



**OMANU REBUS CLUB  
JULY 2024 NEWSLETTER**

**President - Sue Rawson (Ph 0210600896)**

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**Website: [www.rebus-omanu.nz](http://www.rebus-omanu.nz)**

**IMPORTANT NOTICE: Please use the MACVILLE ROAD entrance for parking at the RSA.**

**Next Meeting: 10 July 9.30 am at Gallipoli Room, Mt Maunganui RSA, 544 Maunganui Road, Mt Maunganui. (Please use the Macville Road entrance for parking) Please try to arrive by 9.05 am in order to pay for morning tea, to purchase raffle tickets, if you so wish and to socialise. Meeting cost is \$9 per person.**

**Welcome:                    President – Sue Rawson**

**Speaker:                    *Carole Gordon, Social Scientist specializing in social and political gerontology.***



*Currently Carole is leading a UN Decade of Healthy Ageing and Longevity Wellbeing project in Tauranga Moana. The presentation to Omanu Rebus will focus on the Decade challenges and opportunities for local engagement. It will background the broader longevity dividend impact of population-ageing and provide principles for a resilient longevity economy.*

*In 2020 Carole's work in this field was recognised in the Queen's Honours. She was awarded a MNZM, Member of the New Zealand Order of Merit.*

**Vote of Thanks:            *Graeme Wilson***

**Apologies:                Thank you for apologies received for the last meeting.**

**Visitors:                 We appreciate you bringing visitors to the meeting. If you are bringing a visitor please would you kindly phone Margaret Clark 5420548 or Adrienne Wilson 5742392 or 0211393380 Thank you.**

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**Deadline for Apologies:**    Unless there is an emergency or illness, please ring **Margaret Clark 5420548 or Adrienne Wilson 5742392 or 0211393380** before **12 noon on the Monday** preceding the monthly meeting. **Note:** *If you forget to apologise we will ask you to pay the \$9 for that meeting, as the club has to pay the caterer for the number submitted on Monday evening!* So please make sure that if you can't come to our meeting that your apology is with Margaret or Adrienne before **12 noon on the Monday before the meeting!** Thank you.

**A Reminder:** Please contact **Rose Coutts 5742232** (email: [coutts.jim-rose@xtra.co.nz](mailto:coutts.jim-rose@xtra.co.nz)) or **Margaret Clark 5420548** (email: [historynutmarg@hotmail.com](mailto:historynutmarg@hotmail.com)) for any changes to your contact details. **If you are no longer using a landline please let Rose know your mobile phone number.**

## PRESIDENT'S PONDERINGS

Kia Ora

Hope you all enjoyed our Speaker, "whodunnit" author Denise Fitzpatrick. I noticed quite a few of you bought some of her books. It is great to see such support for a local writer. By all accounts, some people have already read them and say they really keep you guessing as to who is the "perp". It is hard for an author to get published and you must really want to write to continue in the face of many rejections so it is great to see Denise doing well. Ask for her books at the library. If you can't find them there, the library will order them in.

We have a lovely Mid-winter lunch to look forward to on the **24th July at the Papamoa Beach Village** and we look forward to seeing you there. Hope you all enjoy the Matariki weekend. The "Light up the Waterways" is certainly a "must see". Keep safe and warm.

See you at the next meeting. Nga mihi, Sue

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### Almoner's Report:

**Maggie Thomson 5744592**

A report will be given at the meeting.

**Yours in friendship Maggie Thomson, Almoner**

### Birthday Coffee Morning:

**Sue Rawson 0210600896**

**July Birthdays:** *Jim Coutts, Hugh Henry, Valerie Murphy and Sharron Robinson.* We wish each one of you a very Happy Birthday and would love to see you at **Pacifica, Tara Road on Thursday 25 July at 10am.**

### Music Group:

**Kirsten Jorgensen 5740250**

The music group will meet at, **Margaret Houghton's home, 14 Tweed Street, Mt Maunganui, on Wednesday 3 July at 1.30 pm.** For apologies please phone Margaret 5755256. See you all for another great music afternoon.

### Travel Group:

**Fay Lauder 5725000**

Our meeting in July will be at my home **3 Reef Avenue, Papamoa on Thursday 18 July at 1.30 pm.** I have found another interesting trip from the World by Bike people. This time they take us from Casablanca to Caucasus. A bit different. I think you will enjoy it. Please let me know if you are able to come.

### RSA Film: .



The RSA Movie "**The Bucket List**" will be held at the RSA on **Monday 29 July at 1.30 pm in the Gallipoli Room RSA Mt Maunganui.**

Billionaire Edward Cole (**Jack Nicholson**) and car mechanic Carter Chambers (**Morgan Freeman**) are complete strangers, until fate lands them in the same hospital room. The men find they have two things in common: a need to come to terms with who they are and what they have done with their lives, and a desire to complete a list of things they want to see and do before they die. Against their doctor's advice, the men leave the hospital and set out on the adventure of a lifetime.

### Wine and Dine Group:

**Margaret Overington 5749465**

Our Wine and Dine Group will be dining at "**Great Spice**", **Shop 9, 4 Golden Sands Drive, Papamoa East, on Thursday 18 July at 6 pm.** If you are interested in joining a very social and lively group please put your name down on the list at the July meeting.

| JULY DIARY          |                         |                            |   |
|---------------------|-------------------------|----------------------------|---|
| Every Monday        | 1 pm                    | Bowls                      | Club Mt Maunganui   |
| Wednesday 3         | 1.30 pm                 | Music Group                | 14 Tweed St, Mt Maunganui                                 |
| <b>WEDNESDAY 10</b> | <b>9.30 am</b>          | <b>REBUS MEETING</b>       | <b>Gallipoli Room, RSA Mt Maunganui</b>                   |
| Thursday 18         | 1.30 pm                 | Travel Group               | 3 Reef Avenue, Papamoa                                    |
| Thursday 18         | 6 pm                    | Wine and Dine              | "Great Spice" Golden Sands Dr, Papamoa                    |
| <b>Saturday 20</b>  |                         | <b>Newsletter deadline</b> |   |
| Wednesday 24        | 11.30 am for<br>12 noon | Mid winter Lunch:          | Papamoa Beach Village<br>2 Te Okuroa Drive, Papamoa Beach |
| Thursday 25         | 10 am                   | Birthday Morning Tea       | Pacifica Café, Tara Road, Papamoa                         |
| Monday 29           | 1.30 pm                 | RSA Film                   | RSA Mt Maunganui, Gallipoli Room                          |

Please refer to group details for further information

ANYTHING YOU WISH TO HAVE IN THE NEWSLETTERS PLEASE SEND TO ADRIENNE WILSON AT: [graemewilson254@gmail.com](mailto:graemewilson254@gmail.com) or phone 5742392. Thank you for being so prompt with your newsletter items. Please note: The deadline for newsletter entries is the **20th of each month**.

**NB: Payments for club outings and subs can be made direct to the Club's bank account – 03-1547-0010549-00. Please put your name and the outing in the reference and particulars fields**

*Don't forget to buy a raffle ticket as you enter at our monthly meetings. \$2 a ticket or 3 for \$5. Thank you.*

**Rebus Inc. Club News:** We would like to draw members' attention to the Rebus Inc. Club News which can be accessed on the website. [www.rebus.nz](http://www.rebus.nz). There is very interesting reading about the activities of the other Rebus Clubs throughout New Zealand.

## OMANU REBUS CLUB OUTINGS

**Mid Year Winter Lunch:** Our mid year Lunch will be held at **Papamoa Beach Village Restaurant**, 2 Te Okuroa Drive, Papamoa Beach on **Wednesday 24 July from 11.30 am to 2.30 pm**. We have a set menu at \$38 per person. Please pay this direct into the Club's bank account **03-1547-0010549-00** or alternatively bring cash to our main meeting on Wednesday 10 July in an envelope with your name on it. There will be a bar available, at your own cost.

### *Set Menu*

#### *Entrée*

Chicken Caesar Salad

#### *Main Course*

Chicken breast stuffed with Ricotta and rocket cashew pesto with scalloped potatoes,  
Broccoli and orange dill carrots

*Or*

Roasted lamb rump with scalloped potatoes, broccoli and orange dill carrots

#### *Dessert*

Fresh fruit salad and berry cheesecake

No outings planned for August, as not only is it the middle of winter, but I also have my surgery scheduled for Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> August in Auckland (at long last!). Bring on some warmer weather in the spring!

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