



**LEVIN BRANCH  
NEWSLETTER  
MEETING ON  
24 AUGUST 2026**

**WELCOME!** To all new members

**Meetings:** Held on 4<sup>th</sup> Monday of the month, Hudson Room at the **Levin Cossie Club**, 47-51 Oxford St. Meeting starts at 10am Door Prize, Entertainment, Speakers, Morning Tea and Trips.

**PLEASE do not forget to sign in.**

**Entry fee** \$2 includes door prize cuppa/eats

**RAFFLE**

This month 3 draws \$25, \$15 & \$10 voucher  
3 tickets for \$5 or a single ticket for \$2 each.

**JULY PRIZES**

Door Prize Jan Cook

**RAFFLE**

1<sup>st</sup> Ruth Rawlings

2<sup>nd</sup> Roger Kusabs

3<sup>rd</sup> Margaret Heather



**BUS RAFFLE**

Carolyn Pinder and Avis Barrie

**SUBSCRIPTIONS:**

Yearly subs are \$20 (not due until February next year) we have 95 members and welcome any new members.

**THIS MONTH'S GUEST SPEAKER**

Horowhenua Community Law

**MEMBER SPEAKER THIS MONTH**

**MEMBER SUPPORT:**

**Loreeca O'Donnell** is our Member Support person

Please contact her on

**02904550319** if you know of a member who is sick or hospitalised



**THEME THIS MONTH**

Wear something **Yellow** for daffidol Month, with prizes for 3 people.



**PRESIDENT CORNER**

Spring has almost sprung, Daffodils out and Freesias in bud. Days longer & warmth coming.

It was great to see so many creative and colourful hats, and we would like to thank everyone who took the time to join in and make the day such a success.

On reflection, we realise we should have acknowledged the effort members put into supporting the theme. To show our appreciation, I have chosen three people who will each receive a wee prize at our next meeting. Hoping this will inspire enter I to the spirit of themes to come.

I believe our harbour trip to Days Bay was a great experience. Being on the 1<sup>st</sup> electric boat in service in NZ. The crossing was a bit cold for some, but very smooth. A great lunch at the Petone Workingman's Club and to finish off at California Gardens.

**THE CHEAPEST FACELIFT IS A SMILE.**

**XMAS RAFFLE 2026:**

The Committee is again asking that you bring along a grocery item EACH MONTH until October. We hope to have several bags of goodies to raffle at our Christmas meeting in November. Items that you can buy in the supermarket other than food are acceptable. Please, no out of date labels and preferably not baked beans or spaghetti.

**The proceeds of this raffle will go towards our Christmas Lunch**

**DONATION TABLE:**

Thanks to the people that turned up with lots of baking last month. All money going to the Horowhenua Health Shuttle, Please continue to support this wee fundraiser.

Marjorie / Karilea



**PROJECT UPLIFT**

We are still accepting Bras (for women in the Pacific Islands) as one of our community projects



## BUS TRIP 9<sup>th</sup> September 2026

Departing from long-term carpark at 8.30am.

Subsidised by \$5 so cost to **members \$35**



Departing from long-term carpark at 8.30am.

Woodville for morning tea

Waipukarau to the Taniwha Daffodils, lunch,

Norsewood, wool shop and look around

Depending on time we have a couple of other stops up our sleeve 😊

Hoping to be home by 4.45pm

## OUR BANK ACCOUNT WESTPAC

60s Up Movement Levin

03-0667-0257429-00 to pay online

Please ensure you include your reference details when you deposit funds

Ref. - your name Details - Bus Trip or Subs Trip Rules

To clarify people going on Bus Trips Members will always take priority over non-members. Names will be taken on monthly meeting days or if you can't make the meeting your name can go on the waiting list. If there are seats available after the meeting non-members will be able to book a seat at extra cost. Cancellations must be made before 12 noon on the Monday of the trip. This will ensure you get a refund.

## SOCIAL MORNING TEA:

Hi all, a reminder that morning tea at the 'Bush Street Café on Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> of August at 10am

Next Month 17<sup>th</sup> September will be at

See you there, Karilea



## NEXT MONTH'S SPEAKER

Brylee Knowles - Cancer Society

## THEME NEXT MONTH

TIE'S your best, favourite or just a tie



## OPERATUNITY

There are only 2 more concerts this year. I'm now taking bookings for 'Lets Twist Again' on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> October \$40 (Covers booking fee plus courier). \$10 to the driver.

The last show for 2026 is on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> November 'Have yourself' a Merry Little Christmas. Bookings will be open in September.

Book at the 60s Up meeting or by phoning Margaret 021 254 3605

## Theatre bank account

Kiwibank **38 9025 0218496 00**

Include your name and the name of show.

[maggieh11328@gmail.com](mailto:maggieh11328@gmail.com).



## YOUR 2026-27 COMMITTEE:

### President:

Hank Ankings 022 582 6686

### Secretary:

Pam Halliday 021 112 9819

### Treasurer/Membership:

Sue Scrimshaw 021 230 5354

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**All Committee Members responsible for: Speakers & Entertainment and Bus Trips Committee:**

Rita Benefield 027 303 1717

Vivien Davis 027 354 3462

Marie Donnelly 021 0258 2852

Marjorie Empson 06 368 0696

Loreeca O'Donnell 029 0455 0319

Roger Kusabs 021 0257 6338

### Member Support:

Loreeca O'Donnell 029 0455 0319

### Social Morning Tea:

Karilea Chasland 027 353 4362

### Donation Table:

Marjorie/Karilea



## NATIONAL 60S UP MOVEMENT WEBSITE

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

## FACEBOOK PAGE (Pam Halliday)

[60s Up Movement, Levin Branch](#)

## NEXT MONTHS' MEETING

10am Monday 28<sup>th</sup> 2026