

Newsletter March 2014

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'Spot on 30' Big Birthday Bash 22 March

Many will remember back to the good old days of the Club's **Prebbleton Hall** dances. Whether you remember or not this is one dance you can't afford to miss. It's our **'Spot on 30'** dance. Come dressed in your **spotty dotty** best gear, 8pm at the Prebbleton Hall.

Admission: \$10 an adult, Juniors free if accompanied by a paying adult. BYO (and glasses) and bring a plate for supper.

Music by Mark Robertson and friends

Senior Nationals 2014

This year's Senior Nationals are being held in Invercargill. If you intend going (supporting or dancing), please remember to register your interest for accommodation with Connie as soon as possible.

2014

March

22nd 'Spot on 30' Birthday dance, live music with Mark Robertson and friends, Prebbleton Hall. Make it a dotty spotty night, 8pm

24th Dancing is downstairs at HWMC, with a social club night from 7.30pm

31st Club AGM and special Club Night, 7.30pm

April

5th 'Friends and Family' dance, and our Juniors' pre-Nationals demos, 7.30-11pm, upstairs at HWMC, Adults \$5, Juniors \$2

18th – 20th Junior Nationals in Wanganui

30th Entries close for ChCh Club Champs

<u>May</u>

10th Christchurch Club Champs

12th Remits meeting to discuss remits proposed for the NZARRA,7.30pm, upstairs at HWMC

Training venues

Hornby Working Men's Club

Monday evenings: 6.00pm -10.00pm Hornby Working Men's Club

Kendal School Hall

Until Junior nationals -

Wednesday evenings:

Open training, variety of music slow, medium and fast **6.30pm – 8.30 pm**

Sunday:

Junior Club with Shaun, and Junior couples training, 2.00pm – 3.00pm, Open training for all couples, 3.00-4.00pm, Triples training (couples welcome to stay on) 4.00 - 5.00pm.

New children are always welcome at Junior Club.

Use of both training venues by gold coin at the door please, thanks.

Membership

While membership subscriptions are due after the AGM, feel free to get them paid now.

Adults: \$50 per couple, \$30pp

Juniors: \$20 pp

Family: \$85 (2 adults, 2 children), an additional \$15 per additional child

<u>June</u>

14th South Island Invitational Competition, Hornby Working Mens' Club

<u>July</u>

<u>August</u>

23rd Christchurch RnR Club 'All America' Dance

23rd Invercargill RnR Club Champs

September

October

18th Senior Mini Nationals

24th – 26th Senior Nationals Invercargill

November

22nd – All Comers No Jumps & Christmas dance

Senior Nationals Teams

The songs are:

Senior Team: 'I Beg of You', Elvis Presley

Top Club: 'Darktown Strutters Ball', Fats Domino

Expressions of interest to Karyn by 10 May.

Annual General meeting

This year's AGM is scheduled for Monday 31st March, 7.30 pm upstairs at Hornby WMC. We'd really appreciate your support. If you think that you could put a little something back in to the Club, please feel free to stand for the committee. It's honestly not too onerous.

Future Nationals competitions

2014

Juniors Easter in Whanganui **Seniors** Labour Weekend in Invercargill

2015

Juniors Easter in Christchurch **Seniors** Labour Weekend in Wellington