

# Waimakariri Events

APRIL 2017 Event Guide



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## EVENTS

IMPORTANT APRIL DATES



**Easter Weekend:** Friday 14 April – Monday 17 April

**School Holidays:** Monday 17 April – Friday 28 April

**Anzac Day:** Tuesday 25 April

**Daylight Savings Ends:** First Sunday in April, when 3.00am becomes 2.00am.



### 1st Oxford A&P Show

8am-4.30pm, Oxford Showgrounds. Celebrate the 112th year of bringing Town and Country together. Adults \$15, children and cars free.

### 1st Woodford Glen Speedway

7pm, Doubledays Road, Kaiapoi. Christchurch Speedway Spectacular! Streetstocks + Derby Teams Race.

### 1st Seftonian Battle Sports

2pm-6pm, Dudley Park, Rangiora. Medieval swordplay with set positions on a Neo-Gothic Live Action Battlefield. Gold coin donation.

### 6th Aroha Ensemble – Masterworks for String Trio

7.30pm, Chamber Gallery, Rangiora Library. Three members of the well-known Aroha Quartet, perform rarely heard masterworks for string trio under the name 'Aroha Ensemble'.



### 8th Eats and Beats

3pm-8pm, Victoria Park, Rangiora. Eats and Beats is a festival of food and music combined with the ambience of Rangiora's most beautiful park – Victoria Park. Free entry.

### 9th Oxford Speedway

11am, Carleton Road, off South Eyre Road. Mini Stock Challenge.

### 9th Rangiora Harness Racing

11.30am, Lehmans Road, Rangiora. Bring the whole family for a great day's entertainment.



### 13th Wine Tasting: Talk, Taste, Tapas

6pm, FOD Café, Conway Lane, Rangiora. Enjoy delicious wine and food with the knowledge of Chef Melissa Dealy.

### 20th North Canterbury Ladies Social Club

Rangiora RSA, 82 Victoria Street. Get together for a chat and a laugh every 3rd Thursday of the month.

### 23rd Rangiora Harness Racing

11.30am, Lehmans Road, Rangiora. Rangiora Classic. Bring the whole family for a great day's entertainment.

### 22nd - 24th South Island Basketball Tournament

Rangiora New Life Gym, Denchs Road, Rangiora. A SI Basketball tournament hosted by North Canterbury Basketball, with over 40 teams participating from around the South Island.

### 24th - 28th FREE Water Safety Programme

Dudley Park, Rangiora. If your child has had a bad water experience, is not a confident swimmer and struggles to swim 200 metres – this programme is perfect for them!



### 27th March - 13th May NCMS Presents: The Sound of Music

The World's best-loved musical comes to North Canterbury in April 2017.

### 29th Rangiora Toy Library Grand Re-Opening

1 Blakett Street, Rangiora. Come and join us for a fun-filled morning at our Grand Reopening.

### 30th Oxford Speedway

11am, Carleton Road, off South Eyre Road. Stock Car Invasion & Street Stock Challenge.



### 14th-16th, 21st-23rd, 28th-30th Pop-Up Inflatables

10am - 6pm, Pavilion, Rangiora Showgrounds. FUN HQ brings you their pop up inflatables for some school holiday fun!



✦ **The Plough** Live music every Saturday night 8am-12pm

✦ **Winnie Bagoes** Live music every Fri and Sat night

✦ **FOD** Live entertainment every Friday night

✦ You can also enjoy weekend entertainment at Five Stags, John Roy, The Brook and The Kaiakanui Tavern.

## ANZAC DAY SERVICES

### Monday 24 April

**Sefton Service**  
6pm, Cenotaph, Sefton Domain

**Ohoka Service & Parade**  
11am, Ohoka Hall, Mill Road

### Tuesday 25 April

**Cust Service & Parade**  
10am, Cust Community Centre with parade to the West Eyreton Gates for service.

### Kaiapoi Dawn Service

6am, Kaiapoi Cenotaph, Raven Quay

### Kaiapoi Civic Service

10am, Trousselot Park, Charles Street

### Oxford Service & Parade

9.30am, Oxford Town Hall, 30 Main Street

### Rangiora Cenotaph Service

10.55am, Rangiora Cenotaph, High Street



### Art on the Quay

1 April - 20 April, Kaiapoi Civic Centre. South Island Landscapes.

### Arts in Oxford

8 April - 10 May, 72 Main Street, Oxford. 'Requiem' - Dennis de Visser & Yvonne Millar.

### Chamber Gallery Rangiora

2 April - 4 May. Bind up the Broken Hearted - Sculptures by Jeremy Thomas.

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