

Te Marua

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**June 2018**

The Official Newsletter for the Wellington Naturist Club Inc.



## What's on at WNC

### June

Sat 30<sup>th</sup> **Mid-Winter Club Dinner** 6pm  
Hosted by Shirley  
Please rsvp to Shirley by Thursday 28th

### July

Sun 1<sup>st</sup> **Club Working Bee**  
Meet at the Hall at 9am. Remember to sign in

Sun 8<sup>th</sup> **Club Committee Meeting** 1pm  
(all members welcome to attend)

Sat 28<sup>th</sup> **American Themed Catered Dinner** 6pm Hosted  
by Jim B

Sun 29<sup>th</sup> **Club Working Bee**  
Meet at the Hall at 9am. Remember to sign in.

### August

TBC **Club Committee Meeting** 1pm  
(all members welcome to attend)

Sat 25<sup>th</sup> **Pizza & Quiz Nite** 6pm  
with Quiz Masters Murray & Sarah

Sun 26<sup>th</sup> **Club Working Bee**  
Meet at the Hall at 9am. Remember to sign in.

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## From The Chair

I am sitting in the kitchen at Kay and Brian's (Wai-natur) writing this monthly blurb. The sun is shining and

Brian has gravel to spread in the pot holes of his driveway. It brings back memories of what we used to have to do at the club but with the new seal we no longer have this job on the list.

We have had 2 meeting with the newly elected committee and I am encouraged at how enthusiastic they all are. The 2 newbees are fitting in well and they have some great new ideas. We just have to look at budgets as we really need to consolidate after spending a huge amount of money in the past few years. However I am sure you can all see the major improvements we have done.

I am pleased to announce that we have come to an agreement for operating the cabins and reservations in the coming year. Our new "Visitor and Cabins Manager" is Brent Henderson (Aussie Brent) who will be operating this new adventure from Labour

weekend 2018 to April 2019. Wow that will be a huge load off my plate. The committee was unanimous in accepting Brent's business proposal. We will just have to see how this works out financially for our club. I am certain that Brent will increase visitor numbers and support him in this new venture. Go for it Brent. I must take this opportunity to thank everybody who has helped with cabins over the past years as it is a very time consuming job.

The power project is now complete. Recently we have had new lights installed up the path from BBQ area to Park Lane. These work on sensors so no switch. Also a spot light on the BBQ shelter facing up the path to Midlands. The light switch at FAL ablution block has now been taken out of the fuse box and put on the wall. This is way easier to find.

Well the sun outside is calling me so I must away. I hope to catch up with at least some of you at the mid winter dinner or the working bee. As usual if you want to know something come and talk to me.

Ken



to the following members who have left the club

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| Greig B | Colin E   |
| Ross N  | Paul F    |
| Ray S   | Owen C    |
| Sarah B | Bronwyn C |
| John C  | Aaron H   |

Thanks for your contribution to the club.



to the following new member:-

Keng from Brooklyn

We hope you have a long and enjoyable association with the club.

### Health & Safety

Please be careful when moving around the grounds over winter, some of the paths are rather slippery. Scrubbing the paths & clearing leaves is on the list of things to do at the next working bee. If you are using the kitchen on the main lawn & find no power please advise Paul, Eru or another committee member. We have had issues with people mis-using equipment there & blowing the power. If you see anything else around the club that isn't right or could become an issue please tell a committee member.

## Visitor and Cabins Manager

As discussed at the club AGM we had requested submissions of interest from contractors willing to manage our accommodation & visitors over the summer season. The committee has now accepted in principle the proposal put forward by Brent H & will work with him to confirm the finer details of the contract. Brent will not be an employee of the club or a caretaker. The contract with his company will be for him to manage our cabins & look after visitors.

The club will continue to rely on club members & working bees to maintain our grounds to the high standards members & visitors have come to expect. If you see a maintenance issue or something on the grounds that needs attention please continue to contact Paul, Eru or another committee member.

## Upcoming Monthly Dinners



### Mid-Winter Catered Dinner

**Saturday 30 June 2018**

**\$25/adult**

A wonderful three course dinner, starting with nibbles at 6pm

**Your host Shirley**

To spread the load, Shirley is being assisted with the dinner preparations, however, we ask that 3-4 other members assist with the clean up after each course, and any dishes that need washing, thanks

Fundraising raffle, \$2/ticket

Please book with Shirley, phone 527 8311,  
or email [rdwight@xtra.co.nz](mailto:rdwight@xtra.co.nz) by 28 June and advise any dietary requirements

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**Hurricanes vs Brumbies will be on the screen at 9:45pm**

Special  
treats for  
after dinner

Some further information from our hostess

Kids prices are as per age with under 5's free so for example age 8 \$8.00.  
The menu starts with nibbles at 6 pm  
Followed by a choice of two soups and also a vegetarian soup  
Turkey, ham, a selection of roast and boiled vegetables, sauces and trimmings also a vegetarian dish.  
Sticky date pudding with butterscotch sauce and ice cream. and Eton mess.  
After dinner drinks

## American themed catered dinner



**28 July 2018**

\$20/adult

**Host: Jim B**



Come dress as an American movie star, George Washington, Cowboy/Cowgirl, Elliot Ness, Elvis, Surfer from Hawaii, Hillbilly, yes even Donald Trump if you dare

As with the June dinner we would like 3-4 volunteers to help with clearing tables and washing dishes please

Please book with Jim, phone: 589 2916  
or email: barnes39@hotmail.com by 25 July and advise any dietary requirements

## Pizza & Quiz Nite

with Quiz Masters Murray and Sarah

**25 August 2018**

Tobilo's Pizza Bus have been invited to sell pizzas for the quiz nite. They have agreed but need to sell a minimum of 30 pizzas.

**Please RSVP by 3 August to Constance on mobile 021 123 7577 or email: onepurplefish@gmail.com if you are interested in purchasing a pizza for the quiz nite**

Tobilo's provided lunches for two days at the recent rally on our grounds. The pizzas were absolutely delicious.

Menu for the pizza night.

Ideally we would like members to pre-order which Pizza they want with their RSVP so that Tobilo's know how many pizza's they will be making.

Margherita- fresh basil \$15

Hawaiian - ham and fresh pineapple \$16.5

Vegetarian - spinach, olives and Gorgonzola \$17

Roast Chicken - thyme roasted chicken with cranberry sauce and Brie \$19.5

Chilli prawn - prawns, garlic and chilli \$19.5

Carnivore - ham, Italian salami and home made pork sausage \$19.5

Cheers