

Newsflash

To SeniorNet and U3A Members

Welcome all to a New Year of further learning about your favourite electronic devices and your U3A chosen activity of interest to you. We hope you had an enjoyable festive season and are looking forward to getting back to a little more routine in the coming year.

The **SeniorNet Term 1** commences on **Monday 12 February** with things being a little different in terms of how our activities are listed.

As you know, we now have an association with **U3A** and as such SeniorNet's contributions are detailed in U3A's

List of Activities

now uploaded to our website and also attached to this Newsflash.

Please note the **Genealogy Workshop** starts earlier on **Thursday 1 February from 10am to**12pm at Arohanui Church 81 Middle Road Havelock North.

For those interested in **Genealogy**, even as beginners, you are welcome to come along and see what it is all about.

There are several tutors on hand to guide you in the right direction and get you involved in researching your family's past. The session is informal, relaxed and very interesting.

I encourage all members who have not experienced what is involved with **Genealogy** to give it a go. You may well find yourself **hooked!**

The **Genealogy Workshop** is held on the **first Thursday of each month** during the year.

As well as assisting with your technical problems on **Monday Drop-in afternoons** we intend to include several other activities on these Mondays. These will be advertised in our **Weekly Programme Reminder** throughout Term 1.

Important upcoming dates to note in your **electronic** diary or you **pen and paper** version are as follows:

U3A Annual General Meeting on Thursday 15 February 2024 at 10.00am at the Function Centre Havelock North

SeniorNet Annual General Meeting on Monday 25 March 2024 at 1.00pm at Arohanui Church 81 Middle Road Havelock North

U3A Groups for 2024

If any of the activities below interest you please contact **Trish Loye** by phone 878 5920 or by email pals.bkh@nowmail.co.nz for further information and to enroll in any of these activities.

GN	Activity	Coordinator	Contact	Time
1	Art Interest	New coordinator required		
2	Astronomy/ Planetarium	Andrea Arthur	211 6567	Thursday after 2nd Wed 1.30 Napier
3	Windows Computer Help sessions, questions and answers	Norris Kenwright & Margaret Buckley	877 8412 Norris 844 6393 Margaret	Times to be arranged
4	Cinema Visits	Trish Loye	878 5920	2nd Tuesday Event cinema HN
5	Classic Music	John Lovatt	877 8777	1st Tuesday 1.30
6	Contemporary NZ Art	New coordinator Required		
7	Cycling	Ross McLean	027 605 2908	2nd & last Wed of month 9.00
8	Discussion	Diane Oliver	021 078 6032	3rd Tuesday 9.30
9	Economics	Richard Peach	870 6030	3rd Friday 9.30
10	Historic Houses & Gardens	Robyn Holman	877 4133	3rd Monday 9.30
11	Garden group	Laurel Collins	877 9789	2nd Thursday 1.30
12	Rocks & Minerals of the world for beginners	Norris Kenwright	877 8412	2nd Tuesday of month 10.30
13	Geography	New Coordinator Required		
14	iPad / iPhone	Beryl Grayling	021 260 5144	One to one sessions
15	Jazz & Rock Appreciation	Mike Malone	877 8332	3rd Monday 1.30
16	Looking at Art 1	Tina Van Der Molen	877 9122	Wednesday every two weeks
17	International Lunch Group	Diana Arnold	0211 523755	2 nd Friday 12-30 pm
18	Lunch Group 1	Heather Coates	877 9387	2nd Wednesday of month 12.00
19	Lunch Group 2	Trish Loye	878 5920	3rd Tuesday of month 12.00
20	Lunch Group 3	Joan Sye	876 9380	1st Wednesday of month 12.30 pm
21	Lunch Group 4	Rosemary Duff	877 0257	1st Friday of month 12.30

22	Mah Jong	Jocelyn Grant	873 8439	Every Tuesday 1.30 HN Bridge Club
23	Meteorology	Ross McLean	027 605 2908	Last Thursday of month Hastings City Art Gallery
24	Philosophical Studies	Graeme Davidson	877 6749	Every 2nd Wednesday 10.00
25	Planes, Trains and Autos	Peter watt	0212830377	3 rd Friday of the month at 10.am
26	Poetry Appreciation	Carole Dallimore	877 1137	2nd Monday of month 10.00
27	Remarkable People	Warren Petrie	021 778566	3rd Thursday of month 2.00
28	Rummikub	Val Galbraith	876 6597	Every Friday 1.30 HN Club
29	Scrabble	Joan Sye	876 9380	1st & 3rd Fridays 2.30
30	Shakespeare with Ken Keys	Joan Sye	876 9380	Thursdays 10.30
31	Singing for fun	Carolyn Woon	878 6742	2nd & 4th Mondays of month 2.00
32	Theological Issues	Graeme Davidson	877 6749	Every 2nd Tuesday 10.00
33	Travel experiences	Chris Phillips	027 666 9692	3rd Wednesday 10.00
34	Writing for grandchildren 1	Laurel Collins	877 9789	4th Monday of month 9.30
35	Writing for grandchildren 2	Mary J Percy	877 8554	4th Monday of month 9.30
36	Writing for fun 1	Colleen Smith	877 7688	2nd & 4th Fridays 10.00
37	Writing for fun 2	Chris Phillips	027 666 9692	2nd & 4th Thursday of month 10.00
38	Making a Photo Book SeniorNet	Marion Crawford	022 181 7542	Course times to be arranged
39	Genealogy Workshop SeniorNet	Gillian Allison	870 0957	Thursday 10am 1st of the month
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41	IPad special interest group SeniorNet	Beryl Grayling and Jenny Scott.	021 260 5144	First Saturday of month 2 pm
42	Drop-in Afternoons Mondays in term time.	Help, questions & solutions to all your technical problems	022 181 7542	1.00 -3.00 pm Arohanui Church 81 Middle Rd. H.N.
43	SeniorNet Retaining your Driver's	To be arranged	844 6393	Early in 2024
44	License. Apple smart phones SeniorNet	lan Brown	021655288	1 st Mondays in the Month 10-12 am