

CLUB MEETINGS WINTER TIMES SAME VENUE

APRIL. As normal Tuesday evening

MAY. SATURDAY -5TH Hall booked 1.30-4pm

JUNE. SATURDAY 2ND AS ABOVE

JULY SATURDAY 7TH - AS ABOVE

AUGUST SATURDAY 4TH - AS ABOVE

SEPTEMBER- back to normal Tuesday evenings

Eleven of us had a very enjoyable afternoon on Saturday 17th Feb. at Pam and Davids. It was another HOT day and they had several fans going to keep us all comfortable. As it was Pams 70th birthday two days prior, the afternoon -tea table had a distinctive birthday flavour, with two beautiful cream spongesone with a big singing birthday candle on top! The candle didn't want to sing that day so we all joined in to sing the Happy Birthday song. The "birthday girl" was the first one up to play the very pretty Gold and Silver Waltz, then several others, over the course of the afternoon, played some really nice music that we all enjoy. It was nice to see Owen step up to the keyboard and give us a few tunes as well. Some of us had a look through Margaret's music folder , in which she meticulously copies our many of the tunes she plays... quite a task and so neatly done. We missed some of our "regular afternoons" who had other commitments that day but it was lovely to see Colleen back with us once more.....her usual cheery self and feeling well again. Thank you Pam and David for your hospitality....a really nice way to spend a Saturday afternoon.

CAROLE

February 6th. Club Night

The evening didn't get off to such a good start due to 3 of our elderly ladies tripping over and falling. However as they began to get over the shock all was well again, it could have been a lot worse. It was panic stations for a few minutes. The club will no longer be opening that door by the new stage it will be further down the hall. Everyone else seemed to be in high spirits although there were only 22 people present (rather disappointing)at the pot luck tea. However a few more ventured in around 7.30pm.

The meal was lovely and plenty to go round. There were a couple of visitors John and his wife from Auckland. John played in a style all of his own but very professional. As the evening progressed the music became more outstanding it was obvious we all have a great love of music and it has a way of bringing people together. The old favourites came to life with Maureen playing two very nice pieces, Marion playing her usual toe tapping music and June Guthardt played for us even after her medical issues. It was lovely to see Colleen so bright and breezy after her ordeal also. Warren was his usual bubbly self and played some remarkable music.

The raffle was won by Bobs wife. As time moved on super was served which created lots of chatter, catching up with each other and comparing the evening music. It soon came time for us all to head home after a very interesting and enjoyable evening.

RAE

21st March. Lyn's afternoon. Our afternoon at Lyn's was full of fun and music. There were 12 club members there and 2 of Lyn's aunts. A couple of fun people and they were very interested in the music. Marion managed to adjust the keyboard as the pedal wasn't working very well. As usual it was a lovely afternoon and a great place to go.

Thank you Lyn. I really enjoyed myself, as did we all.

COLLEEN

NELSON ELECTRONIC ORGAN AND KEYBOARD CLUB

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MONTHLY MEETINGS ROSTER

Tuesday 3rd April. Rae Talbot

Saturday 5th May. Margaret.

"Nature"

Saturday 2nd June. Lyn Rankin

"Latin"

Saturday 7th July Committee.

"Polka"

A.G.M. 1.30pm

AFTERNOON. HOST

April. 18th. Need a host.

May. 16th. Jan D. Ph. 5470055

June. 20th. Carole. Ph. 5447407

July. 18th. Need a host.

SUPPER ROSTER.

April 3rd. Gretchen

May Sat.5th. Bob Hancock

June Sat 2nd. Margaret

PRESIDENTS REPORT

Hello Everyone

Autumn is with us all, the beautiful changing shades of the season. Daylight saving too brings its changes and the colder months are fast approaching. So this year In May, June, July and August our Club meetings will be held on a Saturday afternoon starting at 1.30pm. I'm sure you'll appreciate not having to face venturing out on cold wintry nights. I know I will for one. For our April gathering we'll enjoy listening to the music of autumn and music from the shows.

Get well wishes go out to those of your who are not feeling so well.

Warm regards to all.

MAUREEN.

"During a visit to my Dr, I asked him, "How do you determine whether of not a older person should be

put in an old-age home,

"Well" he said, "we fill a bathtub, then we offer a teaspoon, a cup and a bucket to the person to empty the bathtub." "Oh I understand," I said. " A normal person would use the bucket because it's bigger

than the spoon or the teacup" No he said. "A normal person would. Pull the plug. Do you want a bed near a the window.

RECIPE CORNER

Tasty Slice.

100 Grams coconut oil (or butter)
½ cup maple syrup
½ cup dried apricots
½ cup sultanas
½ cup desiccated coconut
1 ¾ cups fine rolled oats
¼ pumpkin and /or sunflower seeds
¼ cup dark chocolate, chopped (optional)
Pinch salt.

1. Preheat oven to 170 degrees c. Line a square 18cm x 20cm baking tin with baking paper.
2. Melt together coconut oil and syrup. Stir in apricots, sultanas, coconut, oats, seeds, chocolate and salt until well combined. Press mixture into prepared tin.
3. Bake for 25 minutes until golden. Cool in tin, then refridgerate for at least 1-2 hrs until firm.
4. Cut into bars.
5. These are really delicious. (I use butter)

This is a birthday cake for a 2 year old



RAFFLE. ROSTER.

April. 3rd. Wayne Price
May. 5th Lyn Simmons
June. 2nd. Lance Walford
July. 7th Audrey McGregor

HAPPY EASTER

