

# Newsletter April 2014

Compere:  
Colin Brown

Door team:  
Liz and Gryff

Levin  
Folk  
Music  
Club



Levin Folk Club: Second Friday of every month at 7:30pm  
Entry \$5 members/\$8 non-members/\$3 children.  
Horowhenua Scottish Society Hall, corner Bartholomew Road  
and Middlesex Street, Levin  
<http://levinfolkmusicclub.webnode.com/>



## APRIL 11th : *Our guests are Wayne Mason and Clint Brown.*

Wayne Mason and Clinton Brown will be lighting up the Levin Folk Club with their special brand of acoustic rock, country and boogie. Wayne and Clinton play original songs they have recorded and played together over the past 40 years, with a few yarns thrown into the mix. They were both members of well known band The Warratahs.

This is an opportunity to hear one of New Zealand's finest songwriters along with stage-mate Clinton Brown, one of the classiest bass players around.

**Bring a friend along to hear one of NZ's best-known songwriters.**



## OUR GUEST ARTISTS on May 9th are the 4 piece band **The Fedz.**

Coming from New Plymouth are Erin Manu and Frank John, joined by Wellingtonians Dusty Cameron and Andrew Bicknell on double-bass. Alt-country, folk, bluegrass, blues. The Fedz are a popular band appearing regularly at many folk clubs, concerts, and other venues throughout the country.

**Bring a friend along - this band can really have something for everyone, from Erin's smooth vocals, Frank's blues, Dusty with his Steve-Earle type vocals. Awesome!**



Acoustic Night is on Friday 25 April.- the theme for this month's Acoustic Night is [Songs of War and Peace](#) . Now what else would you have for a theme on Anzac Day! Wear your red poppy and come along and join us ! At the Horowhenua Scottish Society Hall, 7:30pm. \$2 entry.



HALL SET UP IS NOW AT 6:45pm - Everyone is asked to help out.

Tables and chairs to set out, kitchen to prepare, a few wall hangings to put up (only behind the stage area) front desk to set up, sound gear and stage to set up.

Please arrive a bit earlier to help set up the hall so that the blackboard can start sharp at 7:30pm.



We sadly announced the resignation of our club chairman Han Roeters last month. Han has been for over 20 years a strong part of the back bone of this club. He is a respected, loyal and contributing member of the Levin Folk Music Club and the broader folk scene. The Club members have received a copy of his resignation and are aware of the regretful incident at the last club night that initiated it.

Due to the short period until the next AGM, the Committee members are continuing without replacing Han and taking turns at chairing meetings. The position will be available for nominations at the next AGM.



**CLUB NIGHT**  
Friday April 11th

**Next  
Month**

May 9th

LFMC:  
Acoustic Night



**Resignation**

**ROSTER**

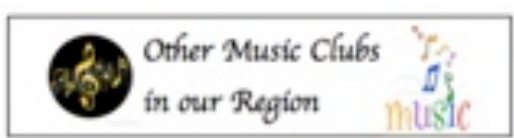
I hope you have all read the member roster for club duties that committee member Jo has drawn up, in order to spread the load of small tasks that are necessary to keep our club successful. See Jo about any changes you need to make. Spreading the load ensures no one person or group is burdened with continuous responsibility.



HAMSTERFEST  
Hamilton  
Acoustic  
Music Club's folk  
festival at Easter



If you are heading to Hamsterfest this Easter, check out the website:  
<http://www.hamc.org.nz/>  
There is a change in venue this year, it is no longer at Matamata raceway.  
Some great guests.



Use the website links to find out who the guests are and what is on each week.



[www.acousticroutes.org.nz](http://www.acousticroutes.org.nz)



<http://www.klmc.org.nz>



[www.wellingtonbluegrass.net.nz](http://www.wellingtonbluegrass.net.nz)

Mainly Acoustic

Second Tuesday of each month, Mayfair Cafe,  
166 Main St, Upper Hutt, 7:30pm.  
Contact: Kevin & Sue Meehan,  
Ph 04 970 4008



On showing your membership card, a discount applies.

<http://www.ksc.net.nz/>

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You'll be surprised at the range available: From guitar picks and music stands, music books and ukuleles to sound systems, amplifiers, recording equipment and more.

