



OMANU REBUS CLUB
OCTOBER 2022 NEWSLETTER

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Next Meeting: 13 October 9.30 am at, Omanu Golf Club, 98 Matapihi Road, Mt Maunganui. Please try to arrive by 9.05 am in order to pay for morning tea, to purchase raffle tickets, if you so wish and to socialise. Meeting cost is now \$9 per person.

Welcome: **President - Graeme Wilson**

Speaker: **Mark Whitworth – Cargo Services Manager for the Port of Tauranga.**
Mark will provide an update on recent developments at the Port and he will discuss the issues that New Zealand importers and exporters are currently facing with shipping services disrupted by the world's supply chain. This promises to be a very interesting presentation.

Vote of Thanks: Graeme Wilson

Apologies: **Thank you for apologies received for the last meeting.**

Visitors: We appreciate you bringing visitors to the meeting. If you are bringing a visitor please would you kindly phone **Margaret Clark 5420548 or Adrienne Wilson 5742392.**
Thank you.

Deadline for Apologies: Unless there is an emergency or illness, please ring **Margaret Clark 5420548 or Adrienne Wilson 5742392 before 10am on the Wednesday** preceding the monthly meeting.

Note: *If you forget to apologise we will ask you to pay the \$9 for that meeting, as the club has to pay for the number submitted on Wednesday morning!* So please make sure that if you can't come to our meeting that your apology is with Margaret or Adrienne before **10am on the Wednesday morning before the meeting!**

A Reminder: Please contact **Rose Coutts 5742232 (email: coutts.jim-rose@xtra.co.nz)** or **Margaret Clark 5420548 (email: historynutmarg@hotmail.com)** for any changes to your contact details. **If you are no longer using a landline please let Rose know your mobile phone number.**

Ice Breakers: We are always on the lookout for members to give Icebreakers. If you would like to give an Icebreaker (a talk of approximately 5 minutes) please put your name on the list on the reception table.

President's Corner

Hello Everyone

Well it's nice to have some warmer weather with us.

Unfortunately it may come with a greater chance of variability in the weather, and the wind! It looks like we are going to have warm days ahead with the third La Nina in a row.

Two of our members who are not Committee members, need to be acknowledged for the work they put in, in the background.

Vera Higgie, who helps Colleen Bimler on the raffle table, is always a willing helper when asked to carry out any tasks. She has been helping Colleen for a number of years and she enjoys handing out the vouchers each time. She helped deliver on the mail drop that we did a couple of years ago.

Likewise, Jim Henry does all of the slides with Rick each month to entertain us with his quirky and informative notices.

A big thank you to both of you for the work that you both carry out for the Club!!

Best wishes

Graeme Wilson

Almoner's Report:

Maggie Thomson 5744592

A report will be given at the meeting.

Yours in friendship Maggie Thomson, Almoner

Birthday Coffee Morning:

Sue Rawson 0210600896

October Birthdays: *Shirley Lee, Pamela Thorpe, Dianne Daniel, Margaret Clark, Graeme Wilson, Bernard Cosford, Beverley Webb.* We wish each one of you a very Happy Birthday and would love to see you at **Pacifica, Tara Road on Thursday 27 October at 10 am.** Everyone is welcome.

Knitters and Friends:

Mavis Davidson 5753897

We will meet as usual on **Wednesday 5 October at 10 am at 1 McDowell Street, Mt Maunganui.** Plenty of parking inside. You are welcome to join us even if you are not a knitter, just come and enjoy a coffee and a chat. Please phone me on **5753897** if you would like to join us.

Music Group:

Kirsten Jorgensen 5740250

The next meeting will be at **Kirsten Jorgensen's home, 39 Santa Barbara Drive, Papamoa, on Wednesday 5 October at 1.30 pm.** For apologies please phone **Kirsten 5740250.** Looking forward to seeing you all.

History Group:

Margaret Houghton 5755256

The history group will meet at the home of **Margaret Houghton's, 14 Tweed Street, Mt Maunganui at 9.30 am on Tuesday 4 October.** We will choose a topic on the day. Please come and join us.

Travel Group:

Fay Lauder 5725000

The October meeting will be held at the home of **Sue Rawson, 20 Atlantic Close, Papamoa, on Thursday 20 October at 1.30 pm.** Sue will be telling us about their recent trip to New Caledonia. It is so nice to be hearing that some of our members are beginning to do some travelling again and are able to share their experiences with us. Please phone Sue (**0210600896**) if you are able to come, or with your apologies.

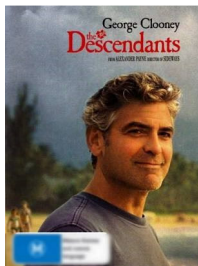
Computer Capers:

Margaret Beckwith 0210477641

Just for this month the venue for Computer Capers will be at **Fay Lauder's home, 6 Reef Avenue, Papamoa at 1.30 pm on Thursday 6 October**. Come armed with plenty of questions for Paul.

RSA Film:

Margaret Beckwith 0210477641



The RSA Movie "**Descendants**" will be held on **Monday 31 October at 1.30pm in the Gallipoli Room RSA Mt Maunganui**. Native islander Matt King (George Clooney) lives with his family in Hawaii. Their world shatters when a tragic accident leaves his wife in a coma. Not only must Matt struggle with the stipulation in his wife's will that she be allowed to die with dignity, but he also faces pressure from relatives to sell their family's enormous land trust.

Wine and Dine Group:

Margaret Overington 5749465

Our Wine and Dine Group will meet on **Thursday 20 October at 6pm at Taste Asian Fusion, 94 Maunganui Road, Mt Maunganui**. A very enjoyable evening was held at the Rain Bar for our September Wine and Dine outing. If you are interested in joining a very lively group please put your name down on the list at the October meeting.

Movie Friday:

On the third Friday of the month, our movie buffs are meeting at the Tivoli Cinema, Golden Sands, Papamoa. Please come and join us on **Friday 21 October at 12.30pm** and choose which movie you wish to see. We will let you know closer to the time which movies are being screened in the middle of the day.

OCTOBER DIARY

Every Monday	1 pm	Bowls	Club Mt Maunganui
Every Tuesday	1 pm	Golf Croquet	Club Mt Maunganui
Tuesday 4	9.30 am	History	14 Tweed Street, Mt Maunganui
Wednesday 5	10 am	Knitters and Friends	1 McDowell Street, Mt Maunganui
Wednesday 5	1.30 pm	Music	39 Santa Barbara Drive, Papamoa
Thursday 6	1.30 pm	Computer Capers	3 Reef Avenue, Papamoa
Thursday 13	9.30 am	REBUS MEETING	Omanu Golf Club, 98 Matapihi Road
Wednesday 19	10 am	Coffee Morning	Classic Flyers, 9 Jean Batten Drive
Thursday 20		Newsletter deadline	
Thursday 20	1.30 pm	Travel Group	20 Atlantic Close, Papamoa
Thursday 20	6 pm	Wine and Dine	Taste Asian Fusion, 94 Maunganui Road
Friday 21	12.30 pm	Movie Group	Tivoli Theatre, Papamoa
Wednesday 26	TBA	The Cave or Walk and Lunch	TBA
Thursday 27	10 am	Birthday Morning Tea	Pacifica Café, Tara Road, Papamoa
Monday 31	1.30 pm	RSA Film	RSA Mt Maunganui, Gallipoli Room

Please refer to group details for further information

ANYTHING YOU WISH TO HAVE IN THE NEWSLETTERS PLEASE SEND TO ADRIENNE WILSON AT: graemewilson254@gmail.com or phone 5742392. Thank you for being so prompt with your newsletter items. Please note: The deadline for newsletter entries is the **20th of each month**.

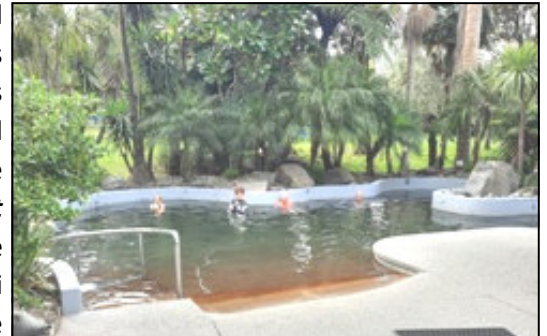
NB: Payments for club outings and subs can be made direct to the Club's bank account – 03-1547-0010549-00. Please put your name and the outing in the reference and particulars fields

Don't forget to buy a raffle ticket as you enter the Golf Club at our monthly meetings. \$2 a ticket or 3 for \$5. Thank you.

Rebus Inc. Club News: We would like to draw members' attention to the Rebus Inc Club News which can be accessed on the website. www.rebus.nz. There is very interesting reading about the activities of the other Rebus Clubs throughout New Zealand.

OMANU REBUS CLUB OUTINGS

Mystery Bus Tour: The weather could have been better and the traffic was far from perfect, but that didn't stop 18 of our members enjoying our Mystery Bus Tour. En route to our morning tea stop at the **Fairview Golf Club**, our driver gave us a tiki tour through Matua and Otumoetai. And the sun did shine at the Golf Club where we presented Adrienne with a surprise Birthday Cake. We then travelled to Waihi where we visited **Laughing Pottery** in Waihi, where Millie demonstrated how to throw and finish a pot. From there we were headed back towards Tauranga, but traffic to and from Waihi was frustrating with long delays in road works around Katikati. This meant we had to cancel our planned wine tasting at the **Leveret Mills Reef Winery** to make it in time for a late lunch at the **Cider Factorie** at Te Puna. Then it was off to the **Oropi Hot Pools**, where three of our intrepid members enjoyed a soak whilst the rest of us sampled their coffee before arriving back in Mount Maunganui at 5 pm. Would you have joined us if you had known where we were going? Then it wouldn't have been a Mystery Bus Tour!



Forthcoming Outings

October: Wednesday 26 October Have you ever wondered what it would be like to experience virtual reality? Does your mind boggle at those television programmes where people are transported to their renovated home or garden? You can experience what it is like at **The Cave** in Papamoa. We can book for a seniors' session where you can play in a group of up to 8 people at a cost of \$40 per person for a 55 minute session. If not enough people are interested in going to The Cave we will meet and car pool and choose a destination within an easy drive for an easy morning walk followed by lunch instead.

November: Christmas Lunch Sunday 27 November at 12 noon. With Daniels in the Park no longer in existence, we have been scouting for an alternative venue for our Christmas Lunch. We are very mindful that inflation and the rising cost of living is a worry for everybody and especially those on a fixed income such as the pension. We have chosen to book the restaurant at Papamoa Beach Village. We will let you know the menu and costs (which should be quite reasonable) at our October meeting.

December: Rotorua with Papamoa Garden Circle Thursday 1 December 8.30 am – 5 pm
Once again we are invited to join the Papamoa Garden Circle on their full day bus trip, this time to Rotorua which will include a visit to Wingspan as well as at least one garden in Rotorua. Cost will be approximately \$55 per person, which includes entry to Wingspan and garden visits. BYO lunch but tea and coffee will be provided at the Ngongataha Bowling Club.