

Newsletter November 2018

Well this is the final newsletter for 2018.

The year has just flown by and yet another Christmas is just around the corner.

The weather is bleak and I only hope it improves for all the holiday makers very soon!!

I dowish you all a Very Merry Christmas and a Very Happy New Year.

See you in the New year.

Expanding Musical Horizons

Our final meeting for the year was Part 3 of the series "Singing Through the Centuries". We explored the avenues of a capella singing, choral music, music theatre and other vocal forms, listening to vocal works by Villa-Lobos, Karl Jenkins, Maddalena Casulana, Faure, Berlioz, Vivaldi and Mozart."

Gallery Group

We had great fun at Maryalyce's, sharing our favourite piece of Art. It was so interesting to see such a huge range of art and to hear the story behind each chosen piece. Thank you to Maryalyce for being such a gracious host and providing us with a lovely morning coffee/tea.

It was decided to have a Dec. meeting so Peter is hoping to be in touch about a possible visit to Brighton, to go to Janet Crook's studio, on Dec 12th.

Below is a possible programme for next year after a brainstorming session this morning. The dates are totally flexible so if someone can do something on a certain date please bag it and let everyone else know that date is taken.

Possible and Flexible Programme for U3A Gallery Group 2019

Feb 13th Scapes Gallery Caversham (Jane)

March 13th. Timaru Day Trip (Sue)

April 10th. Art Society talk Doug Hart (Maryalyce?)

May 8th. Photography Derek Morrison (Tash)

June 12th. Polytechnic Art Dept. (Paula)

July 10th. Model architecture (Laurie)

August 14th. Woodturning (Peter)

Sept.11th. Basil Hooper Houses (Tash)

Oct.9th. Stained Glass Brian Miller (Jane)

Nov. 13th. Polytechnic Art Dept. (Paula)Waikouaiti Gallery (Sue)

Other possibilities

Toitu embroidery (Jan)

Hocken Behind the Scenes

Museum Behind the scenes.

Jenny Longstaffe Painting techniques.

Group Schedule

December/ January 2018/2019

**Please phone the hostess if you are unable to attend.
Please contact the facilitator if you wish to join a group**

<p><u>Film Group</u></p> <p>Facilitator: Bill Stanford Phone; 027 461 5343 Email; billstanford9@gmail.com Next meeting; Wednesday 16th January 2019 at 1.30pm (Third Wednesday)</p>	<p>Venue: Home of Ngaire Bates 67A Tahuna Road, Tainui Phone; 454 2170</p> <p>Topic –To be advised</p> <p>Group Full</p>
<p><u>Current Affairs - Monday Group</u></p> <p>Facilitator:- Joy Hayward Phone:-454 4996 or 021 150 8387 Email:- joyhayward@hotmail.co.nz Next meeting- Monday 17th December 2018 at 1.30pm (third Monday)</p>	<p>Venue: - Home of Joy Hayward. 195 Portobello Road.</p> <p>Topic –To be advised</p> <p>Please note:- We meet in the Vauxhall carpark at 1.25pm and share a ride up the hill.</p> <p>New members welcome</p>
<p><u>Current Affairs - Tuesday Group</u></p> <p>Facilitator;- Gretchen Kivell Email:-gretchen.kivell@xtra.co.nz Phone;- 473 0031 Next Meeting:- Tuesday 18th December 2018 at 10am (third Tuesday) <u>Expanding Musical Horizons</u></p> <p>Facilitator:- Paul Wheeler Phone:- 476 0462 Email:- wheeler@outlook.co.nz Next meeting:- Monday 11th March 2019 at 10am (Second Monday)</p>	<p>Venue;- Home of Gretchen Kivell 1 Windsor St Opoho</p> <p>Topic – To be advised</p> <p>New members welcome</p> <p>Venue:- Home of Paul Wheeler 5 Roger Street MacAndrew Bay</p> <p>Topic;- To be advised</p> <p>Group full</p>
<p><u>Gallery</u></p> <p>Facilitator:- Tash Hurst Phone:- 467 9747 Email:- tash.hurst@xtra.co.nz Next meeting:- Wednesday 12th December 2018 November at 10.00am. (Second Wednesday)</p> <p><u>Book Group</u> Facilitator:- Jean Roulston</p>	<p>Venue- ? Visit to Brighton to visit Janet Crook's studio</p> <p>New members welcome</p>

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Next meeting:- **Friday 7th December 2018 at 1.30pm**
(First Friday)

Poetry

Facilitator:- Judith Cowley

Meetings and contact details change from month to month.

Local History Group

Facilitator:- Stuart Strachan

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Next meeting:- **19th December 2018 10.30am.**
(Fourth Wednesday)

Venue- Ngaire Bates 67A TRahuna Road,
Tainui,
Phone 454 2170

Topic:- Any book that you have been reading.
New members welcome

Venue:- Changes from month to month

Group Full

Venue;-To be advised

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