

# Wellington Naturist Club

July 2020

A prestigious club with  
modern facilities and beautiful grounds

Visitors and campers welcome  
Cabin accommodation available

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## FROM THE CHAIR

It's that time of year when we start to think about better things ahead. The spring bulbs are coming into bloom and the days are getting longer. We think ahead on what lies in store for the club over the next few months.

As part of this we can picture a summer with far fewer overseas visitors. However more and more New Zealanders are already thinking about holidaying in their own country, or thinking about what activities they can do closer to home to replace those overseas trips. This can bring opportunities for our club, and I believe we will see an increase in enquiries from those close to home.

We are preparing for this already. The website plays an integral part in how we portray ourselves, as does social media. Michael is already working on further improvements to our website in anticipation of increased traffic. We hope to have Brent back over part of the summer (provided the border is open) to manage visitors and accommodation. This in turn results in new members.

As part of this we need to present our club in the best possible light. Everyone can help by attending upcoming working bees and helping elsewhere. The gardens will need tidying as will a fresh coat of paint in some areas. We are unfortunately in catch up mode.

Another way of helping is to attend the mid-winter dinner on Saturday 25 July. We are expecting a big crowd so don't delay in responding (details are in this newsletter). These events are important not only for fellowship, but as fund raising for the club. The first working bee is the following day and I look forward to seeing you there.

Yours naturally  
Malcolm

## COMING UP

### July

Fri 24<sup>th</sup> **Fush n Chups Nite**, 6pm

Sat 25<sup>th</sup> **Mid-Winter Dinner**, 5pm

Sun 26<sup>th</sup> **Working Bee**, 9am start  
Lunch provided

### August

Sat 8<sup>th</sup> **Fush n Chups Nite**, 6pm

Sat 29<sup>th</sup> **Pub n Grub/Games Night**, 5pm

Sun 30<sup>th</sup> **Working Bee**, 9am start  
Lunch provided

### September

Sat 12<sup>th</sup> **Fush n Chups Nite**, 6pm

Sun 13<sup>th</sup> **Committee Meeting**, 1pm  
All members welcome to attend

Sat 26<sup>th</sup> **Mediterranean Dinner**, 5:30pm  
**plus Quiz Night**

Sun 27<sup>th</sup> **Working Bee**, 9am start  
Lunch provided

### October

Sat 11<sup>th</sup> **Fush n Chups Nite**, 6pm

Sun 12<sup>th</sup> **Committee Meeting**, 1pm  
All members welcome to attend

### Labour Weekend

Sat 24<sup>th</sup> **Hangi**, 6pm

### November

Sun 1<sup>st</sup> **Working Bee**, 9am start  
Lunch provided

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## 'Fush n Chups' night 6pm



Please let Ruth or Constance know if you can organise an evening (eg, cards, board games, pool, movies, etc).

Ruth 027 272 3763 Constance 021 123 7577

**From 1 August this event will be held monthly on the second Saturday of each month, through to summer.**

In conjunction, we are offering members only, a special offer to stay in the cabins:

\* Two nights for \$50 (supply own linen).

To book accommodation email:  
reservations@wellingtonnaturists.co.nz

## Works and Grounds Update

### Security lighting

With winter really upon us, and dinner gatherings underway, your committee has decided to upgrade our lighting around the hall. This has become a health and safety issue. Ruth, our new health and safety officer, is pleased to see this happen. There will be no need to turn on any outside lights' as they will come on automatically as soon as you get near them. There are seven new LED flood lights around the hall. Also the lights at the rear of the hall toilets and spa also have sensors. So do the two-bulb lights at the bottom of the two paths to Lowlands. Please do not turn off any outside lights as they will turn off automatically after five minutes.

### Hall warrant of fitness

We are at present looking at our testing of fire systems including alarms, fire extinguishers and hose reel. This is required to get our warrant of fitness required by the council. We are obtaining quotes from providers to do this.

### Trees around the grounds

We are getting a quote to cut down or top a couple of large trees that are of concern. We are also getting an opinion from an arborist on what we can do to with the silk trees which are cracking the concrete by the pool. I think they may have to go which is sad.

Ken

## MID-WINTER *Christmas* DINNER

**Saturday 25 July 2020**

**Nibbles @ 5:00pm**

followed by a three course dinner with all the trimmings

**\$25/adult**

**RSVP to Shirley by Wednesday 22 July**

**Phone 527 8311, text 021 0267 6493 or**

**email: rdwright@xtra.co.nz**

Either pay online by 23 July or at the dinner

WNC Account number: 02-0500-0465779-000

### Rugby on the big screen

**7:05pm**

**Hurricanes vs Crusaders**



## First Working Bee for this year

**Sunday 26 July 2020**

We will be in catch-up mode: clearing drains, cutting up the last of the wood on the golf course, then tidying up the whole area, clear tree to upper dell, take out pool steps, clean camp kitchen, bring in bbq tables, some pruning, tidying up under FAF ablution block, gardening etc.

And of course a wonderful lunch is included.

Small jobs that can be done anytime:

- ◆ Sweep footpaths, clear drains
- ◆ Clear wandering willie, weed playground and gardens.

I hope to see you all at the working bee. David will be assisting with this.

Ken



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## Pub n Grub

## & Games Night

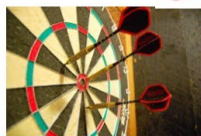


**Saturday 29 August**

**\$20/adult**

**Starting with nibbles @5pm**

**Your hosts: Ruth and David**



A great spread at the June pot luck  
dinner

### Wanting to catch up with what's happening in other clubs?

Our club receives monthly newsletters  
from most NZ naturist clubs.

Let me know if you wish to receive  
them and I will add you to the email list.

Jude

email: [judemercer@slingshot.co.nz](mailto:judemercer@slingshot.co.nz)

**RSVP** by 26 August to Ruth: **text:** 027 272 3763 or

**email:** [r.paske@xtra.co.nz](mailto:r.paske@xtra.co.nz)

Please advise any dietary requirements.

Either pay online by 26 August or at the dinner

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**To the following  
new members:**

Paula and Peter, Kent, Allan, Tory

We wish you a long and enjoyable time at our club



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## A taste of the Mediterranean

Catered dinner

**Saturday 26 September 2020**

**\$25/adult**

Starting with nibbles @ 5:30pm

Your hosts: Claire & Andy, June & Pieter

RSVP to: June by Wednesday 23 September. Text: 027 233 9904 or

email: [junct@xtra.co.nz](mailto:junct@xtra.co.nz) Please advise any dietary requirements

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Following dinner, the very  
popular Quiz Show hosted  
by Murray and Sarah



Check out the new cosy lounge area



## WNC EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE

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