



BUS TRIPS

NUMBERS ARE LIMITED TO 46
ALL TRIPS \$40

WEDNESDAY, 6TH MARCH 2024

BOKAY FLOWER FARMS Bus trip to B and P Kay Flowergrow at Ramarama, stopping at Autobahn for morning tea (byo). After the flower show we will enjoy lunch. More details to follow.
This trip will leave Stanley Avenue, Milford at 9am and travel south over the bridge.

WEDNESDAY, 3RD APRIL

Our bus trip for April will be to the interesting historic Hellensville Railway Station and Museum. More details to follow.



Our banking details for paying subs and trips are:

**60s UP Movement of NZ Inc
Takapuna-Devonport Branch
ASB 12-3026-0288202-00**

(Please make sure you put your name alongside payment).

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FEBRUARY 2024 NEWSLETTER

St Joseph's Church Hall
Taharota Road, Takapuna
*All correspondence to be sent to our
Treasurer: Pam Walton,
2 Bracken Avenue, Takapuna 0622*

Be a Friend - Bring a Friend



Writing this newsletter I didn't know what I was going to say. But it has now come to me. I am so pleased January is over. It has been an awful month!

First, we lost Frances Hallford and I am also sorry to say now our lovely friend to all and vice president, Pearl Halewood, has passed away after a long battle. But she's now at peace at last.

Plus two other friends passed away so please no more January bad news.

Welcome February and the rest of the year. I am sure it is going to be a good one. Annette

ACTIVITIES • TRIPS • EVENTS

MONTHLY MEETING:

• **3rd Thursday of the month.**

Monthly Meeting with entertainment or speaker. \$3 which includes morning tea and a lucky door prize. Raffles also on sale. Meeting starts at 10.30am and finishes about 12.00pm. Doors open from 10am.

St Joseph's Church Hall,
Taharota Road, Takapuna.

Vehicle access: 10 Dominion St, Takapuna.

EASY EXERCISES:

• **Thursday morning at 10.30am**

(except third Thursday).

Easy exercises with Pat Roderick. \$3 which includes morning tea.

PLEASE NOTE THAT THERE WILL BE NO EXERCISE CLASS ON THE 22ND FEBRUARY.



LINE DANCING:

• **Tuesday afternoon at 2pm, Birkenhead Bowling Club.**

Further info Elaine Utting. Only \$5 per session.



FILM DAY:

• **Wednesday, February 21 at 10.30am.**

"The Proposal" starring Sandra Bullock, Ryan Reynolds and Betty White. \$3 including cuppa.

WALKING:

• **Tuesday morning at 9.30am**

The walking group is being enjoyed by our members - everyone is welcome. If you are interested please phone Millie McHattie 489 1441 (mobile 021 058 3761) or Nancy Weston 488 0993. We meet at the bottom of Tiri Road, Milford.



FORTHCOMING MONTHLY GROUP MEETINGS

February 15th - Guest Speaker:

Fire safety and safety around the home.

March 21st - Guest Speaker:

The history of the Takapuna Lake House.

April 18th - Scammers:

What to watch out for and how to recognize their activity.

May 16th - Annual General Meeting:

This is our AGM so for this group meeting we will not have a guest, but we look forward to seeing everyone there.

June 20th - Pat Aldersley is an accomplished singer entertainer and has performed in the West End.

VISIT TO WENDERHOLM AND COULDREY HOUSE

Our February bus trip was to Wenderholm Regional Park and a visit to Couldrey House. After morning tea we were left to wander the house with the volunteers giving us information on the history of the house and family.

What a beautiful spot and sad that the family lost their haven when the ARC did a compulsory purchase of the house and land. Some of us then wandered the beach and others sat and chatted.

We then went to the historic Puhoi Pub for lunch where we had a choice of four meals. I think fish and chips was the popular choice. It was lovely sitting outside under the grapevines and chatting whilst we ate lunch.

Sadly Naima hurt her leg and it was a real effort for her to get back on the bus. What a trooper she is. Thank you to all that assisted her.

We then had a leisurely drive back to Auckland.



Scenes from our February bus trip.