



# Lumsden Light

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Your Community School  
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TO THE HOUSEHOLDER

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## The Week Ahead

### FRIDAY 27 FEBRUARY

**THE HEART FOUNDATIONS, BIG HEART APPEAL** We will be collecting at the Lumsden Four Square and would love to have your help. If you can spare a couple of hours (or more) to help, please Register at [bigheartappeal.org.nz](http://bigheartappeal.org.nz) click on street collection and register, select Lumsden Four Square and the time/s you can help. Your support will be really appreciated. For more information, contact Dave Allnutt - Area Coordinator 021849609 Thank You!

### THURSDAY 5 MARCH

**LIONS CLUB OF LUMSDEN** the next meeting will be held at the Fire and Emergency Centre, 28 Hero St, 7pm Thursday 5 March (Optional social half hour from 6.30 and supper to follow the meeting).

**Want to get involved or learn more?** Come along and join us for our next meeting. Contact Jim on 027 204 2792 or Dave on 021 849 609 or email: [pres.lumsden@lionsclubs.org.nz](mailto:pres.lumsden@lionsclubs.org.nz) Follow us on Facebook: Lions Club of Lumsden

**MOSSBURN NETBALL CLUB - DATES EDITED!!! 2026 TRIALS!** Thursday 5 March 7pm - adults, year 11/12/13. **Tuesday 10 March 4-5pm** - year 3-6 . **Tuesday 10 March 5:30-7pm** - year 7-13 . **Tuesday 10 March 7pm** - adults, year 11/12/13 All trials will be held at the Mossburn Community Centre. There may be follow up trials required the following week but that will be communicated on Mossburn Netball Club Facebook page. Any inquiries, get in touch with Sarah Stark (021 186 2578) or Lynne Stevenson (027 420 2362)

## NSCRCCT COMMUNITY CO-ORDINATOR'S OFFICE

*'SUPPORTING THE NEEDS OF OUR COMMUNITY'*

Covering the Northern Southland areas

Mossburn, Lumsden, Balfour, Athol, Garston and Dipton

**REMEMBER** - Free confidential advice and support for all members of our community. Contact Cara Colquhoun Phone 248 7885 Cell 027 810 8880 email [nscco-ord@xtra.co.nz](mailto:nscco-ord@xtra.co.nz)

**SENIORS CAFÉ** - Next Seniors Café will be 2nd March 10am at Route 6

**COMMUNITY GARDEN** - meet every Tuesday 1pm at Helena Street (weather permitting) - All welcome

**PATAKA KAI** - is situated at the front of the Community Garden in Helena Street

**STORAGE ROOM OPEN DAY** - 11am-1pm Wednesday 4 March

## For Sale

**BORDER COLLIE PUPS** Boys and Girls available, parents are working \$1200. 8 weeks on 1st March. Listed on Trade Me. Contact Jessica 022 010 9795

**DRY OREGON FIREWOOD** \$100 per square metre. 4 square metres to a trailer approximately. Can deliver to Mossburn and Lumsden if needed Ph 021 027 19841

**FIREWOOD FOR SALE** \$90 a metre, minimum order 2.5 metres doing the Northern Southland area. Please contact Jesse at: 027 353 9891 or email [mckenziejesse174@gmail.com](mailto:mckenziejesse174@gmail.com)

**FIREWOOD** 2.5 meters \$250.00 COD Ph Mark 021 839 066 or Bev 027 227 7435

**HONDA CRV 2005** Rego & Warrant, miles 138213. Good Condition, fantastic family car, very reliable \$5,500 ono. Phone 021 180 1105

**TO GIVE AWAY** single bed in good condition phone 027 213 6727

## Employment

**SEEKING AN ADMINISTRATOR EXTRAORDINAIRE FOR GARSTON SCHOOL**

Our school is currently searching for our next School Secretary who will be available to work Monday, Wednesday and Friday 9am to 12pm during term time. We would like someone who: Has a good sense of humour, loves children, knows their way around computer systems, invoicing & can maintain confidentiality. This position is available from 9th March for the right person. Please send all enquiries to Ruth Faulkner, Principal. [principal@garston.school.nz](mailto:principal@garston.school.nz)

## Coming Up

**8 MARCH - HERITAGE MONTH EVENT** from 1pm. Meet at Lumsden Railway Station. Topic - Lumsden's Rescued Trains. Enjoy hearing the stories of Lumsden's train history from enthusiasts. Followed by afternoon tea at Lumsden Senior Citizen's rooms. You are welcome to meet at Route 6 for lunch & catch up from midday. Organised by Heritage South, Heritage month events across Southland in March. Website has details of other events through the month. Mossburn event on Sun 22 March, Topic Mossburn Trains & transport. Excursion to Port Craig Sun 29 March by helicopter to celebrate 100 years since Port Craig school opened. Cost \$ 350 per person- organised by Ken Bradley, Te Anau, 027 430 7818. For more details contact Jenny Campbell, 027 351 0180

**10 MARCH - BEEF+LAMB FARMING FOR PROFIT FIELD DAY** 1pm-4:30pm. Wakefield Farm (woolshed), 194 Dipton Bush Road, Dipton. Join us for an on-farm field day at the Lindsays property exploring how integrating sheep, beef and deer can improve profitability and resilience. We'll be joined by Matthew Carroll (BakerAg) an experienced farm consultant. Afternoon tea and BBQ provided. Register at [www.beeflambnz.com/events](http://www.beeflambnz.com/events)

**11 MARCH - LUMSDEN SENIOR CITIZENS OUTING** will be at the Garston Hops, meeting at the Farm at 11am then lunch at Five Rivers Café. Names must be given to Fiona 020 4088 9000 before Monday 9th.

**11 MARCH - THE AGM OF THE BALFOUR RSA** will be held in the club rooms at 5.30pm. All welcome Contact Murray Mckeown 0272016884 for more info.

**13 MARCH - STITCH IT DON'T DITCH IT** 2nd Friday of each month, 10 am - 12 pm @ Route 6 Café. Stay for a couple of hours or just pop in. Bring some mending, a craft project or just yourself. Various mending materials supplied and group members can help problem-solve your mend. No need to RSVP, just turn up when you can. For more info contact: Kate Morgan via email: [knitapotamus@gmail.com](mailto:knitapotamus@gmail.com) or Instagram: @mendworthy

**14 MARCH - RIVERSDALE MAIZE MAZE** fundraiser for Waikia Forest Trails and Riversdale Home & School. Exciting local fundraiser - can you find your way out of the twisting turning maze? Located at McClintock Contracting 741 Mandeville Kingston Crossing Road. Final day Maze Mar 14th 10-4 Cost 13+ \$10, 5-12yrs \$5, Under 5 free, Family \$30. Apr 18 R13 spooky Night Maze 7-9pm. BBQ & Refreshments for sale. Cash preferred, Eftpos available. See Riversdale Maize Maze on Facebook for more details.

**14 MARCH - LIONS CLUB OF LUMSDEN 4WD TRIP TO MT NICHOLAS VIA MAVORA LAKES** register at [sec.lumsden@lionsclubs.org.nz](mailto:sec.lumsden@lionsclubs.org.nz). Enjoy a great day in remarkable country and help support our community. ONLY \$50 per person (kids free).

**27 MARCH - QUIZ NIGHT** 7pm at the Lumsden Fire Station, Hero St Lumsden. Raffles, Cash bar, Savouries served, Courtesy coach (*within 10kms*) \$40 per team of four. All funds go to the Sky Tower Challenge raising funds for Blood Cancer NZ. Limited spaces available! Please register your interest to [stevieperry@windowslive.com](mailto:stevieperry@windowslive.com)

## Wanted

Can Tabs and Metal wine caps These are being collected to help raise funds for Dialysis. Please drop off at the College office, Vet South Winton or a to a member of your local Fire Brigade.

### PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH SERVICES

**Sunday 1 March** 10am Mossburn  
10am Lumsden

### CATHOLIC CHURCH SERVICES

**Every Sunday, Mass** 11am Balfour  
**First Sunday, Mass** 7pm Lumsden  
**Every Sunday, Mass** 9am Mossburn

**Other Sundays, Communion Services** 6.30pm

## MONDAY

**BALFOUR SCOUT GROUP** . Cubs 6-10 years, Scouts 10-years, Monday nights 6.00 - 7.30 pm, Balfour Scout Hall Kruger Street, For more info please contact group leader Noortje Hamers on 027 937 4851.

**MOSSBURN SQUASH CLUB** social squash. All welcome, all levels. Come and have a hit and see what it is all about. Ph 021 027 19841 for further information

**LUMSDEN LIBRARY BRICK CLUB** Fortnightly during term time. Mondays 3 - 4pm. Calling all Lego fans, come along and take the weekly challenge. For more information ask at the Library.

**LUMSDEN LIBRARY CHESS CLUB** fun for all ages. All welcome. Fortnightly (on alternating Mondays with Brick Club). Mondays 3pm to 4.30pm. For more details, please contact carosine@hotmail.com

**'SENIORS' CAFÉ'** No joining fees just cost of a tea/coffee and scone - subsidized to \$5.00. First Monday of the month 10am Contact Cara Colquhoun 03 248 7885.

## TUESDAY

**BALFOUR PLAYCENTRE:** Is open every Tuesday and Friday from 9am to 12pm. Located at the Balfour Primary School, come visit us for a coffee, catch up and see what our wonderful facility has to offer you and your child. Operates during school term dates. For further information please contact Kathryn Moir 027 314 0015

**MOSSBURN PLAYGROUP:** We gather together every Tuesday during term from 9-12 at the community centre. Fun activities are organised each week with indoor/outdoor play areas for the kids. We have a shared morning tea for the kids. We ask that you bring one box of crackers at the beginning of each term and one piece of fruit for each session. Hot drinks and morning tea are provided for adults. For more information please contact Ashleigh 027 389 7685.

**DIPTON PLAYGROUP** Every Tuesday 9.30-12pm. Located behind Dipton Memorial Hall. Fully certificated and co-ordinator run. Each session offers a theme/activity, as well as great indoor and outdoor play. Great chance for Mums and families to relax and allow little ones to have fun playing while learning. Plus a separate Discovery Time/Wa Kitea excursion for 4.5 year olds to Dipton School. Phone Jacinda 027 339 1394

**GARSTON PLAYGROUP:** Under 6s. BYO morning tea. Awesome fun activities - something different each session. 9.30am - 12.30pm Look forward to seeing you there. The Old Post Office, Garston. Phone Shaina Pepper 027 709 9284

**DIPTON TOY LIBRARY** 9.15am - 11.15 am. Other times by arrangement. During school term. Wide range of toys for 0-6 year olds. Located in the Memorial Hall. Fees: \$45 annual; \$12 casual. Email [diptontoylibrary@outlook.com](mailto:diptontoylibrary@outlook.com)

**LUMSDEN LADIES' GOLF** 9 and 18 holes. Tee off 10 am. Some sets of clubs available. Contact Lois Mitchell 027 487 4753. All welcome.

**DIPTON GOLF CLUB** - 10.00 am, 18 holes contact Paddy 248 5149

**COMMUNITY GARDEN** meet every Tuesday 1pm at the garden in Helena Street. All welcome.

**PATCHWORK & QUILTING CLASSES** Patchwork and Quilting Class will be held most Tuesdays, Terms 1 and 4: 9.30am till 12.30 , Terms 2 and 3: 1pm till 4pm at the Five Rivers School. Everyone welcome. Weekly fee, tutor \$15, venue donation \$3. Please phone/txt Jenny Tayler 027 227 2515 for further information, to register and to check dates

**CASTLEROCK MOSSBURN PONY CLUB** weekly rallies. Everyone welcome at any level, come along and have a go. Please contact Annabel Saunders - President 021 176 2648 or Megan Vande Sandt 027 269 3211

**PATHWAY TO THE PRESENT MOMENT: MINDFULNESS FOR PERIMENOPAUSE AND BEYOND** Learning and applying mindfulness to symptoms of perimenopause. Tuesdays 7-8pm. For more information visit [www.somatic-rehabilitation.nz](http://www.somatic-rehabilitation.nz) or contact Sheree Honeyfield-King M: 027 2000 355

**MOSSBURN SENIOR CITIZENS** 1st & 3rd Tuesday at 2 pm in rooms. \$2.00 toward running costs. Meeting 1st Week . Bingo 3 rd Week \$2.00 with afternoon tea to follow. Contact Sonya 021 884 972. Chrissy 027 816 1656.

## WEDNESDAY

**GARSTON PLAYGROUP** As Mondays

**BIBLE STUDY HOME DELIVERY** Would you like to attend Bible Study, but family commitments, mobility or transport keep you from attending? Maybe we can help, phone or text Graham 027 414 2288 **GEN-2-REV BIBLE STUDY** is taking a break for a few months. Got Bible questions? You can still text them to 027 414 2288

**LUMSDEN PLAYCENTRE** Every Wednesday during school term 9:30-12:30. We have a wonderful inviting space that caters for tamariki ages 0-6. Te whariki guiding our whānau practice and play. Free to attend, donations are accepted. Come along and check us out, or take a look at our Facebook page. For any further enquiries contact Trinity n 027 307 9802 or email [lumsden@playcentre.org.nz](mailto:lumsden@playcentre.org.nz)

**SING ONG TAI CHI** Classes held on Wednesday at 10am at the Senior Citizens' Rooms in Lumsden. This branch of Sing Ong Tai Chi teaches the Yang style of Tai Chi Chaun as taught by Professor Yek Sing Ong and is now open to the public. The instructor is John Titter who has been training in Tai Chi since 2002. the Sing Ong Tai Chi is a very soft internal art that is beneficial for all ages and fitness levels beginners are welcome. Benefits of Tai Chi: Improved relaxation, Flexibility & Posture, Energy Levels, Co-ordination, Concentration and Rehabilitation. For more information contact John Titter Ph 027 491 7299 or email [j.k.titter@gmail.com](mailto:j.k.titter@gmail.com)

## THURSDAY

**NORTHERN SOUTHLAND WALKGROUP** - Meet the 2nd & 4th Thursday of the month. Come and join the leisurely wanders, good company. Seeing the highlights of different towns/areas. Car pool. Contact Mossburn Chrissie 027 816 1656, Riversdale Charmaine 027 358 3531

**MID NORTHERN SOUTHLAND TOY LIBRARY** will be open on the first Thursday of every month from 2:45-3:30. Come and visit us at 33 Pluto Rd, Lumsden and check out our huge range of indoor and outdoor toys, puzzles and games. New members welcome. Contact Kate 027 811 2919 or find us on Facebook.

**FIVE RIVERS' PLAY GROUP** 9.30 -12.30 Wonderful local playgroup, great indoor and outdoor play, music, paints, wood work and plenty more. Small focused activities every week, great chance for mums and families to relax and let kids be kids. Located in the old Five Rivers' School building. Contact Mikaela on 027 773 2083 or just pop along for a look.

**PATHWAY TO THE PRESENT MOMENT: MINDFULNESS IN LATER LIFE.** Learning and applying mindfulness for wellbeing and cognition. Thursdays 10.30-11.30am. For more information visit [www.somatic-rehabilitation.nz](http://www.somatic-rehabilitation.nz) or contact Sheree Honeyfield-King M: 027 2000 355

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## SATURDAY

**LUMSDEN COMMUNITY NURSERY** The fortnightly "Plant Lovers' Social Group" is happening. Come and join us from 10am-12pm every second and fourth Saturday of the month for a fun and relaxed morning of planting, chit chat and morning tea. All are welcome! Follow us on Facebook @reforestsouthland or text to go on our reminder list (027 693 1394)

**MOSSBURN GOLF CLUB** - 18 holes tee off 12.30 pm, 9 holes tee off 2:30pm - Open to all players - Now offering first year half price memberships for new members - Contact Richard 027 822 7719

## SUNDAY

**ATHOL MARKET** every fine Sunday, 10am till 2pm outside The Brown Trout Café. Stalls only \$5. Plenty of room for everyone. Please phone Jan on 03 248 5258 to book in or any enquiries

**MID NORTHERN SOUTHLAND TOY LIBRARY** will be open on the third Sunday of every month from 10 -11am. Contact Kate 027 811 2919 or find us on Facebook

## Public Notices

**CARETAKER FOR LUMSDEN MEMORIAL HALL** is Kath Miller phone 027 905 3108 or email [kathcando@slingshot.co.nz](mailto:kathcando@slingshot.co.nz)

**CANCER SOCIETY SUPPORT SERVICES** available in your area for anyone affected by Cancer. Contact Jo Bremer 021 562 939.

**CORESTONE PLUMBING & HEATING** Contact Rocco Beneke on 027 306 1580 or email: [rocco@corestoneplumbing.com](mailto:rocco@corestoneplumbing.com)

Visit: [www.corestoneplumbing.com](http://www.corestoneplumbing.com) Facebook: Corestone Plumbing

**LUMSDEN MATERNITY AND WELL CHILD HUB** I am available for women to get free and confidential pregnancy tests, bloods tests ordered by their LMC during pregnancy, breastfeeding support and urgent antenatal assessments as required by the LMC. Monday and Thursday from 10am-2pm. Contact: Shelley Wesselson on 021 249 9964 or the Hub phone on 03 248 7050 at the Lumsden Maternity Hub, 58 Garden Street, Lumsden.

**BALFOUR HALL FOR HIRE** for bookings please contact Karen 027 201 0191 or Maree 027 433 2841

**LIONS CLUB OF LUMSDEN** Proudly serving our community since 1964. From supporting local needs to fostering future leaders, the Lions Club of Lumsden is making a meaningful difference. **Did you know:** The Lions Club of Lumsden manage the roadside Community Notice Boards that are sited at each entrance to Lumsden? If you have a local event you would like to promote contact Dave. Like to get involved or learn more? Contact Jim on 027 204 2792 or Dave on 021 849 609 or email: [pres.lumsden@lionsclubs.org.nz](mailto:pres.lumsden@lionsclubs.org.nz)

Follow us on Facebook: Lions Club of Lumsden

**LUMSDEN PLAYCENTRE AVAILABLE FOR HIRE** for your birthday parties. \$80 for day hire; Contact Trinity 027 307 9802

**NSCRCCT - DONATE TODAY**, because together we do better. Get in touch to make a tax deductible donation. Email [pongabrigid@gmail.com](mailto:pongabrigid@gmail.com). Our bank account details are: Northern Southland Community Resource Centre Charitable Trust 02 0957 002497 097

## Public Notices Continued

**HOUSIE/BINGO AT LUMSDEN SENIOR CITIZENS ROOMS** due to poor attendance in the summer months, there will be no Housie/Bingo at the Lumsden Senior Citizens Rooms until April/May

**ST JOHN STORE LUMSDEN** Hello, we have good news! We are opening 6 days per week again, starting Monday 2nd March. Let's welcome Kat to the team. Kat is our new Assistant manager who will be working on Saturdays with us and any other days I am not available. Make her feel welcome. She will also be helping with our window displays; you may have already seen her creative design. Apart from this news keep an eye out on Facebook for various pop up Sales or special Sales for Facebook users. Hope to see you all soon.

**FIVE FINGER CRAFT & INFORMATION** Find us in the Old Railway Station, Diana Street, Lumsden

**SOUTHLAND DISTRICT COUNCIL IS ASKING RESIDENTS TO COMPLETE A SURVEY DESIGNED TO INFORM WHAT NEEDS TO BE DONE TO SUPPORT GROWTH AND DEVELOPMENT IN DISTRICT COMMUNITIES.** The Community and Housing Needs Survey closes on 3 March 2026 and can be found on Council's Make it Stick webpage. It is being carried out by Great South on Council's behalf.

[southlanddc.govt.nz/make-it-stick/have-your-say/community-spatial-plans/](https://southlanddc.govt.nz/make-it-stick/have-your-say/community-spatial-plans/)

**DO YOU LOVE AUTHENTIC ITALIAN CUISINE WITHOUT TRAVELLING ABROAD?** Taste genuine recipes passed down from my nonna (grandma) born in Italy. Approved by Southland District Council as a small-scale caterer in Lumsden, this new home-run eatery offers an opportunity to immerse in Italian food, music, language, and culture in this "pop-up" trattoria. Add your email to receive the weekly set menu here: [cucinadellanonna.nz@gmail.com](mailto:cucinadellanonna.nz@gmail.com)

**CRIB OWNERS ON DOC LAND** invited to join national body to advocate for our interests ahead of changes to DOC National Policy Statement. Enquiries to [Clare@scorch.co.nz](mailto:Clare@scorch.co.nz)

**LUMSDEN BOWLING CLUB SOCIAL BOWLS.** The club will be running social bowls on a Thursday night 6pm for 6.30 start for the next 4 - 5 weeks. Teams of 3 \$15 per team per night. Bowls available if needed. Flat shoes a must. If you are unable to find a team come along anyway we will endeavour to fit you into a team. For further information contact Wille Menlove 027 471 5496 or Anne Adams 027 490 2680

**MOSSBURN DISTRICT CHARITABLE TRUST** The Mossburn District Charitable Trust was formed to provide financial support, with emphasis on improving education, development and the general well-being of local citizens. Applicants must have resided in the Mossburn District for a period of at least five years, and/or attended the Mossburn School. There will be two funding rounds closing on 31 August and 28 February of each year. To apply for a grant you must use the official application form. Applications are now open for the first round and must be received in writing by 5pm 28 February 2026. Please contact the Trust Secretary, Sonya Taylor on 021 884 972 or email [mossburndct@gmail.com](mailto:mossburndct@gmail.com) to obtain a grant application form

**WINTON FOOTBALL CLUB** Registrations are now open for the winter season; go to <https://www.sporty.co.nz/wintonfc> and click on 2026 Registrations. The club caters for all players, 4 year olds upwards, male and female. Adults have already started trainings, women can contact Steph fraser.[steph.wilson@gmail.com](mailto:steph.wilson@gmail.com) and men contact Cody [kinraidcody@gmail.com](mailto:kinraidcody@gmail.com) Juniors 4 – 16 years will start trainings in March but we have this scheduled: **Juniors Have-a-go Session** Thursday 12 March, 4-5pm Moore's Reserve, Winton. General enquiries can be made to [wintonfootballnz@gmail.com](mailto:wintonfootballnz@gmail.com)

## Accommodation

**LARGE 4 BEDROOM HOUSE IN LUMSDEN** township \$550 p week, for more information ph 027 671 9833

**2 BEDROOM ATHOL COTTAGE FOR RENT** Fully furnished 2 bedrooomed cottage for rent. Located in Athol, approximately 45 minutes from Frankton, or only 20 minutes from Kingston. Suit single person, couple, family with one child, or two working singles. House has a separate entrance but adjoins a commercial art gallery open 7 days a week 10am-4pm. Furnishing includes all furniture, appliances, TV, Freeview, kitchen equipment, crockery and cutlery. Rental is \$495/week, two weeks bond and 2 weeks rent payable in advance. No pets preferred but small quiet dog will be considered on a case by case basis on the condition that the dog is never left unattended during the day. Please respond initially by email to [karen@atholgallery.co.nz](mailto:karen@atholgallery.co.nz) with the following details: Names and ages of proposed tenants, Visa/residency status, Name of employer/s and employer contact details & Reference names and numbers.

## Local Businesses

**AA DRY DIGGER HIRE AND BALING:** 12 ton digger, \$60 ph delivered. Full mowing, tedding, raking and baling. Wrapped single fusion bales. We also offer lawn mowing - farm cottages, roadside and tanker tracks. For details, please phone Greg 027 435 4746

**ADDED ENERGY LTD:** Our team of experienced staff can handle all your electrical, pumping, dairy shed and effluent needs. Domestic, rural, industrial, commercial, inspections, solar and energy efficiency, we can handle it all 0800LUMSDEN (0800 586 733)

**AG & EARTH MECHANICAL AND ENGINEERING SERVICES** a mobile operation servicing the Southland and Otago regions, with repairs on agricultural and earthmoving equipment, tractor servicing & repairs and on-farm engineering needs. Phone Simon 027 259 9919.

**ARLUSSA AG LTD BALING SERVICES** providing Film on Film, Mowing, Raking, Tedding and more. Available throughout Southland area, based in Balfour. Call Dale 021 127 2876 or email [admin@ardlussaag.com](mailto:admin@ardlussaag.com)

**BALFOUR THEATRE COMPANY COSTUME HIRE.** Phone Ziggy Roy 201 6058 or 027 444 8353

**BRETT MIDDLETON CONTRACTING LTD** For all your Fencing requirements and now available Diggers/Bulldozers for all your earthworks requirements with experienced operators. Phone for a quote 027 329 2698.

**BROOM AND GORSE SPRAYING** specialist in steep terrain and all general spraying. For more information please ph/text Jason Hoyle 021 185 1909

**BURR FARM SERVICES** Whether it's spraying out, crop protection, or liquid fertiliser application, our boom spraying services have you covered. Phone Mike on 027 629 9975

**CARPENTRY SOUTH 2024 LTD** Builders covering all of Southland for your residential, commercial and rural requirements. Member of NZ Certified Builders and Licensed Building Practitioners. Please phone Scott Weller on 027 303 9304 or Michael Clark on 027 839 3814 for any inquiries.

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**CORESTONE PLUMBING & HEATING** Contact Rocco Beneke on 027 306 1580 or email: [rocco@corestoneplumbing.com](mailto:rocco@corestoneplumbing.com) Visit: [www.corestoneplumbing.com](http://www.corestoneplumbing.com) Facebook: Corestone Plumbing

**DAVID STEVENSON AUTO LTD** York Rd, Riversdale. We can offer Lumsden and surrounding districts the following - Full Mechanical repairs, Transmission Flush, Tyres and Batteries, Diagnostic scanning. Contact the team at David Stevenson Auto Ph 03 202 5345 or 027 437 3631.

**DIPTON SERVICE CENTRE 2018 LTD** Mechanical repairs, batteries, WOF, tyres, computer diagnostics and European specialist. Contact Tim 03 248 5273 or 022 127 8391

**DRILL & TILL MOSSBURN LTD** Direct Drilling and Cultivation, servicing Mossburn and surrounding areas. Contact Henry on 027 346 5511

**EARTHMOVING AND DRAINAGE CJ AND AR SHEAT LIMITED** 13 tonne digger, tip truck, transporter and drain cleaner. Farm drainage and general earthworks, site preparation, root raking, blocked drains and tiles, gravel supply and cartage. Phone Campbell 027 271 8283 or Ang 027 9182 155

**EVANS FREIGHT** Daily freight service for all freight/courier parcels ex Invercargill, Winton, Lumsden, Mossburn and Te Anau and return. Can help with freight connections in New Zealand. All enquiries 03 249 7119.

**EWL LIMITED SILAGE AND BALING CONTRACTOR** Based in Balfour, we service the Northern Southland District. From Balfour to Athol, Five Rivers to Mavora and everywhere in between. Phone Brent on 027 485 5994 to discuss your grass harvesting requirements. Email [ewl.balfouroffice@gmail.com](mailto:ewl.balfouroffice@gmail.com) or Find us on our Facebook page, EWL Limited. Or visit our website [ewl.nz](http://ewl.nz)

**FARMLANDS MOSSBURN** Summit Netting Deals Tite Grip Netting 8 Line x 80cm x 30cm x100m or 8 Line x 90cm x 30cm x 100m 10% Extra \$229.00 per roll, Summit Y Post 7 Hole Black Tar Coated 1.5m 5FT \$9.00, Summit Y Post 7 Hole Black Tar Coated 1.65m 5FT 4 IN \$10.00, NRM Chook Tucker 20kg 2 For \$60.00, NRM Multifeed Nuts 20kg 2 For \$52.00, NRM Feed Wheat 20kg 2 For \$46.00, Coprice Drover 15kg 2 For \$99.00, Gallagher Energiser MBS2800i including controller 120HA \$1,799.00, Selected Gallagher S Series Solar Units 15% OFF, Donaghy's TrivAl Sheep HiMin 20L \$480.00, Donaghy's StrikeOut Liquid 5L \$348.00, Top Paddock Pro 3 N 1 Modular Storage \$169.00, Top Paddock Tool Box \$85.00

**FIVE FINGER CRAFT & INFORMATION** Come and check out our range of Baby knits, gifts and knitwear for the whole family and check out our half price items in store Find us on Facebook. Find us in the Old Railway Station, Diana St Lumsden

**G & D MINI DIGGER** 5 ton digger for hire, power & sewage, trenching, sheep yards, shed pads, gravel carting, drilling 125 mm, 200mm, 300mm & 600mm. Phone Garry on 027 295 4484

**HAMMOND DAVIDSON LTD – CHARTERED ACCOUNTANTS** If you are looking for a fresh, friendly and forward-thinking approach to meet your accounting and business advisory needs, contact us for a free initial consultation Ph (03) 202 7508

## Support for Community Projects

Have you got a community project and don't know where to start?

Meet our Grants Manager, Dianne Williams, while she is visiting the area to discuss what support might be available. Dianne will be visiting Lumsden, Mossburn & Te Anau on Wednesday 11 March. Book a time to meet with her by calling 0800 500 185 or emailing [info@communitytrustsouth.nz](mailto:info@communitytrustsouth.nz)

### Local Businesses

**HANK'S PLACE TOPFLITE Scratch'n'lay** 20kg for peak egg production and healthy hens. **TOPFLITE 5kg OYSTER GRIT** – for strong eggshells. Bagged 30kg Whole Wheat. **A LA CARTE Premium Active dog food** – keeps your working dogs healthy and plenty of energy to burn. **Hanks Place 148 Flora Road Lumsden**

**HENSON ELECTRICAL SERVICES** based in Riversdale and servicing all areas - Registered electrician providing electrical services from minor works, maintenance to full re-wires, domestic, rural, commercial, solar and energy management and efficiency - please contact Matt 021 027 42010.

**JACK RABBIT TRIMS BARBERSHOP** Open Sundays and Mondays 10am to 8pm @ Willow Society Lumsden. Walk-ins Welcome or book an appointment at [jackrabbittrims.nz](http://jackrabbittrims.nz)

**JIMMY'S CARPET** - Carpet Layer. Free measure & quote Lumsden & surrounding districts. Phone Jimmy 027 445 9731.

**KITCHENS & JOINERY MASTERCRAFT KITCHENS by NIGEL MOLLOY JOINERY LTD** are proud to be your local kitchen manufacturer. Call the team on 0800 464 435 or Nigel on 027 437 4830 or email [office@molloymolloy.co.nz](mailto:office@molloymolloy.co.nz). Do you need a new Kitchen? Are you looking for shelving, storage, a pantry.... a laundry, wardrobes, doors, windows, stairs, bathroom or kitchen appliances? Then look no further as we do it all for you to suit your lifestyle and your budget! And our expert design team can turn your ideas into 3D plans and images, so you can see what your kitchen will look like. Call today and check out our website for inspirational ideas <https://www.nigelmolloyjoinery.co.nz>

**LUMSDEN PRESCRIPTION & GIFT CENTRE** . Open Monday-Friday 10am-5pm. Lunch break 12.45-1.15pm. Phone 03 248 7102 or for repeats text 027 230 1400 (no phone calls to this number please). **ONCE DAILY SCRIPT DELIVERY TIMES:** Monday to Friday is at 3pm (at the earliest) If unsure, please phone ahead to check if script is here 03 248 7102. Thank you for your understanding.

**LWH FENCING** For all your fencing requirements. FCANZ member.

Contact Logan 027 634 2103

**MASSAGE & SOFT TISSUE THERAPY - AWAY ON MATERNITY LEAVE RETURNING IN 2026.**

**MASON ADAMS CONTRACTING LTD** For all your crutching requirements – Ewes, Lambs and Rams over a triple or single trailers. Now also Tailing Contracting as well. Phone Mason on 027 491 3428

**NORTHERN SOUTHLAND BUILDERS** for New Kitchen, Bathroom and Shower renovations. Replacement Windows and all Flat pack Joinery. Plus Landscaping, retainer walls, decks and fencing and planter boxes. Call Northern Southland Builders on 027 359 6468 for a free quote.

**NORTHERN SOUTHLAND HEALTH SHUTTLE SERVICE:** If you need transport to any medical appointment the Health Shuttle can take you. Just call the 0800 number. The service operates Monday to Friday excluding public holidays. **For more information or to make a booking please call 0800 103 046** Bookings are required by 3pm the day prior to transport. This service is run by volunteers. We do not charge a fee for Health Shuttle transport however, we do accept donations to help cover costs. The phone number has changed but the Drivers are still local drivers.

**PLANTING NATIVE TREES? GARTO TREE PROTECTORS** Innovative weed suppressing tree guards - No follow up spray needed after planting. Available at Mitre 10 Winton. For bulk quantities call Hugh 027 714 2188. Dipton based - discount given for locals / Lumsden Light readers.

**PT SOLUTIONS - LUMSDEN COMMUNITY PHYSIOTHERAPY** Andy Ralph is still here providing physiotherapy services to the Lumsden and Northern Southland communities out of the Lumsden Medical Centre, 58 Garden St, Lumsden. I specialise in the treatment of musculoskeletal and sports injuries, shoulder, back and neck pain, post operative, vocational rehabilitation and chronic pain. I am registered with ACC and can take self referrals. I work closely with Lumsden... Medical Centre, other specialists and imaging services to provide comprehensive management of all your treatment and rehabilitation needs. I am usually in Lumsden weekly however my days are variable, if you need an appointment please leave me a text on 027 747 0741 or an email: [andrew.ralph@me.com](mailto:andrew.ralph@me.com) with any questions or requests and I will get back to you.

**PATHWAY TO THE PRESENT MOMENT: MINDFULNESS CLASSES AND HAKOMI MINDFUL SOMATIC PSYCHOTHERAPY** For more information visit [www.somatic-rehabilitation.nz](http://www.somatic-rehabilitation.nz) or contact Sheree Honeyfield-King M: 027 2000 355

**Q-TECH CONSTRUCTION LTD** For all your building, construction and maintenance needs. Please contact Blake O'Connor on 027 953 2452 or email

[admin@qtechconstruction.co.nz](mailto:admin@qtechconstruction.co.nz)

**RACHAEL COLLINS-CELEBRANT** A Validated member of the Celebrants Association of New Zealand (VCANZ). For inquiries call me on 027 235 5144 or email [info@rachaellcollins.co.nz](mailto:info@rachaellcollins.co.nz)

**RIVERSDALE MEATS HOMEKILL** Full service, on farm slaughter and processing. Local Professional Qualified butchers. All prices online, happy to do quotes. Search up Riversdale Meats Home kill to book in or call 03 202 5717 for helpful service and advice for your home kill needs.

**ROCK HOMEKILL** Ray Orchard Contract Killing - Lumsden based operator - Servicing Northern Southland and Beyond since 2006. Check out our Facebook page - ROCK Homekill and use the ROCK Homekill booking - Jotform. Phone: Ray (Oz) 027 248 6396.

**SOUTHERN HOOF CARE** Professional hoof trim services and lame cow care in the south. Get in touch today ph 027 478 9632 or [www.southernhoofcare.co.nz](http://www.southernhoofcare.co.nz)

**SOUTHERN LAND & WATER PLANNING LTD** We specialize in preparing: resource consents, farm environmental management plans, policy advice, DOC concessions, landscape and riparian management plans and landscape assessments. Call Rebecca on 027 424 6129 or Sonya on 027 505 0077 or visit [www.slwp.co.nz](http://www.slwp.co.nz) for more information.

**SQUARE UP BUILDING** Rural - Residential - Landscapes, contact Jamie Maginn Licensed Building Practitioner & member of Registered Master Builders on 027 300 7780, [jamie@squareupbuilding.co.nz](mailto:jamie@squareupbuilding.co.nz) follow us on Facebook to keep up to date with our latest projects

**STALKER BUILDING LTD** Stalker Building Ltd has been servicing Lumsden, Mossburn, Athol, Balfour, Dipton and surrounds since 2005. For all building requirements from repairs and maintenance to renovations, additions, fire installation to new builds. House plans available. Proud to be a member of Registered Master Builders and David is a Licensed Building Practitioner. For a professional service from a local lad call David Stalker 027 463 8685

**ST JOHN OP SHOP** Our St John Lumsden Store is currently looking for Saturday Volunteers to work alongside our new Assistant Manager. If you are wanting to gain some retail experience or want to give back to your local community, why not come volunteer with us. You can apply at: [join.stjohn.org.nz](http://join.stjohn.org.nz) and choose Retail Store Volunteer, then choose Lumsden as your store. You can also come in and see Perla for help with applying. All we ask of you is 4 hours a week and in turn you receive free Ambulance cover for your household. Not a bad deal, I think. We need people with different skills and generally anyone who just wants to help out and get their hands dirty! We are a team of friendly, happy and inclusive volunteers. If you are travelling from out of town there is even a wee incentive that may help you with fuel costs, so long as you meet our minimum criteria. Come on in and give us a go even if it's for a short time, we would love to have you on board. Our store is open Monday through Saturday, 10am - 4.30pm.

**STORAGE SPACE.KIWI** Secure, cost effective, storage solutions in Lumsden. Shipping containers also for sale. Phone Campbell Sheat 027 271 8283 [www.storagespace.kiwi](http://www.storagespace.kiwi)

**SUNDAYS STUDIO - REFORMER PILATES** Reformer Pilates Group Classes based in Winton - work on your Strength, Balance and Flexibility. Incorporating traditional Pilates movements with the Reformer Bed. [www.sundaysstudios.com](http://www.sundaysstudios.com) or Kendall - 027 229 7141

**SURE SOUTH INSURANCE SERVICES** From your Ute & your Woolshed, to your Home & Business, let me advise, quote & arrange it all. No Broker Fees. 17 years' experience, fair, honest advice that respects your bottom line. Alan on 027 298 6416 or [alan@suresouth.co.nz](mailto:alan@suresouth.co.nz)

**ULTRASCAN NORTHERN SOUTHLAND** Pregnancy testing cows and calf dehorning. Phone Lukas & Gabriela on 027 690 0179

**WILSON BAIRD BUILDING** Providing building services to Riversdale and the wider Northern Southland area. Licensed Building Practitioners completing new builds, renovations and farm buildings. Phone Gav Wilson on 027 319 1344 for all your building needs.