



Cover image

Bubble Magic on the Avon

The winner of the Christchurch City Council's city-wide competition to find an image for the front cover of our Draft Long Term Council Community Plan 2009-19 is Christchurch amateur photographer Heather Gibson.

Heather took this photograph of her nine-year-old grandson Dorian blowing bubbles while they were taking a punt ride on the Avon River in January 2009. She says this is one of Dorian's favourite pastimes.

A large number of entries were received to the competition and there were several photographs that caught the eye of the judging panel. *Bubble Magic on the Avon* was chosen for the cover because it shows a traditional, well-loved Christchurch activity – punting on the Avon.



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