



of Plimmerton January 2016



CAROLYN WALLACE PRESENTING CHEQUE TO ELIZABETH SNEYD - VIRTUOSO STRING

Carolyn's contemplations January 2016

Happy New Year to you all, lets make it a positive, healthy and fun year.

Trust you are feeling refreshed and have had time to relax and unwind. Many of you have tried new things, I know a group of you cycled all the way over the Rimitaka hill, that is fantastic. For me I went out paddle boarding in the light of the moon. An unbelievably beautiful experience. I would love to know what others have done.

We have all sorts of great things planned for this year, starting with the annual Pizza and Plonk on Monday 25th January, Wellington Anniversary weekend.

Then in February we have our District Chair Darlene Westrupp visiting us which is a good chance to hear what is happening with Inner Wheel in our District. Darlene is a mountain climber, quiz queen and a real goer, so that will be an interesting night. Then on the 11th February we have our

annual fun Bowls night with Tawa Inner Wheel. This is always so much fun, not serious and a great time for meeting others.

Holidays are a great time to catch up with reading. I love poetry and came across this one, thought I would share it with you.

I hope that in this year to come,
You make mistakes.
Because if you are making mistakes,
Then you are making new things,
Trying new things, learning, living,
pushing yourself, changing your
world.
You're redoing things you've never
done before,
and more importantly,

Look forward to seeing you all at the Pizza and Plonk in the Reidy's beautiful garden.

Yours in friendship, Carolyn President Plimmerton Inner Wheel

you're doing something.

(Neil Gaiman)





There are still a few of these lovely Christmas angels left over from our party. If anyone would like to buy them contact Carolyn 2331146 or email gralyn.wallace85@gmail.com. They are \$5.00 each.

CHRISTMAS PARTY

We all enjoyed a wonderful Christmas party with lots of fun, fairies, raffles, carol singing, stories and presents.





























GOOD SORTS - Margaret Pine our Almoner.

Many of you will have had a card or a little gift left in your letter box saying that you are being thought of.

Margaret is a very thoughtful and wonderful Almoner, she also is a very willing helper at any fundraiser, especially where cooking is involved.

We thank you Margaret, when times are difficult your kindness is very is hugely appreciated.

NEW MEMBERS



Welcome to our new memebers

Anne Ashby
Chris Torbit
Christine Harrison
Diana Paris
Karen Warner

JANUARY MEETING

PIZZA AND PLONK -

25 January at Ration Creek Orchard - 4.30pm

\$15.00 per head, pizzas supplied, BYO (Invitation to follow)





OUR CLUB DINNER MEETING

We meet the 3rd Tuesday of every month, at Aotea College Library, Porirua

Please remember that if you have said you are attending and are a no show you will still have to pay \$20 to cover catering costs.



MONTHLY SUB GROUPS:

Book Club: 2nd Monday of the Month.. We give a talk each on books we have read in the past month, we don't all have to have read the same book. For more information contact Debbie Howard Phone 2347137

Tasty Tuesday: 1st Tuesday of the month. A group meet every month on the first Tuesday for a chat and a good laugh. They usually meet at Denny's, occasionally at the Co-op. For more information contact Von Groom Phone 04 2934461

Craft Morning: 2nd Thursday of the month. and is held at Diane Robert's home 4 Port Lane Whitby at 10am. Everyone takes along their own project and fun and fellowship is had by all. For more information contact Dianne Roberts Phone 237 8087

Mah-Jong: every Wednesday night 7-9pm at St Mary's Church in Whitby. Everyone welcome and they are willing to teach new members For more information contact Margaret Pine Phone 2346471

Table for 8: Meets 4 times a year.

For those new to Inner Wheel, "Table for 8" is an initiative to foster Inner Wheel friendship while enjoying a shared meal at a members home. Everyone will take a turn to host an evening. It is open to couples and singles, so if you don't have a spouse or he is away or doesn't want to come you can still enjoy the company of others. We meet four times a year; Spring, Summer, Autumn and Winter. The host member will serve the main dish and others will be asked to bring, nibbles/entrée, side dishes and dessert. There will be a choice of three dates, you don't get to attend all three however just let me know what is your preferred date, giving me two dates is even better, so I have some flexibility in arranging your reservation. You may not meet all on the same night but hopefully "8" of you will be able to get together!

This has been running successfully for over a year, if you would like to join us please contact Debbie Howard on 2347137 or debzh@xtra.co.nz with your preferred date.

Keen Cooks and Foodies and Outside the Square - These groups will start again in February.



BIRTHDAY'S FOR JANUARY

Jenny Harris Judith McLay

NICE THOUGHTS:

Always remember you are braver than you believe, stronger than you seem and smarter than you think.

Yours in friendship Brenda





DATES TO REMEMBER:

10th January 2016 International Inner Wheel Day

25th January 2016 Pizza and Plonk Evening

19th March 2016 District Training Day – Palmerston North

28th April - 1st May 2016 IWNA Conference Christchurch Theme "Rebuild the Future"

2th July 2016 District Changeover – Palmerston North

Inner Wheel Web sites are:

http://plimmertonrotary.org.nz/Inner+Wheel

http://www.innerwheel.org.nz

http://www.internationalinnerwheel.org

