
Weekly Update for 7th October 2024

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Our Purpose - To Sustain or Enhance Members' Mental Health and Wellbeing.

[Tuesday Talk Oct 1st](#)

Pinball Machines with Grant Sewell....the Movie ([click the pic](#))



Last week we took a deep dive into the world of pinball machines in NZ with an owner/player ranked 250th in the world. Meet the women's World Champion Pinball player and visit a man with 100 pinball machines in his shed. If you missed the presentation, you should watch the movie. If you were there, enjoy it again.

Grant would like to invite any member interested, to join him in playing on the largest private collection in NZ on **Sunday 27th October in Pukekohe**. Play for a couple of hours (or all day if you want). Just \$35. If we get enough numbers we'll organize group transport. Please contact Grant (021) 455 748

or sewell.grant@gmail.com to register your interest.

Next Tuesdays Talk Oct 8th

Giftng a Taonga. Part 2. By Don Morrison



This is a follow-up to the previous talk Don gave on the story of a special Maori carving. This time it's about gifting the carving to Gisborne Museum and the follow-up trip up as far as Hicks Bay on Highway 35.

Tuesday Talk Oct 15th

Hasita will talk about his work at the United Nations

Tuesday Talk Oct 22nd

Sarah Thorne from Digital Seniors will talk about ways that technology can help you to enjoy a vibrant and empowered retirement.

She will also introduce The Digital Seniors Tech Expo. A one-stop shop for everything you need to live an empowered retirement with technology!

Try out the latest and best in products designed to support you to live an active, healthy, and connected lifestyle.

Projects

Restored Carving



We received some damaged carved panels from what appeared to be a door on a building site. They were rescued because of their quality and handed to the shed to restore and sell. Stephen Petterson volunteered to take on the project and cleaned and framed these unique carvings. Then we listed them on Trademe and to our surprise the son of the carver successfully bid and won them. For our effort, some welcome dollars went into the kitty to cover the running of the shed.

A great outcome for all. Thanks, Stephen.

Halloween is coming Thu, 31 Oct 2024

Bernie is looking for some blokes to host our games at the Glendowie Community Centre.

Put your name down NOW!

Mark your Project, Or it's BINNED!!!



At the recent SMC meeting, we agreed that at every bimonthly **shed cleaning day**, any materials hanging around benches or on work storage shelves that do not have a member's name and date on them will be tossed in the bin. Also, any items with a date older than 3 months will be tossed in the bin. As you all know we are strapped for useable space at the shed. Please take your work home if it's totally or partially in the process of being fabricated.

Our Website has some New Features.

We are building a scannable photo history of shed activities.
Go to our [EVENTS PAGE and click on 2024](#) to see us doing our thing.

And on our [NEWS PAGE](#) we are now archiving the email newsletters so anyone can see what we get up to in the shed.

Just click on the page titles to see them.

Thanks to **David Levin** for looking after our website.

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[Kaipatiki Project Annual Plant Sale](#) [HERE](#)

[Next BBQ Tuesday, October 8.](#)



Mal's Corner

Believe it can be done – believe YOU can do it.

When we resent someone – they live rent-free in our head.

Experience is the comb that nature gives us when we're bald.

Orson Welles talks Sherry

Just click the image.



ENJOY YOUR WEEK!

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