

# Tuia Taitonga Southlink



He karere tā te Kaunihera o Taranaki ki te Tonga News from the South Taranaki District Council

## Come to King Edward Park this Saturday for a free Concert

Hollie Smith + The Warratahs + Mitch and his Guitar

Hollie Smith is headlining this year's Concerts in the Park this Saturday (28 January) at King Edward Park, Hāwera.

Popular New Zealand entertainer and singer Hollie Smith will be bringing the place to life with her iconic show.

Entertainment will begin with Mitch Careswell kicking things off at 4pm with some of your favourite covers to sing and dance to.

Following Mitch will be The Warratahs! South Taranaki has been a long-time supporter of the band.

Then at 6pm Hollie Smith will bring us a world class experience right here in Hāwera.



South Taranaki District Council events co-ordinator Emma Vennell says she looks forward to families flocking to the this free event and kids making the most of the Kidzone, which will be fun-filled with a bouncy castle, Merry Go Round and sumo suits. "We hope families and whānau take the opportunity to enjoy this free event relaxing at this beautiful park," says Emma. "We encourage those attending to make an evening of it by bringing along a picnic or buying something from the food vendors we will have available."

*This free community event is proudly brought to you by South Taranaki District Council and supported by the Toi Foundation.*

### Upcoming Meetings

**Te Kāhui Matauraura**  
Tuesday 31 January, 10am

**Extraordinary Council - Camberwell Road Temporary Closure Hearing**  
Tuesday 31 January, 1pm

**Environment and Hearings Committee**  
Wednesday 1 February, 4pm

**Extraordinary Council**  
*Purpose to deliberate on the Camberwell Road Closure*  
Wednesday 8 February, 1pm

**Policy and Strategy Committee**  
Wednesday 8 February, 4pm  
Camberwell Lounge, TSB Hub, Camberwell Road, Hāwera

**Risk and Assurance Committee**  
Wednesday 15 February, 11am

*Unless mentioned, meetings are held in the Council Chamber, Administration Building, Albion St, Hāwera*

## Voting opens today, closes Friday 17 February

As a result of insufficient candidates at the 2022 triennial elections and a resignation, two extraordinary vacancies have occurred - one in Te Hāwera General Ward (Councillor) and one for the Pātea Community Board.

If you are an enrolled voter in Te Hāwera or Pātea wards, you'll be getting a voting information pack in the mail from today.

If you have missed getting your name on the roll for this By-Election, simply visit the Pātea LibraryPlus or Hāwera Administration Building

to pick up a special voting pack.

Voting closes at 12noon on Friday 17 February. To ensure these are counted they either need to be posted before Monday 13 February or dropped off in person to Pātea LibraryPlus or Hāwera Administration Building.

Preliminary results will be published on Friday 17 February, with final results posted on Saturday 18 February.

All the very best to all of those standing!



Scan this QR code to be taken directly to our website.

Keep an eye out on your letterboxes!

You should receive your voting documents any time from today onwards!



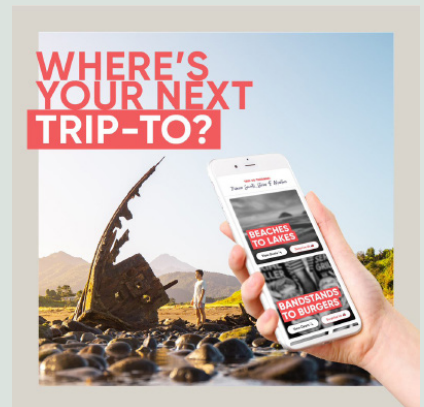
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LOCAL ELECTIONS

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POST YOUR VOTES BEFORE MONDAY 13 FEBRUARY

### Trip To South Taranaki



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## Tangata Whenua Liaison Fund opens next week

The Tangata Whenua Liaison Fund opens for applications from 31 January for groups, marae, hapū or iwi committees in the District who are seeking assistance for projects or initiatives that develop positive relationships between Tangata Whenua, Council and the people of South Taranaki.

Projects which have received funding include marae water supplies, fire compliance and sanitation facilities, building upgrade projects and the fencing and maintenance of urupā. Te Kāhui Matauraura has also funded

community events such as Paepae in the Park.

If your committee has a project that matches the criteria, you should consider making an application to Te Kāhui Matauraura. Application forms are available from any LibraryPlus, our website [www.southtaranaki.com](http://www.southtaranaki.com), the Hāwera Administration Building or by ringing the South Taranaki District Council at 0800 111 323.

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