



Whangarei Country Music Club Inc

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Hi Everyone

We've had three good club days this month. Yesterday with Kiwi Keith as our guest artist and the Far North members visiting, it was an awesome day. Lots of up-beat songs and great support for the raffles.

The club had a half hour spot in the Salvation Army Fundraising Concert a couple of weeks ago and the artists and band did the club proud.

Don't forget the duos' day on Sunday. If you'd like to see some theme days, let us know. Also, with the flu/cold/covid season here, please use the microphone masks when singing. We need to protect ourselves as much as we can.

Regards
Elva

Hello Everyone

Well, what a busy month it's been. On our first club day we had a bit of jazz and a bit of blue grass, as well as our usual country songs. Sue had the ten minute spot that afternoon and enter-



tained us on her banjo. Steve joined her on his guitar and Bruce on a makeshift

drum and it was very effective. We all enjoyed it. Rita sang Blue Roses in memory of her sister, Irene, who passed away four years ago. Some of you will



remember Irene. She devoted her whole life to country music. We had quite a few visitors that day, including Moses from Dargaville. He played Cavatina on his guitar and it was so beautiful. And do you recognize these 'lazy ladies' lolling about on their chairs?



This Sunday Yvonne Harris has the 10 minute spot.

And then there was last Sunday! Here are some photos from that afternoon:



What a great entertainer Kiwi Keith turned out to be. We had lots of lovely old songs that afternoon and we sang along when we could. The band did a great job, so well done to them! A few of our visitors didn't have chord charts, but Jack played for them and the band knew most of the songs and coped, as always. Thank you to the ladies in the kitchen, who did a fantastic job, as always, to cope with all the food. If your food needs heating, could you perhaps come a little earlier and please don't bring frozen food, as there isn't time to defrost it.

Everyone went away feeling that they'd had a great afternoon and Bruce and Tyler piped us out of the hall as we left.



Some Dates to Remember

- Annette and Kim are having a fundraising concert for the Special Olympics at the Kamo Club on **27 July**.
- The South Waikato Awards are on **12-13 July** at the Putaruru Plaza Theatre.
- The Veteran Awards are on **22 November** at Narrows Park, Airport Road, Hamilton.

Birthdays

Our best wishes this month go to: Lyn Roberts, Maude Cook-Davies, Margaret Hewitt, Gayl Kydd and Julz Visschers. Hope you all have a great day!

Country Calendar

06 July	1.00-4.00 pm
20 July	1.00-4.00 pm
03 August	1.00-4.00 pm
17 August	1.00-4.00 pm
31 August	12.30-4.00 pm

That's all the news for this month. I look forward to seeing you all on Sunday. Take care and

Keep it Country!

