

MOTUEKA 50 plus WALKING GROUP

MINUTES FOR MONTHLY MEETING 25th July 2019

- **Welcome**

Vivienne, who was standing in for Trevor, welcomed everyone to the July 2019 monthly meeting, including new members: Amanda Drake, James Smith, Jane Smith, Petra Dekker.

80th Birthdays: Vivienne presented a card to Anne Dorne who celebrated her 80th birthday earlier this month.

- **Almoner's Report**

Helen had not sent any cards this month – she reminded members to let her know if they felt it was appropriate to send a member a card.

- **Morning Tea Roster**

Vivienne thanked today's team – Polly D and Annie H.

- **Minutes of Last Month's Meeting**

Vivienne noted that June 27th 2019 meeting Minutes were on the Motueka 50plus website.

There was also a copy of these Minutes on the Secretary's table.

Vivienne note that she took the June Minutes as read.

Vivienne moved that the Minutes were a true and correct record of the June 27th 2019 meeting.

Seconded: Tony P.

Carried.

Vivienne signed the June 27th Minutes.

- **Matters Arising...**

There were no matters arising from the June 27th 2019 Minutes.

- **Treasurer's Report.**

Tony who was standing in for Dick, presented the monthly report.

Tony proposed the report be accepted.

Seconded: Neville B.

Passed.

- **Correspondence.**

There was no correspondence this month.

- **Reports from previous month's walks/events:**

July 4:

Group 1: Grampians steeper tracks from Fairfield House – Bob W reported for the 12 members who completed this walk.

Group 2: Grampians Kahikatea Track and mast – Vivienne P. reported for the 14 members of Group 2 who enjoyed this walk.

Group 3: Grampians Lookout via Kahikatea Track – Norah M reported for the members who enjoyed this walk.

10.30: Snowdens Bush – no report

July 11:

Group1: Ruby Bay Hinterland Circuit – Elaine T reported for the members who enjoyed this new walk.

Group 2: Ruby Bay Hinterland Circuit – Steve G reported for the 21 members who undertook this walk.

Group 3: Ruby Bay – Mapua Circuit – Sue B reported for the 9 members who enjoyed this walk.

10.30: Kina/McKee Domain – no report

July 18:

Group 1: Eighty Eight Valley – Punawai High circuit – Gavin W reported for the 9 eager Group 1 members who completed this walk.

Group 2: Eighty Eight Valley – Punawai Lower circuit – Tony P. reported for the 19 members of a thriving Group 2, who undertook this walk.

Group 3: No organised walk

10.30: Mapua Ramble – Heather A. gave a verbal report for the members on this walk.

July 23: Tigers:

Bob W. reported for the 4 very keen members of the Tigers Group who undertook a challenging walk to the summit of Maungatapu.

- **Instructions for coming month's walks:**

Neville gave information and instructions for the coming month's walks.

Aug 1:

Group 1: Kaiteriteri High/low circuit

Group 2: Kaiteriteri High circuit

Group 3: Kaiteriteri High Ponds and lookout

10.30: Pic's Peanut Butter Factory followed by a walk.

Aug 8: Note 8am start

Group 1: Separation Point, Wainui Inlet

Group 2: To Whariwharangi Hut and towards Separation Point

Group 3: The Grove and Wainui Falls

10.30: Tasman View Road to viewing platform. Park at top of Harley Road

Aug 15:

Groups 1 and 2: High Peak from Little Sydney

Group 3: Towards High Peak from Little Sydney

10.30: Ruby Bay ramble – Park in the parking area at the end of Broadsea Ave.

Aug 22:

Group 1: Ngarua Water Track, from Hawke's Lookout

Group 2: Ngarua Water Track, from Hawke's Lookout

Group 3: Harper's Pinnacle

10.30: Motueka Estuary walk – Park in Kumaras Car park

- **Walks and Steering Committee:**

The next meeting of the Walks Organising Committee is on Monday 29th July at 9.30am RSA.

This will be followed at 10.30 by a Steering Committee meeting to review the revised draft of the Guidelines and Policies Brochure, which will then be brought to the next meeting.

All are welcome to attend these meetings.

- **General Business:**

- **Plant Stall:**

Vivienne reminded members to begin preparing for the **plant stall** which is held at the September meeting.

Judy, Jo, Vivienne and Norah volunteered to organise the stall.

- **Luncheon at RSA:**

- The Social committee advised that there will be a **luncheon at the RSA** after the meeting on Thurs Sept 26th, 12.15pm (same day as the Plant Stall) The cost is \$22 pp. Please bring money in a named envelope to the August meeting if you wish to attend.

- **First Aid refresher course**

There are still places available on this course – Mon 19th Aug, 10am in the room adjacent to the Senior Net rooms in Pah Street. The cost is \$10.

- **Te Araroa talk**

The date for this talk by Steve and Judy Richards is Thursday Sept 12th, 6.30pm at RSA dining room.

The cost is \$10 which will go to the Trail Trust.

40 people have already signed up for this.

Please let Tony know if you **cannot** make it.

Tony put out a request for a Projector and Screen, for the talk.

- **Mapping Course**

This will be held on Tues 20th Aug at the RSA.

- **ID tags for walking poles**

Tony drew attention to the small name tags for sale on the Sales Table, which can easily be attached to walking poles for instant identification, should the poles be left behind during a walk.

- **Sales Table Report:**

The Sales Table returned \$40

- **Instructions for today's walk**

Anita gave instructions and information for today's walk from Stephens Bay – Kaiteriteri circuit.

- **Transport for today?**

Was arranged as required

- **Meeting Closed:** Vivienne to close meeting at 10.57am