

DECEMBER & JANUARY ONE-OFF EVENTS

GERALDINE.NZ CHRISTMAS PARADE, Friday 04 December, parade begins 6.30pm followed by fun activities in Geraldine Domain, phone Janene 027 555 6524

COMMUNITY XMAS TREE DONATIONS, donate Xmas gifts for local families in need at Geraldine Resource Centre. Last day for donations is **Tuesday 15 December**. Phone 03 693 7001 for details.

HIMALAYAN LILY DAY, 10am-4pm, Sunday 13 December, at Orari Estate, signposted from Orari & Rangitata. Geraldine Historical Museum fundraiser. Adults \$10, children free. No dogs. Phone 03 693 7028 for details.

TWILIGHT XMAS SHOPPING, 5-8pm Wednesday 23 December. Geraldine shops open late, Farmers Market, Xmas Carols, Food & Stalls.

CHRISTMAS SERVICES

CHURCH OF THE IMMACULATE CONCEPTION,

Christmas Day: Carols 8.30am, Christmas Mass 9am

ST ANDREW'S CHURCH

Christmas Eve: BBQ 6pm, Family Service 6.30pm, and Carol Service 8pm.

Christmas Day: Christmas Service 9am

ANGLICAN PARISH OF GERALDINE

17 Dec, 7pm Carols at St Thomas'

19 Dec, 5pm Blue Christmas at St Mary's

Christmas Eve: 5pm Crib Service at St Mary's, 7pm Carols at St Anne's, 11pm Midnight Carols & Eucharist at St Mary's.

Christmas Day Family Services: 9am at St Thomas', 9am at St Stephen's, and 10.30am at St Mary's

CHRISTMAS DINNER for those alone, at The Corral, 12noon, 25 December at 28 Peel Street. Phone Cyril on 03 693 8630 to confirm by 18 December.

REGULAR ACTIVITIES

ALZHEIMERS SOCIAL SUPPORT, 10.30am Tuesday 01 December, and Xmas lunch 12noon Tuesday 15 December at Mundells. Phone Karen 03 687 7583

ARCHERY CLUB, Sunday 1pm at Orari Racecourse, last day 13 December, restarts 17 January. Phone Del 03 693 9952

BLACKBOARD CONCERT, Friday 29 January, 7.30pm at The Academy. Phone Rhys 021 462 260

BOOKS ON THE BRAIN CLUB, Monday 25 January, 2.30pm at Geraldine Library. Phone Liz 03 693 9336

BRIDGE CLUB, Monday 7pm at Resource Centre, Wednesday 1.15pm at RSA, and Thursday 7.15pm at Bowling Club, Last days Mon 07 Dec, Wed 25 Nov & Thurs 03 Dec, restarts Mon 08 Feb, Wed 10 Feb, & Thurs 21 Jan. phone Leslie 03 693 9801

CAFÉ KNITTERS, Tuesday 01 December 7-9pm, Village Inn. Phone Mary 027 427 0815

COMMUNITY CHOIR Thursday 7.15-9pm at Academy, last day 10 December. Phone Elaine 03 693 9793

COMMUNITY GARDEN, Tuesday 4.00-5.30pm and Thursday 10am-12pm. All welcome. Phone Tim 021 204 4951

COMMUNITY VEHICLE to Timaru, departs Geraldine Tuesday 9.30am, returns 2pm. No service Tuesday 29 December. Phone 03 693 1007

CRAFT MARKET, Saturday & Sunday 9am-3pm, Cox St.

CROQUET, Wednesday mornings, 9:45am, Geraldine Domain (Huffey St). New members welcome. Phone Chris 021 180 3199 or Sue 027 630 3997 for more information.

DENFIELD GOLF CLUB, Men Saturday & Wednesday 12.00pm, Women Tuesday 9.30am & Saturday 12.00pm.

FLORAL ART GROUP, Monday 07 December, twilight Xmas celebration. Phone Liz 03 697 4868

FOUR PEAKS SEIDO KARATE, general classes Tuesday 6pm & Friday 6pm, beginners' class Thursday 5pm, blue belts Thursday 6pm. Last class 08 December restarts 26 January. Phone Gisell 021 0228 7049 for more info.

FUNERGY FITNESS, Monday 6.15pm, Tuesday & Thursday 6.30pm at Primary School Hall, last day 17 December, restarts 11 January. Phone Lynda 021 264 4400

GENTLE EXERCISE, Tuesday 10am at SeniorCare Function Centre, last day 08 December, restarts 02 February. Phone Kay 03 693 9969

GRANDE VUE GOLF CLUB, mixed golf Sunday 12.30pm, women's golf Wednesday 9.30am.

JP SERVICE for certifying documents at Geraldine Library, Saturdays, 10am-12noon, last day 19 December, restarts 16 January. Phone Ross 027 222 8434 for more information.

KEEP ACTIVE, Monday 9.30am at SeniorCare Function Centre, last day 14 December, restarts 11 January. Phone Pamela 03 693 8991

KINDERGARTEN PLAYGROUP, Wednesday 2.15-3.15pm, last day 16 December, restarts 27 January. Phone 03 693 8888

KNITTING & CROCHETING GROUP, Friday 9.30am at Geraldine Library. Beginners welcome. Phone 03 693 9336

LADIES FRIENDSHIP CLUB, Monday 18 January, 10am at Denfield Golf Club. Phone Beth 03 693 8958

MEN'S FRIENDSHIP CLUB, Tuesday 26 January, 10am at RSA Rooms. Phone Allan 03 693 9488

MORRIS DANCING, Tuesday, 5pm at The Academy. Phone Anne 03 693 8726

PARLIAMENTARY SERVICE, Jacqui Dean available at Geraldine Resource Centre by appt. Phone 0800 679 248 254

PATCHWORK GROUPS, Tuesday group restarts 02 February phone Maureen 693 8328, Thursday group restarts 14 January, phone Jenny 03 692 2833

PETANQUE, Tuesday 10am at Geraldine Bowling Club. Phone Carole 03 693 9426

PHOTOGRAPHY CLUB, restarts Wednesday 10 February at Geraldine Resource Centre. Phone Donna 03 693 7299

PLEASANT VALLEY PLAYGROUP, last day Monday 14 December, restarts Monday 01 February. Phone Sheree 022 171 5462

PLUNKET NURSE in Geraldine, last day Wednesday 23 December, restarts 06 January, Jill 027 258 9725

PRESCHOOL STORYTIME & CRAFT, Wednesday, 10.30am at Geraldine Library, last day 16 December, restarts 10 February. Phone 03 693 9336 for info.

RED CROSS SHOP, Tuesday & Thursday 10am-3.30pm, and Saturday 10am-12.30pm. Last day 17 December, reopens 19 January but open on Tuesdays between these dates.

ROCK'N'ROLL CLUB Thursday 7.30pm at RSA Rooms, last day 10 December, restarts 11 February. Phone Lynda 03 693 8652

ROSIE'S RECYCLED CLOTHING, Tuesday-Friday 10.30am-3.30pm, last day 11 December, reopens 05 January.

SALSA DANCING, Tuesday 7.30pm at the Academy. Phone Callum 022 658 2765

SENIOR CARE invite you to morning tea, 10am Friday 29 January at SeniorCare Function Centre. Phone Hilary 03 693 6677

SOCIAL DARTS, Tuesday 7.30pm, phone Marie 03 693 8664

SOCIAL TENNIS, Wednesday 6.30pm at Geraldine Domain, last day 23 December, restarts 06 January. Phone Ad 027 471 3306

ST JOHN YOUTH, restarts Tuesday 09 February. Phone Jess 021 280 4309

TAI CHI CHUAN, Chen Style Saturday 9am, **QIGONG** Saturday 11am, Geraldine Bowling Club, last day 12 December, restarts 16 January, phone Tim 021 141 9142

U3A, Wednesday 16 December 10am, SeniorCare Function Centre. Restarts Wednesday 10 February. Members only. Phone Liz 03 697 4868

UKULELE JAM Tuesday 7.30pm at RSA rooms. Last day 08 December, restarts 09 February. Phone Maggie 027 272 0181

WALK IN WARDROBE, Saturday 10am-12pm at The Lodge Theatre, last day 12 December, restarts 30 January, phone Sharon 03 693 8098 or 027 224 3673

YOGA FOR EVERY BODY Monday 7.30pm at Geraldine Primary School Hall, last day 21 December, restarts 11 January. Details at www.yogaforeverybody.co.nz

ZUMBA® Tuesday 10am at RSA Rooms. Last day 22 December, restarts 19 January. Phone Gisell 021 0228 7049

RELIGIOUS SERVICES

ANGLICAN PARISH: St Mary's, St Anne's, St Stephen's, St Thomas'. Phone 03 693 8380 for Sunday service times.

CATHOLIC MASS, Sundays, 9am, Church of The Immaculate Conception. Phone 03 615 7527 for details.

FORWARD IN FAITH CHURCH, Sundays 10am at RSA Rooms. Phone Harry 03 693 7479

ST ANDREW'S CHURCH, phone 03 693 9503 for Sunday service times.

FEBRUARY COMMUNITY DIARY

To list an Event/Activity in the next Community Diary phone the Resource Centre on 03 693 7001 or email geraldinecentre@xtra.co.nz by **Friday 22 JANUARY**