



**60's Up Movement of New Zealand Inc**

**Cambridge Branch**

**Welcome to the Cambridge Branch of  
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## **What is the 60's Up Movement?**

The 60's Up Movement was started in 1982 by the late Mr. Bill Sievwright to fill what was perceived to be a void in the social pattern of the country. The Movement started in a small way on the North Shore in 1982 and now, nearly 30 years later, has over 30 branches scattered throughout New Zealand.

It is an organisation promoting enjoyment of life for the older person. Our aim is to encourage them to remain active, lively, contributing members of the total community.

We are independent of political parties, religion, trade unions or any other organisation.

## **How the Movement is Organised:**

The 60's Up Movement of New Zealand is a Society incorporated under the Incorporated Societies Act 1908. As such Executive and Branches have legal obligations especially with keeping accurate financial records and committee meeting minutes.

The day to day affairs of the Movement are undertaken by a National Executive under the direction of the Annual General Meeting. The National Executive is registered as a charitable entity under the Charities Act 2005.

Autonomous branches are formed by interested persons under the umbrella of the national body. Each branch elects its own committee and decides its own programme of meetings and activities. While autonomous, branches are required to operate by the Rules of the Movement.

## **National Annual General Meeting:**

A National Convention and AGM are held each year at a time and place as determined by the National Executive Committee.

## **Website:**

Further information can be obtained from the website:

*[www.60supmovement.org.nz](http://www.60supmovement.org.nz)*

## **CAMBRIDGE BRANCH**

### **General Meetings:**

- Venue:** Raleigh Street Christian Centre, Raleigh Street, Leamington.  
(Behind the Leamington shops). There is plenty of parking.
- When:** The first Tuesday of every month.
- Time:** Arrive at 12.15pm for 12.30pm lunch.
- Bring:** A small plate of food for a shared lunch and a small plate for your own use.
- Cost:** A charge of \$3 per person or \$5 per couple to cover the cost of the venue. This charge also covers a door prize, tea/coffee, printing of newsletters, speakers' gifts and in some cases speakers' fees.
- Name Labels:** Name labels are printed for each member. Please return these after each luncheon meeting.

After the luncheon there is an arranged guest speaker or other form of entertainment. It is a time for getting together and meeting other members.

A newsletter is available for all members at the meeting and this will give information about forthcoming activities. It will also contain other information about what is happening within our Cambridge branch, e.g. coffee mornings, movie outings etc. The newsletter is also emailed to members who have an email address. They are not posted to keep costs down. If you are unable to attend the meeting or do not have email contact Val Easthope (827 6776) or arrange for a friend to collect a copy.

You can sign up and pay for outings at the monthly meeting. Otherwise the newsletter will tell you the last possible date for payment and where to arrange this.

### **How Much Does It Cost?**

The annual fee is \$10 per person. This is due at the end of December.  
See inside.

Various costs for any activities you may attend. *Many of our outings are subsidised through grants from philanthropic organisations.* .

### **Activities:**

Coffee mornings every Wednesday. At present held at Oasis in Duke Street at 10.30am. \$6 for a muffin and coffee. A good way to meet other members in a smaller group.

Interest Groups: Movies, Mah-Jong, Walks, Lunches, Jigsaw Library, Various Outings. Any member can start an interest group.

### **Badges:**

60's Up badges can be purchased from the Treasurer at the General Meetings. Cost is \$4 for a large size and \$3 for a small size. We wear the badge on our group outings.

### **AGM:**

Our AGM is held in May and nominations are called for Officers and Committee.

Feel free to contact any members of the Committee if you have any queries.