

November 2017

The Official Newsletter for the Wellington Naturist Club Inc.



What's on at WNC

Each Saturday Evening **BYO BBQ Dinner**

Gather at the BBQ at 5pm

BYO Food & Drinks

Each Sunday Afternoon **Afternoon Tea** 3pm

Listen for the bell & meet on the deck.

November

Sat 25th **Rally Committee Meeting** 3pm
(all members welcome to attend)

December

Sun 3rd **Open Day** 2-4 pm
Live Jazz on the deck & afternoon tea provided.

Sun 10th **Club Committee Meeting** 1pm
(all members welcome to attend)

Thurs 28th Dec 2017 – Wed 3rd Jan 2018
Te Marua Pioneer Village Rally
(details in newsletter)

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STOP PRESS

Dews Construction will be at the club this Monday 27th and sealing will be done on Tuesday 28th and Wednesday 29th. As there will be lot's of vehicles around please take care if at the club over those 2 days.

Thanks Ken



From The Chair

I as usual often ponder about what a should say and really want to keep it positive but a few things have been sent to challenge me so I will highlight a few. However I will start on a positive note.

Perry has completed the new floor painting in the main ablution block and it looks fab. Thanks Perry.

Lauren has introduced some young keen Naturists to our fold and this is fabulous . May this bring some new vibrant people to our club which is desperately needed. Thanks Lauren and we look forward to new members.

The underground power project is complete as far as installing conduits is concerned. Wow what a big job and I enjoyed working along side "Dews Construction" staff laying all the conduits. Yes a full on 2 weeks but I got through it. They really appreciated the beers I shouted at the end of the week. How can you help? Well throw a bit of grass seed on the areas by you sites and water regularly. I simply can't do everything.

Also if you are at the club please water the areas on main lawn and other areas it would be a great help.

Where is the rain when you want it?

Aussie Brent and helpers including me almost completed painting the miniten courts and it looks great. A bit to do so if you can help great.

The roading project is well on the way and sealing will happen soon?? Not sure when. We paid a little extra to get the area behind the hall done as well.

Thanks to Derek the FAL shower internal lining is complete and walls all painted. Our plumber is coming next week to complete this task. This project is well on schedule. Thanks to Marcel for getting this project moving.

Wow it will be fantastic when it is complete. More work underway as we speak.

June and Jeff are doing great in the gardens planting boarder plants for the rally. Great.

The lawn boys are on their task so the grounds are looking great. A couple of newbies on the mower so spreading the load. Thanks Eru and yes I am trained as well.

Rally is almost upon us so if you want to help let me know.

We are very privileged to have Helen take on the role of treasurer and she is moving us forward into the electronic age. We now have electronic banking and also a new smart phone so we can use BNZ Payclip for paying accounts instantly. We will use this at the rally instead of EFTPOS as this was way too expensive.

Thanks to Ross we are in a good shape. Gee I think I will go out as the President who has spent the most money. Really needed to happen though.

So now to my grumbles. Sorry but it just has to be. Please don't complain about where the power posts are put. There are huge rocks in the way and it is as it is. This is progress so please realise that. We could not continue with our present situation as it is dangerous and inadequate. Whoever removed the signs into the new camp kitchen area well that is not on. You damaged the wall. If you disagree with signs put up by the committee then refer it back to the committee. We are all volunteers.

OK my grumbles are minor but please realise I have spent countless hours at the club doing these projects so my patience can run thin.

You now have a great committee all doing their best for our club. Unfortunately Gavin has had to resign as secretary due to being very busy with other clubs and health reasons. Thanks for your input to date including the WiFi extensions. We are seeking a replacement and do have someone in mind but if this is you please let me know.

Thanks for being understanding.

Your very busy President

Ken



to the following new members:-

Colin from Porirua
Mana (a former member)

We hope you have a long and enjoyable
association with the club.
Also full membership has been confirmed for:-

Melissa G
Michael B
Sam B
Warwick A



The club sadly advises of the passing of Dennis H.

Our thoughts go out to his wife, as well as his
other family & friends.

Rally Committee Meeting – Saturday 25th November 3pm

The Rally Committee will be meeting on Saturday at 3pm. All members are welcome to attend.

Open Day – Sunday 3rd December 2-4pm

Murray will be playing jazz on the deck (weather permitting) and afternoon tea will be on at 3pm.
Please bring your friends.

BUDDIES for new members

If you are willing and prepared to be a buddy for a provisional member then please contact Jacqui. The requirement is to support the new member into the club and offer friendship. The term lasts for the one year of provisional membership.

IT'S OKAY

It's okay to have body art

It's okay to wear jewellery wherever one chooses

It's okay to have body hair

It's okay not to have body hair

It's okay to have facial hair

It's okay to have hair of any length

It's okay to love your body as it is

It's okay to lie as you please

It's okay to be a NATURIST or NUDIST, whatever term you choose

Let's not be judgemental of others lest others be judgemental of us.

Change of e-mail addresses

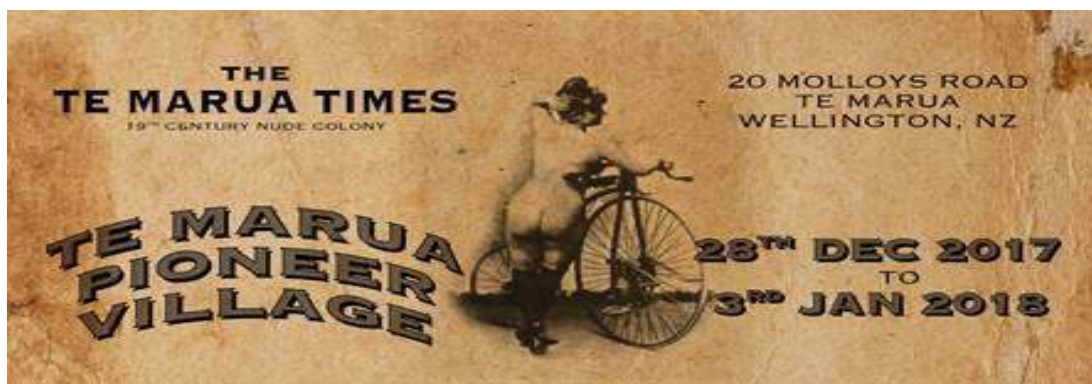
With Vodafone closing down their various e-mail options many members will have had to change their e-mail addresses. Please make sure you have advised Helen or Brent if your address has changed.

You may have noticed in the committee contact details on the front page that some of the executive now have @wellingtonnaturists.co.nz e-mail addresses. Please use these when contacting people about club matters.

Also if my changes have worked you will have received this newsletter from a new address.

Photos taken at the last working bee





Rally Co ordinator: Constance G

2IC: Heidi M

Treasurer & Registrations: Helen T

Secretary: Cathy S

Advisor: Ken M



Every 25th registration wins a prize

Congratulations to Ken W from Waikato being the 100th person to register



Can we make it to 125?

Register on line: www.wellingtonnaturists.co.nz Hard copies are available in the club lounge.

Rally preparations set in place

- ❖ 104 registrations received so far, including 10 children
- ❖ Thank you to everyone who paid by 31 October, the draw for a free rally will take place at the wine and cheese function on 28 December

Programme

- ❖ All events have been confirmed. There will be something to cater for everyone: sports, relaxation, great evening entertainment (opportunity to dress up or down), off site activities
- ❖ A big thank you to those who have contributed to the auction prizes.

Book and pay for the evening Salad Bar by 8 December

- ❖ The salad bar has been very popular. The salad bar will be operating for the evening byo barbecues from 28 December to 1 January (five days for \$20). Please pay by direct credit into the WNC rally account: 02 0500 0465779 001 (insert your full name and 'Salad bar' as a reference).

Cost of events for those not-registered

- ❖ Members not registered for the full rally are welcome for day visits or attend evening functions – please see the attached 'Cost of Events'. Members must book in with Constance by 8 December, particularly for the Wine and Cheese, catered breakfast and dinner.

Team leaders

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| Catering* | Constance (morning and afternoon teas, suppers, salad bar) |
| Registration tent | Cathy (meet and greet on 27 and 28 December) |
| Shop | Jude (selling: bread, milk, ice creams, drinks, meat packs etc.) |
| Bar | Ken (happy hour and evening functions) |
| Hall set up/packup | Heidi |
| Sports | Ken |
| Kids programme | Constance |
| First Aid | Constance |
| Security | Constance |

*Outside caterers will be providing the catered dinner on 2 January, plus food trucks will be on the grounds for lunches. This will take a huge burden off WNC members, more time to participate in sports or just taking time out to relax.

Next Rally meeting – Saturday 25 November, 3pm in hall lounge, everyone welcome.

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