



## 60s Up Movement of New Zealand ( Inc.) Browns Bay Branch Newsletter Oct/Nov 2026

### Committee

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A warm welcome to all our members, new members, and guests. It's great to have you with us.

This year seems to have gone very quickly and we are now counting down the days till Christmas. It's great to see the spring growth as well as the longer days.

*"The pleasures of spring are available to everybody and cost nothing."  
– George Orwell*

Apologies for the lateness of this newsletter

Assistance with hall setup from 8:15am on General Meeting mornings would be appreciated.

We are still very much in need of someone to take on the role of Entertainment Officer Please see Fiona if you are able to help.

**Christmas Baskets and last General Meeting** The last meeting for the year will be 23rd Nov. We would like everyone to bring a plate of food for our special morning tea (Paper or disposable plates are ideal – it saves your valuable plate getting lost or broken and it makes cleaning so much easier.

At this morning tea we also have our very special Christmas basket raffles. Margaret and her team work very hard to put these together. **Please help them by bringing along one or two items to put into these baskets at our OCTOBER meeting. Suggestions – Christmas treats, tinned fruit, biscuits, tinned fish, tea, coffee, jellies, jams, pickles etc. Things you'd like to win.** (please no expired food or tins of baked beans or spaghetti)

**If you arrive late** to the monthly meeting, please pay your \$2 at the membership table.

## Dates for your Diary / Calendar

**1<sup>ST</sup> Monday in each month COFFEE MORNINGS**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Monday of each month COMMITTEE MEETING.**

**3<sup>rd</sup> Monday in each month TRIPS (pick up 9.30)**

**4<sup>th</sup> Monday in each month GENERAL MEETING.**

## Event Details

**5<sup>th</sup> Oct** – The Coffee Club, Browns Bay. Join us for coffee/tea and a chat. 10am

**12<sup>th</sup> Oct**– 60's Up Committee Meeting. 1pm

**19<sup>th</sup> Oct** – Lavender Farm – Coatesville. Lunch at Bee Keepers Wife (1<sup>st</sup> pick up Gordon Ave 9.30)

**(Please wear your name tag)**

**26<sup>th</sup> Oct** – 60's Up General Meeting, 10am our entertainment will be Alan (singalong Oldies but Goodies.)

**(please wear your name tag)**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Nov**-The Coffee Club, Browns Bay. Join us for a coffee/tea and a chat.10am

**9<sup>th</sup> Nov**– 60's Up Committee Meeting. 1pm

**16<sup>th</sup> Nov** –Ryders with a Christmas movie and Lunch (1<sup>st</sup> pick up Torbay 9.30)

**23<sup>rd</sup> Nov**– 60's Up General Meeting, 10am. Entertainment –Steve Dale (singer)

**(please wear your name tag)**

## Reminders

To help us keep everything running smoothly, please note the following:

- **When paying online for a trip**, remember to include **which trip** the payment is for.
- **Payments must be made before the 7th of the month** so we can confirm numbers and secure the venue.
- The correct name for our account is: **60s Up Movement of New Zealand Inc. Account number: 01-0121-0118064-00** It should be shown next to our account number from now on.
- Please **inform Leslie at the General Meeting** if you intend to come on the trip, and let her know if you are paying on online.
- ***\*Please remember to wear your name tag with details of contact numbers in case of an emergency both on trips and at our General Meetings.***

## Grandma's House Rules

Seven-year-old Lily spent the weekend at Grandma's house.

On Sunday evening, her mum asked, "Did you help Grandma with anything?"

"Oh yes," Lily said proudly. "I helped her eat the biscuits, I helped her finish the ice cream, and I helped her stay up past my bedtime watching old movies."

Grandma smiled. "It's amazing how helpful children can be."

Lily nodded seriously. "I'll come back next weekend if you need more help."