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## JENNIAN HOMES NEW ZEALAND TRACK AND FIELD CHAMPIONSHIPS

5 - 7 MARCH 2021  
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- 1 Head to [napier.govt.nz](http://napier.govt.nz)
- 2 Search keyword **#ratesbyemail**
- 3 Have your valuation number handy and you'll be signed up and in the draw within two minutes.

Terms and conditions apply. See [www.napier.govt.nz](http://www.napier.govt.nz) keyword search **#ratesbyemail**. Competition ends 30 September 2021.

*Congratulations to the winners  
of our quarter 2 \$500 draw.  
Martin and Sara-Jane O'Grady!*



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its environmental footprint.



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# OUR NAPIER

*In this edition, find out about the  
Long Term Plan and events that are  
coming up in Hawke's Bay!*



## Our 10-year budget

Our Long-term Plan (LTP) is our vision for Napier's future. Essentially, it's a budget that sets out the projects and activities that we'll focus on over the coming 10 years, and shows how they'll be paid for.

Typically, before we start finalising the contents of the LTP, we ask our residents and ratepayers what they think Napier's priorities should be.

Recently we asked you to "kick back, and give us your feedback", while relaxing over the summer period. You may have noticed our bright yellow deck chairs out in the community!

We will now use your feedback to finalise the LTP 2021-31 consultation document, which will go out to the community for further consultation in the coming months. The LTP will be formally adopted by Council after taking into account the community's views.

We will continue to listen to our community's expectations and priorities whilst working to balance the books, which has been made even more difficult with the pandemic and flood.

For more information visit [napier.govt.nz/ltf](http://napier.govt.nz/ltf)

## Revenue & Financing consultation hearings

On 12 October, we began consulting with the community on proposals to change the way rates are calculated and how Council's services and activities are funded. Most ratepayers would see a small decrease in their rates, but some would see an increase.

Six community meetings about the proposals were held with around 300 people attending.

Council will be hearing oral submissions from the public on the proposals over several days starting Tuesday 9 February.

Go to [napier.govt.nz](http://napier.govt.nz) keyword search **#meetingagendas** for details.

## We'd like your feedback on our Parks & Reserves

Napier is fortunate to have a range of parks and reserves to enjoy - from a large destination playground, to small neighbourhood playgrounds, to beachside reserves and more.

We want to ensure our parks, playgrounds and reserves continue to be developed. So, we're keen to know what you think of them currently and what improvements you'd like to see in the future.

Tell us what you think at [sayitnapier.nz](http://sayitnapier.nz) before 28 February 2021 and you'll go into the draw to win one of two \$100 Prezzy Cards!

## USE WATER WISELY THIS SUMMER

- **Watering your lawn well once a week is ideal.**
- **Water at cooler, less windy times of the day. In the morning or evening is best to minimise evaporation and water wastage.**
- **Use a directional sprinkler – water your garden, not the concrete.**
- Turn off the tap while brushing your teeth. Save up to six litres of water.
- Keep your showers short. You could save about 50 litres of water.
- Longer grass needs less watering, so lift the mower blade up a notch.
- By only washing your car's windows you could save 100 litres of water.
- Make sure your dishwasher or washing machine are full before turning on. Use the ECO setting.
- Use a pool cover to save up to 80% of the water evaporating.
- Use 50mm less water in your bath and save 30 litres.

**IF WE'RE ALL CAREFUL WITH OUR WATER, THERE'LL BE ENOUGH FOR EVERYONE.**

For more info about how you can use water wisely go to: [www.napier.govt.nz](http://www.napier.govt.nz) and search **#waterconservation**

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IS THE WAY TO GO



## What's happening with our water?

**WATER WE'RE ON IT.**

Learn more at [napier.govt.nz](http://napier.govt.nz) keyword search **#water**

Napier Mayor  
Kirsten Wise

NAPIER NIGHT  
**FIESTA**

▶ **12 & 26 FEB**

**Clive Square 5:30 – 8:30pm**

*Delectable food, refreshments and live music!*

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