



SeniorNet Auckland

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General Meeting
12 May 2015
Newsletter
May issue

SeniorNet Auckland's General Meeting is held at 10:00 am every 2nd Tuesday of the month at the Learning Centre, in the RSA building, 57 Princes Street, Onehunga, Auckland 1061. Phone 634 8341; Email: seniornetauckland@xtra.co.nz
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Technical Assistant

Required now, to:
Update Computers
Buy & install printer cartridges
General Computer Maintenance
Accompany Technician to deal with problems outside teaching hours.
Please click on email link to apply earliest
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Newsletter Editor

Required to create a monthly or bi-monthly newsletter using Publisher or Word. If you are an experienced computer user and think this sounds attractive, please apply asap by Email link to
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Chairman's Report: Neville Lane

Greetings

At time of writing, I trust you are enjoying this so far mostly-mild autumn weather; staying physically active, travelling, socialising with family and friends, enjoying life and in particular, keeping your eyes on our course schedules with the view of extending and enhancing your computing skills – to maintain the grey cells in best working order.

In this contribution to our Newsletter, I'll outline

for you the schedule of speakers and topics proposed for our monthly meetings from 12 May to 13 October and add matters of specific and general interest.

12 May: Powers of Attorney; Nichola Anderson, Relationship Adviser, Public Trust, Green Lane

9 June: Presentation by Grant Sidaway, Executive Officer, SeniorNet Federation, followed by Luncheon. (See note below)

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Course Manager

Required to co-ordinate Students, Tutors and Courses, from Term 3.

Training will be given during Term 2.

If you think this sounds like you please apply now; click on email link
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Mid-year "Christmas" Luncheon: Tuesday 9 June

This is your last chance to purchase a ticket to our mid-year Christmas luncheon, to be held in the Orpheus Restaurant at the Onehunga RSA at 12:30pm. From 12 noon

the restaurant bar will be open and members and their partners will be able to mix and mingle. Apply to **Patricia** at the next General Meeting, **12 May**.

Tickets cost \$20.00 each.



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Label Maker

Create labels for new members, parking permits, luncheon tickets, visiting LC delegates, using the SeniorNet logo. If able, please apply to [SeniorNet Auckland](#)

Email Reader

Required to access SeniorNet email messages daily and forward to appropriate Committee Members and Tutors. If willing to help, please apply to [SeniorNet Auckland](#)

14 July: A presentation on “Alice” – the big machine boring the tunnels for the Waterview Connection

11 August: Our Annual General Meeting, with a mini-talk from a member on a lighter but relevant topic

8 September: Enhanced free-to-air service – “Freeview Plus”, Sam Irvine, General Manager, Freeview

13 October: Personal and Internet Safety Up-

date; Community Constable, Don Allan

Note that speakers and topics for 14 July, 8 September and 13 October are yet to be confirmed.

There are other important dates in our Calendar, including;

30 April: We shall again be hosting the Regional Meeting for Delegates from Learning Centres in the Auckland Region.

With regard to this meeting, please refer to

Website

Administrator

Required for updating and maintaining our Website:

www.seniornet.co.nz/auckland

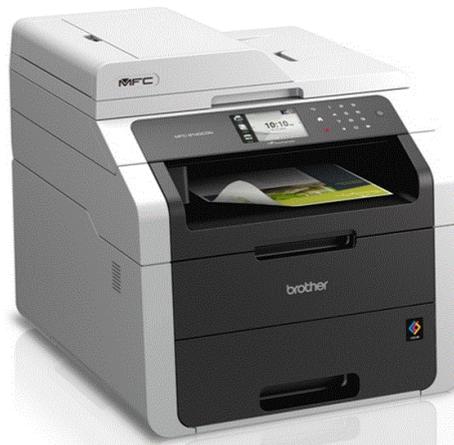
Basic knowledge of HTML code for editing course schedule and calendar is necessary. If this sounds like you please apply to:

[SeniorNet Auckland](#)

my message sent out by Dawn Whiteman on 20 March, seeking volunteers to assist with arrangements on the day. We still have the need so please contact me or a Committee member to offer your services, even if just for an hour or two.

11/12 May: Anne Udy and I will attend the SeniorNet Federation AGM and Symposium; Havelock North for Delegates from Learning Centres, nationwide.

11 August: In preparation for our AGM on this date, please consider standing for office and have your remits ready.



New Printer: We have just purchased a new and modern laser printer for our Learning Centre, a Brother MFC9140CDN with colour and black and white printing (double-sided), copying and scanning. See a full specification [here](#).

When you next attend a course do inspect our handsome new facility. It has

been connected via our router to all Computers, 1 to 9 for both Windows 7 and Windows 8.1.

For information, this printer is designed for and has been purchased for light to medium print usage. Into the foreseeable future, we shall continue to out-source our bulk printing, for course notes in particular.

Our existing, faithful and long-serving printers

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Onehunga RSA Car Park

[Entrance off Neilson Street] The RSA car park is available for use by SeniorNet members while attending courses and meetings. The arrangement between SeniorNet and the RSA is the donation of a gold coin for every car using the park. Please put

this in the labelled box, and display the parking permit on the dashboard of your car.



Welcome to Recent New Members

Wendy Claire

Hanneke Morton

Beverley Maloney

Randell Morton

Ailsa McDonogh

Joan Baker

Jeanette Allan

Elaine Robertson

Sheila Bennett

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will be taken progressively out of service and disposed of.

As you will have noted, 9 June is also the scheduled date of our Monthly general meeting and special arrangements have been made for a pleasant and informal occasion.

This meeting will commence at the usual time of 10am in the usual place, in the Onehunga RSA hall. We will have Grant Sidaway, our Executive Officer, in Auckland to

give us another of his forthright, informative and entertaining presentations.

If you have not met Grant previously, have a look at his February Gizmoe for just one example of the tremendous efforts put in by Grant for us. [Ctrl+Click to open the link.](#)

[Gizmoe Newsletter](#)

His presentation will be followed by a Question and Answer session that we trust will be vigorous in both directions! After a short break, we shall

adjourn to the upstairs (cash) bar attached to the Orpheus Restaurant for refreshments and networking followed by Luncheon at 12:30 where Grant will be our guest.

As Luncheon will be a buffet there will be ample opportunities for socialising. In addition, we are hoping to organise some light entertainment.

In response to a query and for the avoidance of doubt, partners will be welcome to attend the meeting to experience

and to enjoy Grant’s presentation.

It is however necessary to emphasise that only ticket holders will be admitted into the bar/restaurant and to the Luncheon.

I look forward to seeing you there.

Neville Lane



We acknowledge support from Auckland Council.

May	11	12	13	14	15
10:00am	Windows 8.1 Pt 2 Intro <i>Bob</i>	SeniorNet Meeting	Windows 8.1 Pt 1 Intro <i>Earle</i>		
1:00pm	USB Flash Drive <i>Michael</i>			Win 7 File Management <i>Dawn</i>	
May	18	19	20	21	22
10:00am	Windows 8.1 Pt 2 Intro <i>Bob</i>			Digitize Transparencies <i>Graeme</i>	Google Earth <i>Bryan</i>
1:00pm				Win 7 File Management <i>Dawn</i>	
May	25	26	27	28	29
10:00am			Intermediate Word 2010 <i>Anne</i>		
1:00pm				Win 7 File Management <i>Dawn</i>	
Jun	1	2	3	4	5
10:00am			Intermediate Word 2010 <i>Anne</i>		
1:00pm				Win 7 File Management <i>Dawn</i>	
Jun	8	9	10	11	12
10:00am		SeniorNet Meeting	Intermediate Word 2010 <i>Anne</i>	Internet Banking <i>Anne</i>	Writing Family Memoirs <i>Bryan</i>
1:00pm		Mid Year Luncheon			
Jun	15	16	17	18	19
10:00am			Intermediate Word 2010 <i>Anne</i>	Excel Spreadsheets <i>Anne</i>	
1:00pm					
Jun	22	23	24	25	26
10:00am			Tutors Meeting	Excel Spreadsheets <i>Anne</i>	
1:00pm					
Jun	29	30	1 Jul	2	3
10:00am				Excel Spreadsheets <i>Anne</i>	