150ml / 2/3 cup sour cream
Salt and pepper
250 - 300g / 8 - 10 oz pasta or egg noodles of choice
Chopped chives, for garnish (optional)

Instructions:

- Use your fist (or rolling pin or mallet) to flatten the steaks to about 3/4cm thick. Slice into 5mm strips (cut long ones in half), discarding excess fat.
- Sprinkle with a pinch of salt and pepper.
- Heat 1 tbsp oil in a large skillet over high heat. Scatter half the beef in the skillet, QUICKLY spread it with tongs. Leave untouched for 30 seconds until browned. Turn beef quickly (as best you can!). Leave untouched for 30 seconds to brown. Immediately remove onto a plate. Don't worry about pink bits and that it will be raw inside.
- Add remaining 1 tbsp oil and repeat with remaining beef.
- Turn heat down to medium high. Add butter, melt. Then add onions, cook for 1 minute, then add mushrooms.
- Cook mushrooms until golden. Scrape the bottom of the fry pan to get all the golden bits off (this is flavour!).
- Add flour, cook, stirring, for 1 minute.
- Add half the broth/stock while stirring. Once incorporated, add remaining broth.
- Stir, then add sour cream and mustard. Stir until incorporated (don't worry if it looks split, sour cream will "melt" as it heats).
- Bring to a simmer, then reduce heat to medium low. Once it thickens to the consistency of pouring cream (3 - 5 minutes), adjust salt and pepper to taste.
- Add beef back in (including plate juices). Simmer for 1 minute, then remove from the stove immediately.
- Cook pasta according to instructions on the packet.

Pour over pasta noodles & garnish with chives before serving.





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Many thanks—Editor



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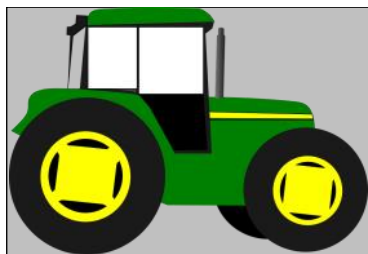
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Cheques are all but phased out. If you need help with internet banking, pop in and we are happy to help!

We have helped a few people already who have appreciated our 'one on one' approach, set at the individual's pace.

Also a reminder that we have free WIFI for public use at the Information Centre in Bridge Street.

The team at the Info Centre



Drone and Robotic technology is experiencing an explosive growth. Drone use in farming particularly can bring about higher grass production and provide a definitive method of systematic farming.

- We can provide help with surveys on land use
- Help with mapping of paddocks and crops
- Help with the analysis of soil health
- Environmental impact assessment and flood risk
- Irrigation and nutrient management help
- House roof checks/guttering/flues
- Real estate photography and videos

If you are interested on how we can help please call Archie Volckman on 037826110



Calling all Seniors

Please join us on the 4th Thursday of each month



Senior Luncheon

This is a great opportunity each month to get out and socialise with others whilst enjoying a lovely lunch in the warmth and comfort at a venue to be decided

**RSVP to Carole
7826 196**



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**DEADLINE FOR NEXT CHRONICLE
3PM 30TH JUNE 2021**



Links by Paul Drake (Karamea)

Hi Folks

If you know anyone who has been fired because they refuse to wear a mask or take the vaccine then click on to the link Covid Response Kit by Voices for Freedom. They also have useful information regarding ones legal rights when it comes to being confronted by zealous authorities during a lockdown etcetera.

The situation is getting serious when Victorians are living in a virtual Stalinist State, see how this young Melbourne artist has been traumatised by simply trying to get to a demonstration. WARNING this is disturbing!

On a lighter note just a catch up on Reiner Fuellmich's deputation against Lockdowns, vaccines etcetera. He is interviewing Brian Gerrish a Brit who blew the whistle on a subversive foundation called Common Purpose.

I may add they were also operating in Canterbury, they employ mind control techniques as Neural Linguistics Programs. Selecting 'leaders' to be subject to hypnosis.

Once again please pass this around.

Cheers Paul Drake

Alert! Will You Really Take The Vaccine After Watching This? RUReally

<https://www.bitchute.com/video/gFq50Z2nrS5n/>

Dr Reiner Fuellmich – Brian Gerrish – UK Column News Interview

<https://www.bitchute.com/video/hsp1ggJO6lx/>

Planned Illusion News Alert – Sydney & Melbourne Protest Review

<https://www.bitchute.com/video/LUgDTobihT4r/>

We Need To Stand UP – Enough is Enough

<https://www.bitchute.com/video/EQ1FFG9pFQgY/>

Covid – response – Survival – Kit – Book: Voices for Freedom

<https://voicesforfreedom.co.nz/wp-content/uploads/2021/04/Covid-Response-Survival-Kit-Book-2021-V.2.pdf>

Mike Adams - What's in the vaccine?: Health Ranger Report

<https://www.brighteon.com/2495a88b-90ad-4411-9171-faef76358dbc>

Matariki
KARAMEA

CELEBRATE MĀORI NEW YEAR WITH SONGS AND STORIES
& SOME KAI AROUND THE FIRE

6-8PM FRIDAY 2ND JULY
@ ŌPĀRARA RESERVE

EVERYONE WELCOME
WRAP UP WARM AND BYO BOWL & SPOON



CARD NIGHT INVITATION



Every Monday

6.30pm

Karamea Village Hotel

Cribbage , Euchre & 500

1 game or 3



ST. ALBAN'S HOUSE,

Although the season is just opening we are selling
Dresses in Prints
from 4s 6d.

Dresses, Pongee Cambrics, suitable
for dresses or garibaldi's
10½d per yard.

Dresses for the Summer marvelously
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Ladies' Fashionable Print Blouses, all colors, from 2s 6d.
SPECIAL.—Walking Costumes complete (material and making) 12/6,
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Besides marking down our stock at a very small profit in order to
encourage cash trade and to meet the weak harvest, we have decided to
give 1/- in the £ for Cash. Ladies' own materials made up.

MRS ANSTICE,
HARDY STREET.

SEW INTERESTING

Sophia Anstice— (B :-1849 D :-1926)

By Liz Volckman

This advert was placed in the Nelson Evening Mail on the 17th October 1893. Sophia had originally established her dressmaking business in Karamea under the trading name of "St. Alban's House".

She used her considerable seamstress skills to create the dresses. Anstice's business became successful very

quickly and she kept the business in Karamea even after moving to Nelson. She later opened another "St. Alban's House" in Nelson. Her business took her all over New Zealand and she regularly took trips back to London (where she was born in Marylebone) to buy fabric. Interestingly the advertisement states that printed dresses can be bought for 4 shillings and 6 pence. To put that into some sort of perspective a teenager starting work in 1890's New Zealand would have earned around five shillings (the equivalent of about 50 cents today) for a 44-hour week. Four shillings and six pence of it then went to "mother" for board to help with the family income, retaining six pence for themselves. In the 1890's Money was real and had genuine value in buying goods. A child given a penny to spend experienced the thrill of just what that coin could buy. Half a penny could buy a good-sized sticky chunk of toffee. A penny could buy a newspaper, a tram ride, two boxes of matches, and a huge variety of sweets and not a iTunes voucher or a PlayStation game in sight!!

Saturday, 19th of June

Oparara Reserve

From 3pm to midnight

WINTER SOLSTICE

OPEN - AIR

This Saturday don't miss out the celebration of the Winter Solstice 2021 with good music, good food and good people !

There will be no charges for the night but a donation box will be available. We just ask you to bring a dish for the Potluck as well as your bowl, cutlery, cup, water and everything you may need (a log for the bomb fire is always welcome ☺)

This event is an eco friendly / family and no alcohol event so please, don't bring any glass and take your rubbish with you when you leave.

Thank you for your support and have fun !

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3:00 - 3:15
Singing group

3:15 - 3:45
Dean and the school

3:50 - 4:05
Hoola hoop

4:10 - 4:55
Fernando

5:00 - 5:30
Dream Chambers

5:35 - 6:05
DKC Triple 3

6:10 - 6:55
Mystery Guest

7:00 - 7:55
The Big Man

8:05 - 9:00
Local Band

9:05 - 10:00
Sub Stu

10:10 - 12:00ish
Dj Obewan

Winter School underway

By Donna Chambers

One of the unique attributes of our Karamea/Little Wanganui community is June Winter School. This year it has over 60 workshops scheduled. Thank you to Kathy Ramsay, all the organisers and facilitators that put in their time and energy to make Winter School happen.

Six of us attended the **Chair Yoga** workshop with Lanah guiding us through several breathing and stretch exercises from the comfort of our chairs. It was physically and mentally relaxing as well as feeling more flexible. I was pleased that I took the time to go along.

Thanks Lanah!

The **Ladies Sparkle Dance** workshops have been fun, getting the body moving to music has got to be good for every aspect of our well-being. I especially enjoyed having this workshop in the Little Wanganui Hall, this time around, the hall was

warm and welcoming with coloured lights to boot.

I look forward to the next Sparkle workshops either at the Little Wanganui Hall on the 22nd or the KAS Hall on the 29th at 6:00pm.



Sparkle Dance group at the Little Wanganui Hall

The Garden Development workshop on the 12th was attended by 19 keen gardeners. It was an enjoyable event as each one added bits and pieces of knowledge, and experience to the discussions around many subjects. We visited 3 local gardens, had morning tea and shared lunch. A big thank you to Cheryl and Nova who willingly came on board to support this workshop.

Garden Development Workshop



There are still workshops coming up and don't forget Pudding Club!



"Intelligent individuals learn from every thing and every one; average people, from their experiences. The stupid already have all the answers."

Socrates