

**PRESIDENTS REPORT**

**Greetings one and all**

We're well into our winter season now and apart from an odd cold spell it's been relatively mild. We managed to fill the small dining room at the Honest Lawyer with 28 members for our mid winter luncheon. We were well fed from their menu and then adjourned to my home for a musical afternoon and of course lots of chat. A very pleasant way to spend a Sunday afternoon. This function was planned at short notice and unfortunately not in time to get into our last newsletter so if by chance you did not know about it then I apologise for the omission. Our Wednesday afternoons have been well filled up to now and I thank those folk who have offered their homes for these times. I know there are some gaps later in the year so if you would like to have one either in your home or the Baptist Church Hall please let Yvonne know ph 5450954.

To those members who are not well we send our best wishes for brighter days. Meantime play on.

**Maureen**

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**REMINDERS**

**SUBS ARE NOW DUE PLEASE**

**Club Keyboard**

Please remember it is the host's responsibility to make sure the Club Keyboard is available for the Wednesday afternoon gatherings, and to make sure it is available on the monthly Club night. If you have a problem with this let Yvonne or Maureen know.

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**Afternoons**

**4th June**

We had a lovely afternoon at Rae's. There were approximately 12 members, and we all enjoyed the music and afternoon tea. Rae just loves having the group and she always makes us feel very welcome. Thanks Rae for a really nice afternoon.

*Colleen*

**18th June**

Just a few of us attended Elaine's but it was still a happy chatty and musical afternoon. She has some lovely paintings which were well admired. Good food as always and lots of music always goes down well on a wintry day. Thank you Elaine

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**1st July AGM** night at the club was really happy and we all had lots of fun during our meeting so nice to have a nice casual AGM night. Latin music was the theme and we didn't here any

tune played twice. Margaret played her piece really nice, and also Carole's tune was lovely. There was plenty of great music. It got a bit cold, as the heaters seemed to go off, but we all enjoyed the evening and a nice hot cup of tea helped us warm up a bit before we went home.

*Valerie*

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### **2nd July**

It was a great afternoon at Brian and Rachel's, I did not do a count but there home was pretty well full. There were two Keyboards in the hall and one in the lounge and they were all put to good use. Also on the table was a xylophone, which Marion was tinkering with and sounded lovely with the keyboards. Good to see Derek there and we had a surprise visitor, "Trevor Wearne" who was a member of our club for a long time. It was so nice to catch up with him again.

We had an amazing afternoon tea and I ate too much but was so good. Just have to do a bit more exercise to make up for the calories. Many thanks to Rachel and Brian.

*Valerie*

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### **16th July**

Approximately 20 folk came to Yvonne's afternoon. It's a lovely place to visit. There were 2 extras, Marion's daughter and I'm not sure who the other person was but I think it was Yvonne's sister. They enjoyed the music and its great to hear Maureen, Yvonne and Warren play altogether. It's like a mini concert. Lovely afternoon tea and I know Yvonne had a birthday next day.

Happy days Yvonne and thank you.

*Colleen*

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### **News Letter notes**

I am still looking for members who attend the afternoons to write a little piece for the newsletters.

Please think about it and give me a ring or just email a note through and I can go from there. It would be greatly appreciated to have some others join in this. You might even have a little story of your own to add and maybe a joke or two. Phone me on 5403288

*Valerie*

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### **CLUB NIGHT MEETING HOSTS –**

<b>5th August</b>	<b>Edith and Owen</b>	<b>Theme "Country "</b>
<b>2nd September</b>	<b>June Guthardt</b>	<b>Theme "Show Tunes"</b>
<b>7th October</b>	<b>Valerie Andrews</b>	<b>Theme "Summertime"</b>
<b>4th November</b>	<b>Brian Sutton</b>	<b>Theme "A Drop of Scotch"</b>
<b>2nd December</b>	<b>Committee.</b>	

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### **Raffle roster**

A small gift around \$5.00

5th August	Warren Fenemor
2nd September	Yvonne Tetlow
7th October	Lance Walford
4th November	Carole Thatcher
2nd December	June Guthardt.

Below is the list of afternoon hosts that we have so far for 2014. Thanks to the members who have put their names on the list.

### WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON HOSTS.

13th August	Baptist Church	Main Rd Stoke
27th August	Cyril Martin	5471487
10th September	Elaine Burgon	5473425
24th September	Waimea Village	<i>Music from 1.30pm to 3pm approx then afternoon tea.</i>
8th October	Corole and Harold Thatcher	5447407
22nd October	Derek and Gretchen Howie	5459171 <i>Ernest Rutherford <u>phone Gretchen</u></i>
		<i>as she needs to know numbers. Ernest Rutherford will be putting on the afternoon tea. The afternoon will be held in the lounge of the main building – just a walk through the main doors and go straight ahead. You may have to park out on the road if there is no parking around the building.</i>
5th November	Valerie Andrews	5403288
19th November	still available	

### PLEASE PHONE HOSTS

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#### Supper Roster                      Please arrange someone to help you with the supper

5th August	Carole and Harold Thatcher
2nd September	Gladys Cresswell
7th October	Valerie Andrews
4th November	Ruth Frost and Margaret Taylor
2nd December	Committee

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#### This months Recipe            try these they are a favorite of my family.

4 cups of flour	175grams butter
2 teaspoons baking powder	1 teaspoon salt
1 cup milk	1 cup brown sugar
Melted butter for spreading	1 teaspoon cinnamon
1 cup raisins or your choice of dried fruit.	

Sift flour, baking powder and salt. Rub in butter, add milk to make a dough.(usually takes more milk than 1 cup)

Roll out the dough and spread lightly with melted butter and sprinkle with cinnamon, sugar and raisins. Roll up and cut into 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>" (4cm) pieces. Place on greased tray brush with a little milk.

Bake 20 minutes at 200%.

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