

Rt Hon Chris Hipkins Ministerial Diary Summary

1 February – 28 February 2023

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Date	Scheduled Time	Meeting	Location	With or Attending	Portfolio
1/02/2023	10:00 - 10:45	VISIT: Moana Nui A Kiwa Hub	Auckland	Hon Grant Robertson, Hon Kieran McAnulty, Lemauga Lydia Sosene MP, and event attendees	Prime Minister
1/02/2023	12:00 - 12:30	MEDIA: Stand up	Auckland	Media	Prime Minister
1/02/2023	12:30 - 13:45	MEET: Auckland Emergency Operation Centre team	Auckland	Hon Carmel Sepuloni, Hon Kieran McAnulty, and event attendees	Prime Minister
1/02/2023	14:30 - 15:15	VISIT: Awataha Marae	Auckland	Event attendees	Prime Minister
2/02/2023	07:00 - 07:10	MEDIA: The Hits	Auckland	The Hits	Prime Minister

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2/02/2023	07:15 - 07:25	MEDIA: ZM	Auckland	ZM	Prime Minister
2/02/2023	07:30 - 07:40	MEDIA: Coast	Auckland	Coast	Prime Minister
2/02/2023	07:45 - 07:55	MEDIA: Hauraki	Auckland	Hauraki	Prime Minister
2/02/2023	08:00 - 08:10	MEDIA: Gold	Auckland	Gold	Prime Minister
2/02/2023	08:15 - 08:25	MEDIA: Flava	Auckland	Flava	Prime Minister
2/02/2023	09:00 - 09:30	MEDIA: RNZ	Auckland	RNZ	Prime Minister
2/02/2023	09:45 - 10:15	MEET: Wayne Brown, Mayor of Auckland	Auckland	Wayne Brown, Mayor of Auckland	Prime Minister
2/02/2023	11:00 - 12:15	MEET: Auckland Business Leaders	Auckland	Auckland Business Leaders	Prime Minister
2/02/2023	12:15 - 12:35	MEDIA: Stand up	Auckland	Media	Prime Minister
2/02/2023	13:30 - 14:30	ATTEND: Student volunteer army activity	Auckland	Student volunteer army	Prime Minister
3/02/2023	09:00 - 09:45	MEET: Pre-meet with Ministers ahead of National Iwi Chairs Forum	Waitangi	Various Minister	Prime Minister
3/02/2023	10:00 - 12:00	MEET: National Iwi Chairs Forum	Waitangi	Various Ministers and Iwi Chairs	Prime Minister
3/02/2023	12:00 - 12:30	MEDIA: Stand up	Waitangi	Media	Prime Minister

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3/02/2023	13:00 - 14:00	ANNOUNCEMENT: Infrastructure Acceleration Fund	Kerikeri	Hon Woods, event attendees	Prime Minister
3/02/2023	15:00 - 15:30	MEET: School Waka programme	Waitangi	Various Ministers, Officials, and event attendees	Prime Minister
3/02/2023	18:00 - 18:30	VISIT: Te Hiku Forum	Waitangi	Various Ministers, Officials, and event attendees	Prime Minister
5/02/2023	08:00 - 10:00	ATTEND: Pakinga Pa - Whakanui nga mahi	Kaikohe	Various Ministers, Officials, and event attendees	Prime Minister
5/02/2023	11:30 - 12:30	ATTEND: Parliamentary Powhiri	Waitangi	Labour Caucus, event attendees	Prime Minister
5/02/2023	13:00 - 13:30	MEDIA: Stand up	Waitangi	Media	Prime Minister
5/02/2023	14:00 - 15:00	VISIT: Maori Wardens	Waitangi	Event attendees	Prime Minister
5/02/2023	15:30 - 16:30	VISIT: Waka Camp	Haruru	Event attendees	Prime Minister
5/02/2023	16:50 - 17:30	ATTEND: Beat the Retreat	Waitangi	Event attendees	Prime Minister
6/02/2023	05:00 - 06:30	ATTEND: Dawn ceremony	Waitangi	Event attendees	Prime Minister
6/02/2023	07:00 - 08:00	MEDIA: Stand up	Waitangi	Media	Prime Minister
6/02/2023	11:00 - 13:00	ATTEND and SPEAK: Waitangi@Waititi	Auckland	Various Ministers and event attendees	Prime Minister

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7/02/2023	09:15 - 09:35	MEDIA: ABC		ABC	Prime Minister
7/02/2023	09:35 - 10:00	WELCOME: Canberra, Australia	Canberra, Australia	Ngunnawal Elder, New Zealand High Commission, and officials	Prime Minister
7/02/2023	10:00 - 11:00	MEET: Roundtable with the Trans-Tasman Business Council	Canberra, Australia	Trans-Tasman Business Council representatives	Prime Minister
7/02/2023	12:00 - 12:40	MEET: Rt Hon Anthony Albanese, Prime Minister of Australia	Canberra, Australia	Rt Hon Anthony Albanese, Prime Minister of Australia	Prime Minister
7/02/2023	12:50 - 13:00	MEDIA: Joint Media Conference	Canberra, Australia	Media	Prime Minister
7/02/2023	13:25 - 13:45	MEDIA: Stand up	Canberra, Australia	NZ Media	Prime Minister
8/02/2023	07:05 - 07:15	MEDIA: RNZ	Via phone	RNZ	Prime Minister
8/02/2023	07:20 - 07:30	MEDIA: Today FM	Via phone	Today FM	Prime Minister
8/02/2023	07:35 - 07:45	MEDIA: Newstalk ZB	Via phone	Newstalk ZB	Prime Minister
8/02/2023	07:50 - 08:00	MEDIA: AM Show	Beehive Theatrette	AM Show	Prime Minister
8/02/2023	09:45 - 10:00	MEET: Peter Hughes, Public Service Commissioner	Parliament Buildings	Peter Hughes, Public Service Commissioner	Prime Minister
8/02/2023	10:30 - 10:50	MEET: Officials meeting	Parliament Buildings	Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet officials	Prime Minister

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8/02/2023	10:50 - 11:05	PHOTO: New Cabinet members	Parliament Buildings	Cabinet members	Prime Minister
8/02/2023	11:00 - 13:00	MEET: Cabinet	Parliament Buildings	Cabinet members, and Cabinet office	Prime Minister
8/02/2023	15:00 - 16:00	MEDIA: Post Cabinet Press Conference	Beehive Theatre	Media	Prime Minister
9/02/2023	10:30 - 12:00	VISIT: PriorityOne Tauranga Moana & Ara Rau	Tauranga	Hon Jan Tinetti, Tamati Coffey MP, and event attendees	Prime Minister
9/02/2023	12:00 - 12:30	MEDIA: Stand up	Tauranga	Media	Prime Minister
9/02/2023	12:30 - 13:00	MEDIA: Bay of Plenty Times	Tauranga	Bay of Plenty Times	Prime Minister
9/02/2023	14:00 - 14:45	VISIT: Maungatapu site visit	Tauranga	Hon Jan Tinetti, Tamati Coffey MP, Commissioner Anne Tolley, Tauranga City Council, NEMA staff, and event attendees	Prime Minister
9/02/2023	15:15 - 16:30	VISIT: BlueLab factory	Tauranga	Hon Jan Tinetti, Angie Warren-Clark MP, and event attendees	Prime Minister
12/02/2023	14:00 - 14:30	VISIT: Auckland Transport Operation Centre	Auckland	Hon Carmel Sepuloni, Hon Michael Wood, Auckland Transport staff, and Waka Kotahi NZ Transport officials	Prime Minister
12/02/2023	14:30 - 14:45	MEDIA: Stand up	Auckland	Media	Prime Minister

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12/02/2023	15:15 - 15:45	VISIT: Civil Defence Centre Henderson	Auckland	Civil Defence officials	Prime Minister
12/02/2023	18:00 - 19:00	ATTEND and Speak: ABAC Welcome Reception	Auckland	ABAC members	Prime Minister
12/02/2023	19:40 - 19:55	MEET: Officials meeting	Via videoconference	MFAT, NZDF, and DPMC officials	Prime Minister
12/02/2023	20:00 - 20:15	Withheld in accordance with s9(2)(a) of the Official Information Act			
13/02/2023	07:05 - 07:15	MEDIA: RNZ	Via phone	RNZ	Prime Minister
13/02/2023	07:20 - 07:30	MEDIA: TVNZ Breakfast	Auckland	TVNZ	Prime Minister
13/02/2023	07:35 - 07:45	MEDIA: Hosking Breakfast on Newstalk ZB	Via phone	Newstalk ZB	Prime Minister
13/02/2023	07:50 - 08:00	MEDIA: AM Show	Auckland	AM Show	Prime Minister
13/02/2023	08:05 - 08:15	MEDIA: Today FM	Via phone	Today FM	Prime Minister
13/02/2023	08:30 - 09:00	ATTEND: Auckland Emergency Management Officials meeting	Auckland	Auckland Emergency Management Officials	Prime Minister
13/02/2023	12:00 - 12:30	MEET: Officials meeting	Via videoconference	Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet officials	Prime Minister
13/02/2023	13:00 - 15:00	MEET: Cabinet	Auckland	Cabinet members, and Cabinet office	Prime Minister
13/02/2023	16:00 - 17:00	MEDIA: Post Cabinet Press Conference	Auckland	Media	Prime Minister

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14/02/2023	08:00 - 08:30	PHONE CALL: Rt Hon Rishi Sunak, Prime Minister of the United Kingdom	Via phone	Rt Hon Rishi Sunak, Prime Minister of the United Kingdom	Prime Minister
14/02/2023	11:00 - 11:30	VISIT: The Trust Arena Evacuation Centre	Auckland	The Trust Arena Evacuation Centre volunteers	Prime Minister
14/02/2023	11:30 - 12:00	MEDIA: Stand up	Auckland	Media	Prime Minister
14/02/2023	16:30 - 17:30	MEET: Ministerial meeting	Parliament Buildings	Hon Kieran McAnulty, Hon Andrew Little, and NEMA officials	Prime Minister
14/02/2023	17:45 - 18:45	MEDIA: Press Conference	Beehive Theatrette	Media	Prime Minister
15/02/2023	07:20 - 07:30	MEDIA: The Rock	Via phone	The Rock	Prime Minister
15/02/2023	07:40 - 07:45	MEDIA: Mai FM	Via phone	Mai FM	Prime Minister
15/02/2023	07:50 - 08:00	MEDIA: The Breeze	Via phone	The Breeze	Prime Minister
15/02/2023	08:10 - 08:20	MEDIA: More FM	Via phone	More FM	Prime Minister
15/02/2023	08:20 - 08:30	MEDIA: The Country Show	Via phone	The Country Show	Prime Minister
15/02/2023	10:00 - 11:00	AUDIENCE: HRH the Princess Royal	Parliament Buildings	HRH the Princess Royal	Prime Minister
15/02/2023	13:00 - 13:30	MEET: Ministerial meeting	Parliament Buildings	Hon Grant Robertson, Hon Megan Woods	Prime Minister

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15/02/2023	13:30 - 14:00	MEET: Ministerial meeting	Parliament Buildings	Hon Grant Robertson	Prime Minister
15/02/2023	16:30 - 17:30	MEET: Officials meeting	Parliament Buildings	NEMA Officials	Prime Minister
15/02/2023	17:30 - 18:00	MEDIA: Press Conference	Beehive Theatrette	Media	Prime Minister
15/02/2023	18:00 - 21:00	ATTEND AND SPEAK: Wellington Homeless Women's Trust Dinner	Wellington	Event attendees	Prime Minister
16/02/2023	10:40 - 11:15	VISIT: Te Karaka school	Te Karaka	Hon McAnulty, Hon Whitiri, NEMA officials, event attendees	Prime Minister
16/02/2023	12:00 - 12:20	VISIT: Emergency Coordination Centre	Gisborne	Rehette Stoltz, Mayor of Gisborne, Hon McAnulty, Hon Whitiri, NEMA officials, event attendees	Prime Minister
16/02/2023	12:20 - 12:45	MEET: Small business leaders at Emergency Coordination Centre	Gisborne	Hon McAnulty, Hon Whitiri, NEMA officials, event attendees	Prime Minister
16/02/2023	13:00 - 13:15	MEDIA: Stand up	Gisborne	Media	Prime Minister
16/02/2023	16:00 - 16:45	MEET: Officials meeting	Parliament Buildings	NEMA and other agency officials	Prime Minister
16/02/2023	17:30 - 18:00	MEDIA: Press Conference	Beehive Theatrette	Media	Prime Minister
17/02/2023	10:45 - 11:30	VISIT: Hawkes Bay Coordination Centre	Hastings	Mayors and local emergency management personnel	Prime Minister

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17/02/2023	13:45 - 14:00	VISITS AND MEDIA: Stand up	Esk Valley and Bayview	Media	Prime Minister
17/02/2023	16:00 - 16:45	MEET: Officials meeting	Parliament Buildings	NEMA Officials	Prime Minister
17/02/2023	17:30 - 18:00	MEDIA: Press Conference	Beehive Theatrette	Media	Prime Minister
18/02/2023	09:20 - 10:00	ATTEND: Opening of Chipmunks	Upper Hutt	Chipmunks staff and event attendees	Prime Minister
19/02/2023	16:00 - 16:45	MEET: Officials meeting	Parliament Buildings	Officials	Prime Minister
19/02/2023	17:30 - 18:00	MEDIA: Press Conference	Parliament Buildings	Media	Prime Minister
20/02/2023	09:30 - 10:30	Withheld in accordance with s9(2)(j) of the Official Information Act			
20/02/2023	11:30 - 12:00	MEET: Officials meeting	Parliament Buildings	Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet officials	Prime Minister
20/02/2023	13:00 - 15:00	MEET: Cabinet	Parliament Buildings	Cabinet members, and Cabinet office	Prime Minister
20/02/2023	15:15 - 16:15	MEET: Officials meeting	Parliament Buildings	NEMA and other agencies officials	Prime Minister
20/02/2023	16:30 - 17:15	MEDIA: Post Cabinet Press Conference	Beehive Theatrette	Media	Prime Minister
20/02/2023	17:00 - 17:30	MEET: Hon Grant Robertson	Parliament Buildings	Hon Grant Robertson	Prime Minister
21/02/2023	06:30 - 06:40	MEDIA: RNZ	Via phone	RNZ	Prime Minister

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21/02/2023	07:20 - 07:30	MEDIA: TVNZ	Beehive Theatrette	TVNZ	Prime Minister
21/02/2023	07:35 - 07:45	MEDIA: Newstalk ZB	Via phone	Newstalk ZB	Prime Minister
21/02/2023	07:50 - 08:00	MEDIA: AM Show	Beehive Theatrette	AM Show	Prime Minister
21/02/2023	08:05 - 08:15	MEDIA: Today FM	Via phone	Today FM	Prime Minister
21/02/2023	16:30 - 16:45	MEET: Hon Andrew Little	Parliament Buildings	Hon Andrew Little	Prime Minister
21/02/2023	17:00 - 18:00	MEET: Cabinet External Relations and Security Committee	Parliament Buildings	Cabinet committee members, and Cabinet office	Prime Minister
21/02/2023	18:00 - 19:00	SPEAK: Business NZ - Back to Business Event	Wellington	Event attendees	Prime Minister
21/02/2023	20:30 - 20:45	PHONE CALL: Jens Stoltenberg, NATO Secretary General	Via phone	Jens Stoltenberg, NATO Secretary General	Prime Minister
22/02/2023	07:20 - 07:30	MEDIA: Radio Tarana	Via phone	Radio Tarana	Prime Minister
22/02/2023	07:40 - 07:50	MEDIA: Waatea News	Via phone	Waatea News	Prime Minister
22/02/2023	07:50 - 08:00	MEDIA: bFM	Via phone	bFM	Prime Minister
22/02/2023	08:10 - 08:20	MEDIA: 531Pi	Via phone	531Pi	Prime Minister
22/02/2023	08:30 - 08:40	MEDIA: Te Ao Tapatahi	Via videoconference	Te Ao Tapatahi	Prime Minister

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22/02/2023	08:50 - 09:10	MEDIA: Seven Sharp	Parliament Buildings	Seven Sharp	Prime Minister
22/02/2023	09:30 - 10:00	MEET: Cabinet Appointments and Honours Committee	Parliament Buildings	Cabinet committee members, and Cabinet office	Prime Minister
22/02/2023	10:00 - 11:00	MEET: Cabinet Social Wellbeing Committee	Parliament Buildings	Cabinet committee members, and Cabinet office	Prime Minister
22/02/2023	12:40 - 13:00	MEET: Ministerial meeting	Parliament Buildings	Hon Grant Robertson, Peter Hughes, Public Service Commissioner, and Christine Stevenson, Acting Secretary to the Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet	Prime Minister
22/02/2023	15:30 - 16:50	SPEAK: Public Sector CEs	Wellington	Hon Grant Robertson, Hon Andrew Little, and Public Sector CEs	Prime Minister
22/02/2023	17:15 - 17:45	Withheld in accordance with s6(a) of the Official Information Act			
22/02/2023	19:15 - 19:45	MEET: Ministerial Meeting	Parliament Buildings	Hon Grant Robertson, and Hon James Shaw	Prime Minister
22/02/2023	19:45 - 20:15	MEET: Ministerial meeting	Via videoconference	Cyclone Recovery Ministers	Prime Minister
22/02/2023	20:00 - 20:30	PHONE CALL: Prime Minister of the Netherlands, Mark Rutte	Parliament Buildings	Prime Minister of the Netherlands, Mark Rutte	Prime Minister
22/02/2023	20:35 - 20:40	PHONE CALL: Mayor of Wairoa, Craig Little	Via phone	Mayor of Wairoa, Craig Little	Prime Minister

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23/02/2023	11:15 - 11:45	VISIT: Central Police Station	Napier	NZ Police	Prime Minister
23/02/2023	12:30 - 12:55	VISIT: Distribution Centre	Waipatu	Staff	Prime Minister
23/02/2023	12:55 - 13:15	MEDIA: Stand Up	Waipatu	Media	Prime Minister
23/02/2023	13:15 - 13:30	MEDIA: Hawkes Bay Today	Waipatu	Hawkes Bay Today	Prime Minister
24/02/2023	08:10 - 08:15	MEDIA: The Hits	Via phone	The Hits	Prime Minister
24/02/2023	10:30 - 11:20	MEET: Northland Mayors at Northland Emergency Coordination Centre	Whangarei	Northland Mayors, and staff	Prime Minister
24/02/2023	11:35 - 12:00	MEET: Tai Timu Tai Pari Collective	Whangarei	Event attendees	Prime Minister
24/02/2023	12:00 - 12:15	MEDIA: Stand up	Whangarei	Media	Prime Minister
24/02/2023	12:15 - 12:30	MEDIA: Northern Advocate	Whangarei	Northern Advocate	Prime Minister
24/02/2023	13:45 - 14:15	VISIT: Dargaville IMT	Dargaville	IMT staff	Prime Minister
24/02/2023	14:20 - 14:40	VISIT: Awakino Point	Dargaville	Event attendees	Prime Minister
25/02/2023	10:00 - 11:30	VISIT: Muriwai	Muriwai	Officials	Prime Minister
25/02/2023	12:30 - 14:55	ATTEND: Te Matatini	Auckland	Event attendees	Prime Minister

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27/02/2023	10:30 - 11:00	MEET: Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet	Parliament Buildings	Department of Prime Minister and Cabinet officials	Prime Minister
27/02/2023	11:00 - 13:00	MEET: Cabinet	Via videoconference	Cabinet members, and Cabinet office	Prime Minister
27/02/2023	13:00 - 14:00	MEET: Cabinet Extreme Weather Recovery Committee	Via videoconference	Cabinet committee members, and Cabinet office	Prime Minister
27/02/2023	15:00 - 16:00	MEDIA: Post Cabinet Press Conference	Beehive Theatrette	Media	Prime Minister
27/02/2023	16:15 - 16:45	MEET: Premier of Niue, Dalton Tagelagi	Parliament Buildings	Premier of Niue, Dalton Tagelagi	Prime Minister
27/02/2023	17:00 - 17:45	MEET: Climate Emergency Response Fund	Parliament Buildings	Climate Emergency Response Fund Minister	Prime Minister
27/02/2023	18:00 - 18:30	ATTEND and SPEAK: Helene Quilter retirement function	Wellington	Event attendees	Prime Minister
28/02/2023	06:30 - 06:40	MEDIA: RNZ	Via phone	RNZ	Prime Minister
28/02/2023	06:55 - 07:05	MEDIA: Newstalk ZB	Auckland	Newstalk ZB	Prime Minister
28/02/2023	07:20 - 07:30	MEDIA: TVNZ	Auckland	TVNZ	Prime Minister
28/02/2023	07:50 - 08:00	MEDIA: AM Show	Beehive Theatrette	AM Show	Prime Minister
28/02/2023	08:05 - 08:15	MEDIA: Today FM	Via phone	Today FM	Prime Minister

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28/02/2023	10:00 - 11:40	VISIT and SPEAK: Ngakoroa School Opening	Auckland	Ngakoroa School staff and students, and event attendees	Prime Minister
28/02/2023	12:15 - 13:30	VISIT: Freightways	Auckland	Hon Michael Wood, Freightways staff, and event attendees	Prime Minister
28/02/2023	13:30 - 14:00	MEDIA: Stand up	Auckland	Media	Prime Minister

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