

Genconnect



Do you or someone you know need help with technology? Pop down to the Gore Library Mondays from **3:30pm to 5:00pm** to get some tech support from a fantastic group of teenagers.

GenConnect is about connecting generations through sharing knowledge. Our library staff and students from St Peter's College's Rosimini boarding house are looking forward to helping you with:

- How to set up and use your smartphone, tablet or iPad
- How to set up an email account
- How to set up and use Facebook or Skype accounts so you can get in touch with friends
- How to share your photos with friends and family
- How to use technology to make your life easier

Heritage Month

Monday's @ Māruawai

Every Monday in March join us at 7:00pm at the Māruawai Centre, in the heritage precinct, for a programme highlighting everything local.

On March 18, the Hocken Library's Rauhina Scott-Fyfe will talk about the national significance of journalist and author Herries Beattie, and share her current project digitising his work.

Among other events, the popular tasting session returns. This year it will explore how we preserved our seasonal abundance and be led by chef Jude Taylor. All sessions are free apart from the tasting session. To register your interest, email heritage@goredc.govt.nz

East Gore Arts Centre Open Day

Sunday 10 March 1:00pm - 3:00pm
6 Rock Street, Free Entry

Drop in to the Category 1, 1881 RA Lawson designed landmark wooden church, discover how the historic set of buildings is being transformed into an arts centre and witness printmaking in action. For more information, email heritage@goredc.govt.nz

Road Closure



We are going to be removing tree stumps from the flood banks in River Street, from Monday 4 March to Sunday 17 March. This means that between 6:00am and 6:00pm:

- The southbound lane of River Street will be closed
- There's no right turn onto River Street from Mersey, Ashton and Stratford streets
- All southbound traffic will detour via Main Street.

Freeze Ya Bits off Busking



Buskers - it's your time to shine at this year's Freeze Ya Bits Off Busking competition. On King's Birthday weekend, buskers from across the nation will take to the streets of Gore to compete for a share of \$6,000 in prize money!

Registrations are open now at gorenz.com/events

Tulloch Takeover



From **11:00am to 2:00pm** on Saturday 2 March, we'll be celebrating another one of our awesome parks with this one-day-only, totally free event.

Dress up like a pirate on the playground, grab a sausage from the BBQ, get your face painted, unleash your inner chalk artist, shoot some hoops and more.

It'll be a great, family fun day out so make sure you come along.

Upcoming meetings

Meetings are held in the Council Chambers, 29 Bowler Avenue, Gore, unless otherwise stated. All meetings, except those where the public is excluded, are live-streamed on the Council's YouTube channel www.youtube.com/GoreDC

Monday 4 March

The Mataura Community Board will meet, starting at 5:30pm, at the Elderly Citizens Centre, McQueen Avenue, Mataura.

Tuesday 5 March

The Community Wellbeing Committee meets, starting at 4:00pm followed by a Council meeting.

Tuesday 12 March

The Assets and Infrastructure Committee meets, starting at 4:00pm.

Tuesday 26 March

The Council will hold its monthly ordinary meeting, starting at 4:00pm.

Agendas for all meetings, except those in-committee, are available on the Council's website www.goredc.govt.nz (link on homepage).