

2017

SUMMER EVENTS

2018

YOUR GUIDE TO EVENTS IN
THE NELSON TASMAN REGION

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WELCOME TO SUMMER

Summertime sees the Nelson Tasman region at its best. As a destination, its stunning weather, shimmering seas, white-sand beaches, wide alpine vistas and clear cool rivers mean that there are few better places to be.

But there are other reasons, beyond the endless sunshine and natural attractions, to visit our corner of the world.

This summer, Nelson Tasman is playing host to a jewel-box of events that will give this holiday season an extra sparkle.

From sports and family-friendly outdoor events to world class music, arts and entertainment, if you're in Nelson or Tasman this summer, there will be something you'll want to see.

And it's all here in this 2017-18 events guide – brought to you by Nelson City and Tasman District Councils, with the generous support of our sponsors.

So sit back and relax and plan your calendar in the best summer destination in New Zealand – it will be one to remember.

Nelson Mayor Rachel Reese
Tasman Mayor Richard Kempthorne

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IMPORTANT NOTICE: In order to manage risks and ensure compliance with health and safety requirements for upcoming summer events, the Councils require all people attending to follow all instructions and rules (including signage) given to them for the particular event. In addition, you must at all times take all reasonably practicable steps to ensure both your own and your family's health and safety and that you do not do anything to adversely affect the health and safety of others. People under the age of 13 must have parental supervision. At the time of printing, every effort has been made to ensure that the details in this Summer Events Guide are correct. For up-to-date event information, go to www.itson.co.nz.

MAP OF THE REGION



CHRISTMAS EVENTS

PARADES

MOTUEKA STARLIGHT CHRISTMAS PARADE AND NIGHT MARKET

Fri 1 Dec, Parade 7pm, Night Market
5–9pm // High Street and Decks Reserve,
Motueka // **FREE**

NELSON CITY SANTA PARADE

Sun 3 Dec, 12pm // Trafalgar Street,
Nelson // **FREE**

GOLDEN BAY SANTA PARADE

Sat 9 Dec, 10am–12pm // Village Green,
Takaka // **FREE**

CATHEDRAL CHRISTMAS TREE FESTIVAL

Tue 28 Nov–Sat 27 Jan, 8.30am–5pm //
Christ Church Cathedral, Nelson // **FREE**



CAROLS

CAROLS IN THE PARK

Sun 10 Dec, 5–8pm // Brightwater
Domain // **FREE**

CAROLS ON THE GREEN

Sun 17 Dec, 5.30–7pm //
Broadgreen House, Stoke // **FREE**

CAROLS BY CANDLELIGHT

Sun 17 Dec, 6.30pm pre-entertainment,
8–10pm carols // Washbourn Gardens,
Richmond // **FREE**

CAROLS BY THE BEACH

Thu 21 Dec, 5.30–8pm // Tahunanui
Amphitheater and stage area // **FREE**

CAROLS ON THE GREEN

Sun 24 Dec, 7.30–9pm // Village Green,
Takaka // **FREE**

CAROLS ON THE CATHEDRAL STEPS

Sun 24 Dec, 8pm // Top of Trafalgar
Street, Nelson // **FREE**

LANTERN CELEBRATION & WORKSHOPS



LANTERN MAKING WORKSHOPS

Sat 9 & Sat 16 Dec, 10am–12pm //
Community Art Works, 81 Achilles Avenue,
Nelson // **\$2 per person**

Lanterns and paints supplied.

Create the lantern of your
dreams to bring to the
Lantern Celebration.

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THE LANTERN CELEBRATION

Theme: Trail of Dreams

Sat 16 Dec, 7–10pm (postponement
date Sun 17 Dec) // Centre of NZ
(Botanical Reserve), Nelson // **FREE**

The celebrations begin with a
sprinkling of sleep dust as you make
your way up the hill to the Centre of
New Zealand. Along the track you
will discover ethereal installations
and surreal performances. Once at
the top of the hill, listen to the band,
watch the sun set and join in the
lantern-lighting ceremony.

Then it's time to sleepwalk back
down the hill to bed. Use your
lanterns to light your way, bringing to
life the wonders that the night offers.

Get creating and make yourself a
homemade lantern. Remember to
use a battery powered light to
avoid fire risk.

Bring a picnic and warm clothing.

Children under 13 must be
supervised by an adult.

THIS IS A ZERO WASTE EVENT.

CHILDREN'S EVENTS

TEDDY BEARS' PICNIC

Sun 14 Jan, 11am–1.30pm // Isel Park, Stoke // **FREE**

The Teddy Bears are getting excited about lunch in the park, with an afternoon of unbearably funny games, entertainment, activities and amusements on offer for young and old teddies to sink their claws into.

Cancelled if wet.

Check the 'Summer in Nelson' Facebook page for updates.

"Teddy Bears are like keys... They're always in the first place you think they'd be, and the last place you look." Garfield

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AND KEEP OUR PARKS BEAUTIFUL!**



NEW WORLD TEDDY BEARS' PICNIC

Sun 21 Jan // 10am–1pm // Thorp Bush, Motueka // **FREE**

Bring your teddy, a picnic lunch and let's have some fun. Performance from Miss Fizzberry, face painting, sports equipment, train rides, bouncy castles and give aways.

CHILDREN'S DAY

Sun 4 Mar // 1–3pm // Richmond Aquatic Centre // **Gold coin entry into the pools, other activities FREE**

Enjoy the fun filled pools for a gold coin or participate in the outdoor activities the whole family can take part in, including bouncy castles, balloon twisting, face painting, obstacle courses, bike activities, live entertainment and more.



NEW YEAR'S EVE COUNTDOWN

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Sun 31 Dec, 8pm-12.30am // Upper
Trafalgar Street, Nelson // **FREE**

Nelson's New Year's Eve Countdown is a
great place to dance your way into 2018!



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Come along with family and friends to
the Church Steps at the top of Trafalgar
Street, where there will be bands and DJs
supplying funky, fun dance music to help
you welcome in 2018.

We are going eighties!!!

Enticing you all to dress up in pleats and
hair bands, laugh, sing and dance along
to what you know was cool or what you
heard was cool.

With a scintillating line-up including Vinyl
Burns, Cover Me and Automatic 80s.

Go to www.nelsonsummer.nz for a full
line-up of the evening's entertainment.

**PLEASE NOTE: Public streets are alcohol
free. There will be zero tolerance to
alcohol and underage drinking.**

SUMMER MOVIES AL FRESCO



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Tue 2–Sun 21 Jan (not on Mondays), 9–11pm
(movies start at dusk) // Adult \$2, child \$1

There's an extended selection this year for your enjoyment. Come to one or come to them all! Gather a group, a picnic, even a couch and join us from 7.30pm to play giant board games, enjoy the park and watch those glorious summer sunsets.

Wrap up warm, especially if you're wearing your PJs! And please pocket a torch to light your way home.

Movies will not screen if it is raining. If the weather is marginal, please text 'Is it on?' to 021 776 623 **after** 7.30pm on the night.

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MOVIES

THE WIZARD OF OZ

1939 // G // 102 mins

Join Dorothy (Judy Garland) on her magical, musical adventure through the land of Oz. While she searches for a way home, she meets new friends and realises that some of the things she was searching for she had all along.

REBECCA

1940 // PG // 130 mins

A classic atmospheric Gothic thriller directed by Alfred Hitchcock and starring Laurence Olivier as the tortured Maxim de Winter and Joan Fontaine as the second Mrs de Winter. The newlyweds return to Mandalay, where the secrets of the house begin to emerge.



THE COURT JESTER

1955 // G // 101 mins

Danny Kaye is Hubert Hawkins, posing as a court jester as part of a plan to restore the rightful king to the throne. Much laughter and singing ensues, with people falling in love, a little bit of magic and a wonderful cast including Basil Rathbone and Angela Lansbury.

BRIDE OF FRANKENSTEIN

1935 // PG // 75 mins

Directed by James Whale and inspired by Mary Wollstonecraft Shelley's novel, this sequel to the 1931 *Frankenstein* tells the second part of the story where scientists Dr. Frankenstein (Colin Clive) and Dr. Pretorius (Ernest Thesiger) attempt to build The Monster (Boris Karloff) a mate.

LA GRANDE VADROUILLE

DON'T LOOK NOW... WE'RE BEING SHOT AT

1966 // G // 132 mins

In this French comedy caper a British bomber crew gets shot down and lands in Paris, where they seek assistance to escape from German territory. Directed by Gérard Oury and starring Bourvil and Louis de Funès. In French, English and German with English subtitles.

LADRI DI BICICLETTA BICYCLE THIEVES

1948 // PG // 89 mins

This poetic and philosophical but also deeply realistic drama, directed by Vittorio De Sica, follows a father and son on their journey as they search for a stolen bike in post-war Italy. In Italian with English subtitles.

IT'S A WONDERFUL LIFE

1946 // PG // 130 mins

A moving drama where an ordinary man (James Stewart), in the depths of despair, is visited by an angel and confronted with an alternate reality of what life would have been like if he was never born and the realisation that one person's actions can make a big difference.

SCHEDULE

TUES 2 JAN // The Wizard of Oz
Tahuna Beach Holiday Park

WED 3 JAN // Rebecca
Isel Park, Stoke

THU 4 JAN // The Court Jester
Washbourn Gardens, Richmond

FRI 5 JAN // La Grande Vadrouille
Isel Park, Stoke

SAT 6 JAN // The Wizard of Oz
Fairfield Park, Nelson

SUN 7 JAN // Bride of Frankenstein
Village Green, Takaka

TUE 9 JAN // The Court Jester
Faulkner Bush, Wakefield

WED 10 JAN // Bride of Frankenstein
Washbourn Gardens, Richmond

THU 11 JAN // The Wizard of Oz
Isel Park, Stoke

FRI 12 JAN // La Grande Vadrouille
Founders Heritage Park, Nelson

SAT 13 JAN // Ladri di Bicicletta
Fairfield Park, Nelson

SUN 14 JAN // The Wizard of Oz
Saltwater Baths, Motueka

TUE 16 JAN // Ladri di Bicicletta
Jester House, Tasman

WED 17 JAN // Rebecca
Fairfield Park, Nelson

THU 18 JAN // The Wizard of Oz
Washbourn Gardens, Richmond

FRI 19 JAN // It's a Wonderful Life
Founders Heritage Park, Nelson

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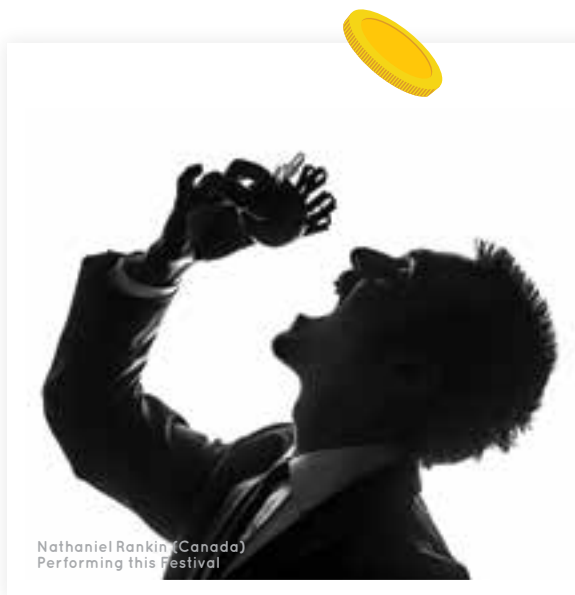
NELSON BUSKERS FESTIVAL

THU 1 – SUN 4 FEB

Nelson Buskers Festival brings street performers from around the world to our beautiful city for four days of action-packed shows.

Buskers from the USA, Canada, Romania and New Zealand will amaze with giant bubbles, magic, juggling, a special secret mission and even a bit of zany keep fit!

Trafalgar Street and Church Steps events are family-friendly and free to attend, though bring some cash to show your appreciation for the amazing skills of these hard-working performers.



Nathaniel Rankin (Canada)
Performing this festival



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Bubble Laboratory (Australia/Romania)
Performing this Festival

BUSKERS ON THE CHURCH STEPS

Sat 3 & Sun 4 Feb, 6pm // Church Steps,
top of Trafalgar Street, Nelson // **Koha**

Two stunning evening variety shows for the whole family.

Bring cushions and blankets, and enjoy a night of crazy entertainment. Bring a picnic or grab something from the delicious food stalls that will be onsite or surrounding restaurants.

Remember to save some cash for the sunny performers!

Wet weather venue: Nelson College Hall, Waimea Road.



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**LIKE THE NELSON BUSKERS FESTIVAL
FACEBOOK PAGE FOR THE LATEST UPDATES
ON ACTS, WEATHER CANCELLATIONS, ETC.**

BUSKERS ON TRAFALGAR

Thu 1 & Fri 2 Feb, 11am–2.30pm //
Sat 3 Feb, 10.30am–2pm // Top of
Trafalgar Street, Nelson // **Koha**

Once again the top of Trafalgar Street comes alive with buskers from around the world. Take a break from shopping, grab a coffee at a pavement café and be amazed and enthralled by their extraordinary skills.

BUSKERS AT THE BOATHOUSE – FOR THE MORE ADVENTUROUS!

Thu 1 Feb, 8pm & Fri 2 Feb, 8.30pm //
The Boathouse, 326 Wakefield Quay,
Nelson // **Pre-sales \$30; Door sales
\$37.50 (plus TicketDirect service fee)**

Join us for a cabaret night when the Buskers let down their hair – and perhaps a bit more. Sit at the front – who knows what might happen!

Strictly for adults only – some content might offend.

Tickets on sale at www.ticketdirect.co.nz
or from Theatre Royal Nelson, phone
03 548 3840 (ext. 2), Nelson i-SITE,
Richmond Mall and TicketDirect outlets.



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COMMUNITY & CULTURE

MOTUEKA A & P SHOW

Fri 1–Sun 3 Dec; Fri, equestrian events, 11am start // Sat, equestrian events, 8am start // Sun, A&P Show Day, 8am–4pm // Marchwood Park, Motueka // \$5 per person, children in car seat FREE

Family event full of fun and entertainment, from fair rides to skilled equestrian events and local competitions, there is something for everyone.

AMONG THE ROSES

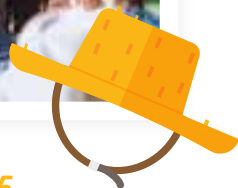
Sun 3 Dec, 2–6pm // Broadgreen Historic House, Stoke // FREE

Come along to sip, snack, relax and enjoy the beautiful roses, wine and food at Broadgreen House and gardens. Music by Yulia and food demo by Nicola Galloway.

TAPAWERA A & P SHOW

Sat 9 Dec, 10am–4pm // Tapawera Area School and Tapawera Domain // Adult \$4, children FREE

A fun, low cost day out for the family with plenty to see and do. A Christmas theme this year, so come and get a photo with Santa, shop for gifts at the stalls, make a Christmas wreath, watch the awesome stunts on the motocross bikes, the skills of the highland dancers or just relax and listen to the live music.



FIRST ENCOUNTER 375

Sat 16–Tue 19 Dec // Pohara Hall, Golden Bay // Most FREE or koha; costs for Farewell Spit trip \$155, cinema screenings approx \$12

Four days of events marking the 375th anniversary of Tasman's voyage, the first recorded meeting with Māori and the 75th anniversary of the establishment of Abel Tasman National Park. Events include, formal opening, special Farewell Spit tour, waka ama, boat trip to Anchorage, walk to Taupo Point and more.

RICHMOND MARKET DAY

Fri 29 Dec, 9am–4pm // Sundial Square, Richmond // FREE

Join the biggest market in the top of the south during this lovely holiday period. Stalls line Queen Street with shopping, food and entertainment. Fun for all the family.

NELSON JAZZFEST

Tue 2–Sat 6 Jan // Various Nelson locations // nelsonjazzfest.co.nz

A mix of jazz style gigs at various locations around town, plus a Billie Holiday tribute show at The Boathouse on Thursday.



WAKEFIELD COUNTRY FETE

Fri 5 Jan // 9am–2.30pm //

Wakefield Village // **FREE**

Bring the whole family to a special country day. Variety of stalls from food, preserves and plants to wooden furniture, jewellery and crafts. There will be demonstrations, music and fun activities.

OUT OF THE BLUE

Sat 6 Jan, 1–10pm // Trafalgar Park, Nelson

// Tickets from www.dashtickets.co.nz

A celebration of some of New Zealand's best musical talent in the centre of Nelson.

JAZZ ON THE VILLAGE GREEN

Most Sundays from 7 Jan–18 Mar,
1.30–4pm // Founders Heritage Park,
Nelson // **\$2 per person**

Relax on the Village Green with live jazz. Bring a picnic and enjoy the summer sounds.

Wet weather venue: The Energy Centre, Founders Heritage Park, Nelson.

NELSON SUMMER SHAKESPEARE – TWELFTH NIGHT

Thu 11 – Sat 20 Jan, Fairfield House Meadow, Nelson // Thu 25 & Fri 26 Jan, Washbourn Gardens, Richmond // Sat 27 & Sun 28 Jan, Riverside Community, Upper Moutere // 6.30pm // **Decide your price**

If music be the food of love, play on. Shakespeare's hilarious and heart-breaking tale of unrequited love performed in beautiful outdoor settings.

Cancelled if wet. Check 'nelsonsummershakespeare' Facebook page.



MOTUEKA COUNTRY MUSIC FESTIVAL

Fri 12–Sun 14 Jan // Marchwood Park, Motueka // **FREE**

A family friendly Country Music Festival held in beautiful Marchwood Park, Motueka.

TAHUNA SUMMER SOUNDS

Fri 12 & Fri 19 Jan, 6–9pm // Tahunanui Reserve, Bisley Walk, Tahunanui Beach // **FREE**

Live music returns to Tahunanui Beach with local musicians performing on two different stages. Complementing the live music is a dedicated youth and family zone, with a heap of 'have a go' beach themed sports, games and interactive challenges on offer. Kick back, relax and enjoy the sounds of summer by the beach at this family-friendly festival.

If wet, the events will be rescheduled to the next day (Sat 13 & Sat 20 Jan).

POKORORO ARTS & CRAFT FAIR

Sun 14 Jan, 9am–4pm // Pokororo Hall, West Bank Road, Pokororo // **Gold coin donation**

Arts and craft fair with a variety of stalls and entertainment.



HERON'S FEATHER

Wed 17 Jan, Ghost Light Theatre,
Nelson // Fri 19 Jan, Mapua Community
Hall // Sat 20 Jan, Pohara Hall, Golden
Bay // Wed 24 Jan, Victory Community
Centre, Nelson // Wed 31 Jan, Riverside
Café, Upper Moutere // **Pay what you
can, \$5-\$15**

A delightful show for the whole family,
with puppetry, comedy and magic.

GOLDEN BAY A & P SHOW

Sat 20 Jan, 8am-5pm // Golden Bay Rec
Park Centre, Takaka // **Pre-show ticket
\$7, gate sales \$10, under 15 FREE**

A true country style, family-friendly show
with lots to see and do from cheering on
horse riders, choppers and shearers to a
wide range or stalls, vintage machinery,
amusement rides and prize-winning
animals. Don't miss the live entertainment
and grand parade.

NELSON SUMMER KITE FESTIVAL

Sun 21 Jan, 12-5pm // Neale Park,
Nelson // **Gold coin donation**

Once again the skies over Neale Park will
fill up with amazing kite creations for the
27th annual Nelson Summer Kite Festival.

EVOLVE FESTIVAL

Fri 26-Sun 28 Jan; Fri from 7pm,
Sat 10am-late, Sun 10am-6pm //
Founders Heritage Park, Nelson //
Tickets from www.evolvefestival.co.nz

Workshops, exhibitors and music to
transform the wellbeing of individuals,
the community and the earth. Feed your
mind, soul, heart - and tummy!



SARAU FESTIVAL

Sun 28 Jan, 3-9pm // Moutere Hills
Community Centre, Upper Moutere //
\$5 per person

Celebrate the fabulous Moutere Valley and
its people. Find out about blackcurrants,
wine and hop growing, together with the
other interesting crops and crafts in the
Valley! Browse our stalls, listen to our
fantastic musicians and enjoy food and
drink as the sun goes down over the
Mount Arthur range.

TRAFALGAR STREET MARKET DAY

Sat 3 Feb, 9am-3pm // Trafalgar Street,
Nelson // **FREE**

Nelson City's biggest one day street market.
Entertainment, food and fabulous stalls.

INTERNATIONAL KAI FESTIVAL

Tue 6 Feb, 10.30am-3.30pm, Pōwhiri
at 11am // Founders Heritage Park and
Whakatū Marae, Nelson // **Koha**

Share food and celebrate our Nelson
communities at the tenth annual
International Kai Festival. Small portions
of food are priced at \$4 or \$8 to encourage
visitors to try a wide variety.

TASMAN'S ASIAN NIGHT FOOD FARE

Sat 10 Feb, 4–9pm // Washbourn
Gardens, Richmond // **FREE**

Come and enjoy the mouthwatering flavour of Asia and beyond. An evening of celebration and showcase of ethnic street food. Enjoy the evening with music and entertainment.

DOVEDALE COUNTRY AFFAIR

Sun 11 Feb, 11am–4pm // Dovedale
Recreational Reserve // **Adult \$2, children FREE**

Take a drive out to the country and enjoy a real country occasion with entertainment and lots of activities for the whole family. With live music all day and so much to see and do, you'll want to make a day of it.

MURCHISON A & P SHOW

Sat 17 Feb, 9am–3.30pm // Murchison
Sport, Recreation and Cultural Centre
and Domain // **Adult \$10, children aged 5–15 \$4, under 5 FREE. Family pass – two adults and two children \$20**

Arts and craft stalls along with amusement rides, trade stands, equestrian events, South Island Wood Chopping Championships and great music, food and entertainment for the whole family. This year there is a second day of wood chopping and equestrian events on Sunday 18 February with free entry.

NELSON WINE & FOOD FESTIVAL

Sun 18 Feb, 11am–5pm // Middle Earth
Winery, Bryant Road, Brightwater // **Early bird \$20, gate sales \$25, under 12 FREE**

Celebrate sensational sounds, wine, food and summer. Hold onto your holiday groove, grab a friend and head to the Nelson Wine & Food Festival for all-day entertainment, fantastic food, and award-winning wine and beer. Fun for all ages.

RACE UNITY DAY

Sun 18 Mar, 11am–4pm // 
Victory Square, Nelson // **FREE**

Come and celebrate the diverse community that is Nelson today. Enjoy the food and watch performers showcasing their culture with costume, music and dance!

NELSON BEER WEEK

Sat 17–Sun 25 Mar // **See website for details: www.nelsonbeerweek.co.nz**

Nelson Beer Week showcases Nelson and New Zealand craft beers at events embracing local cuisine, locations and more, including the 11th MarchFest.

MARCHFEST

Sat 24 Mar, 12–9.30pm // Founders
Heritage Park, Nelson // **Early bird \$35, standard \$45 (tickets from www.marchfest.com)**

MarchFest is a unique craft beer and music festival, held in New Zealand's sunniest city, Nelson. Set in the beautiful Founders Heritage Park.

POSITIVE AGEING EXPO

Fri 6 Apr, 10am–3pm // Headingly
Centre, Richmond // **FREE**

The Positive Ageing Expo promises to have something of interest to seniors, their families, whānau or for anyone heading towards retirement.

MOTUEKA KAI FEST

Sun 8 Apr, 10am–3pm // Decks Reserve,
Motueka // **FREE**

Chance to celebrate Motueka's great food, water, soil, climate, and people. More than 100 local food stalls along with demonstrations, pageantry, entertainment and seminars.



SPORT & RECREATION

KI O RAHI AND NZ TAG

Mondays, 20 Nov–18 Dec & 15 Jan–5 Feb,
3.30–6pm // Victory Park, Nelson // **FREE**

Wednesdays, 22 Nov–20 Dec &
17 Jan–7 Feb, 3.30–6pm //
Greenmeadows Park, Stoke // **FREE**

Contact Patariki Hippolite: 027 655 2970
patariki.hippolite@whakatamarae.co.nz

SPORT TASMAN BACKYARD GAMES

Sun 3 Dec, 10am–1pm // Decks Reserve,
Motueka // **FREE**

Come and join us for some family fun.
Sports equipment; cricket, kites, swing
ball and lots more including bike tune ups
to get your bikes ready for summer.

BLACKCAPS INTERNATIONAL CRICKET

Fri 29 Dec, 3pm, T20 vs West Indies //

Tue 9 Jan, 11am, ODI vs Pakistan //

Saxton Oval, Stoke // **Adult \$45,**
under 14 \$5 (tickets from Ticketek)

International cricket returns for two days
this summer. Come along to the beautiful
Saxton Oval and support the BlackCaps!

SKATEPARK TOUR

Sat 6 Jan, Murchison, 1–3pm //

Sun 7 Jan, Mapua, 3–5pm //

Wed 10 Jan, Tapawera, 5–7pm //

Sat 13 Jan, Motueka, 3–5pm //

Sun 14 Jan, Takaka, 3–5pm //

Wed 17 Jan, Brightwater, 5–7pm //

Sat 20 Jan, Richmond, 3–5pm //

Sun 21 Jan, Nelson, 3–6pm // **FREE**

The Skatepark Tour returns to the
region this summer, showcasing the
best talent on skateboards, BMX and
scooters. Helmets are compulsory for
all competitors.



TATA TITANIC CARDBOARD BOAT RACE

**Sun 14 Jan, 9.30am // Tata Beach,
Golden Bay // \$10 per boat,
spectators FREE**

Cleverly constructed cardboard crafts compete against each other and brave the waves for a fun time. Cardboard craft resembling wedding cakes, cars, fire engines and planes. Enter on the day.

COMMUNITY GUIDED SNORKEL DAYS

**Sat 3 Feb (postponement date
11 Feb), Horoirangi Marine Reserve,
Cable Bay, Nelson // FREE**

**Sat 17 Feb (postponement date Sat 24 Feb),
Tonga Island Marine Reserve, Abel Tasman
National Park // \$20 per person for boat**

Come have a look beneath the surface and experience the marine life first hand. Ages 5 plus, no previous snorkel experience necessary. Equipment and guide provided.

GO BY BIKE DAY

**Wed 14 Feb, 7.30 – 9am // Motueka
Museum // The Quiet Revolution,
Takaka // Sundial Square, Richmond //
1903 Square, Nelson // FREE**

Go By Bike Day is a one-day nationwide event where thousands of kiwis ditch their cars and cycle to work or school. To celebrate your ride, head along to one of the free breakfasts for cyclists with giveaways and other entertainment.

FLASH ELECTRICAL BEACH FUN DAY

**Fri 16 Feb, 5.30 – 7.30pm // Kaiteriteri
Beach // FREE**

Bring the family along and enjoy the big dig, beach sprints, sandcastle competition, free BBQ and tug-of-war.

FAMILY FUN BIKE RIDE

**Sat 24 Feb, 11am, Golden Bay Rec Park
Centre, Takaka // Sun 25 Feb, 2pm,
Saltwater Baths, Motueka // FREE**

Come join in the fun and get biking this summer! A number of bike events held throughout the Tasman region with activities like bike orienteering, slow bike race, cycle skills course and Big Bike Tune Ups to get your bikes ready for summer.

BULLER FESTIVAL

Sat 3 & Sun 4 Mar // Murchison

White water sports action packed festival.



BACKYARD SUMMER SERIES

MAKE THE MOST OF NELSON'S PARKS, RESERVES AND BEACHES THIS SUMMER.

Check out our fantastic summer programme which has events for everyone // FREE

STAND UP PADDLEBOARDING

Mon 11 Dec & Sun 25 Mar, 5–7pm //
Monaco, Nelson // Meet at the boat ramp

AMAZING RACE

Tue 19 Dec, 9–11am // Isel Park, Stoke //
Meet at Isel House

Fri 26 Jan, 1–2.30pm // Centre of NZ
(Botanical Reserve), Nelson // Meet at
grass at the entrance way

Thu 1 Feb, 9–11am // Tahunanui Beach //
Meet at Rocks Road end of beach

SCAVENGER HUNT

Wed 20 Dec, 12–1pm & Fri 9 Feb, 5–6pm //
Centre of NZ (Botanical Reserve), Nelson
// Meet at grass at the entrance way

Tue 16 Jan, 11am–12pm // Isel Park,
Stoke // Meet at Isel House

OBSTACLE COURSE

Thu 21 Dec, 10–11.30am & Tue 30 Jan,
10.30am–12pm // Tahunanui Sportsfield //
Meet opposite the playground

Thu 11 Jan, 10.30am–12pm // Tahunanui
Beach // Meet at Rocks Road end of beach

FAMILY FUN DAY

Sun 21 Jan, 9.30–11am //
Tahunanui Sportsfield //
Meet opposite the playground

Sun 11 Feb, 9.30–11am // Isel Park,
Stoke // Meet at Isel House

Sun 11 Mar, 10–11.30am // Centre of NZ
(Botanical Reserve), Nelson // Meet at
grass at the entrance way

TOT'S TIME

Thu 22 Feb, 10–11am // Nayland Pool, Stoke

Tue 13 Mar, 10–11am // Isel Park, Stoke //
Meet at Isel House

For info or cancellations go to
'nelson-parks-programme' on Facebook
or phone CLM on 03 543 9755.



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AGE CONCERN NELSON TASMAN'S

SUMMER ACTIVITIES FOR SENIORS

FREE

SING-A-LONG IN THE PARK

Thu 22 Feb, 10 – 11.30am // Washbourn Gardens, Richmond // Meet at Fuchsia House

Wed 28 Mar, 10 – 11.30am // Queens Gardens, Nelson // Meet by the fountain in the middle of the park

HERITAGE WALK

Wed 28 Feb, 10 – 11.30am // Miyazu Gardens, Nelson // Meet at carpark, off Atawhai Drive

Wed 14 Mar, 10 – 11.30am // Queens Gardens, Nelson // Meet by the fountain in the middle of the park

EDIBLE WALK

Fri 2 Mar, 10 – 11.30am // Orphanage Stream, Stoke // Meet at Saxton Road East by Covent Drive – where walkway commences

Fri 23 Mar, 10 – 11.30am // Stoke Railway Reserve // Meet at Standish Place, off Main Road Stoke



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GUIDED WALK

Wed 21 Feb, 10 – 11.30am // Maitai Walkway, Nelson // Meet at Miller's Acre Carpark

Fri 23 Feb, 10 – 11.30am // Inlet Walkway, Old Wharf Road, Motueka // Meet at Motueka Community Gardens

Thu 8 Mar, 10 – 11.30am // Gardens of the World, Clover Road East, Hope // Please register with Age Concern 03 544 7624

Wed 21 Mar, 10 – 11.30am // Te Waikoropupu Springs, Pupu Valley Road, Golden Bay // Meet in carpark

TAI CHI

Mon 19 Feb, 10 – 11am // Victory Square, Nelson // Meet near the playground

Mon 26 Feb, 10 – 11am // Broadgreen Gardens, Stoke // Meet outside Broadgreen House

Mon 5 Mar, 10 – 11am // Washbourn Gardens, Richmond // Meet at Fuchsia House

Mon 12 Mar, 10 – 11am // Queens Gardens, Nelson // Meet by the fountain in the middle of the park

Mon 19 Mar, 10 – 11am // Founders Heritage Park, Nelson // Meet at the Village Green in the centre

Mon 26 Mar, 10 – 11am // Botanical Reserve, Nelson // Meet at Milton Street next to clubhouse

HAVE A GO AT BOWLS

Fri 9 Mar & Fri 30 Mar, 10 – 11.30am // Tahunanui Bowling Club // Meet at clubhouse

Fri 16 Mar, 10 – 11.30am // Richmond Bowling Club // Meet at clubhouse

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Opera

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Performers

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SIMON O'NEILL

Internationally recognised as amongst the foremost singers of his generation, Simon O'Neill ONZM returns to Opera in the Park marking ten years since he performed on this stage alongside Dame Kiri Te Kanawa.

After a busy 2017 with performances in the USA, China, Germany and the United Kingdom, including several at the BBC Proms, Simon sings at Opera in the Park having started his year with performances in Berlin, Munich and Stockholm and from singing the role of Siegmund with the New York Philharmonic.

BIC RUNGA

Bic Runga ONZM needs little introduction. Since the release of her first single *Drive* in 1996, a top ten hit when she was just twenty, Bic has been awarded almost every musical honour in New Zealand, including the prestigious APRA Silver Scroll song writing award and more Tuis (NZ Music Awards) than any other individual.

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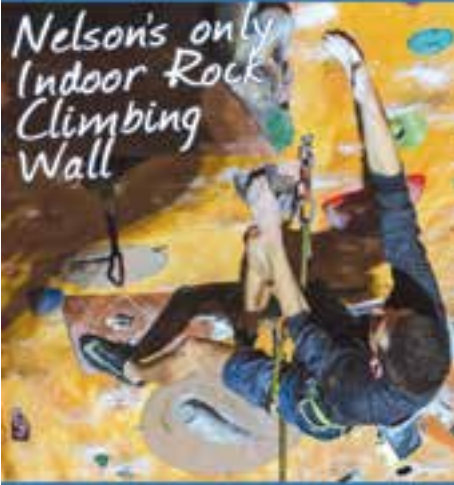


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EVENT

LOCATION

Every Wednesday	Nelson Farmers' Market	Maitai Boulevard, Nelson
Every Thursday	Isel Twilight Market	Isel House and Park, Stoke
Every Saturday	Nelson Market	Montgomery Carpark, Nelson
Every Saturday	Village Market Takaka	Takaka Memorial Carpark
Every Sunday	Monty's Market	Montgomery Carpark, Nelson
Every Sunday	Motueka Sunday Market	Decks Reserve Carpark, Motueka
Wed 22 Nov - Wed 21 Mar	Twilight Golf (Most Wednesdays)	Greenacres Golf Club, Richmond
Tue 28 Nov - Sat 27 Jan	Cathedral Christmas Tree Festival	Christ Church Cathedral, Nelson
Fri 1 Dec - Wed 31 Jan	TransFORMERS - From 2D to 3D Exhibition	Elma Turner Library, Nelson
Fri 1 Dec	Motueka Starlight Christmas Parade and Night Market	High Street and Decks Reserve, Motueka
Fri 1 Jan	Food Truck Friday	Founders Heritage Park, Nelson
Fri 1 Dec	Men in Accord Christmas Concert	Club Waimea, Richmond
Fri 1 Dec	Medicine Woman Band	The Boathouse, Nelson
Fri 1 - Sun 3 Dec	Motueka A & P Show	Marchwood Park, Motueka
Sat 2 Dec	Ceroc Christmas Dance Party	St Joseph's Hall, Nelson
Sat 2 Dec	Big Bike Tune Up in Takaka	Takaka Memorial Library Carpark
Sat 2 Dec	Mapua Christmas Concert	Mapua Community Hall
Sun 3 Dec	Among the Roses	Broadgreen Historic House, Stoke
Sun 3 Dec	La Vida String Quartet, part of the Live Music series	Elma Turner Library, Nelson
Sun 3 Dec	Nelson City Santa Parade	Trafalgar Street, Nelson

Sun 3 Dec	Livestock 2017	The Moutere Inn, Upper Moutere
Sun 3 Dec	Mapua Makers Christmas Market	Mapua Community Hall
Sun 3 Dec	Sport Tasman Backyard Games	Decks Reserve, Motueka
Sun 3 Dec	Big Bike Tune Up	Decks Reserve Carpark, Motueka
Sun 3 Dec	Tasman United v Wellington Phoenix	Trafalgar Park, Nelson
Mon 4 Dec	Ki o Rahi and NZ Tag	Victory Park, Nelson
Wed 6 Dec	Family Picnic Event	Trafalgar Park, Nelson
Wed 6 Dec	Ki o Rahi and NZ Tag	Greenmeadows Park, Stoke
Thu 7 Dec	Sundial Sounds	Sundial Square, Richmond
Thu 7 Dec	Broetzmann/Leigh	Fairfield House, Nelson
Fri 8 Dec	Live Music at The Boathouse	The Boathouse, Nelson
Fri 8 Dec - Sat 13 Jan	Centre for Fine Woodworking Exhibition	Refinery ArtSpace, Nelson
Sat 9 Dec	Golden Bay Santa Parade	Village Green, Takaka
Sat 9 Dec	Tapawera A & P Show	Tapawera Area School and Tapawera Domain
Sat 9 Dec	Lantern Making Workshop	Community Art Works, Nelson
Sat 9 & Sun 10 Dec	Saturday Night Fever	Theatre Royal, Nelson
Sat 9 Dec - Sun 14 Jan	Founders Summer Reads Book Fair	Founders Heritage Park, Nelson
Sun 10 Dec	Carols in the Park	Brightwater Domain
Sun 10 Dec	Suter Christmas Concert	The Suter Art Gallery and Theatre, Nelson
Mon 11 Dec	Stand Up Paddleboarding	Monaco Wharf, Nelson
Mon 11 Dec	Ki o Rahi and NZ Tag	Victory Park, Nelson
Tue 12 Dec	Golden Bay Live Poets presents Mark Raffills	The Mussel Inn, Onekaka, Golden Bay
Wed 13 Dec	Ki o Rahi and NZ Tag	Greenmeadows Park, Stoke
Wed 13 Dec	The Danberrys	Fairfield House, Nelson
Thu 14 Dec	Sundial Sounds	Sundial Square, Richmond
Thu 14 Dec	Golden Bay Live Poets celebrates 25th anniversary of The Mussel Inn	The Mussel Inn, Onekaka, Golden Bay
Sat 16 Dec	Lantern Making Workshop	Community Art Works, Nelson
Sat 16 Dec	Lantern Celebration	Centre of NZ (Botanical Reserve), Nelson
Sat 16 - Tue 19 Dec	First Encounter 375	Pohara Hall, Golden Bay

Sun 17 Dec	Carols by Candlelight	Washbourn Gardens, Richmond
Sun 17 Dec	Carols on the Green	Broadgreen House, Stoke
Mon 18 Dec	Ki o Rahi and NZ Tag	Victory Park, Nelson
Tue 19 Dec	Amazing Race	Isel Park, Stoke
Wed 20 Dec	Scavenger Hunt	
Wed 20 Dec	Ki o Rahi and NZ Tag	Centre of NZ (Botanical Reserve), Nelson
Thu 21 Dec	Carols by the Beach	Greenmeadows Park, Stoke
Thu 21 Dec	Obstacle Course	Tahunanui Amphitheater and Stage Area
Fri 22 Dec	Live Music at The Boathouse	Tahunanui Sportsfield
Sun 24 Dec	Carols on the Green	The Boathouse, Nelson
Sun 24 Dec	Carols on the Cathedral Steps	Village Green, Takaka
Mon 25 Dec	Traditional European Christmas Lunch	Top of Trafalgar Street, Nelson
Tue 26 Dec	The Great Backyard Cricket Comp	The Playhouse Café and Theatre, Mapua
Wed 27 Dec	The World's Best 80s Disco Party Eval!	The Playhouse Café and Theatre, Mapua
Fri 29 Dec	Richmond Market Day	The Playhouse Café and Theatre, Mapua
Fri 29 Dec	BLACKCAPS International Cricket, T20 vs West Indies	Sundial Square, Richmond
Fri 29 Dec	The Great 2017 Quiz Night	Saxton Oval, Stoke
Fri 29 & Sat 30 Dec	Newtown Rocksteady	The Playhouse Café and Theatre, Mapua
Sun 31 Dec	New Year's Eve Countdown	The Boathouse, Nelson
Sun 31 Dec	70s Retro Disco New Year's Eve Party!!!	Upper Trafalgar Street, Nelson
Sun 31 Dec	New Year's Eve at The Boathouse	The Playhouse Café and Theatre, Mapua
Sun 31 Dec - Sun 21 Jan	Shifting - Cash'n Carry Art Exhibition	The Boathouse, Nelson
Mon 1 Jan	Lions Summer Fair	ART@203, Nelson
Tue 2 Jan	Riwaka Market Day	Tahunanui Sportsfield
Tue 2 Jan	Summer Movies Al Fresco - The Wizard of Oz	Riwaka Domain
Tue 2 & Wed 3 Jan	Paul Ubana Jones and Darren Watson	Tahuna Beach Holiday Park
Tue 2 - Sat 6 Jan	Nelson Jazzfest	The Playhouse Café and Theatre, Mapua
Wed 3 Jan	Summer Movies Al Fresco - Rebecca	Various Nelson locations
Thu 4 Jan	Summer Movies Al Fresco - The Court Jester	Isel Park, Stoke
		Washbourn Gardens, Richmond

Thu 4 Jan	Johnny Cash, Kenny Rogers and Dolly Parton Tribute Night	The Playhouse Café and Theatre, Mapua
Thu 4 Jan	Faith i Branko	Fairfield House, Nelson
Thu 4 – Wed 17 Jan	Mapua Art Group Exhibition	Mapua Community Hall
Fri 5 Jan	Food Truck Friday	Founders Heritage Park, Nelson
Fri 5 Jan	Wakefield Country Fete	Wakefield Village
Fri 5 Jan	Summer Movies Al Fresco – La Grande Vadrouille	Isel Park, Stoke
Fri 5 & Sat 6 Jan	Paul Madsen's Super Star Show	The Playhouse Café and Theatre, Mapua
Sat 6 Jan	Murchison Skatepark Tour	Murchison Skatepark
Sat 6 Jan	Summer Movies Al Fresco – The Wizard of Oz	Fairfield Park, Nelson
Sat 6 Jan	Out of the Blue	Trafalgar Park, Nelson
Sat 6 & Sun 7 Jan	Nelson Classic and Vintage Motorcycle Club show	Stoke Memorial Hall
Sun 7 Jan	Mapua Skatepark Tour	Mapua Skatepark
Sun 7 Jan	Tasman United v Canterbury United	Saxton Field, Stoke
Sun 7 Jan	Summer Movies Al Fresco – Bride of Frankenstein	Village Green, Takaka
Sun 7 Jan – Sun 18 Mar	Jazz on the Village Green (Most Sundays)	Founders Heritage Park, Nelson
Tue 9 Jan	BLACKCAPS International Cricket, ODI vs Pakistan	Saxton Oval, Stoke
Tue 9 Jan	Summer Movies Al Fresco – The Court Jester	Faulkner Bush, Wakefield
Wed 10 Jan	Tapawera Skatepark Tour	Tapawera Skatepark
Wed 10 Jan	Summer Movies Al Fresco – Bride of Frankenstein	Washbourn Gardens, Richmond
Thu 11 Jan	Obstacle Course	Tahunanui Beach
Thu 11 Jan	Summer Movies Al Fresco – The Wizard of Oz	Isel Park, Stoke
Thu 11 & Fri 12 Jan	Gary McCormick and Tim Shadbolt LIVE at the Playhouse	The Playhouse Café and Theatre, Mapua
Thu 11 – Sat 20 Jan	Nelson Summer Shakespeare – Twelfth Night	Fairfield House Meadow, Nelson
Fri 12 Jan	Tahuna Summer Sounds	Tahunanui Reserve Youth Park
Fri 12 Jan	Summer Movies Al Fresco – La Grande Vadrouille	Founders Heritage Park, Nelson
Fri 12 – Sun 14 Jan	Motueka Country Music Festival	Marchwood Park, Motueka
Fri 12 – Sun 14 Jan	Interislander Summer Festival Nelson Harness Races	Richmond Park Racecourse
Fri 12 – Sun 14 Jan	Golden Bass Music Festival	Mamaku Grove, Takaka
Sat 13 Jan	Motueka Skatepark Tour	Motueka Skatepark
Sat 13 Jan	Summer Movies Al Fresco – Ladri di Bicicletta	Fairfield Park, Nelson

DATE

EVENT

LOCATION

Sun 14 Jan	Teddy Bears' Picnic	Isel Park, Stoke
Sun 14 Jan	Pokororo Arts & Craft Fair	Pokororo Hall, West Bank Road, Pokororo
Sun 14 Jan	Tata Titanic Cardboard Boat Race	Tata Beach, Golden Bay
Sun 14 Jan	Takaka Skatepark Tour	Takaka Skatepark
Sun 14 Jan	Summer Movies Al Fresco - The Wizard of Oz	Saltwater Baths, Motueka
Sun 14 Jan	Tasman United v Hamilton Wanderers	Saxton Field, Stoke
Mon 15 Jan	Ki o Rahi and NZ Tag	Victory Park, Nelson
Tue 16 Jan	Scavenger Hunt	Isel Park, Stoke
Tue 16 Jan	Summer Movies Al Fresco - Ladri di Bicicletta	Jester House, Tasman
Wed 17 Jan	Ki o Rahi and NZ Tag	Greenmeadows Park, Stoke
Wed 17 Jan	Heron's Feather	Ghost Light Theatre, Nelson
Wed 17 Jan	Brightwater Skatepark Tour	Brightwater Skatepark
Wed 17 Jan	Summer Movies Al Fresco - Rebecca	Fairfield Park, Nelson
Thu 18 Jan	Summer Movies Al Fresco - The Wizard of Oz	Washbourn Gardens, Richmond
Fri 19 Jan	Heron's Feather	Mapua Community Hall
Fri 19 Jan	Tahuna Summer Sounds	Tahunanui Reserve Youth Park
Fri 19 Jan	Summer Movies Al Fresco - It's A Wonderful Life	Founders Heritage Park, Nelson
Fri 19 Jan	Bill Hickman and Billy Bones	The Boathouse, Nelson
Sat 20 Jan	Starlet of NZ 2018	Nelson Musical Theatre, Nelson
Sat 20 Jan	Queens Gardens Art Exhibition	Queens Gardens, Nelson
Sat 20 Jan	Heron's Feather	Pohara Hall, Golden Bay
Sat 20 Jan	Richmond Skatepark Tour	Richmond Skatepark
Sat 20 Jan	Golden Bay A & P Show	Golden Bay Rec Park Centre, Takaka
Sat 20 Jan	Summer Movies Al Fresco - Bride of Frankenstein	Fairfield Park, Nelson
Sat 20 Jan	Bill Hickman and Billy Bones	The Mussel Inn, Onekaka, Golden Bay
Sun 21 Jan	New World Teddy Bears' Picnic	Thorp Bush, Motueka
Sun 21 Jan	Nelson Skatepark Tour	Neale Park Skatepark, Nelson
Sun 21 Jan	Family Fun Day	Tahunanui Sportsfield
Sun 21 Jan	Nelson Summer Kite Festival	Neale Park, Nelson

Sun 21 Jan	Summer Movies Al Fresco - The Court Jester	Isel Park, Stoke
Mon 22 Jan	Ki o Rahi and NZ Tag	Victory Park, Nelson
Wed 24 Jan	Ki o Rahi and NZ Tag	Greenmeadows Park, Stoke
Wed 24 Jan	Heron's Feather	Victory Community Centre, Nelson
Wed 24 Jan	Richter City Rebels	Fairfield House, Nelson
Thu 25 Jan	101 Tips for Startups Park Meeting with DirectorStats	Greenmeadows Park, Stoke
Thu 25 @ Fri 26 Jan	Nelson Summer Shakespeare - Twelfth Night	Washbourn Gardens, Richmond
Fri 26 Jan	Amazing Race	Centre of NZ (Botanical Reserve), Nelson
Fri 26 Jan	Sonic Delusion	The Boathouse, Nelson
Fri 26 - Sun 28 Jan	Evolve Festival	Founders Heritage Park, Nelson
Sat 27 Jan	Tasman United v Team Wellington	Saxton Field, Stoke
Sat 27 @ Sun 28 Jan	Nelson Summer Shakespeare - Twelfth Night	Riverside Community, Upper Moutere
Sun 28 Jan	Sarau Festival	Moutere Hills Community Centre, Upper Moutere
Sun 28 Jan	Pipes in the Park	Fairfield House, Nelson
Mon 29 Jan	Ki o Rahi and NZ Tag	Victory Park, Nelson
Tue 30 Jan	Obstacle Course	Tahunanui Sportsfield
Wed 31 Jan	Ki o Rahi and NZ Tag	Greenmeadows Park, Stoke
Wed 31 Jan	Heron's Feather	Riverside Café, Upper Moutere
Thu 1 Feb	Amazing Race	Tahunanui Beach
Thu 1 @ Fri 2 Feb	Nelson Buskers Festival - Buskers at The Boathouse	The Boathouse, Nelson
Thu 1 - Sat 3 Feb	Nelson Buskers Festival - Buskers on Trafalgar	Upper Trafalgar Street, Nelson
Fri 2 Feb	Food Truck Friday	Founders Heritage Park, Nelson
Sat 3 Feb	Community Guided Snorkel Day	Cable Bay, Nelson
Sat 3 Feb	Trafalgar Street Market Day	Trafalgar Street, Nelson
Sat 3 @ Sun 4 Feb	Nelson Buskers Festival - Buskers on the Church Steps	Church Steps, Upper Trafalgar Street, Nelson
Sun 4 Feb	Tasman United v Hawkes Bay United	Saxton Field, Stoke
Mon 5 Feb	Ki o Rahi and NZ Tag	Victory Park, Nelson
Tue 6 Feb	International Kai Festival	Founders Heritage Park & Whakatu Marae, Nelson
Wed 7 Feb	Ki o Rahi and NZ Tag	Greenmeadows Park, Stoke

Fri 9 Feb	Scavenger Hunt	Centre of NZ (Botanical Reserve), Nelson
Fri 9 & Sat 10 Feb	How Great Thou ART Exhibition	Richmond Baptist Church
Sat 10 Feb	Tasman's Asian Night Food Fare	Washbourn Gardens, Richmond
Sun 11 Feb	Dovedale Country Affair	Dovedale Recreational Reserve
Sun 11 Feb	Family Fun Day	Isel Park, Stoke
Sun 11 Feb	Esther Swift	Fairfield House, Nelson
Wed 14 Feb	Go By Bike Day	Richmond, Motueka, Takaka & Nelson
Thu 15 Feb	Golden Bay Live Poets	The Mussel Inn, Onekaka, Golden Bay
Fri 16 Feb	Flash Electrical Beach Fun Day	Kaiteriteri Beach
Fri 16 Feb	Alistair Brown	Fairfield House, Nelson
Sat 17 Feb	Community Guided Snorkel Day	Tonga Island Marine Reserve, Abel Tasman National Park
Sat 17 Feb	Tasman United v Auckland City	Saxton Field, Stoke
Sat 17 Feb	Murchison A & P Show	Murchison Sport, Recreation and Cultural Centre and Domain
Sun 18 Feb	Nelson Wine & Food Festival	Middle-Earth Vineyards, Bryant Road, Brightwater
Mon 19 Feb	Tai Chi – Seniors	Victory Square, Nelson
Wed 21 Feb	Guided Walk – Seniors	Maitai Walkway, Nelson
Thu 22 Feb	Sing-A-Long in the Park – Seniors	Washbourn Gardens, Richmond
Thu 22 Feb	David Trubridge "Beauty Matters"	The Suter Art Gallery and Theatre, Nelson
Thu 22 Feb	Tot's Time	Nayland Pool, Stoke
Fri 23 Feb	Guided Walk – Seniors	Inlet Walkway, Old Wharf Road, Motueka
Sat 24 Feb	Nelson Opera in the Park	Saxton Cricket Oval, Stoke
Sat 24 Feb	Family Fun Bike Ride	Golden Bay Rec Park Centre, Takaka
Sun 25 Feb	Family Fun Bike Ride	Saltwater Baths, Motueka
Sun 25 Feb	TUI MAMAKI	Fairfield House, Nelson
Mon 26 Feb	Tai Chi – Seniors	Broadgreen Gardens, Stoke
Wed 28 Feb	Heritage Walk – Seniors	Miyazu Gardens, Nelson
Fri 2 Mar	Food Truck Friday	Founders Heritage Park, Nelson
Fri 2 Mar	Edible Walk – Seniors	Orphanage Stream, Stoke
Sat 3 Mar	Big Bang for Fair Trade	Trafalgar Street, Nelson

Sat 3 & Sun 4 Mar	Buller Festival	Murchison
Sun 4 Mar	Children's Day	Richmond Aquatic Centre
Mon 5 Mar	Tai Chi – Seniors	Washbourn Gardens, Richmond
Thu 8 Mar	Guided Walk – Seniors	Gardens of the World, Clover Road East, Hope
Fri 9 Mar	Have a Go at Bowls – Seniors	Tahunanui Bowling Club
Sat 10 Mar	Kaiteriteri Gold Half Marathon & 10km	Kaiteriteri Beach
Sat 10 Mar	Summer Tango	Queens Gardens, Nelson
Sun 11 Mar	Family Fun Day	Centre of NZ (Botanical Reserve), Nelson
Mon 12 Mar	Tai Chi – Seniors	Queens Gardens, Nelson
Tue 13 Mar	Tot's Time	Isel Park, Stoke
Wed 14 Mar	Heritage Walk – Seniors	Queens Gardens, Nelson
Thu 15 Mar	Golden Bay Live Poets	The Mussel Inn, Onekaka, Golden Bay
Fri 16 Mar	Have a Go at Bowls – Seniors	Richmond Bowling Club
Sat 17 – Sun 25 Mar	Nelson Beer Week	Various locations
Sun 18 Mar	Race Unity Day	Victory Square, Nelson
Mon 19 Mar	Tai Chi – Seniors	Founders Heritage Park, Nelson
Wed 21 Mar	Guided Walk – Seniors	Te Waikoropupu Springs, Golden Bay
Fri 23 Mar	Edible Walk – Seniors	Stoke Railway Reserve
Sat 24 Mar	MarchFest	Founders Heritage Park, Nelson
Sun 25 Mar	Sport Tasman Muddy Buddy Adventure Run	Tasman School
Sun 25 Mar	Stand Up Paddleboarding	Monaco Wharf, Nelson
Sun 25 Mar	Joel Fafard	Fairfield House, Nelson
Mon 26 Mar	Tai Chi – Seniors	Botanical Reserve, Nelson
Wed 28 Mar	Sing-A-Long in the Park – Seniors	Queens Gardens, Nelson
Fri 30 Mar	Have a Go at Bowls – Seniors	Tahunanui Bowling Club
Sat 31 Mar	Banana Boat New Zealand Ocean Swim Series – The Big Tahuna	Tahunanui Beach
Fri 6 Apr	Positive Ageing Expo	Headingly Centre, Richmond
Fri 6 Apr	Food Truck Friday	Founders Heritage Park, Nelson
Sun 8 Apr	Motueka Kai Fest	Decks Reserve, Motueka



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