



Foxton RSA &  
Community Assoc.

*Oct - Nov 2019*



## **PRESIDENT'S REPORT**

Unfortunately there is no President's Report this time as it had not been received at the time of the Newsletter's production.

## **COMING EVENTS**

**WEDNESDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER – Levin 60's up lunch**

– please make these visitors welcome

**SATURDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER – Karaoke with Trev, starting at 7pm**

**- no charge**

**THURSDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER - Friendship services**

– please make these visitors welcome

**SATURDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER – Just In Time (3 piece band) starting at 7.30pm - \$10 admittance**

**SATURDAY 9<sup>TH</sup> NOVEMBER – Karaoke with Nigel, starting at 7pm**

**– no charge**

**THURSDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> NOVEMBER – Foxton RSA Pool Club Christmas dinner**

**As we're getting into the end of year / Christmas season there are no further bookings for entertainment , at this point.**

**Please keep an eye on the Club notice board for any changes.**

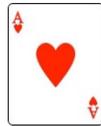
**The lack of support by members for entertainment has been very disappointing.**

**If you want your club to continue to book entertainment in the future, EVERYONE needs to support the events. By not supporting these acts, members are putting future entertainment at risk.**

**USE IT OR LOSE IT!**

## REGULAR EVENTS

**CARDS – are you an**



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Do you enjoy playing cards? Was it your favourite pastime? Why not come in on Friday afternoon at 1:30pm. All sorts of card games are played, from Skip-Bo to Rummikub and now 500. If you don't know how to play these card games, no worries' we will teach you! You're in for a treat come and play cards on a Friday, have a tonne of laughs. We would love to see you.

## POOL ADJUNCT

The pool adjunct has been very busy with home and away games and express thanks to members who turn up to these events and help make the home games even more successful and enjoyable with the plates you bring for the afternoon tea.



Wednesday pool days are still very popular - it is a good place to come to out of the cold! We welcome new players. Just come along and have your name in before 12.45pm and join in the fun.

## EIGHT BALL POOL

8 Ball Pool is claimed to be the biggest & best multiplayer Pool game online! So come and play in a cosy, friendly atmosphere!

This group meets on Tuesday evenings and plays from 6pm.

Please note: This is not to be confused with our current Pool adjunct.



This group wishes to play in Clubs NZ events. The rules are different to those that our pool club play by, but the two codes can co-exist in the club.

## HOUSIE

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If Pool is not for you but you enjoy company and a gentle flutter why not try **Housie**. (sometimes known as Bingo). Wednesday night is 'Housie' night. Cards are sold till 6.45pm. White cards are \$3 each and yellow super cards are \$1.

Some weeks the super house is over \$100! Bring your friends and family, the more people playing the higher the prizes will be. You are assured of a warm welcome.

## DARTS

The Dart's Club meet each Tuesday evening from 6.30 – 9.00pm for competitive, yet friendly games of darts. New players are welcome to come and play and check us out. We also play away games/tournaments and have other clubs come and play at the RSA.



We are a mixed bag of players that range from very good to average and beginners so all are most welcome.

### Upcoming Events:

We have matches pending and these will be included in future newsletters.

**All RSA members are welcome to come along on Tuesday nights to socialise, play pool, have a go at darts or just to relax. There is also a range of trophies to be won annually.**

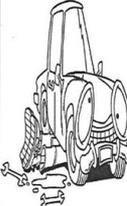
**So whether you fancy your chances or not – come along.**

## TGIF - Thank Goodness It's Friday

Friday night is Social Night! This is the time to wind down and enjoy a convivial drink, a hearty meal and engage in conversation in the company of friends.

An array of raffles are on hand. These include:

- at least 3 meat raffles,
- the President's \$50 prize,
- the 'Door Raffle' and
- the ever popular 'Joker'. Each week a lucky punter, for an outlay of \$2, has the opportunity to turn over a card. If that card is the Joker you win the Jackpot, if not a consolation prize of
- \$10. The jackpot, if not won, gradually accumulates up to a maximum of \$1,000 at which point **it must be won!**



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## A WARM WELCOME TO OUR NEW MEMBERS

Sandra Munro  
Richard Carnachan  
Sarah Annette Wright  
Perry William Davies  
Ian McCracken Allison  
Janet Patricia Allison

Katie Harris  
Phil Harris  
Peter Townshend  
John Monk  
George Townshend  
Roslyn Perry

Roger Manderson

We look forward to seeing you enjoying the hospitality of YOUR club.

Despite this increase in membership the Friday night attendance seems to be in decline.

**Members, please remember, this is YOUR club.  
It cannot exist without your support and attendance.**

## **LATEST DONATIONS:**

Your generosity has been outstanding and so much more helpful than you could imagine! We still have a long way to go and every dollar helps!

If anyone else would like to make a donation please do head on into the Club and talk to the Manager

Alternatively, details for a bank deposit are :  
**Foxton RSA 03-0633-0004159-00.**

Any and all amounts are very much appreciated.

Foxton RSA Women's  
Section,  
Arthur Pine

## **COURTESY VAN**

Currently the Club offers transport to and from both Foxton Beach and the town area. Anyone wishing to avail themselves of this service can phone the duty bar person to arrange pick up time.

Nominally the van runs to a schedule:

Foxton Town, on the hour and the Beach on the half hour.

Cost \$3 each way.



**WE ARE IN DESPERATE NEED OF VAN DRIVERS.**  
**WITHOUT DRIVERS THIS SERVICE WILL CEASE**

**PROVISIONAL MEMBERSHIP IS NOW AVAILABLE AT THE CLUB.**

Provisional Membership gives the applicant a trial period, as a bona fide member, for a period of 1 month, at the reduced fee of \$5.

At the end of the trial period the Provisional Member can apply to become a Full Member and if Full Membership is granted the \$5 fee will be deducted from the Annual Subscription.

Talk to the staff about this facility.

Why not ask a friend to come in and give this a try. They won't be disappointed.

## **THE LOYALTY DRAW**

Thank you to those who support this.

Remember this is run every month for the whole month, you can buy a number individually or as a syndicate, the more who enter the bigger the prize pool. This is a great way to support your club and win yourself some money.



## WOMEN'S SECTION

Congratulations to Gael Tapine, Joan Tinsley and Pat St John on being presented with their long service badges at our recent birthday luncheon. At this luncheon we had a collection of toiletries to be donated to Lonsdale and Riverside homes and, once again, we had a good response from our members. Thanks to all who donated.

Recently we held our Friendship Day, with guests coming from other Women's Sections and had 53 attend. This was, once again, well supported by our members, with our sales table doing well. There was a great selection of raffles, provided by our members, with Bulls and Foxton being the most successful winners. The Nursery Rhyme quiz was popular and had members scratching to come up with the answers, with a member from Bulls getting only 1 wrong. Entertainment was provided by Double Blend from Levin, which everyone enjoyed. This was followed by afternoon tea.

On 26 September we chaired the Provincial AGM in Palmerston North for the last time, as our 2 year hosting period has finished.

In October members are asked to bring along something that has sentimental meaning to them.

In November we have a speaker coming, and then it's Christmas time again, with:

- our members' Christmas lunch being held on Thursday 5 December, and
- the RSA children's party on Saturday 7 December. This is for the families of any RSA member aged 10 and under, with the parent, grandparent or caregiver providing a gift (costing no more than \$20), wrapped and named for Santa to present. A list will be put up on the RSA notice board close to the time for the children's names to go on.:

## FOXTON RSA FAMILY RESTAURANT

The Manager is actively seeking a person to run our 'Family Restaurant' on a regular basis.

In the meantime please bear with the dedicated team of staff and volunteers who continue to produce a range of delicious dishes.

The restaurant is open to members and the public from 5.30 – 8.00pm on Fridays & Saturdays.

**If you know of anyone who might like to be our chef, put them in touch with the Club Manager.**



## **KINDLING**

We have now sold our last bag of kindling, and sadly there will be no more from our supplier, Idea Services (IHC) this year. We hope to do it all again next winter..



## **YOUR NEW EDITOR'S FIRST WORD.**

Hello everyone! My name is Fiona, and I've volunteered my services as Editor of the Foxton RSA Newsletter..

If you spot any mistakes, or if there's something you believe I should do differently, please do give me your feedback. If you send an email to [foxttonrsa@xtra.co.nz](mailto:foxttonrsa@xtra.co.nz), it will be forwarded to me, or you can leave your comments with the manager. I can't promise to include or exclude everything you want, but I do promise to take your comments and suggestions seriously in an effort to make our newsletter as helpful and newsy as I can.

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