Diary Summary

1 - 30 September 2026

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Date	Schedule Time	Meeting	Location	With	Portfolio
1/09/2026	12:00 pm - 12:45 pm	MEET: CAA CE and Chair	Parliament	CAA CE and Chair	Associate Transport
1/09/2026	1:00 pm - 1:30 pm	MEDIA: Paddy Gower	Parliament	Paddy Gower	All
1/09/2026	3:00 pm - 3:25 pm	MEET: Timaru Christian School	Parliament	Timaru Christian School	Local MP & Youth
1/09/2026	3:30 pm - 4:00 pm	MEET: Hunting & Fishing officials	Parliament	Hunting & Fishing officials	Hunting and Fishing
1/09/2026	4:00 pm - 4:30 pm	MEET: Cabinet Committee	Parliament	Cabinet Committee	All
1/09/2026	4:45 pm - 5:30 pm	MEET: Associate Transport officials	Parliament	Associate Transport officials	Associate Transport
2/09/2026	7:30 am - 7:35 am	MEDIA: The Breeze	By phone	The Breeze Timaru	All
2/09/2026	11:00 am - 11:30 am	MEET: TAIC CE & Chair	Parliament	TAIC CE & Chair	Associate Transport

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2/09/2026	12:00 pm - 12:30 pm	MEET: Molesworth Game and Conservation Trust	By video conference	Molesworth Game and Conservation Trust and Stuart Smith MP	Hunting and Fishing
2/09/2026	12:30 pm - 1:00 pm	MEET: Mountain Safety Council	Parliament	Mountain Safety Council	Hunting and Fishing & Associate Transport
2/09/2026	1:00 pm - 1:30 pm	MEET: Federated Farmers	Parliament	Federated Farmers	Hunting and Fishing
2/09/2026	4:00 pm - 4:30 pm	MEET: Deer Industry NZ	Parliament	Deer Industry NZ	Hunting and Fishing
2/09/2026	4:30 pm - 5:00 pm	MEET: Halter	Parliament	Halter & Lillis Clark	Associate Transport
2/09/2026	5:15 pm - 5:45 pm	MEET: Rural Contractors	By phone	Rural Contractors CE	Associate Transport
3/09/2026	8:45 am - 9:15 am	MEET: Children's Commissioner	Parliament	Children's Commissioner	Youth
3/09/2026	11:30 am - 12:00 pm	MEET: Associate Transport officials	Parliament	Officials	Associate Transport
3/09/2026	12:00 pm - 12:30 pm	MEET: Southern Star NZ	By video conference	Southern Star NZ representative, Hamish Campbell MP and Vanessa Weenink MP	South Island
3/09/2026	12:30 pm - 1:00 pm	MEET: Outdoor Access Commission	Parliament	Outdoor Access Commission	Hunting and Fishing
3/09/2026	1:30 pm - 2:00 pm	MEET: Minister for Regional Development	Parliament	Hon Jones and officials	South Island and Associate Transport

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3/09/2026	7:30 pm - 8:30 pm	SPEAK: South Canterbury Vintage Car Club	Timaru	Attendees	Local MP
4/09/2026	11:30 am - 12:30 pm	VISIT: Holcim Cement Terminal	Timaru	Attendees	Associate Transport, Local MP
4/09/2026	1:30 pm - 2:00 pm	MEET: Constituent about Red Deer	Waimate	Attendees	Hunting and Fishing and Local MP
4/09/2026	4:00 pm - 5:00 pm	MEET: Constituent about Lake Wainono	Waimate	Fish and Game Officials and attendees	Hunting and Fishing and Local MP
4/09/2026	7:15 pm - 9:15 pm	ATTEND: St John South Canterbury Service Awards Ceremony	Waimate	Attendees	Local MP
7/09/2026	9:00 am - 10:00 am	SPEAK: AIANZ Conference	Wellington	Attendees	Associate Transport
7/09/2026	10:00 am - 10:30 am	MEDIA: NZ Herald	Wellington	NZ Herald	All
7/09/2026	10:30 am - 11:00 am	MEET: NZ Agricultural Aviation Association	Wellington	NZ Agricultural Aviation Association	Associate Transport
7/09/2026	11:00 am - 11:30 am	MEET: NZ Heavy Haulage Association	Wellington	Heavy Haulage	Associate Transport
8/09/2026	12:45 pm - 1:15 pm	ATTEND: Ashburton Second Bridge Induction	Ashburton	Ashburton District Council Councillors	Local MP
8/09/2026	1:00 pm - 2:00 pm	VISIT: Ashburton Second Bridge site	Ashburton	Attendees	Local MP
9/09/2026	8:30 am - 8:40 am	MEDIA: Hokonui	By phone	Attendees	All
9/09/2026	8:45 am - 9:15 am	MEET: Transporting NZ	Ashburton and by video conference	Transporting NZ	Associate Transport

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9/09/2026	9:30 am - 10:30 am	MEDIA: The Stag Roar Podcast	Ashburton	Ryan and Nicole O'Connor	Hunting and Fishing
9/09/2026	12:00 pm - 1:15 pm	ATTEND: Ashburton Intermediate School Speech Final	Ashburton	Attendees	Local MP
10/09/2026	9:00 am - 9:30 am	MEET: Ministerial	By video conference	Ministers	Associate Transport
11/09/2026	9:00 am - 9:15 am	MEDIA: Chris Lynch	By video conference	Chris Lynch Media	All
11/09/2026	9:30 am - 10:30 am	ATTEND: South Canterbury Chamber Leadership Series	Timaru	Attendees	Local MP
11/09/2026	11:30 am - 1:00 pm	MEET: FreshPork NZ	Timaru	FreshPork NZ	Local MP
12/09/2026	2:30 pm - 3:30 pm	SPEAK: Backcountry Trust Conference	Christchurch	Attendees	Hunting and Fishing
14/09/2026	1:30 pm - 2:00 pm	MEET: Jim Goodall	By video conference	Attendees	Hunting and Fishing
14/09/2026	2:30 pm - 3:15 pm	MEET: Associate Transport officials	Parliament	Associate Transport officials	Associate Transport
14/09/2026	3:30 pm - 4:00 pm	MEET: Surf Lifesaving NZ	By video conference	Surf Life Saving New Zealand CE	Youth and Associate Transport
14/09/2026	4:30 pm - 5:00 pm	MEET: NZTA	Parliament	NZTA officials	Associate Transport
14/09/2026	5:15 pm - 6:15 pm	MEET: Cabinet Committee	Parliament	Cabinet Committee	All
15/09/2026	12:30 pm - 1:00 pm	MEET: Fish & Game	By video conference	Fish and Game	Hunting and Fishing
15/09/2026	3:15 pm - 3:45 pm	MEET: Hunting & Fishing officials	Parliament	Hunting & Fishing officials	Hunting and Fishing
15/09/2026	4:00 pm - 4:30 pm	MEET: Cabinet Committee	Parliament	Cabinet Committee	All

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15/09/2026	4:45 pm - 5:30 pm	MEET: Cabinet Committee	Parliament	Cabinet Committee	All
16/09/2026	7:30 am - 7:35 am	MEDIA: The Breeze Timaru	By phone	The Breeze Timaru	All
16/09/2026	10:30 am - 11:00 am	MEET: Youth officials	Parliament	Youth officials	Youth
16/09/2026	11:00 am - 11:30 am	MEET: Transurban	Parliament	Transurban	Associate Transport and South Island
16/09/2026	11:30 am - 12:00 pm	MEET: Business Wairarapa	Parliament	Business Wairarapa	Associate Transport
16/09/2026	3:30 pm - 4:00 pm	MEET: Hazero	Parliament	Hazero	South Island
16/09/2026	4:00 pm - 4:30 pm	MEET: NZ Airports	Parliament	NZ Airports CEO	Associate Transport
16/09/2026	4:30 pm - 5:00 pm	MEET: Jobs for Youth	By video conference	Jobs for Youth	Youth
17/09/2026	9:45 am - 11:00 am	ATTEND: Investiture	Wellington	Attendees	Ministerial
17/09/2026	11:30 am - 12:00 pm	MEET: Minister for Biosecurity	Parliament	Hon Hoggard and officials	Hunting and Fishing
17/09/2026	12:00 pm - 12:30 pm	MEET: Automobile Association	Parliament	Automobile Association	Local MP
17/09/2026	12:30 pm - 1:00 pm	MEET: New Zealand Fish and Game	Parliament	Fish and Game CE, COO & Chair	Hunting and Fishing
18/09/2026	6:35 am - 7:00 am	MEDIA: Luke Howden	By phone	Attendees	Local MP
18/09/2026	10:00 am - 10:30 am	MEET: GAC and NZDA	Parliament	GAC and NZDA	Hunting and Fishing

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18/09/2026	11:00 am - 11:30 am	MEET: Transporting NZ CE	Parliament	Attendees	Associate Transport
21/09/2026	10:30 am - 10:40 am	MEDIA: RNZ	By phone	RNZ	All
21/09/2026	12:30 pm - 1:00 pm	MEET: Game Animal Council CE & Chair	Parliament	GAC CE and Chair	Hunting and Fishing
21/09/2026	1:30 pm - 2:00 pm	MEET: OneReg	Parliament	OneReg	Associate Transport
21/09/2026	2:30 pm - 3:00 pm	MEET: Executive Council	Parliament	Executive Council	All
22/09/2026	12:00 pm - 12:30 pm	MEET: South Island Officials	Parliament	South Island officials	South Island
22/09/2026	12:30 pm - 1:00 pm	MEET: NZTA	By video conference	Attendees	Local MP
22/09/2026	3:30 pm - 4:00 pm	MEET: Hunting & Fishing officials	Parliament	Hunting & Fishing officials	Hunting and Fishing
22/09/2026	4:00 pm - 4:45 pm	MEET: Associate Transport officials	Parliament	Associate Transport officials	Associate Transport
23/09/2026	9:00 am - 10:00 am	ATTEND: National Ticketing Solution Canterbury Go Live Event	Christchurch	Minister Bishop and Attendees	Associate Transport and South Island
23/09/2026	10:30 am - 11:15 am	VISIT: Brougham Street Stage Two	Christchurch	Minister Bishop and Attendees	Associate Transport and South Island
23/09/2026	3:00 pm - 3:45 pm	MEET: MCERT and CAA	Parliament	Officials	Associate Transport
24/09/2026	12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	SPEAK: POLSA Q&A	Dunedin	Attendees	All
24/09/2026	1:30 pm - 3:00 pm	MEDIA: Vote 2026	Dunedin	Attendees	All

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25/09/2026	12:30 pm - 1:00 pm	MEET: TAIC	By video conference	TAIC	Associate Transport
25/09/2026	1:00 pm - 1:30 pm	MEET: South Canterbury Forest & Bird	Timaru	Attendees	Local MP
26/09/2026	3:30 pm - 3:45 pm	MEDIA: Newstalk ZB	By phone	Newstalk ZB	Youth
28/09/2026	12:30 pm - 2:15 pm	VISIT: Heli Rural	Methven	Attendees	Associate Transport and Local MP
28/09/2026	2:30 pm - 3:30 pm	VISIT: Mt Hutt Aviation	Methven	Attendees	Local MP
29/09/2026	9:00 am - 10:00 am	MEET: Heritage Expeditions	Christchurch	Heritage Expeditions	South Island and Associate Transport
29/09/2026	12:00 pm - 1:00 pm	MEET: Southern Parallel Campus	Christchurch	Southern Parallel Campus	South Island
29/09/2026	2:00 pm - 2:45 pm	SPEAK: Port Industry Association annual Conference	Christchurch	Attendees	Associate Transport
29/09/2026	3:30 pm - 4:30 pm	SPEAK: West Coast Canterbury AA	Christchurch	AA Canterbury/West Coast	Associate Transport and South Island
30/09/2026	10:30 am - 11:30 am	VISIT: Provision	Pleasant Point	Provision	Associate Transport
30/09/2026	12:30 pm - 1:30 pm	VISIT: Pefco	Timaru	Attendees	South Island

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