



Newsletter

June 2021

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Club night live music

Club nights continue weekly on Fridays, 7-9.30pm Our next club night featuring live music will be held on **Friday 11th June, doors open at 7pm**. This will feature: Robbie Drew

Live music with 7.15pm – 9.15pm

See you there!!!

Special Family Fish 'n' Chip night

Especially for our Friday 28th May club night, starting at 6.30pm, it's our BYO fish and chips, and enjoy the shared kai and dancing. Video from the 2021 Junior nationals will be playing on the big screen, so be sure to watch out for our dancers.

New club night experiences

We are also planning on taking some club nights 'off site', to share and enjoy with others. At this stage there are two events that will replace our Hei Hei experience, one in July and one in October. See our calendar side bar for details. The Hei Hei hall will still be open and available.

2021

28th Friday Family Fish 'n' Chip Night, combined with Club night

June

2nd Beginners' lessons, 7pm

4th Club night

6th South Island Interclub Comps , Kaiapoi WMC, 2pm, followed by a dance in the evening

9th Beginners' lessons 7pm

11th Club night, live music with Robbie Drew

16th Beginners' lessons, 7pm

18th Club night

23rd Beginners' lessons, 7pm

25th Club night

July

2nd Club night

3rd Invercargill RnR Club champs

7th Learn a move, 7.00pm

9th Club night, with our special trip to the Pink Ribbon fundraising night at Woolston Club, Live Music with Les Donaldson (formerly of Th' Art of Cheese)

16th Club night

17th Ashburton RnR Club Dance

23rd Club night, live music with Anthony

30th Club night

31st Club champs , Cashmere Club, Doors open 5pm, dancing begins 6pm

Club Champs

This year's Club Champs are set down for Saturday 31st July at Cashmere Club, starting at 6pm. Details and entry forms will be available soon.

This is also the time when we put out the call asking for the return of trophies from our last club champs. If you are holding any club trophies please return them to the hall as soon as possible.

Club competition medals

Circumstances may dictate that we are unable to source sufficient medals for this year's club champs. If you are holding on to any medals and you feel that you'd be happy to see them recycled, you can return these to the Hall as well. We do appreciate that this will be a very personal decision, so please don't feel obliged to do so.

Interclub Rock 'n' Roll competition

You can still buy tickets for the Interclub Competition here:

<https://forms.gle/i6R5EwZogk7ZBxmG8>

As always this is a wonderful event, with plenty of good dancing to watch and from which to gather inspiration, and plenty of opportunities to have a dance yourself if you are not competing.

Mentoring

Don't forget the new 'mentoring' option in which couples can opt for individual '**mentoring**'. One of our experienced couples will be allocated to you to offer you individualised support to

August

4th Beginners' lessons, 7pm
6th Club night
7th Geraldine RnR Club dance, Woodbury Hall
11th Beginners' lessons, 7pm
13th Club night with Rockbella Duo
18th Beginners' lessons, 7pm
20th Club night
25th Beginners' lessons, 7pm
27th Club night
28th Welcome Spring dance, Cashmere Club, 'Sweet as' from Timaru, 7pm

September

29th Senior Nationals dancers' demo night (Mini nationals)

October

1st Club night, visiting Southern RnR at Woolston Club, live music with 'The Drama Queens', \$3 entry
23rd – 24th Senior Nationals,

November

3rd Improvers' lessons begin, 7pm
10th Improvers' lessons, 7pm
13th Ashburton RnR Club dance
17th Improvers' lessons, 7pm
24th Improvers' lessons, 7pm
28th Allcomers No Jumps competition details TBC

December

4th Christmas Dance, Cashmere Club, Ian Mac, 7pm

develop your dancing as you wish. Note that this is not coaching aimed at competitions, although if you wished for that it could certainly be a part of what you do. Just let Connie or Karyn know if you would like to have an individual 'mentor'.

2021 Committee

Your committee this year is:

Robin Sutton – President

Bev Brash – Vice President

Anne O'Donoghue – Secretary

Connie van Slooten – Treasurer

Committee members:

Craig Blaikie

Jan Halliday

Kalani Halliday

Natalie Lilley

John Rickerby

Colleen Reese

Lorraine Sutton

Karyn Thomson

Hall hours for 2021

Hall hours for 2021 are:

Tuesday 6-8pm

Wednesday 6-9.00pm

Friday 6-9.30pm

Sunday 2.15-6.15pm

Hall fee for training

A reminder that if you are training for competitions you are expected to pay \$40 per couple as a hall fee (or \$20 person), as per the AGM resolution passed in March. As background to this, the Hall Facility hire cost is \$8923.20 for 2021. The hall is available for exclusive practice on Tuesdays and Sundays. A \$20 annual training fee was passed by members at the AGM originally in 2020 and affirmed again 2021.

Membership

Please get your membership renewal completed.

Subscription fees are:

Senior \$40

Junior \$30

Couple \$65

Family \$85

Bank Details for Direct Credit

General Account BNZ Bush Inn Centre 020874 0296279 00