



LEVIN FOLK MUSIC CLUB INC

JULY 2019

*Entry \$5 members/\$10 non-members/\$3 children and school students
Horowhenua Scottish Society Hall, cnr Bartholomew Rd and Middlesex St
www.levin-folk-music-club.org.nz/*

CLUB EVENTS

JULY

Friday 12 July

Concert Night with
Andrew and Kirsten
London

Friday 26 July

Club Night

AUGUST

Friday 9 August

Concert night with Legal
Tender

Friday 23 August

Club Night

Newsletter contact

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Our guest artists for July concert night are the ever popular Andrew and Kirsten London. 'Let's Talk About Me', 'I Hugged My Mate', 'Middle Aged Man in Lycra', the titles say it all. Andrew London's whimsical songs reflect mainstream culture with gentle irreverence, and playfully lampoon many of society's obsessions and taboos. Themes run the gamut from rugby fans, driving habits, youth culture and weddings to male insecurities, technophobia, household appliances, pretentious socialites, and various other issues of concern to the average middle-aged, middle-class Antipodean baby-boomer.

Delivery is wrapped in an easy-going and accessible 1940s-era 'Hot Club'-style swing package, with occasional sallies into folk, blues and western swing; and Andrew's easy-going banter holds the show together with stories that draw the audience in and set up the songs. Kirsten accompanies as bass guitarist, backing vocalist and prompt.

His trio has performed at festivals in Australia and Norfolk Island, and is the only Kiwi act in recent times to have performed in Saudi Arabia. We welcome them back to the LPMC.

Blackboard Concert: Bookings for the blackboard slots will open at 7pm. All performances are to be one item of no more than 5 minutes. Remember to come prepared and practiced as blackboard items are public performances. We look forward to hearing our talented blackboard artists.

Club Night: Friday 26 July

Come along and enjoy the relaxed atmosphere at the Scottish Hall. It is a great opportunity to perform on your own, or jam and join in with others. All welcome 7.30pm, \$2 entry with light supper.

June Mid-Winters Concert Night

Thanks to Kevin for organising this concert. It is an important opportunity for members to practice and perform more than one song. It was a big night but we hope both performers and the audience enjoyed the event.

August Concert Night



Our guest artists for August are LFMC favourites Legal Tender. Ian and Moira Campbell are renowned for their eclectic mix of rural/folk down-home originals and hauntingly beautiful covers. They have won numerous awards for their music and collaborated with the best in the business.

Their sensitive guitar/bass originals and arrangements of artists including Guy Clarke, Gillian Welsh and Lori McKenna are performed with earthy integrity and powerful vocal harmonies. Don't miss this concert it will be amazing.

Club News

Membership Subs 2019-2020

Urgent reminder that annual subs are now due. You can renew your membership of \$25 at the July concert night or pay online. If you would like to pay online the LFMC account number is 03-0667-0611942-00. Please include your name on the statement and Val will bring your new membership card to the July concert. It is also a good time to update your contact details if you have changed your phone number or email address.

PLEASE NOTE you will be charged the non-members entrance rate of \$10 at the July concert if you do not renew your subs before or on the night.

2019 AGM

The LFMC AGM will be held on Friday 2nd August 2019 in the Scottish Hall. This is a really important meeting that supports and sets direction for our club for

the coming year. It is critical that we get a good turnout. We need a quorum of at least 10 members to be able to hold the meeting. To encourage attendance there will be a draw of those at the meeting. The prize is a free year's subscription. Members will receive an email in early July before the AGM with all the documents required.

Committee Nominations

Now is the time to consider if you would like to go onto the LFMC committee. Both Colin and Kevin are leaving the committee and so new members will be required. The committee is friendly, positive and focussed on what we feel members want. If this is something you would consider then look out for the nomination forms in the AGM pack that will be emailed to you. Of course you can also be nominated on the night of the AGM.

Newsletter Editor

Due to health issues I (Colin) would like to resign as editor of the LFMC Newsletter as of the AGM. It has been a wonderful experience putting out the newsletter and I have been well supported by Dale, Kate Lang, the committee and other contributors. It takes about a morning a month. If you feel you could take over this role then please contact Jean Hollis (Secretary)

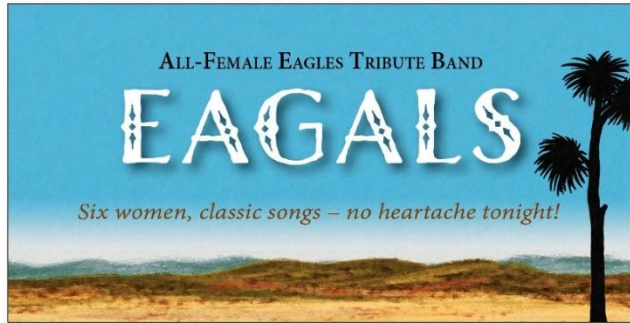
Ph (06) 368 6406 to discuss.

Concert Night Set Up Helpers

WE REALLY NEED YOUR HELP. Over recent months it has been difficult getting enough people to help set up the hall for concert nights. Many hands make light work but it is being left to a very few dedicated committee members to get the job done. If you could help then come down to the Scottish Hall at 4.00pm on the Friday of the concert. It takes about an hour with lots of helpers. Ta

Other Music Events Coming Up

Eagals



New Zealand's only All-Female Eagles Tribute Band - the EAGALS - returns to LEVIN on Saturday, 20 July 2019. With a shared love of singing harmonies and acoustic music, the EAGALS 'took flight' at the iconic Te Rangi Music Festival in January this year. In May, they gathered for a showcase and celebration of NZ Music Month 2019, during another iconic Kiwi event, at Kings Sound Centre 'Levin Music Month Day'. As regular, individual performers at NZ Folk Clubs, Music Festivals, House Concerts and other establishments or venues from the far north to the far south and across the sea, this line-up blends their musical influences - Celtic, Trad, Americana, Country, Jazz and Blues - with a set of CLASSIC EAGLES hits from the 70s, 80s & 90s. The concert kicks off with a showcase of some original compositions.

The EAGALS will be traveling from Raglan, Taranaki and Wellington, and feature:

- ** Carol Bean - vocals, guitar
- ** Erin Manu - vocals, guitar, banjo, ukulele, percussion, bass
- ** Jenny Kilpatrick - vocals, bass
- ** Jo Sheffield - vocals, guitar, mandolin, banjo
- ** Jude Madill - vocals, guitar, fiddle, percussion
- ** Lynne Wilkins - vocals, flute, low whistles, guitar, bass

Door sales from 7pm - \$15/\$10 unwaged and LMFC members

Show starts at 7.30pm

Dale's Acoustic Live Events



Dale is doing a great job in bringing so many talented artists to the Horowhenua. For information on what Dale has got lined up in the future either txt 027 2079695 or email dalewebb143@gmail.com

Lily's Ranch House Levin

Thursday 4 July Muso Nite - From 6pm

\$2 door entry. Bar, espresso and tapas menu available. Please phone Kathy (021-438842) or email kathy@lilys.co.nz if you wish to dine and to reserve your table

Te Takeretanga o Kura-hau-pō (Levin)

Friday lunchtime concerts 12.00- 1.00pm. It is worth popping down to check out these concerts. Usually featuring local musicians, including Club members. If you would like to perform contact Hendrix at Te Takere.

Jazz Jam



When: Second Sunday of the month, 2.00 to 3.30pm

Where: Te Takeretanga o Kura-hau-pō (Levin)

Whether you are looking for a place to hone your musical skills or simply want to take in some great sounds, the monthly Jazz Jam is the place to be. Always lots on at Te Takere and Te Awahou Nieuwe Stroom. Check out their websites for details.

Mid- Winters Holler

This year the Holler will be the weekend of the 12-15th of July at Tatum Park, south of Levin. It will follow a similar format to previous years with workshops, blackboard concerts the mid-winter feast and Saturday night concert. Following a slightly unscientific opinion poll it has been decided to stay over an extra night this year. There will not be any concerts planned and the Sunday / Sunday night will be more the relax hang out, play music, eat some food and enjoy the surroundings. To register please email midwinterholler@outlook.com

Other Music Clubs in the Region

Scottish Music Manawatu

For more information, call Glenice on 3584899.

Palmerston North Folk Music Club

Who: Anyone interested in playing, singing, or listening to folk music.

Where: Theosophical Society Hall, 304 Church Street, Palmerston North, New Zealand.

When: 8pm every Friday night.

How much: \$5 public, \$3 club members, FREE school-age kids & 'first-timers' - (extra on concert nights).

Contact On: palmyfolkclub@gmail.com

Acoustic Routes

acousticroutes.org.nz/

Kapiti Live Music

www.klmc.org.nz

WELLINGTON
BLUEGRASS SOCIETY

wellingtonbluegrass.net.nz/

Mainly Acoustic

Second Tuesday, Mayfair
Café. Contact: Kevin & Sue
Meehan, 04 970 4008

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The Horowhenua Chronicle supports the LFMC by publishing an article each month advertising our Concert Nights. This is one of the main ways we let our community know what is happening at the club. Thanks to the Chronicle for this important support.