

# The Naked News



## Events Calendar

- Next committee meeting Friday 28th February @ 7:15.
- Saturday 21st March summer sports weekend.
- \* Saturday 21st March 9:45am join in the fun leisure bike ride with Paul.

## Visitors Welcome

WOS Accommodation available

Cabin [No Pets.]

Tent sites

Powered sites

Club Rooms with all Facilities

Solar heated pool

Wood fired hot tub

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## From the Editor



### WOS Mini -Rally reaches new heights

This annual feature event held on Waitangi weekend at the picturesque WOS complex continues to gain popularity and received many favourable comments for the renowned hospitality - superb meals and outstanding organization.

The accolades were especially high for the entertainment value of the innovative games that encompassed family fun for people of absolutely all ages.

The visitors came from far and wide with everyone revelling in the happy and relaxed carnival atmosphere that prevailed. There were often happenings of high fun occurring during such things as “tossing the silver gumboot” - and the section of entertainment “exclusively” for the children turned out a riot of fun for one and all drawing waves of applause and cheering - especially when the adult helpers “accidentally” got quite wet during a hilarious melee of water antics.

See more details and photo's of this February WOS fun weekend on following pages.



## WOS Summer Sports weekend Saturday 21st March

Sat 21st March -- 9:45am leisure bike ride with Paul

11am Petanque

2pm 3 Down

Sun 22nd----- Croquet

BYO lunch ---BYO meat for the BBQ  
and a salad/vege dish to share



Everyone welcome to join in / relax in the pool

Enjoy the facilities /chill out with the 4:44 crew in the deck chairs.

Everyone welcome to our extensive & tranquil rural site with easy commute to shops

50a Trentham Road  
Matangi Hamilton

Club rooms with all facilities

[waikto.outdoor@gonatural.co.nz](mailto:waikto.outdoor@gonatural.co.nz)

Reminder for everyone to observe the safety speed limit on WOS driveway.

Select relax mode.



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### Committee notes

Committee has approved a partial upgrade to our kitchen with two main considerations in mind.

1. The need to change the single sink bench to a double unit to alleviate the issues we have coping with large events.
2. To change the fittings etc to allow us to shift the main refrigerator from it's present impractical position alongside the stove.

## WOS Waitangi weekend Mini-Rally held 6-9th Feb

This years Mini-Rally at WOS will likely rank as their best ever event at their lovely Matangi complex on the outskirts of Hamilton city. Absolutely every aspect of this thoroughly enjoyable carnival was as close to perfection as anyone could dare to hope for. The events proved to be outstanding entertainment for families of all ages, the food, facilities and hospitality won a bunch of accolades from the visitors and members - and the icing on the proverbial cake was that the weather was perfect as well.



Croquet gets under way

The variety of games held each day carried an air of competitiveness but the overriding atmosphere of fun and enjoyment prevailed at all times and the good natured ribbing laced with generous servings of mischievous advice from the side lines ensured a great time was had by all the com-

petitors and spectators.

The daily pace of happenings was always easy with time out for frequent dips in the absolutely sparkling waters of the heated swimming pool or hot tub, take the option of just



Petanque



Food galore

relaxing with lots of tea breaks- or a refreshing stroll along the shaded walk way beside the stream to feed the eels.

It became quite evident that the happy theme of the games was generating great comradery with everyone having a bloody good time, no doubt because it's so easy to feel at home here surrounded with all these friends.

## Mini-Rally Report continued



One of the several highlights of the weekend's entertainment featured the children's section of events with the addition of, yes- water. We had water plus suds for the slippery slope slide for the kids [with the inevitable test slides by the dads] - water to fill the plastic bottles to become lift off rockets via the adult operator of the launching "toy" - and of

course water for the small balloon bombs for the kids "war" with a couple of brave but out numbered adult warriors. The innovative antics of these unfortunate volunteers had the entire contingent of spectators clapping and cheering as the warriors sacrificed some of their dignity for the cause of kids entertainment. - however we did have a sneaky feeling they just might of had a ball themselves as well.

There was ample after dinner evening social times with card games, Quiz night, Bingo 8 ball etc whilst having a drink or two or a spell in the popular hot tub. There seemed to be an endless range of happenings at all times during the weekend to whet the appetites of all comers to the Rally with a penchant for fun and adventure.



Did I mention the food -top quality and plenty of it - amazing that that the WOS ladies generated such an array of superb dishes from that kitchen of theirs. As I write this the email accolades extoling the virtues of this outstanding WOS organization team are still coming in

Could it be possible for this team of resourceful WOS members to present an even better extravaganza of entertainment next year - well who knows - you had better come along same place same time in Feb 2021 and see for yourself.



## 2020 Champions - WOS Mini- Rally held Feb 6-9

### Event Winners

Darts -----	Johan & Eileen
8 Ball -----	David & Sherida
Croquet -----	Peter & Diane
Kubb -----	David & Sherida
Ladder Golf -----	Barry
Bowls -----	Cor & Sue
Petanque -----	[1] Tony & Eddie [2] Gary & Sue
Golf -----	Pat
3 Down -----	[1] Takis & Diana
Silver Gumboot Throw ----	[m] Nick [f] Diana [boys] Oliver
Mini Ten -----	Des
Nail Driving -----	[m] Baz [w] Sue
Team Mystery Challenge --	<b>Awards to</b> Steve, Nick & Paul - Keith & Wendy - Johan, Peter D, Tony, Ashley & Brett

### Children Section Winners

Kubb & Golf-----	Oliver
Kubb-----	Sara
Kubb -----	Samantha
Ladder Golf-----	Ella Rose
Bubbles-----	Thomas
Bubbles-----	Jethro
Cutest-----	Joseph

### Specialty awards

Grandmother of the weekend-----	Linelle
Mother of the weekend-----	Christine

Check out the WOS website at: [www.waikato.gonatural.co.nz](http://www.waikato.gonatural.co.nz)

Need a break



*Come & hang out for a few days at W.O.S*



A reminder to our visitors and members :- Here at WOS we have NO paid staff of any kind. The nice tidy and presentable grounds and kitchen and ablution areas you see here are kept to a standard entirely by volunteer members. You are expected to adhere to the traditional camping laws of cleaning up after yourselves and **taking your rubbish and recycling with you.** Don't tag yourself as the type that expects others to clean up your mess.

We are on Facebook and Twitter as well

Special thanks from WOS go this month to Peggy for her magnificent catering for the Mini-Rally -and to Gail for master minding the best ever Rally.

**A huge thank you also to Peter C for getting us an additional essential little house for out the back.**



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## Summary: 62<sup>nd</sup> AGM at Hawkes Bay Naturist Club 29 December 2019

1. Changes were made to Clause 3 'Objects' as required by the Charities Commission in order to grant charitable status. The changes are minor in nature and clarify NZNF purposes as a charitable organisation, without changing the nature of the original purposes.
2. ½ Exec positions are up for renewal annually.  
Election of officers & appointment this AGM:
 

Secretary	Wima Kremer	NIVP	Nick Lowe
Marketing	Constance Gervasi	Data Base	Christine Bowers
Archivist	Pam Salter	Sports	Ken mercer
Merchandising	Mark Kennedy	Social media	Tiffany Pepperill
3. NZNaturists in discussions re merging with Free Beach.
4. Agreed that clubs inform members via application or acceptance forms that a NZNF card does not give automatic rights to visit other clubs. Contact by phone or email to ask for permission must be made.
5. In the Percy Cousins report the interest rate should read .80 interest.
6. Levies remain the same.
7. Budget accepted.
8. Exit INF carried by majority. The short statement of notification rather than the longer explanatory letter was the preferred option. Other countries may follow NZ decision. Linking to/joining the Asia NF may be considered.
9. A proposed change to the merchandising out of pocket expenses declined.
10. Websites encouraged to be responsive sites -ie read same on desktop, laptop, phones and tablets.
11. Discussion re Nelson needing to be classified as a campground. Other club classification are as sports and recreation venues. Implications for insurance.
12. Health and safety requirement re water quality in swimming and spa pool. Need to record when chemicals added, water changed and back flushed etc.
13. Discussion re NZNF Rally/Festival every 2<sup>nd</sup> year. AGM still annually.
14. Club needed to host 2021 rally.
15. Awards:
  - Best Gonatural photo [centre page] and article [Walking Wainuiomata] – issue 250 Sept 2019
  - Best media – TV3
  - Best newsletter: 1<sup>st</sup> Sthn Naturally, and 2<sup>nd</sup>= **WOS** and Hawkes Bay
  - Best website: 1<sup>st</sup> AONC, **2<sup>nd</sup> WOS**, 3<sup>rd</sup> Nelson
  - Mowlen Trophy for % membership increase: Sthn Naturally
  - Pat Trott Trophy for contribution to naturism: Christine Bowers **WOS**
16. **2020** AGM and festival will be a Food Festival to be held at Sthn Naturally [Invercargill]. Tues 29<sup>th</sup> AGM to Jan 4th  
Meals catered for @ approx. \$10 per day. Limited toilet facilities [Dump site 12k away]. Limited power sites [for medical issues only]. Off-site excursions. Expression of interest forms distributed.  
  
Gail R WOS Rep.

## Tree fellas

Three Aussie mates were touring N Z and were in Hamilton and having a bit of an argument on how to pronounce it.

“ Listen mate, it’s Ham-ul-tun” said the first bloke.

“Nah said another, it’s gotta be Ham-il-town.”

“Idiots, said the third it’s bloody Ham-il-tin” and on and on it went until they decided to settle it by asking a local, so they stopped off at a hamburger joint and asked the girl at the counter.

“We’re Australians, tell us, how do you pronounce the name of this place?”

She looked at them pretty strangely for a moment, and said slowly and carefully, ‘Mac-don-alds’



**W.O.S grounds and facilities are yours and of course open to you and visitors at all times throughout the year so com'on over any time, any day and enjoy holiday and leisure breaks here among friends—use the unique wood fired Hot Tub, the BBQ, help out with a few chores if you want—explore the walkways, feed the eels, relax and enjoy, stay over for a night or two.**



Popular after dinner game at WOS clubhouse.

**Reminder** \_ Members as well as all visitors to the club grounds are required to fill out and sign the visitors book in the clubhouse on every visit. We have to meet local authority compliance requirements.

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