

MARCH 2023 NEWSLETTER



While the unfortunate weather in the Esk valley stopped Brett Linn - Wairiki Wines from presenting his wines personally, Faye Luxon stepped up and did an impromptu enthusiastic alternative.

We hear that Brett and his co-presenter Petane Wines from Eskdale have both lost much of their plantings and we would like to thank them for their effort in making their wine available and wish them all the best for their challenging tasks ahead.

Their wines were delicious and we look forward to receiving our orders



Lucky raffle winners this month





AS I GET OLDER I REALIZE:

1. I talk to myself, because sometimes I need expert advice.
2. Sometimes I roll my eyes out loud.
3. I don't need anger management. I need people to stop pissing me off.
4. My people skills are just fine. It's my tolerance of idiots that needs work.
5. The biggest lie I tell myself is "I don't need to write that down, I'll remember it."
6. When I was a child I thought nap time was punishment. Now it's like a mini-vacation.
7. The day the world runs out of wine is just too terrible to think about.
8. Even duct tape can't fix stupid, but it can muffle the sound.
9. Wouldn't it be great if we could put ourselves in the dryer for ten minutes; come out wrinkle-free and three sizes smaller?
10. "Getting Lucky" means walking into a room and remembering why I'm there.



Fashion for men...MANTIES!!



M arch's wine tasting treat

Coopers Creek Vineyard

Auckland



RESERVE WINES

Our finest wines, crafted only when the seasons, the standard of fruit and the winemaking knowledge meet our approach.



SELECT VINEYARDS

The Select Vineyards range is hand-picked around the world. A lot of small batch, carefully crafted, award-winning wines.



CLASSIC WINES

The Classic range offers wines that are pleasing, fruit-forward, delicious and very drinkable.

MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Dear Members and Friends of NSWFS. This will be my last note to you as President and I look forward to helping my successor into the role. I really enjoy the wine club, you are a great group of people and we share a common interest: wine. I encourage you all to bring in new members as though we don't want to be overcrowded, we are not at that stage yet.

Thank you for your support, especially a big thankyou to your committee who have ensured that not only do we have high quality wines to taste but also great food to follow. They have ensured that the wine orders are accurate and delivered for you to enjoy.

Their organisation has made our club an ongoing success.

Kindest personal regards to you all.

Maurice

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**NEW COMMITTEE MEMBERS NEEDED
TO KEEP YOUR CLUB VIABLE !!!!!!!!!!!!!!!**

**3 CLUB STALWARTS STANDING DOWN TO
MAKE WAY FOR NEW- TALENT**



OUR CURRENT PRESIDENT MAURICE ELLETT HAS BEEN A CLUB MEMBER FOR MANY YEARS, AND IS WELL KNOWN TO ALL OF US. MAURICE, WHO IS STILL GOING TO BE AN ACTIVE CLUB MEMBER, IS HAPPY TO ASSIST HIS REPLACEMENT TO UNDERTAKE THE PRESIDENT'S JOB



BRYAN HALL HAS ENJOYED HIS VARIOUS COMMITTEE ROLES AS 'GLASSES & RAFFLES AND THEN WINE DELIVERIES, OFTEN SORTING OUT MIXED WINE DELIVERIES. BRYAN SAYS THAT AFTER 8 YEARS ON THE COMMITTEE HE IS STANDING DOWN TO SPEND MORE TIME TRAVELLING WITH HIS WIFE PERRINE, BUT WILL STILL ATTEND CLUB MEETINGS WHEN IN NZ.



LYNN RENNER IS RETIRING FROM GLASSES AND RAFFLES BUT WILL STILL BE ACTIVE IN THE CLUB. SHE HOPES TO HAVE MORE TIME TO SPEND WITH THE NEW MEMBERS THAT SHE HAS PROMISED TO BRING TO THE CLUB

Diane Guildford is looking forward to your bookings for the 14th March 2023 meeting and AGM.

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by: Wed 8th March....PLEASE!

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