

Rangiora Newcomers Newsletter

Ann's News: November 2016

Hello everyone and welcome to November's newsletter. Like me you will have been out watering the garden and the next day covering the frost tender plants, don't you love Spring! But the roses are out and somehow I get the feeling that our step is a bit lighter with the longer days and the promise of blue skies and sunny days.

I must wish all our members who are moving into Ryman or have already made their home there all the very best in their new surroundings, from what we hear its all proving a great success and someone suggested the other day to visit everyone we may need a mini bus and book it for a whole day! We all know how stressful moving can be so when everyone is settled look out as you may get quite a few visitors.

A big thanks to Angela who organised the Doris Day evening at the town hall, about 16 of us went and thoroughly enjoyed a very professional and polished show, for those of us who can recall Doris Day films it was a trip down memory lane, cannot believe this lady is now in her 90's and still providing shelter for animals that have been neglected.

Also many thanks to June and Gordon for hosting our coffee morning, these get togethers are always fun.

Some of you may know that Sylvia has just had a knee replacement and is home resting we wish her speedy recovery and all our other Newcomers who are on their way back to good health.

Well, the festive season is nearly here and just a reminder that in November apart from our monthly lunch and dinner out we also have our last quiz of the year, Steve Bell will be the quiz master so sharpen your pencils and lets have a really good turn out on Sunday 27th November at Richard's.

Just a reminder about our Christmas lunch on the 11th December, if you wish to attend and have not put your name down please do so and drop payment to Angela by 15th November. We have over 30 coming so far, lets get into the Christmas spirit. Also you will note that Sally has invited us all to celebrate the time of the year for morning tea on Thursday 22nd December, just keep this date free our last chance to get together before Christmas.

The last Tony's Chat night for the year will be on Monday 5th December, there will not be one in November, lets hope we get some festive questions to discuss, could prove interesting.

My quote for this month is really aimed at the ladies, who may after reading it think oh I wish and for the males they may just think its a good idea!

EVERY WOMEN'S DREAM IS THAT A MAN WILL TAKE HER IN HIS ARMS, THROW HER INTO BED AND CLEAN THE WHOLE HOUSE WHILE SHE SLEEPS.

Have a great month and take care.

Come in & make some friends

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Weekly Events



Monday's 10-11.30am, International Women's Coffee Group, upstairs at the Town Hall, contact Edith, email intl.womensgroup@gmail.com



Monday's 2pm, Knitting Group, call Jenny for the venue details 0273555375



Thursday's 11am, Chat Morning at The Plough, Rangiora, all welcome



Friday's 9.30am Walking Group, meet at White St Parking area of Dudley Pk, call Ben 310 7799, Allan 313 7365 or Angela 313 1868 for details

This Month's Events



Sat 12th, 7.30pm, Dinner at Nom Nom Kitchen, (formerly Capones) call Angela to book 313 1868 by Weds 9th



Weds 16th, 12.30pm Lunch at The Soda Cafe, Flaxton Rd, call Ann to book 3107191 by Mon 14th



Fri 25th, 7pm Girls Night Out at Sushi Ya Train (formerly Robbies) call Julie to book by Mon 21st, 313 1231



Sun 27th, 7pm Quiz Night at Richard's, 1 Ashview Place. Teams of 4 on the night, \$1pp donation.



Sun 11th Dec, 12pm, Christmas Lunch at John Roy's, \$24.50pp pre pay required to Angela, 10 Koura Drive by 15th November ***Please note earlier notification now required of numbers***

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Richard's Corner: Spring is here and the blossom has been lovely. What famous English rugby club is known as "The cherry and whites" and whose fans will cheer, boo & heckle with the best from The Shed ?



Christmas Trees – volunteers still needed for Weds 14th December, please call Norme 313 4236 ASAP. The Christmas Tree festival is on 6th - 21st December in the Waimak Council.

Knitting Group News - The knitting group have had another successful year knitting for under privileged children from overseas as well as knitting for our own families. A huge amount of wool was donated to the group to be used for the making of garments for children in need, both here in NZ as well as overseas. The knitting group is a very social one and a lot of very diverse topics are discussed along with a lot of laughter.

Breakfast at John Roy's

