



### Dates for your diary

Afternoon Tea every Sunday 3pm –listen for the bell!

Watch out for Steve’s texts for impromptu events. Contact 027 257 5020 or email:

[steviess69@hotmail.com](mailto:steviess69@hotmail.com) to be added to the group

#### December

**Sat 14th Handle Club visit to Kereru Brewery 1pm (Pg 2)**

**Sun 15th Mini Sports Day—3 Down, Pétanque and Kubb 1pm (Pg 2)**

**Sun 22nd Xmas Raffle Draw 3.30pm (Pg 2)**

**Xmas Day Waifs & Strays BYO BBQ (Pg 2)**

**New Years Eve Pot Luck Dinner, dancing music, ice creams and midnight swim! Special Licence (Pg 5)**

**30 Dec - 5 Jan 2025 NZNF Festival “Come Fly with Us” hosted by Pineglades, Christchurch (Pg 6)**

#### January

**Sun 19th Life Drawing 11am-3pm (Pg 3)**

**Late 2025 WNC 75th Anniversary (Pg 6)**

### President’s Notes



Well what can I talk about this month except we should welcome back all those who have been overseas, and there were a lot of you taking the opportunity to travel over the colder months. It will be Jude’s and my turn maybe next year.

The growing season is here so PLEASE tidy up around your site. If you have an issue with this contact the secretary who may have a solution for you. Unwanted and unloved caravans are not welcome. Six caravans got new electrical warrants recently so we should be up to date now.

Nothing too contentious at our last committee meeting. Only 1 observer so not sure what to read into that? Lots of good stuff coming up on the social front so check it out in this newsletter.

13 members are attending the festival in Christchurch. I was hoping for 20+ but 13 is pretty good. Lets hope we can bring back some medals especially pickleball which many of our members are getting good at. Dress code for playing sports is club uniform. (naked unless sunburn issues or cold and a Tee shirt may be allowed.) NZNF ruling.

Just a heads up we will be celebrating our 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary in October/November 2025 so keep an ear out for areas you may be able to help with.

June and her small team have been beavering away on the children’s play ground. Some springs in the area have been causing issues but hopefully we can sort this with some drainage.

Please no more tree trimmings as we can’t handle any more.

Not much from me this month except to say have a great Xmas and even better new year.

Ken

## Upcoming events

Saturday 14th December—The Handle Club will be heading to Kereru Brewery at 1pm. \$20 per head which includes organised tour and tastings as well a transport. Please contact Steve S if interested - 027 257 5020 or [steviess69@hotmail.com](mailto:steviess69@hotmail.com)

Sunday 15th December—1pm - Mini sports day to include 3 Down, Pétanque and Kubb. This is an opportunity for those heading to the festival to get match ready!

Xmas Day Waifs and Strays BYO BBQ—A chance for Members and visitors on the Club Grounds on Xmas Day to come together and celebrate! All welcome but please note that you are expected to bring your own food as this is not a catered event.



Thank you very much for the kind donations towards the raffle

We are accepting donations up until the raffle is drawn, perishables may be brought on the day of the draw, no alcohol please.

### **TICKETS ON SALE NOW**

Three great prizes

**\$2/ticket, or 3 for \$5**

**DRAWN** 3:30pm 22 December at afternoon tea

Thank you for supporting your club



# LIFE DRAWING @WELLINGTON NATURIST CLUB

Sun 19th Jan  
11am - 3pm

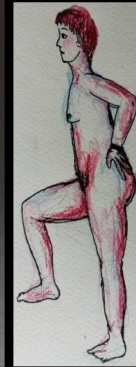
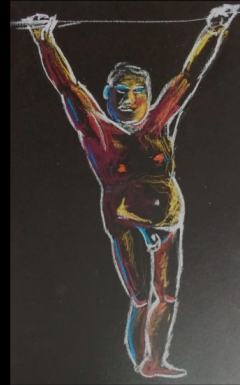
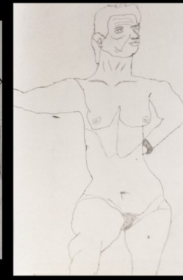
Life drawing with a difference.

You can choose between modelling for the artists,  
or being an artist, drawing the models,  
or - of course - swap between the two.

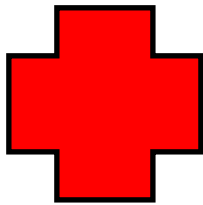
Bring your own art materials, or use what's provided.  
You don't have to be good at drawing - just enjoy doing it.

Some instruction and tips also given if required.

Rain or shine. Join in on creating the art of the nude.



## Important notices



The defibrillator in the Camp Kitchen requires a new battery—it is on order and due soon, but **please be assured that if the defibrillator is required beforehand it is still operational!**

Note that the First Aid kits provided on site are for accidents occurring on site at that time only.

**Access to ablution block FAL**—just a note that contractors will be laying new concrete outside the showers, toilets and washing up areas from Monday 16th December. This area will be out of bounds until new concrete is set. Please use alternative facilities on the main lawn area. Sorry for any inconvenience.



## Firewood for sale!

Please support the club by purchasing firewood. \$150 for large caged trailer, \$75 for small caged trailer. Please contact Mike on **021 599 734** to place an order. Delivery to Upper Hutt area \$20 extra, Kapiti Coast area negotiable



## Around the grounds



Many thanks to the volunteers who turned up to help with the stream clean up and shifting the mulch into the children's play area. The stream water level dropped considerably once the blockages were removed requiring a new feature to ensure the eels have sufficient depth to swim.







***Congratulations to Hannah, Nigel and Alan C on becoming provisional members***



**Get your tickets here!**

<https://nznf-festival-come-fly-with-us.raiselysite.com/>

**SCAN ME**



**75<sup>YEARS</sup> ANNIVERSARY**

WNC will be celebrating its 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary late next year.

We are seeking expressions of interest from members who would like to be part of the planning group.

Please email: [wnctemarua@gmail.com](mailto:wnctemarua@gmail.com)  
(include 75th Anniversary in the subject line please)

## **WNC Executive Committee**

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