



Glenfield Branch

February 2025

Next Meeting Glenfield Leisure Centre

Monday 3rd February 1.30pm

"Thought of the Day"

"You define your own life. Don't let other people write your script" - Oprah Winfrey

Hello Everyone and Happy New Year to you all.

I am taking up the reins after the loss of our President John. May I say a big thank you to all that came to show their respects at his funeral, it was pleasing to see so many of you there. He certainly had a good send off. I hope our year ahead will be a good one with some good entertainers and trips on the menu. Please let us know if there is anywhere you would like to visit or maybe a repeat of something we have already done, as it is getting difficult to come up with ideas, so anything is welcome. Looking forward to seeing you all on 3rd February.

Janet



A presentation by John Pringle who is Chairman and Trustee of Angel Flight as well as one of the Mission coordinators. John will tell us about this nationwide network of volunteer pilots and planes, that may provide free flights to hospitals or specialist facilities for patients and caregivers. Our volunteer drivers meet every flight and provide transport to the hospital, clinic or surgery. We will also hear how much of a difference this service has made to patients and to close, a video covering a mission of transporting a week old baby from Kaitaia to Auckland for Surgery.

Official Logo 60's Up Badges available at the Donation Table - \$7.50 each

DONATION TABLE

Please don't forget your items for the fundraising table.

**Items to donate - metal (not plastic) bottle tops (for KidsCan),
stamps (for Leprosy Mission),
used spectacles (both Adult and Childrens'),
used batteries for your disposal, Home Produce
and Baking which is wrapped for Hygiene purposes.**

February Birthdays

Myfanwy Fulford
Tricia Hart
Fiona Stoneham
Maurine corbett

Rae Bosher
Carole Buckley
Cherry Morrison
Frances Reed

Vivienne Mirko
Jo Morgan
Helen Brider
Kisa Dawes

Next Committee meeting Monday 17th February

ENTERTAINMENT

Monday 3rd February
at 1.30pm

Angel Flight Talk
with pictures



MONTHLY LUNCHEON

**Wednesday 26th
February**

Luncheon 12 noon at

Birkenhead RSA

Phone or Text Gloria on
027 478 5599

SICK FOLKS

For any member unwell,
at home or in Hospital,
please contact
Ann Hornbuckle
so a card can be sent.
Phone **(09)948 3998**

HEALTHLINE

0800 611 116

Free Health advice when
you need it.

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AWAAWAROA ALPACAS

Wednesday 19th February

A talk about Alpacas whilst we enjoy a Farmhouse Morning
Tea made on the premises

Our farm of 14 acres is run by us and we are very passionate and excited about all Alpacas have to offer. Alpacas are intelligent and peaceful animals and relatively easy to handle. With their lovely big eyes and long eyelashes how could you not fall in love with them. We have a herd of over 50 animals, both Huacaya and Suri, in a wide range of colours as we love their diversity.



LUNCH WILL BE AT

HAPPY DAYS - GREAT SOUTH ROAD - WIRI

Book to register your name with Janet as soon as you receive this newsletter or at the meeting on the 3rd February. Pay \$45 online prior to the trip or when joining on the bus have the correct money in an envelope with your name on it.

If you would like to pay online please pay into 12-3072-0809697-00. This is for TRIPS ONLY.

Please ensure sufficient reference is included in your payment.

Pick up Points 9.00am Verrans Corner / Gatman / The Orchards / Peach Road

9.15am Hall Road / Glenfield Shops

9.30am Sunnybrae / AUT

Contact: Janet (09) 444 4674 (021 135 9788) or Doris (09) 415 9611 (021) 297 2229

On behalf of Grandparents Raising Grandchildren Trust NZ, I want to extend our deepest gratitude for your generous donation of Christmas gifts this year.

Your thoughtfulness and kindness truly embody the spirit of the holiday season, and your support will bring joy and hope to so many children in need. Thanks to your generosity, many children will experience the magic of Christmas morning with gifts under the tree and their families will feel a sense of warmth and community this holiday season.



**GRANDPARENTS
RAISING
GRANDCHILDREN**



On behalf of The Salvation Army Glenfield Community Ministries, please accept our sincere thanks for your generous donation to our Foodbank.

At The Salvation Army our mission is to care for people, transform lives and reform society. Without your kind assistance, this would not be possible. We know that your very generous donation will make a difference to those who will receive a parcel as a result.

Our thanks to

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