

Compere:
Marty Smith

Door team:

Paul Webster and
Jo Sheffield

Newsletter September 2013



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/>



Singer/songwriter Karen Clarke is a positively charged-up fireball of energy. Her wry and affectionate style along with her smokey melodic voice and powerful, soulful rhythms are perfect for her repertoire of folk/country, roots music and jazzy blues.

Karen is a very popular performer in our region - and she is a former local girl, having been raised at Ohau!

Karen is known for her strong, emotive performance style .

On this occasion, Karen's original work will be backed by musical buddies Bob Cooper Grundy (guitars) Kate Marshall (fiddle, flute, accordion) , Craig Loader (bass) and Wayne Morris (percussion). Usually taking the stage as country and blues outfit Hard Candy, this week they stray far from home into the sometimes sunny, sometimes sultry world of Karen's original brand of folky blues. Looking to be a fantastic evening!

And enjoy the advance taste of Bob and Kate, as they are booked to sing their own style of music with us in a gig here at the club later this year.



Acoustic Night is on Friday 26 Sept. 7:30pm at the hall.

The optional theme this month is "one of the earliest songs you performed"



Our guest performers at LFMC on Friday Oct 11th are **STRINGS and THINGS**

Sue Pugmire: guitar , vocals

Stephanie Hunter: violin, vocals.

James Greenblatt: originally from the USA - multiple instruments including guitar, mandolin, banjo and vocals

Strings 'n Things is an acoustic band, based in the Manawatu, which plays music from many genres including Folk, Jazz, Blues, Celtic, Country, Bluegrass, NZ, Classics eg Beatles, Dylan, Van Morrison, and Originals.

The music is intricate, the harmonies are strong, & there are some wonderful stories to be shared.



- * If you can help with setting up the hall for club night, please be there on Friday 4pm. (Hall to sweep, tables and chairs to set out, kitchen to prepare, a few wall hangings to put up, front desk to set up, sound gear and stage. If a couple of people could assist, it becomes a speedy set-up session.

- * We have no volunteers as yet for planning the 25th Anniversary of our folk club in 2014. Please notify the committee if you would like to head a small group to put forward a plan for this occasion. (Incidentally, we share our 25th Anniversary next year with Wellington's Acoustic Routes folk club, who are also planning their own celebration.)



CLUB NIGHT
Friday 13 Sept
Karen Clarke
with **Hard Candy**
band

LFMC
Acoustic Night

COMING
SOON

October 11th
**Strings and
Things**

Remember....

NEW VENUE- KAPITI LIVE MUSIC CLUB

*"A home has been found and we are preparing it now.
It is central to all in the Coastlands area - entrance is from 13 Ihakara St,
Paraparaumu.*

*We have one couch, two tables and 15 chairs. There are toilets and a kitchen with jug
and some cups and wine glasses.*

*All are welcome be they members or not. So, come on down for a social evening of
music, listening, discussions and snacks - bring a little something if you wish. You are
welcome to watch and listen, join in the conversation or join in the music"*



Wellington Folk Festival, 25-28 October 2013

Real music, real people - every Saturday
Weekend

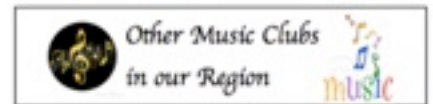


Visit the web site for information
about the guest artists and the cost
for the weekend or for a day visit.

<http://wellingtonfolkfestival.wordpress.com/>



www.acousticroutes.org.nz



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



www.bluegrass.wellington.net.nz/



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

Mainly Acoustic

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



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