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Te Pūtahi Ladies Mile – a place people want to be

Get an update on the Ladies Mile Masterplan project and how you can be a part of shaping the future of this special area.

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10 Year Plan and Spatial Plan consultation starts 19 March 2021. [Details at letstalk.qldc.govt.nz](https://letstalk.qldc.govt.nz)

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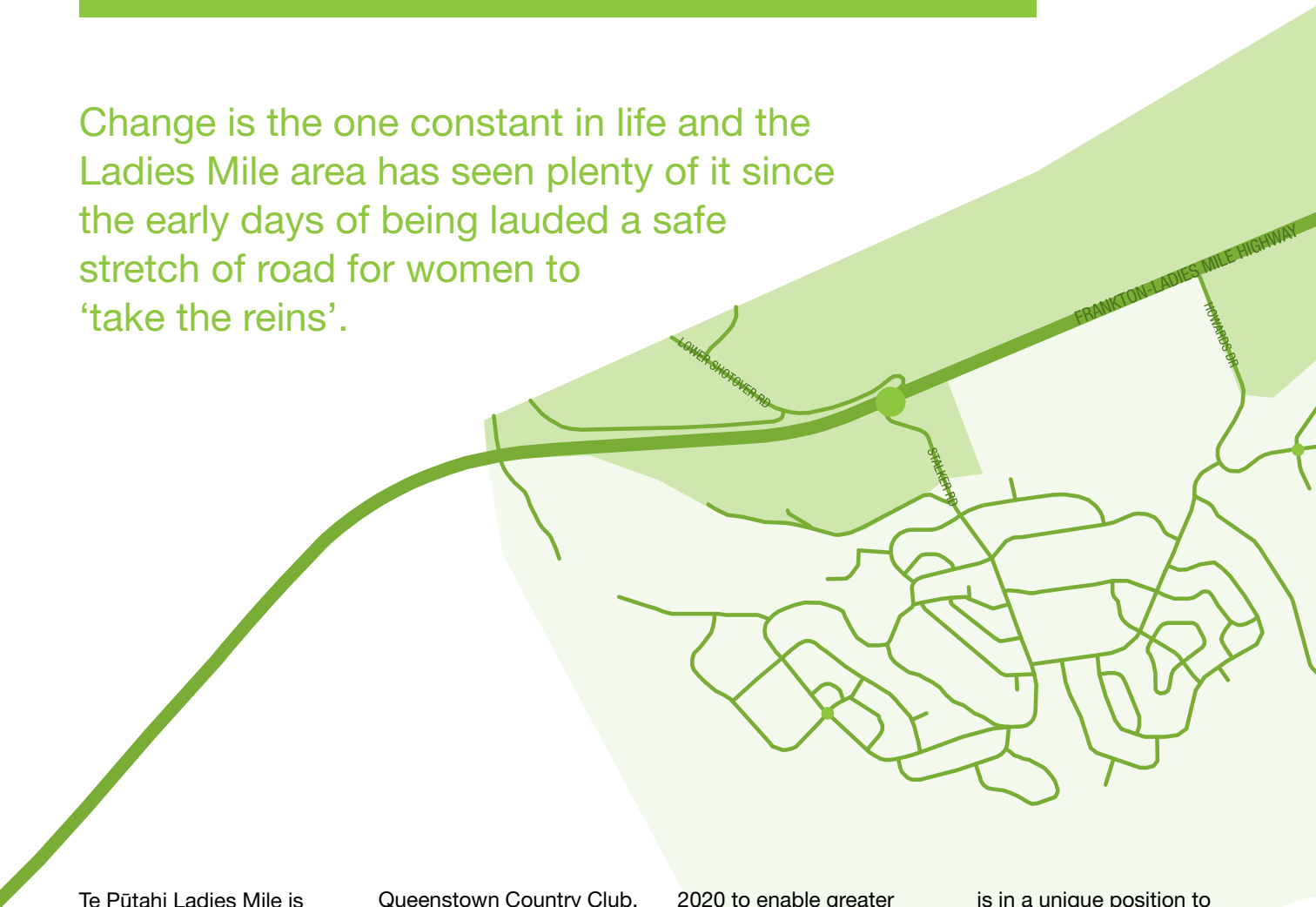
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Te Pūtahi – Ladies Mile

Change is the one constant in life and the Ladies Mile area has seen plenty of it since the early days of being lauded a safe stretch of road for women to ‘take the reins’.



Te Pūtahi Ladies Mile is special to locals. Many see it as the gateway into Queenstown and over the years it has become a very popular place to live. The area has been under increasing development pressure since 1998 when Lake Hayes Estate was rezoned into a low density area for housing. Since then, a number of other key planning decisions (such as the approval of the Shotover Country private plan change and the

Queenstown Country Club, Bridesdale and Shotover Country extension Special Housing areas), mean the area is now home to around 1,600 sections. That's larger than Arrowtown!

Given its flat, hazard free, sunny and a convenient location to nearby Frankton, combined with planning legislation such as the Resource Management Act and the National Policy Statement on Urban Development

2020 to enable greater housing supply and more responsive planning, the pressure to build more housing in this area is mounting and is difficult to stop.

But what if we, the community and the Council, could give developers really clear direction and set planning rules around how the area could change in the future? The good news is, we can. Right now, the Wakatipu community

is in a unique position to exert some control over the future of Te Pūtahi Ladies Mile as it grows to meet the needs of future generations.

A Masterplan for the area is underway and will provide certainty to the community and set expectations for developers on how the area could change over time. It will provide a concept for how new development can add value to the existing area



**Keep an eye out
for details of further
consultation planned
for May 2021.**

by creating a community with great transport connections, high quality public spaces and well-designed neighbourhoods that provide for every day needs like sports grounds, education facilities, community facilities and some retail.

In November 2020 the community was asked to consider some early concepts and join the design team at open days to discuss options for the future. The idea was to

gather as much feedback as possible which could be considered alongside further transport modelling and other technical analysis to help develop a preferred draft Masterplan.

We'll be asking for feedback on a draft Masterplan and proposed planning rules to support it in May. This will be a further opportunity to shape the future of this important area well into the future.

If you want to use the resources of the Wakatipu to create something wonderful, you should contact **vivian+espie** first



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Work underway on Stage Three of Wānaka Lakefront Development Plan

Work on Stage Three of the Wānaka Lakefront Development Plan is underway, with the project set to deliver Te Ara Wānaka (a shared pathway) for pedestrians and cyclists along the western side of Lakeside Road, and a separate boardwalk along the lake's edge.

Stage Three will also involve wide-scale native planting from Bullock

Creek through to the Marina, maintaining the area's rugged and natural look while also providing an injection of native flora and fauna.

The project's main contractor, Blakely Construction, is taking a staged approach when it comes to the construction of different features, with work on the boardwalk held back until after April 2021 to avoid any

disturbance to nesting and breeding grebe in the area.

Also in action are a number of environmental protection methods, with everything from silt curtains to sediment pumps, netting and scaffolding platforms utilised to protect Wānaka's lakefront.

Once complete, pedestrians and cyclists will be able to move

through the area with a greater level of safety and ease. Landscaping between Bullock Creek and the Marina will also provide new spots for enjoying a picnic on the lakefront, and of course, the view.

Work on Stage Three of the Wānaka Lakefront Development Plan is expected to be complete in August 2021.

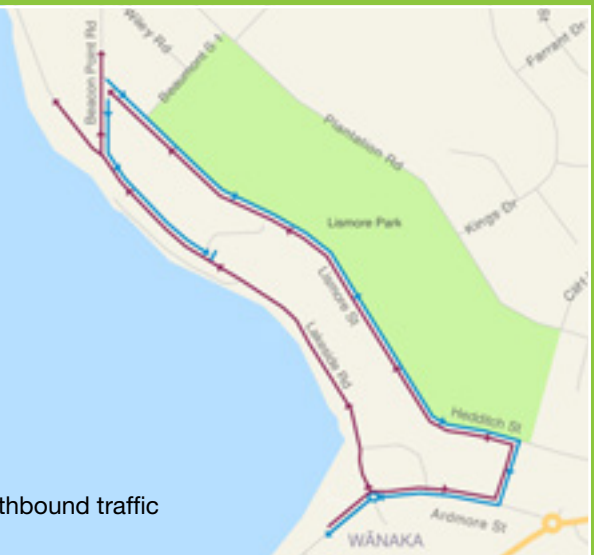
There will be some closures of Lakeside Road while construction is underway:

Lakeside Road will remain open to northbound traffic between Ardmore Street and the Marina for the entirety of the project, but will be closed to southbound traffic 24 hours a day from Friday 26 February 2021. A detour will be in place for southbound traffic via Lismore Street and Hedditch Street.

Pedestrian and cycle access along Lakeside Road will be maintained throughout the project.

→ Southbound traffic

← Northbound traffic



For more information on the Wānaka Lakefront Development Plan, head to www.qldc.govt.nz/wanaka-lakefront-development-plan

A Reserve Management Plan for Hāwea Domain

We're keen to hear your views on a draft Reserve Management Plan (RMP) for Hāwea Domain, the first of its kind for this area.

This plan is designed to assist in the future management and development of Hāwea Domain, capturing the vision, character and intended uses of this much loved public space.

To take a look at the draft plan and submit your feedback, head to letstalk.qldc.govt.nz



Hāwea Domain – how would you like to see this area managed in the future?

Submissions close
at 5.00pm on Sunday
7 March 2021.

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QUEENSTOWN TOWN CENTRE – OPEN FOR BUSINESS

A number of Queenstown Town Centre streets are being transformed into high quality public places that are safe and accessible for everyone.

Work started on 18 January and since then there's been a flurry of construction activity. First cab off the rank was Park Street. Already we've completed the underground service investigation and installed a new water main. Further utility works will follow then we'll get started on the above ground improvements.

When complete, this area will feature a 4m wide shared path, new underground services, new paving, high quality street furniture and lighting and improved wayfinding signage.

Service investigations are now underway in the 'historic core' of town, which includes Rees, Beach and Brecon Streets. This is likely to take a couple of weeks.

Sign up for regular updates or read more about these upgrades at www.qldc.govt.nz/qtc-street-upgrades



Queenstown Town Centre is open for business! Maintaining access to town and supporting local business is crucial to the success of this project. We're committed to working closely with all town centre businesses and residents to support this while construction is underway.

FUTURE

QUEENSTOWN
TOWN CENTRE

Stay Safe Queenstown Lakes

Recent events have highlighted that community transmission of COVID-19 remains a possibility. That's why it's as important as ever to follow precautions that keep the virus at bay.

There are three key steps that will both protect yourself and others:



SCAN

Always use the NZ COVID Tracer app. Scan QR codes and turn on Bluetooth tracing – this way, we'll all stay one step ahead of the virus in the event of a community outbreak.

STAY HOME

If you're feeling unwell, stay away from others and call Healthline about getting a free COVID-19 test.

WASH YOUR HANDS

And do it often. Use soap, wash for 20 seconds, and dry. Cough or sneeze into your elbow and try to clean surfaces that get touched regularly.

By taking just a few small steps we can all help prevent another community outbreak or, if one does occur, quickly stop it in its tracks.



Alert Levels

With the global situation changing so quickly, Aotearoa New Zealand may change alert level status at any time. Make sure you know current alert levels and follow the rules accordingly. Keep up to date at covid19.govt.nz



Events a win for the whole community

From concerts to fundraisers, the Queenstown Lakes District hosts plenty of events that entertain locals and visitors all year round.

For details about the Southern Lakes Regional Events Funding head to www.queenstownnz.co.nz/southern-lakes-regional-events-funding

Yet these events do more than simply provide a good time. They play a key role in drawing domestic visitors to the district, helping to bring people together and support our local economy.

The district receives events funding from a variety of sources. Over the past year central government has been especially important: last year's \$8.5 million grant

from the Regional Events Fund has recently been followed by another grant of the same amount.

This funding has been allocated to alliance groups of regional tourism organisations across New Zealand to encourage domestic tourism. Locally the funding is distributed through the Southern Lakes Regional Events bi-annual contestable fund.



The money goes a long way towards supporting events and provides knock-on benefits to local businesses such as accommodation and transport providers, equipment hirers, retailers and hospitality, as well as childcare, short term cleaners and activity providers. A single event can have important benefits for hundreds of locals.

There has been plenty happening in the past few months alone, especially on the musical front. The Gibbston Valley Winery Summer concert proved a hit with its all-Kiwi lineup, as did Rhythm & Alps and the New Year's celebrations in Wānaka and Queenstown.

At a grassroots level, there are too many community organisations across

the Wakatipu and Upper Clutha to mention, and their contributions to the district's wellbeing are impossible to quantify. These include rugby clubs and churches that run fundraisers, and community groups that provide man power to make events happen.

Queenstown Lakes District Mayor Jim Boulton said events provide an

invaluable contribution to the district. "It's been a tough time and many are struggling," Mayor Boulton said. "Not only do events bring people into the district and give us a much-needed injection of visitors, but they also make a massive contribution to the community's wellbeing. They make a huge difference for people from all walks of life."

From the Chambers

There's always plenty of business to cover at our Council and Committee meetings. Here's a snapshot of some of recent happenings.

FOOD GRADING BYLAW UP FOR REVIEW

Going out to eat and having a huge choice of top-notch restaurants and cafés is one of the great benefits of living in this district. While our team of environmental health officers make sure that what you eat is safe, at a recent Council meeting Team Leader Helen Evans recommended that Council revoke its Food Grading Bylaw 2016. A new Food Act came into force in 2016 which covers the same functions as the bylaw so there is no need to retain the bylaw to ensure food safety.

The Local Government Act 2002 requires the Council to consult when it proposes to revoke a bylaw and this is open to public comment until 28 February 2021. The consultation also includes a proposal to increase the environmental health fees. Information about the fees and how to make a comment is on the Let's Talk page.

DOG REGISTRATION FEES PROPOSED TO INCREASE

One of the duties of being a responsible doggo owner is paying an annual registration fee. These fees have not been reviewed since 2016 but a proposal to make a modest increase to the annual fee will be presented to the Council for consideration at its 18 March meeting. QLDC has adopted a stepped fee structure, which promotes a reduction in fees for an owner having a neutered dog, a fenced property and a dog with positive history during its time in the district. While the report is recommending a \$10 increase in registration fees, none of the other dog control fees (like impounding) are recommended to change.

Any increase will be subject to Council approval on 30 June.

HERITAGE INCENTIVE GRANTS APPROVED

We're very lucky in this district to have buildings and other structures that remind us of our gold mining, farming and cultural heritage. It's great when the building has been restored and is in everyday use, but using a heritage structure does provide another level of responsibility to the property owner.

This is where the Heritage Incentive Scheme can help with the costs of maintaining a listed heritage item. The Community and Services Committee recently approved two grants to local owners: the first will assist the Fork and Tap in Arrowtown to undertake a seismic assessment – something that probably didn't occur to the original builder when it was constructed in 1874! A further grant was approved to help the Queenstown Bowling Club add an amenities block to the lower level of the historic pavilion, which was originally built in 1908 and is now a Category 2 Listed Heritage Feature.

Boost for active commuters

We've been doing lots of work to make it safer and more convenient for our 'active' travellers out there. Whether you prefer to get around on foot, by bike or your ride is an e-bike or scooter, there's likely to be something of interest here for you.

Arthurs Point Improvements

A shared path is currently being constructed along Arthurs Point Road (between Atley Road and Packhorse Lane) and we'll be improving the on-road cycle facilities and footpath along Atley Road. A small roundabout at the intersection of Atley Road and Amber Close will provide safer crossing options. This work is expected to be finished by the end of April 2021

Aubrey Road improvements

On the Wānaka side of the hill we recently started work on a 3m wide shared path along Aubrey Road, from Anderson Road to Gunn Road. This includes raised table crossing points on the northern side of Aubrey Road. This work is expected to be finished by the end of May 2021.

Future planning for Wakatipu

We recently completed community engagement on eight priority routes to help encourage more people to choose walking and cycling for their regular commute. The network of pathways will connect key destinations such as Arrowtown, Arthurs Point, Kelvin Heights, Jacks Point, Lake Hayes Estate and Shotover Country, Fernhill, Frankton and Queenstown.

Head to letstalk.qldc.govt.nz/wakatipu-active-travel for more details and next steps.

TURNING GLASS BACK INTO GLASS

Glass is increasingly becoming a preferred choice for packaging. But once we're done with it in our homes or businesses, many wonder: where do the glass bottles and jars go?

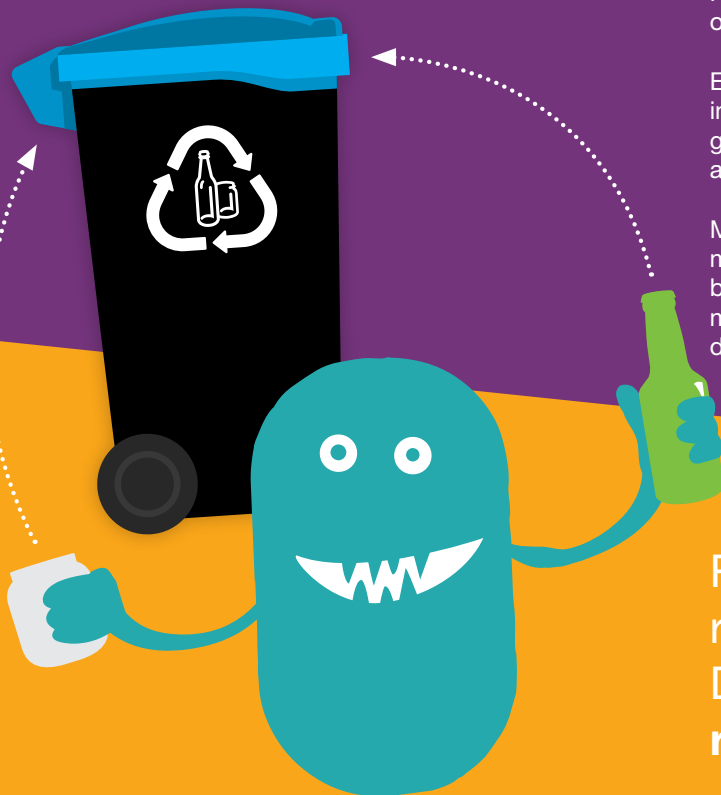
If we all do the right thing, a glass bottle or jar can go from the recycling bin back to the store shelf in as little as 30 days! Part of making that happen involves meeting the strict quality requirements set by our onshore glass reprocessor (Visy Glass).

Glass recycling is a multi-step process that starts with what we put in our blue bins. There are some simple steps we can all take to make sure our glass can be infinitely recycled.

Only clean glass bottles and jars go in your blue bin. No lids, no residue food and liquid, and no boxes or other materials.

Every other type of glass goes in the rubbish bin, including window glass, broken wine and drinking glasses, Pyrex and other ovenware, mirror glass, and windscreen glass.

Making an effort to keep your glass bin contamination free makes all the difference. So next time you're taking those bottles and jars out for recycling, take a few moments to make sure they are clean, loose, and topless, so that as a district we can keep turning glass into glass.



Read more about how to recycle right in the Queenstown Lakes District at www.qldc.govt.nz/rubbish-and-recycling

Introducing Wānaka's new recreation manager

We're pleased to announce the appointment of Allan Wainwright to the new role of Wānaka area recreation manager.



Allan is responsible for the management of Wānaka Recreation Centre (WRC) and for developing Council's range of sport, recreation and wellbeing programmes across the wider district.

QLDC Sport and Recreation Manager Simon Battrick said Allan's previous experience in managing facilities and working with different community groups would be a real asset.

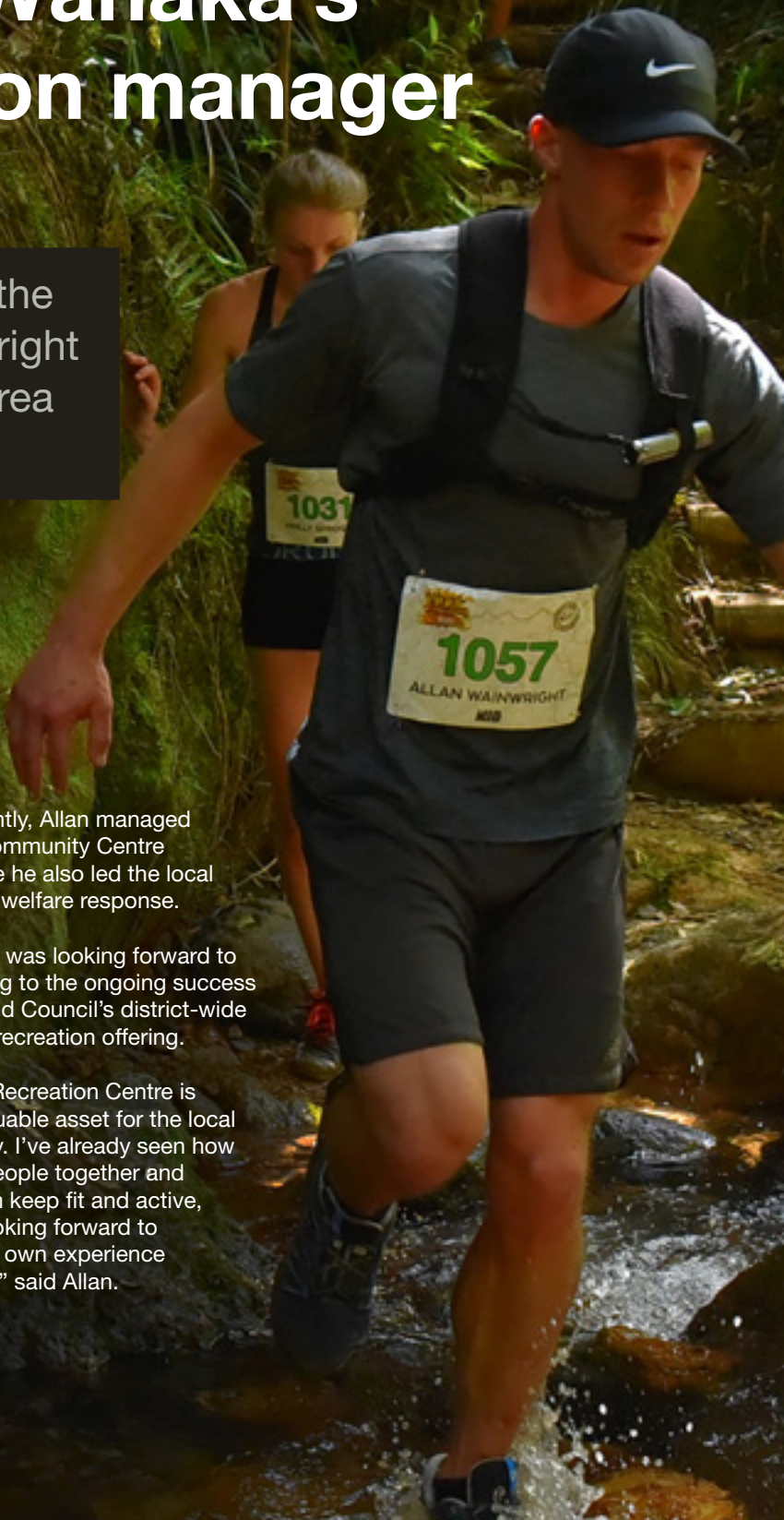
"Allan is a passionate and energetic individual who has spent more than 16 years in the sports, community and recreation sector around Auckland and Bay of Plenty," said Mr Battrick.

"He's regularly up before dawn to play squash, and loves running and mountain biking so I know he'll fit right in!"

Most recently, Allan managed Katikati Community Centre from where he also led the local COVID-19 welfare response.

He said he was looking forward to contributing to the ongoing success of WRC and Council's district-wide sport and recreation offering.

"Wānaka Recreation Centre is such a valuable asset for the local community. I've already seen how it brings people together and helps them keep fit and active, and I'm looking forward to adding my own experience to the mix," said Allan.



Come together at Arrowtown's Menzshed

It's taken five years of planning and hard work, but the Arrowtown Menzshed has now opened its doors.

Sitting on the lawn of the Arrowtown Campground, the Menzshed is part of a nationwide organisation that aims to provide places where people can get together to share their skills, have a laugh and work on practical projects. This helps provide both mental and physical benefits to members.

Arrowtown local and Menzshed Chairman Russell Heckler introduced the concept to the Arrowtown community in a public meeting in 2015. Receiving strong support, a committee was formed, and the project started taking shape.

The project was supported by the Central Lakes Trust, Community Trust South, Lottery Grants Board, Queenstown Lions and QLDC.

QLDC allowed the sub-lease of land and provided a community grant to assist with the consent process.

QLDC's Senior Advisor Community Liaison and Policy Marie Day said the shed has proved a welcome addition to Arrowtown.

"This is exactly the sort of project we love getting behind in our community," she said.

"It's a place for people to come together, work on projects, and check-in on each other... this is a real asset to the community of Arrowtown."

Don't be fooled by the name: the shed is open to people of all genders, and the friendly team would love to hear from anyone wanting to know more. Visit menzshed.org.nz/arrowtown/



QUALITY OF LIFE SURVEY

Last September, QLDC carried out its third – and latest – Quality of Life survey. While the survey traditionally collects data on the general wellbeing of communities, this one was particularly focused on the impact of COVID-19.

The findings confirm much of what we already knew about life for locals in the context of an ongoing global pandemic. The responses can now be used alongside other data to build an overall, holistic picture of the district.

The topics touched on job security and personal resilience, as well as more traditional issues like affordability and disposable income.


QLDC Senior Policy and Performance Advisor Katherine Davies, who manages the study, said it plays a key role in Council's understanding of issues in the community.

"The study continues to provide a vital piece of the data puzzle that we have been building for the last three years," Mrs Davies said.

"However, this data now gives us a baseline for recovery and helps inform our discussions with central government."



The results of the survey are available to view on QLDC's website at www.qldc.govt.nz/community-research



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THE TRAIL CODE



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Always tell someone where you're going



Dogs must be under control at all times



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Always prepare for alpine weather conditions



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Carry plenty of food and water



Soak it up and enjoy our beautiful place



Always consider others while using the trails

New local approach to tackling single use coffee cups

Did you know that every year New Zealanders throw away nearly 300 million disposable coffee cups?

The Chunky team is on a mission to reduce this and we're proud to support their endeavors through the last Waste Minimisation Community funding round. We sat down with the team to talk about their loan cup scheme.

TELL US ABOUT THE NEW VENTURE INTO LOAN CUPS AND WHAT YOU'RE HOPING TO ACHIEVE WITH THE PROJECT.

While many of us try to do the right thing, it can be easy to forget to take your own cup out with you all the time. The Chunky Loan Cup system is a not-for-profit initiative that supports cafés with free membership. It's an effort to reduce the amount of waste caused by the use of single use coffee cups.

If you're in Wānaka and want to do your bit, keep an eye out for SUCfree (single use cup) Wānaka in local participating businesses. Find out more at facebook.com/sucfreewanaka

HOW HAS THE WASTE MINIMISATION COMMUNITY FUND SUPPORTED YOUR INITIATIVE?

The grant has allowed us to hire someone to liaise with cafés and help get the system underway in Queenstown.

TALK US THROUGH HOW THE CHUNKY LOAN CUP SCHEME WORKS

Customers will pay the participating café \$10 as a refundable deposit for the use of the loan cup. The customer can then choose to bring their cup back to be used for their next coffee. They can bring their own clean cup or swap for a clean one.

Alternatively, they can bring back the cup in return for their deposit. The cups can be returned to any participating cafe, not just the cafe it came from, and we also have return points at KAPA at Queenstown Airport and Mooch in Frankton.

HOW CAN LOCAL BUSINESSES JOIN IN?

We can be contacted at info@chunky.nz We welcome local businesses who are interested in participating.

WHAT IS YOUR LONGER-TERM VISION FOR THE DISTRICTS CAFÉ CULTURE AND THE CHUNKY LOAN CUP PROJECT?

We're hoping for the widespread use of reusable cups in Queenstown. Ideally, consumers will ultimately take ownership of their own cup, and our loan cup system gives people the opportunity to make the transition happen.

If you have an awesome idea to reduce waste in the community keep an eye out for our next Waste Minimisation Community Funding round in March.




Fancy a Cuppa Clutha?



With the New Year comes the return of our Community “Pop In” sessions. These are hosted by Wānaka Community Board members to give members of the public a friendly, face-to-face way to make your views heard or ask about Council activities in the Wānaka area.

The next one will be held on Wednesday 3 March, 12.00pm to 1.00pm at the Wānaka Recreation Centre.

If you have any questions about any topics of interest, drop by and join us for a chat over a good ol’ cuppa and a biscuit. See you there!


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Successful season at Arrowtown Pool

Don't miss out on your last chance to enjoy a swim and a splash before the pool closes for the season on Sunday 7 March!

Despite one or two rainy days (and some snow on the hills!) it's been another successful season at Arrowtown Memorial Pool.

The LPG heating system installed last year has kept the water at a target temperature of 27 degrees, and a fresh lick of paint in the spring got everything looking spick and span for opening day on 30 November.

To date, members have scanned in more than 1,600 times and there have been more than 3,000 casual visits with swimmers paying on entry.



New Civil Defence tool helps Otago Get Ready

Emergency Management Otago is encouraging residents across the region to sign up to Gets Ready, a proven two-way communication tool which helps people better prepare for emergencies and be more informed, co-ordinated and resilient when they occur.

Gets Ready is a well-established system that was set up in the Selwyn District after the 2010-11 Canterbury earthquakes. It has already been trialled in Central Otago and Queenstown's Kelvin Heights Peninsula for the past year and is now being rolled out across the region.

THREE KEY BENEFITS OF SIGNING UP TO GETS READY:

Find out what's happening, what to do and how to help others via email/text alerts. Get localised updates FAST about situations that directly affect you, from small scale events (boil water notices or fire bans) to major emergencies (earthquakes, floods, fires, severe weather events, tsunamis/seiches etc.) to help you look after your family, neighbours, friends and work colleagues.

Be part of a co-ordinated community emergency response. Help Civil Defence plan more effectively for emergencies by registering skills or resources you have (such as 4WDs, generators, first aid training etc.) that can be used if needed. Vulnerable community members are also encouraged to provide details of special assistance they may require such as power, mobility or translation.

Provide valuable on-the-ground intelligence to the Emergency Operations Centre via your Community Response Group. This will help Civil Defence co-ordinate a targeted response and get information and help to where it's most needed, quickly and effectively.

TO REGISTER FOR GETS READY, FOLLOW THE QUICK AND EASY THREE-STEP PROCESS:

Either scan the Otago Gets Ready QR code or go to www.getsready.net to accessed your contact details.

Fill out the Resources, Skills and Needs section – you can choose to share as much or as little information as you wish.

Once you receive the activation email (check your Junk Mail if it doesn't come through within a few minutes) and click on the link to activate your profile. All information is held privately and securely and is only accessible to authorised Civil Defence staff.



TOP DOGS IN THE DISTRICT

Taco Bell has finally arrived in Queenstown.
At least, a distinctly canine variety has.

There were some weird and wonderful names on our dog registration list last year, representing everything from rock stars to fast food outlets.

Other notable names include Lil Pooch, Swag, and George Clooney. There's no scientific method to naming our canine companions, but one thing we can all

agree: given the multitude of disruptions affecting our daily lives over the past year, dogs help provide a sense of calm and consistency. Even if they have silly names.

On a less eccentric note, Bella and Charlie were the district's most popular dog names last year. Better luck next time, Ziggy Stardust.



TOP FIVE

- 1 Bella
- 2 Charlie
- 3 Molly
- 4 Poppy
- 5 Ruby

For details on Dog Registration and animal control services head to www.qldc.govt.nz/animal-control

Cheques checking out

From **1 June 2021**, we are no longer accepting cheques for any type of payment at QLDC.



All the major banks are starting to phase out cheques and their popularity as a payment option has been on the decline over the past few years, with most of our customers choosing to make their payments in other ways.

The good news is there are plenty of other payment options that are faster, cheaper and more secure, including:

- ✓ Direct debit payments (rates payments only)
- ✓ Automatic payments
- ✓ Internet banking payments (manual online payments)
- ✓ Via our website (online payments with a credit card or Account2Account)
- ✓ In person (eftpos, credit card or cash)
- ✓ Over the phone credit card payments

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LET'S TALK KŌRERO MAI

Key consultation topics coming soon

There are lots of important topics to talk about this year so keep your eyes peeled for details on key projects we'll be seeking your input on.

2021-31 TEN YEAR PLAN – the budget, priorities and work plan for the next ten years.

Submissions open 19 March 2021

WHAIROA | GROW WELL SPATIAL PLAN – setting the direction for how and where the district grows in the long term.

Submissions open 19 March 2021

REPRESENTATION REVIEW – how you will be represented on Council for the 2022 local government elections.

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LADIES MILE MASTERPLAN – setting expectations and direction for how this important area could develop over time.

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HOUSING STRATEGY – providing a clear vision and direction to support improved housing choice and availability over the long term.

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We'll keep you updated on the latest news for these projects. In the meantime, make sure you're registered on 'Let's Talk' – our online community engagement website. There you'll be able to read about all the latest consultations and have your say on the things that are important to you.

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Queenstown Memorial Hall
Lake Hayes Pavilion
Lake Wānaka Centre
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WĀNAKA RECREATION CENTRE

Wānaka Pool
Indoor Courts
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TRANSFER STATIONS

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& Riverbank Roads
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