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4 page issue!

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Barry's answers online, under "issues".

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Easter blessings, enjoy the season

Easter is about new things and it is traditionally a time of renewal. It is celebrated with symbols, like Easter Eggs perhaps the most obvious; new life contained within its protective shell. The faith perspective is a celebration of the new life offered to us by the resurrection of Jesus.

So, Easter is a time when many of us take time to reflect upon our lives and endeavour to make the corrections necessary to get the most out of it, whether it be relationships, work, or finances. This is renewal.

Last week, we wrote about changing our attitudes to the world that is currently impacting upon us. Focussing on the good we see, acknowledging

the good done for us, and so on. Expressing gratitude for the good things, rather than moaning about the bad.

Perhaps we could start this phase of renewal by giving thanks for the food that we shall share this Easter, in a world where many walk in hunger. We could give thanks for our security and faith, in a world where many walk in fear. We could give thanks for our family and friends, in a world where many walk alone. Expressing thanks gets easier the more we do it.

May the true significance of the season make a huge impact on us all this year! May you become very aware of God's blessings for you. Happy Easter!

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Short & Sweet

Daylight Saving ends this Sunday - Easter Sunday 5 April - with clocks going back an hour to NZ Standard Time (NZST). The official change-over is 3am which becomes 2am! NZST gives way to Daylight Saving again on 27 September.

A Pestfree group has warned us that we need to be on the lookout for the "macaroni weevil" which has recently been identified in our area. For those with macaroni plants, check that your macaroni elbows are still full, not eaten out. A quick remedy is to lift the macaroni branches clear of the ground. It would be a good idea to be on the lookout for this invasive species, especially from this April 1st issue onwards.

The Tairua Volunteer Fire Brigade's Easter Market takes place this Saturday from 9am until noon at Tairua Fire Station. Enjoy the mussel fritters, sausage sizzle, and market stalls. Support them by buying tickets in their Easter Gift Basket Raffle. All proceeds go to purchasing equipment not provided by FENZ.

School takes a break from this Thursday afternoon for the next fortnight. Tairua Library has a holiday programme for interested children. On Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of both weeks a range of very cool activities will be taking place in the Library between 10.30 and 11.30am. For details contact Kayla at the Library, or check out the libraries section of the TCDC website.

Pauanui's last market for the season is this Sunday 5 April, next door to the Pauanui Club (31 Sheppard Ave) from 9am to 12.30pm. The market will start up again in October.

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THURSDAY 2ND APRIL, 7PM

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FRIDAY 3RD APRIL, 9.30AM

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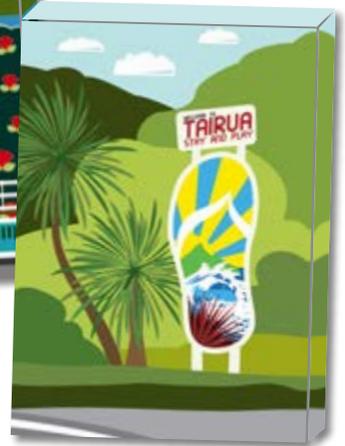
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