

DECEMBER/JANUARY

5 DEC – 28 MAR

SUMMER OF FUN

Over 40 local community events
Check summertimes.co.nz for list

SAT 6 DEC

PREBBLETON SKATE JAM FREE

12 noon – 3pm
Prebbleton Community Park,
Stationmasters Way

6 DEC – 18 JAN

THE GREAT MUSEUM FREE

SANTA SEARCH

9am – 5pm daily
Canterbury Museum

SUN 7 DEC

SANTA PARADE FREE

2pm
Riccarton Road

CELEBRATE BISHOPDALE FREE

11am – 2pm
Bishopdale Park

8 DEC – 23 JAN

SUMMERTIME READING CLUB FREE

Christchurch City Libraries

11 – 14 DEC

PLUNKET SHIELD: FREE
CANTERBURY V CENTRAL STAGS
Hagley Oval

SAT 13 DEC

JELLIE PARK POOL'S 50TH BIRTHDAY BASH

12 noon – 3pm
Jellie Park
Summer Pool



SUN 14 DEC

RASDEX CLASSIC RIVER RACE

9am, Waimakariri River,
between Mount White Bridge
and Waimakariri Gorge Bridge

19 DEC – 19 APRIL

SELLING THE DREAM FREE

9am – 5pm daily
Canterbury Museum

WED 24 DEC

YMCA CAROLS BY CANDLELIGHT FREE

9pm
Latimer Square

WED 31 DEC

NEW YEAR'S EVE FREE

6.30pm – 12.30am
North Hagley Park,
beside Lake Victoria



SUN 4 JAN

INGHAM LAZY SUNDAYS FREE

The Hard Core
Troubadours
3pm – 4.30pm
Archery Lawn, Botanic Gardens



9 – 11 JAN

CALDER STEWART ELITE ROAD NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Friday, time trial 10am
Lincoln University.
Saturday, Elite Women
12 noon, Centennial Park.
Sunday, Elite Men
10am, Cashmere Hills.

SAT 10 JAN

DUVAUCHELLE A&P SHOW

8.30am first competitions
Duvauchelle A&P Showgrounds

11 – 17 JAN

HARLEQUIN PLAYERS PRESENTS: ALICE AND THE WHITE RABBIT IN WONDERLAND

Weekends 11am and 2pm
Weekdays 6.30pm
Avebury House, Eveleyn
Couzins Avenue, Richmond

SUN 11 JAN

INGHAM LAZY SUNDAYS FREE

Mike Field Quintet
3pm – 4.30pm
St Albans Park, corner Barbadoes
Street and Edward Avenue

12 – 23 JAN

JANUARY HOLIDAY PROGRAMME

Christchurch City Libraries
Learning Centres

15 – 24 JAN

ELMWOOD PLAYERS CHILDRENS THEATRE PRESENTS: THE OWL AND THE PUSSYCAT

Thursday to Sunday only
Thursday and Friday 6.30pm
Weekends 11am and 2pm
Elmwood Auditorium

15 – 25 JAN

SCIRT WORLD BUSKERS FESTIVAL
Hagley Park

SUN 18 JAN

WELCOME BACK WALTHAM

12 noon – 2pm
Waltham Summer Pool

INGHAM LAZY SUNDAYS FREE

The Swan Sisters
3pm – 4.30pm
Archery Lawn, Botanic Gardens



SAT 24 JAN

LITTLE RIVER A&P SHOW

8am – 4pm
Awa-iti Domain, Little River

ST ALBANS SKATE JAM FREE

12 noon – 3pm
St Albans Park, Madras Street

STREETS KITE DAY FREE

1pm – 4pm
New Brighton Beach
South of the Pier



SUN 25 JAN

PULSE TAEKWON-DO DEMO AND HAVE A GO SESSION FREE

10am – 12 noon
Casebrook Intermediate School
Hall, 100 Veitches Road

INGHAM LAZY SUNDAYS FREE

Graham Wardrop
Molly's Remedy
3pm – 4.30pm
Archery Lawn,
Botanic Gardens



26 – 30 JAN

ASB HOLIDAY FOOTBALL

9am – 3pm
ASB Football Park

SAT 31 JAN

SPARKS FREE

7.30pm – 10pm
Preshow
entertainment
from 5.30pm
North Hagley Park



JELLIE SKATE JAM FREE

12 noon – 3pm
Jellie Park, Greens Road

FEBRUARY

SUN 1 FEB

SUNDAY BANDSTAND FREE

New Brighton Silver
12.30pm – 2pm
Central Lawn, Botanic Gardens

Stedfast Brass Band

12.30pm – 2pm
Cave Rock, Sumner

All Pipe Bands

9.30am – 4pm
Riccarton Bush



INGHAM LAZY SUNDAYS FREE

The Easy Hearts

3pm – 4.30pm
Archery Lawn,
Botanic Gardens



2 FEB – 31 MAR

SUMMER FOOTBALL

Monday, Tuesday and Friday
ASB Football Park

4 – 22 FEB

**ANTHONY HARPER SUMMER
THEATRE PRESENTS PETER PAN** FREE

Wednesday to Friday 7pm
Weekends and Waitangi Day
2pm and 7pm.

No performances

Monday and
Tuesday.
Riccarton Bush



5 – 8 FEB

**'MCMILLAN EQUINE FEEDS' NZ
NATIONAL SHOW JUMPING & SHOW
HUNTER CHAMPIONSHIPS** FREE

Thursday 1pm – 5pm
Friday to Sunday 8am – 5pm

South Island
National Equestrian
Centre,
McLeans Island



FRI 6 FEB

I LOVE NEW BRIGHTON FREE

11am – 3pm
Thomson Park

**ELECTRIC AVENUE
MUSIC FESTIVAL**

11am – 11pm
Hagley Park

SAT 7 FEB

**THE FOURTH
NEW ZEALAND
SANDCASTLE
COMPETITION** FREE

10am
Marine Parade, New Brighton



SUN 8 FEB

**AVICE HILL ARTS &
CRAFT FESTIVAL** FREE

11am – 3pm
Avice Hill Reserve,
395 Memorial Avenue

**FARM YARD FUN
AT HALSWELL**

12 noon – 3pm
Halswell
Summer Pool



SUNDAY BANDSTAND FREE

12.30pm – 2pm

Scottish Society

Pipe Band
Central Lawn,
Botanic Gardens



INGHAM LAZY SUNDAYS FREE

Flip Grater

3pm – 4.30pm
Archery Lawn,
Botanic Gardens



11 – 21 FEB

**OPEN AIR SUMMER SHAKESPEARE:
MACBETH BY WILLIAM
SHAKESPEARE**

6pm – 8pm
Mound Lawn,
Mona Vale Gardens

THUR 12 FEB

WAIMAIRI BEACH SENIOR PRO-AM

12 noon
Waimairi Beach Golf Club

**ICC CRICKET WORLD CUP 2015
OPENING EVENT**

6.30pm – 10.30pm
Cathedral Square

13 – 14 FEB

**SPEIGHT'S
COAST TO COAST**

Kumara to New
Brighton Pier,
south side



SAT 14 FEB

**ICC CRICKET
WORLD CUP 2015
NEW ZEALAND
V SRI LANKA**

Hagley Oval, Hagley Park



**INNER – CITY EAST
MULTICULTURAL FESTIVAL** FREE

11am – 3pm
Linwood Community Arts
Centre and Doris
Lusk Reserve, corner Stanmore
Road and Worcester Street

ESTUARY FEST FREE

1pm – 7pm
McCormack's Bay Reserve,
McCormack's Bay,
Mount Pleasant

SUN 15 FEB

**STATE OCEAN
SWIM SERIES
LA GRANDE SWIM**

11am first race
Akaroa Recreation
Grounds



SUNDAY BANDSTAND FREE

12.30pm – 2pm

Canterbury Brass

Central Lawn, Botanic Gardens

Addington Brass

Cave Rock, Sumner

INGHAM LAZY SUNDAYS FREE

**Shayna King
Sonic Delusion**
3pm – 4.30pm
Archery Lawn,
Botanic Gardens



WED 18 FEB

**MUMS AND BUBS
AT WALTHAM**

10am – 12 noon
Waltham
Summer Pool



THUR 19 FEB

FAREWELL TO THE GODWITS FREE

5pm – 6.30pm
Southshore Spit
Reserve, end of
Rocking Horse
Road, South
New Brighton



FRI 20 FEB

PHILLIPSTOWN FESTIVAL FREE

4pm – 7pm
Phillipstown School,
Nursery Road

FEBRUARY

21 – 22 FEB

GLOBAL FOOTBALL FESTIVAL FREE

9am – 5pm
Avonhead Park

SAT 21 FEB

ICC CRICKET WORLD CUP 2015 PAKISTAN V WEST INDIES

Hagley Oval, Hagley Park

SUN 22 FEB

MITRE 10 MEGA: A RUN TO REMEMBER

9am
Victoria Park

GARDEN PARTY AT EDMONDS FREE

12 noon – 4pm
Edmonds Factory Garden,
359 Ferry Road

SUNDAY BANDSTAND FREE

Woolston Brass Band
12 noon – 2pm
Archery Lawn, Botanic Gardens

INGHAM LAZY SUNDAYS FREE

Archery Lawn,
Botanic Gardens

French for Rabbits
2pm – 3pm

Jennine Bailey
3.15pm – 4.30pm



MON 23 FEB

ICC CRICKET WORLD CUP 2015 ENGLAND V SCOTLAND

Hagley Oval, Hagley Park

WED 25 FEB

DARFIELD SKATE JAM FREE

4pm – 6pm
Darfield Community Park,
West Coast Road

27 FEB – 1 MAR

GOODNIGHT FILM FESTIVAL
Outside the Botanic Gardens
Visitors Centre

ISPS HANDA NZ WOMEN'S OPEN

7am
Clearwater Golf Club



SAT 28 FEB

BROMLEY COMMUNITY FAIR FREE

11am – 2pm
Bromley Community Centre,
corner of Bromley
and Maces Roads

WALTHAM SKATE JAM FREE

12 noon – 3pm
Waltham School,
Hastings Street East



THE WINERY TOUR

Waipara Hills

28 FEB – 1 MAR

THE DRUM FESTIVAL
Saturday 2pm – 9pm
Sunday 10am – 3pm
Manaia Native Habitat,
Little River Campground



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TO SUMMER



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MARCH

SUN 1 MAR

STREETS CHILDREN'S DAY **FREE**
10am – 3pm
Wigram Airforce Park



CANTERBURY JAPAN DAY **FREE**
10am – 5pm
Riccarton Park,
165 Racecourse Road



SUNDAY BANDSTAND **FREE**
12.30pm – 2pm
Addington Brass
Central Lawn,
Botanic Gardens
Canterbury Brass
Cave Rock, Sumner



3 – 15 MAR

TE PUNA TOI
The Gym, The Arts Centre,
Worcester Boulevard

4 – 8 MAR

TE MATATINI NATIONAL KAPA HAKA FESTIVAL
North Hagley Park



WED 4 MAR

TAI TAPU SKATE JAM **FREE**
4pm – 6pm
Tai Tapu School, School Road

6 – 12 MAR

UNDER 5 FEST
9.30am – 4.30pm
Canterbury Table
Tennis Stadium,
294 Blenheim Road



SAT 7 MAR

CULTURE GALORE **FREE**
12 noon – 4pm
Ray Blank Park



NOSTALGIA FESTIVAL
12.30pm
Ferrymead Heritage Park

7 – 8 MAR

ARMAGEDDON EXPO
10am
Horncastle Arena

SUN 8 MAR

SUNDAY BANDSTAND **FREE**
12.30pm – 2pm
Salvation Army Band
Central Lawn,
Botanic Gardens
Sumner Silver
Cave Rock, Sumner



9 – 12 MAR

PLUNKET SHIELD: CANTERBURY V NORTHERN KNIGHTS **FREE**
Hagley Oval

WED 11 MAR

LEESTON SKATE JAM **FREE**
4pm – 6pm
Leeston Park, High Street

SAT 14 MAR

HOUSE OF TRAVEL TRIATHLON FESTIVAL
Pegasus



THE COLOR RUN CHRISTCHURCH
7am – 1.30pm
(10am start)
Canterbury Agricultural Park



LINWOOD YOUTH FESTIVAL EXPERIENCE – LYFE

FREE
12 noon – 4pm
Linwood Park, Linwood Avenue
opposite Eastgate

SUN 15 MAR

SUNDAY BANDSTAND **FREE**
Sumner Silver
11am – 12.30pm
Allendale Fete,
Allendale Domain
Stedfast Brass Band
12.30pm – 2pm
Central Lawn, Botanic Gardens
New Brighton Silver
12.30pm – 2pm
Cave Rock, Sumner

WED 18 MAR

PREBBLETON SKATE JAM **FREE**
4pm – 6pm
Prebbleton
Community Park,
Stationmasters Way



SAT 21 MAR

COFFEE CULTURE LE RACE
8am start
Cathedral Square,
Christchurch to
Akaroa



THOMSON SKATE JAM **FREE**
12 noon – 4pm
Thomson Park, Marine Parade

SUN 22 MAR

THE STAR CITY 2 SURF
9am start, 14km
Centennial Park to
Ferrymead. 10am
start, 6km Hansen
Park to Ferrymead



FINAL SPLASH DOWN
12 noon – 4pm
Jellie Park Summer Pool

SUNDAY BANDSTAND **FREE**
12.30pm – 2pm

Woolston Brass
Central Lawn,
Botanic Gardens
Caledonian Pipe Band
Cave Rock, Sumner



WED 25 MAR

ROLLESTON SKATE JAM **FREE**
4pm – 6pm
Rolleston Community Park,
Rolleston Drive

SAT 28 MAR

WOOLSTON GALA **FREE**
11am – 3pm
Woolston Park, Ferry Road

GREAT KIWI BEER FESTIVAL
11.30am – 7pm
Hagley Park North

JELLIE SKATE JAM **FREE**
12 noon – 3pm
Jellie Park, Greers Road

SUN 29 MAR

SUNDAY BANDSTAND **FREE**
12.30pm – 2pm
Salvation Army Band
Central Lawn, Botanic Gardens
Woolston Academy
Cave Rock, Sumner

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