



FEILDING 60'S UP BRANCH
OCTOBER 2026 Newsletter

Monthly meetings are held at Bowls Feilding on the 3rd Monday of the month. Entry fee is \$3.00 per member. Please bring the correct change where possible. Membership is open to residents of the Feilding and immediate surrounds only.

Presees Prattle

Greetings everyone

It seems that the bus trip to Norsewood and Dannevirke was an enjoyable event according to the comments I heard. And the next trip is already fully booked so it is very pleasing to see the high level of interest in our bus trips.

Our meeting this month is our annual birthday special with a cake to be cut and shared and entertainment provided by songstress Tracey Bailey. That will be followed by a scrumptious afternoon tea to be enjoyed by all. That's all for now, see you on the 19th.
President Vallis

September Attendance – 78

Raffle – \$109.00

Sales Table - \$25.00

MEETINGS

October 19th – 1.30pm

34th Birthday Entertainment Tracey Bailey & catered afternoon tea.

November 16th – 1.30pm

John Coleman - St Johns
Watch Operations Manager

Trip November 23rd Wellington \$45.00

Leave at 8.00am Stop off at Salt & Pepper café for comfort stop or coffee – 30 mins (own cost) Wellington ferry to Days Bay (bring your gold card) If you do not have a gold card the cost is \$17.00 Lunch at Upper Hutt Cossie Club. Stop at Lewis farm shop on return (Ice Cream?). Return at approx. 4.30pm (Ferry not suitable for wheelchairs) Fully booked. A waiting list is available but currently has several on the list.

Please register with Gayle before entering the bus

Christmas Lunch \$45.00 December 7th

Manawatu Marine Boat Club Foxton – Fully booked a waiting list is available

PLEASE, NO PAYMENTS for bus trips until you ensure you have a seat on the bus. To book a seat contact Gayle Clinton first,

*When paying for a trip or function in cash please place the **correct amount**, your name and what trip the money is for written on the envelope.*

OCTOBER Meeting Wear something pink for Breast Awareness month in October & Dementia in September. There will be a donation box if you wish to make a donation. The donation will be shared between the two organisations. The container will be at the sign in desk.

The next Operatunity Show is 'Have Yourself a Merry Little Christmas' on Wednesday 2nd December. Please let Jill know early if you are wanting to go, to enable her to book seats as it is a popular show. She will need the money no later than our meeting on 16 November. Thanks Jill 027 569 9596.

If you don't receive a newsletter either by email or delivered contact Secretary Lesley

Subscription & Trip etc Payments

Members can make online payments for subscriptions, trips etc Cash still required for door charge, raffle tickets & sales table. Account Name: Feilding 60's Up Movement Cash will still be accepted. Account No: **03 0626 0639746 00** – put reason for payment in reference.
New members please complete a new member form and give to Kathy Smith

Walking Group: Meet Wednesday Mornings at 9am. Members interested contact Shirley Cranston 323 4004 or Gayle Clinton 022 166 8529

Ten Pin Bowling: 1st Thursday of each month. Members interested Contact Shirley Cranston 323 4004

Donation Table: Our Donation table welcomes gifts, produce and baking. Thank you for your support.

Welfare: We extend condolences to members who have lost loved family members recently. Gayle Clinton is our Welfare Officer. Please contact Gayle if you know of a member who is sick or hospitalised 241 8141 / 022 166 8529

MEMBERSHIP: If you are moving, resigning, changing your phone number please contact treasurer Kathy Smith 021 357 434 or email mewanderer1@gmail.com

COMMITTEE

President	Vallis Peet	027 424 2467
Vice President (TBC)	Ian Gilchrist	027 491 6399
Secretary & Newsletter/Door	Lesley England	027 242 8772
Treasurer	Kathy Smith	021 357 434
First Aid kit, speakers, trips, lunches	Ian Gilchrist	027 491 6399
Trip Payment List/ Welfare	Gayle Clinton	241 8141 / 022 166 8529
Donation Table	Alison Mudgway	021 214 2149
Raffles/Birthdays	Alison Binns	323 8883
Trips	Ian Gilchrist	027 491 6399
Afternoon Tea	Barbara Flannagan	027 379 4894
Afternoon Tea	Rosalie Stead	323 5724 / 021 066 5522
Afternoon Tea / Door	Pat Williams	323 6120
Non committee Helpers	Penny, Raewyn, Margaret, Lois	

Christmas Raffles: In October & November we will still be collecting non perishable items for the raffles. We thank members for your donations

4 members on the Dannevirke trip at –
Upper Norsewood enjoying a coffee & a
chat.



Focus is the national 60's Up magazine
with information from other clubs
throughout NZ etc Focus is now only
available online due to printing cost The
website is

www.60supmovement.org.nz.

Feilding's 60's up newsletters are also
listed here as well along with other
clubs' newsletters.

My husband caught me
sucking in my tummy
while standing on
the bathroom scale.
"Ha!
That's not gonna
help!" he laughed.
Actually, it does – it's the only
way I can see the numbers. 😊

**A woman was found guilty in a traffic
court, and when asked for her
occupation she said she was a
schoolteacher. The judge rose from the
bench. 'Madam I have waited years for
a schoolteacher to appear before this
court'.**

**He smiled with delight. 'Now sit down
at that table and write I will not run a
red light 500 times'.**