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From the desk of the Editor

Well, it has been another busy month here at NSC despite the lockdown. There always seems to be something going on and lots to read about and enjoy.

We had hoped to bring you news of the Leidens Ontzet luncheon that was to be held in early October, however due to the COVID restrictions on the number of people that we can have at an event this luncheon has now had to be cancelled, however we still thought it would be interesting to explore the history of this tradition and how it came about you can read more about this on pages 6 and 7.

Jose's Joke Corner continues on page 14. And What's On can be found in the Echo on page 8.

As part of our Constitution, we have to publish the names of new members annually. You will find the updated list of new members on page 4.

Enjoy reading the ECHO and please always know that I welcome any articles or information you would like to submit for publication.

Happy reading,



Meri Gibson

Editor Echo Newsletter

Want to contribute to the next issue of the Echo Newsletter?

Echo Material for the next issue of the Echo has to be in by the 20th of each month. Although handwritten material is acceptable if clearly readable, the editor will be very happy with typewritten articles. You would, however, really make my day with your contributions as an attachment to email or with an email. Please ensure any images are of good quality.

Please send to: meri@calibrae.co.nz



From the desk of the President



Dee Segeren President Netherlands Society Christchurch (Inc.)

Hello dear members,

What a month we had. Covid was detected on the North Island and again had a huge impact on our country: New Zealand went into lockdown Level 4. We have moved to a more restricted Level 2 compared to the Level 2 in 2020. The restrictions to be allowed only 50 people indoors and keeping a 2m distance, meant that our market had to be cancelled. So no Dutch groceries and yummy food. But the biggest disappointment was of course no broodje zoute haring. The Dutch saying "wat in het vat zit verzuurt niet" is definitely worth mentioning, because at our market on the 10th October – fingers crossed we will be back in Level 1 – broodje zoute haring is waiting for you.

On the other hand something very exciting happened in The Netherlands last month: Formula 1. The first time since 1985 a race was held at the Zandvoort circuit. Dutch Formula 1 driver Max Verstappen was the reason why the owners worked so hard to transform the circuit and get the license to get this big event coming to The Netherlands. We - the spectators – at the circuit or watching this event on television, IPad or IPhone, could not have wished for a better result: Max not only got pole position on Saturday but also won the race on Sunday.

The crowd was dressed in orange and I was so proud to be Dutch. This enthusiasm for a Dutch driver on Dutch soil was almost the same as when Wil Hartog, Boet van Dulmen and Jack Middelburg made us proud in the 70's and 80's at the Grand Prix motorcycle races at Assen.



This year the Toenail

Culture Ale Group celebrates its 20 years existence. On 15, 16 and 17 October the group invites us to attend this year's performance. Don't forget your hankies as it's always a performance "met een lach en een traan". Give Annie a call on 021 062 5656 to book your ticket. For details have a read on page 8. Pete and I really look forward to it.

I cannot give you an update about BVN. Behind the scenes things are still ticking along, so at some point we will find out and I will let you know. Be assured it has our attention and we will keep following up on this, as we know how important BVN is for so many Dutchies.

I want to say "thank you" to those members who have now paid their subs. However there are still several members who have not paid and also have not contacted us to tell us the reason why they have not paid their subscription. The reminder letter had Miryam's – our secretary's – contact details. So could you please, please give her a call on 022 – 362 3411 and let her know if you will pay or that you no longer want to be a member, which we would be really sad about. We – NSC – are making changes and improvements. Perhaps you do not agree with some of the things we have done, but please be assured we are making changes / improvements so NSC will continue to be a strong and healthy society, ready for the next decade.

Hartelijke groet,

Dee



New Members 2021

Names of new members of The Netherlands Society Canterbury As per our Constitution we are herewith publishing the names of new members as at the AGM held on the 27th June 2021.

Lynda Smit Marguerite Linzell Michelle Krijgsman L & S Willems **Marjon Hofmans Margriet Poels** Meri Gibson Ivo Huisman Lia de Vocht Martin van Vugt Maria Vertogen Jack Leeuwenburgh Rob Borgers & Linda Maugers Maaike Jongerius Lisa MacDonald Michiel Buursma Geordie Hooft Joachim & Tracy van Oostrum Herman van Herel Ger Nijenhuis (Gerardus) **Roland Babonnick** Samantha Weusten

Dutch to introduce 'corona' pass despite strong opposition

AMSTERDAM, Sept 17 (Reuters) - The Netherlands will require proof of a COVID-19 vaccination or a recent negative coronavirus test for entry to bars, restaurants, museums, theatres and other cultural events from Sept. 25, as almost all social distancing measures are dropped.

A narrow majority of Dutch parliament late on Thursday rejected a motion calling on the government to change its mind about the 'corona' pass, as Prime Minister Mark Rutte said it was needed to prevent a new wave of infections.

"We are still in a dangerous situation. Not doing this would bring great risks", Rutte said during a heated debate in parliament.

Opponents from across the political spectrum questioned the need for the corona pass, which many said was a ploy to stimulate vaccinations, despite repeated promises by the government that injections would never be mandatory.

"This measure is senseless, unnecessary and false. This is vaccination by force and it divides society", far-right opposition leader Geert Wilders said.

Around 72% of the 17.5 million Dutch have had at least



An empty street is seen during lockdown as the spread of the coronavirus disease (COVID-19) continues in Amsterdam, Netherlands December 15 2020, REUTERS/Piroschka van de Wouw/File Photo

one COVID-19 vaccination, according to official data.

Although polls have shown that a majority of the Dutch support the measure, a coronavirus pass is highly opposed by those who refuse to be vaccinated.

Proposals for the pass have also been met with outrage from the hospitality sector, and many bars and restaurants have said they are not planning to cooperate.

Amsterdam mayor Femke Halsema on Wednesday said police in the Dutch capitol would not have the capacity to enforce the new policy, which requires venues to check their own customers. New infections have fallen to around 2,000 per day in the Netherlands, while roughly 600 COVID-19 patients are receiving treatment in hospital.

(This story was refiled to change date)

Reporting by Bart Meijer; Editing by Michael Perry

Article source: https://www. reuters.com/business/ healthcare-pharmaceuticals/ dutch-introduce-coronapass-despite-strongopposition-2021-09-17/

Traditions followed thousands of years later.

Leiden's Ontzet

On the 3rd October we will celebrate this occasion*. So, we thought it would be good to explore the traditions of this occasion. This is what google tells us, and please note we have clipped some of the content of the article to fit the pages. Also note that the views expressed here may not be shared by the NSC.

The siege of Leiden occurred during the Eighty Years' War and the Anglo-Spanish War in 1573 and 1574, when the Spanish under Francisco de Valdez attempted to capture the rebellious city of Leiden, South Holland, the Netherlands. The siege failed when the city was successfully relieved in October 1574.



Leidens Ontzet Luncheon on 3/10 is cancelled.

Background

In the war that had broken out (eventually called the Eighty Years' War), Dutch rebels took up arms against the Habsburg king of Spain, whose family had inherited the Seventeen Provinces of the Netherlands. Most of the counties of Holland and Zeeland were occupied by rebels in 1572, who sought to end the harsh rule of the Spanish Duke of Alba, governor-general of the Netherlands. The territory had a high density of cities, which were protected by defence works and by the low-lying boglands, which could easily be flooded by opening the dykes and letting in the sea.

The Duke of Alba tried to break resistance using brute force. He used Amsterdam as a base, as this was the only city in the county of Holland that had remained loyal to the Spanish government. Alba's cruel treatment of the populations after the sieges of Naarden and Haarlem was notorious. The rebels learned that no mercy was shown there and were determined to hold out as long as possible.

The county of Holland was split in two when Haarlem was taken by the Spanish after a seven-month siege. Alba then attempted to take Alkmaar in the north, but the city withstood the Spanish attack. Alba then sent his officer Francisco de Valdez to attack the southern rebel territory, starting with Leiden. In the meantime, due to his failure to quell the rebellion as quickly as he had intended, Alba submitted his resignation, which King Philip accepted in December. The less harsh and more politic Luis de Zúñiga y Requesens replaced him as governor-general.

First siege of Leiden

The city of Leiden had plenty of food stored for the siege when it started in October 1573. The siege was very difficult for the Spanish, because the soil was too loose to dig trenches. and the city's defence works were hard to break. Defending Leiden was a Dutch States rebel army consisting of English, Scottish, and Huguenot French troops. The leader of the Dutch rebels, William the Silent, Prince of Orange, attempted a relief of Leiden by sending an army into the Netherlands under the command of his brother. Louis of Nassau, Valdez lifted the siege in April 1574 to face the invading rebel troops, but Sancho d'Avila reached them first and defeated them in the Battle of Mookerheyde, where Louis was killed.

Second siege and relief of Leiden

During the brief respite from the siege, Orange counselled the citizens of Leiden to restock their city with supplies, and take in a larger garrison to help defend the town. They disregarded his advice however, so when Valdez' army returned to renew the siege on May 26, 1574, they were in as poor a condition as they had previously been. The city considered surrendering, as there was almost no chance of relief and supplies were dwindling. The defeat of Louis' army was also a blow to morale.

The Prince of Orange, however, was determined to relieve the city. Therefore, he sent a carrier pigeon into the city pleading for it to hold out for three months. To fulfil this promise, he planned to breach the dykes to allow the sea to flood the low-lying land. The siege could then be lifted using the rebel fleet, and the Spaniards would be forced to retire before the incoming sea. This tactic had also been used to relieve Alkmaar. The damage to the surrounding countryside would be enormous, and therefore the population of the area resisted the breaching of the dykes. However, in the end, the prince prevailed and the outer dykes were broken on August 3. Previously, the Prince's Admiral Louis Boisot had assembled a fleet of more than two hundred small flat-bottomed vessels, manned by 2,500 veteran Dutch seamen, and carrying a large store of provisions for the starving townspeople of Leiden.

The relieving rebels arrived at the city, feeding the citizens with herring and white bread. The people also feasted on *hutspot* (carrot and onion stew) in the evening.

Aftermath

In 1575, the Spanish treasury ran dry, so that the Spanish army could not be paid anymore and it mutinied. After the pillaging of Antwerp, the whole of the Netherlands rebelled against Spain. Leiden was once again safe.

The 3 October Festival is celebrated every year in Leiden. It is a festival, with a fun fair and a dozen open air discos in the night. The municipality gives free herring and white bread to the citizens of Leiden.

Image (L): Second siege and relief of Leiden . The "legend", confirmed by historical research in 2014, of Magdalena Moons and Francisco de Valdez became a popular story after the siege of 1574: painting by Simon Opzoomer, ca 1845. https:// en.wikipedia.org/wiki/File:Magdalena_Moons_%26_ Francisco_Valdez.jpg

What's On!

Toenail Culture Ale



Deze enige echte enthousiaste nederlandstalige toneelgroep in Nieuw Zeeland bestaat dit jaar 20 jaar.

Ook dit jaar brengen wij u een uniek stuk:

"LOCKDOWN". Actueler kan eigenlijk niet he?

Het verhaal speelt zich af in een verlaten bejaardenhuis, waar 4 oudere jongeren dapper vasthouden aan de LOCKDOWN. En eerlijk gezegd hebben ze het er eigenlijk best naar hun zin.

Benieuwd hoe het ze afgaat?

Dat kan u zien in het weekend van 15, 16, en 17 oktober.

Kaartjes bij Annie van der Dussen: 021 0625 656

En Ada Hogendoorn: 027 431 4131 of: 33220 57

En u weet; tickets zijn inclusief 'n hapje en 'n drankje.

Zie u dan in de Everglades, Marshlands Road.

Sinterklaas

- Sinterklaas Afternoon Sunday 28 October
- Sinterklaas Picnic Sunday 5 December

Other Clubs

The Hungarian Club

• 1956 Remembrance 17th November

- General meeting 3pm 7th November
- Hungarian Fair 20th November
- St Nicholas Day 5th December

The Austrian Club:

Wine Tasting at Rosebank Winery and Restaurant 2pm, 10th October

- National Day 26th October
- Christmas Lunch 12.00 3.30pm at the Elms, Papanui Rd 5th December

The Swiss Club



• Smichlaus (St Nikolaus) 5th December

German Stammtisch



• Meet other German speakers. First Wednesday of every month at the Pegasus Arms

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Sunday 10 October 2021 Sunday 14 November 2021

10am-12.30pm

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23 October 2021

Dutch Club Southern Memories Tour



Monday

9am Depart from the Dutch Club on Marshlands Road

11am Morning drinks at the Tin Shed near Geraldine

12.30pm Arrive in Tekapo. Time for lunch, hot pools, walk etc.

3.30pm Depart Tekapo and photo stops around Lake Pukaki

4.30pm Visit the Salmon Farm

5.00pm Arrive at our accommodation in Twizel. High Country Lodge

Tuesday

8.00am Breakfast followed by departure heading South

10.30am Arrive in Wanaka. Visit Puzzling World and Wanaka township

1.30pm Depart Wanaka and go wine tasting, fruit stop and watch/ do bungy jumps!!!!

5.00pm Arrive in Queenstown and our accommodation. Pinewood Lodge which is a 10 minute walk into the town centre.

Wednesday

Free day to wander and do activities at your leisure. Trip to Arrowtown if people are interested.

Thursday

8.00am Breakfast followed by departure. Stops in Central Otago for photos.

12.00pm Arrive in Dunedin and visit the butterfly center at Otago Museum.

1.30pm Go to our accommodation at the Leviathan Hotel (downtown). Afternoon free to explore Dunedin, such as the Train Station etc.

Friday

8.00am Breakfast and load luggage. Morning available to do an activity based on group agreement such as Otago Peninsula or beer factory tour etc. Depart at 11.00am

12.30pm Arrive at Moeraki Boulders and have lunch. Depart at 1.30pm

2.00pm Arrive in Oamaru and our accommodation. To be advised. Free time to explore the Old Town, Steampunk etc.

Saturday

8.00am Breakfast and load luggage. Go to Bushy Beach and see seals etc. Visit the Lolly Factory shop for those grandkids and Whitestone Cheese shop

12.30pm Depart Oamaru, with a drink stop at the Tinwald Domain

4.30pm Arrive at Dutch Club in Marshland Road.

Notes

- This tour is based on minimum and maximum numbers (8 and 16)
- Travel is on a 21-seat bus with luggage trailer
- Accommodation is in comfortable motel, hotel and lodges and each room has an ensuite. Some of these are chosen so the group can get

together in the evenings in a central lounge. They will be at least a 3-star rating. The price is based on double or twin share. Single person rooms would pay a supplement

- Breakfasts are included in the tour. These would be a combination of continental, provided by ourselves and cooked, provided by restaurants. Lunches and dinners are at your own expense. Sometimes, predinner nibbles will be provided. On most days morning and/or afternoon drinks are provided.
- Group participants must be able to walk comfortably on activities etc. and have no underlying medical issues which could delay the tour.
- The price includes a guide, all transport needs, and breakfasts. It does not include lunches, dinners and any activities that incur costs.
- The tour itinerary could be varied based on road and weather conditions at the time.
- The price for the tour is \$1190 per person. The single supplement is \$375. This is payable to the Dutch Club once the tour is confirmed.

If you have any questions about the tour, contact Eric 0275243686 or Annie on 0210625656.



Date: 19 December

Tree Talk

If trees could talk.

Here is an interesting thing, there are many trees on the Everglades golf course located at 637 Marshlands Road and they constantly need to be maintained and checked to see if they are in good condition or need to be cut down.

So, what would they say if they could talk?

They would tell you that the prevalent tree species on the site is mainly Pinus Radiata, there are some Salix (Willow) species and also Eucalyptus and Cypresses, in that they are mostly in good health and showing good overall vigour.

You may recall that we recently had to cut down a tree which was causing issues on the golf course. There are however some issues with other trees that may be cause for concern in the future.

The trees generally are in good health but have recently been exposed to full wind conditions, especially the pines which due to the failure and subsequent removal of two large pines that were previously in the stand of pines.

So, if you happen to be wandering around the golf course and do happen to overhear the trees chattering away as they blow in the breeze, what they will tell you is that the willows and the Pines will need to be pruned within a year to minimise the chances of failure and any other work such as dead wooding, thinning and elevating will be carried out as general maintenance over the coming 4 years.



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"So Very Dutch" – Dutch Directness

So Very Dutch Dutch directness

The Dutch are renowned for speaking thier minds: from complete strangers reprimanding you for chatting in the train's quiet zone, to a friend not telling you a white lie about your bad haircut. Outsiders often see this as being rude or tactless, but for the Dutch it is actually a virtue of sincerity and honesty. They don't mince their words or beat around the bush, and are often not afraid to discuss hot topics such as religion, politics, immigration or money. In fact, it is even seen as a cultural faux pas to not have an opinion. Some Studies



trace this directness back to the country's history of Calvinism: Calvinist are concerned with the essence of things and what is really important. The good thing about this 'callous' openness? At least you know exactly where you stand with The Dutch



Newly discovered Van Gogh goes on display A drawing newly attributed to Vincent van Gogh that has never been displayed publicly before is going on show at the Amsterdam museum that bears the Dutch master's name.



Senior researcher Teio Meedendorp gestures during the presentation of Study for "Worn Out", left, a drawing by Dutch master Vincent van Gogh, dated Nov. 1882, going on public display for the first time. (AP)

Klaverjas Club

De gedwongen vacantie is weer voorbij en de kaarters waren weer blij om hun quality van het spelen te tonen, maar het eind result verklaarden ons dat het wel wat roestig was, wat de uitslag betreft van het puntenaantal en dan hoor je" ik kom hier voor de gezelligheid en niet zo zeer voor de punten en dat antwoord vind ik altijd een compliment voor de mensen die dit organiseren, bedankt We waren er niet allemaal wat jammer was, maar we respecteren hun zorgen. En we gaan weer met volle moed verder, "Moeder Lena zei altijd, doe maar net als of je gek bent en gewoon doorgaan." Ik weet niet waar ze dat van daar haalde maar het klonk altijd heel overtuigend. De Lente kaart drijf viel in het water van wegen de Virus maar op Zaterdag de 23ste October (Labor weekend) dan spelen we er weer een kaart drijf. zo dat wordt weer ons feestje. De winnaars voor de maand September waren! ste Arda Hogendoorn met 5387 punten en 2de Jean Blick met 4699 punten Wel mensen we hopen beter nieuws te

hebben de volgende maand wat die Virus betreft, je moet maar zo denken de dagen worden weer een stuk langer en het wordt weer lekker warm ik zal zeggen geniet er van en heb heel veel plezier in het spel van het leven,



Youth Of Yesterday 2021

Every Friday morning 9.30am–2pm approx. A small charge of \$2.

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Phone Lilian for information: 381-0218





Jose's jokes corner

1.

2.

The elderly skipper noticed a new seaman one day and barked at him.

"Get over here! What is your name?" was the first thing the skipper asked the new guy.

"Paul". The new guy replied.

The elderly skipper scowled. "Look, I don't know what kind of bleeding heart, liberal pansy stuff they're teaching sailors in boot camp today, but I don't call anyone by their first name. It breeds familiarity and that leads to a breakdown in authority. I refer to my sailors by their last name only - Smith, Jones, Baker, that's all. I am to be referred to only as skipper, do I make myself clear?"

"Aye, aye, skipper".

"Good, now that we've got that straight what is your last name?"

The new guy sighed and said. "Darling, my name is Paul Darling skipper".

"Okay.... Paul.... here's what I want you to do".

The room was full of pregnant women with their husbands. The instructor said, "ladies, remember that exercise is good for you. Walking is especially beneficial; it strengthens the pelvic muscles and will make delivery that much easier. Just pace yourself, make plenty of stops and try to stay on a soft surface like grass or a path".

"Gentlemen remember you're in this together it won't hurt you to go walking with her. I'm fact that shared experience would be good for you both".

The room suddenly became very quiet as the men absorbed this information. And after a few minutes a man, name unknown at the back of the room, slowly raised his hand.

"Yes?" said the instructor. "I was wondering if it would be alright if she carries a golf bag while we walk?" 3.

A young man named John received a parrot as a gift. The parrot had a bad attitude and an even worse vocabulary. Every word that came out of the bird's mouth was rude, obnoxious, and laced with profanity.

John tried and tried to change the bird's attitude by consistently saying only polite words, playing soft music, and anything else he could think of to clean up the bird's vocabulary. Finally, John was fed up and he yelled at the parrot. The parrot yelled back, John shook the parrot and the parrot got angrier and even ruder. John in desperation threw up his hand, grabbed the bird and put him in the freezer to cool off for a few minutes. For a few seconds the parrot squawked and kicked and screamed, then suddenly there was total quiet not a peep was heard. Fearing that he'd hurt the parrot, John quickly opened the door to the freezer.

The parrot calmly stepped out onto Johns outstretched arms and said "I believe I may have offended you with my rude language and actions. I'm sincerely remorseful for my inappropriate transgressions and I fully intend to do everything I can to correct my rude and unforgivable behaviour. John was stunned at the change in the bird's attitude. As he was about to ask the parrot what had made such a dramatic change in attitude, the bird continued, "May I ask what the turkey did?"



You know that you're a Kiwi when:

- You end most of your sentences by saying "eh"
- When you hear "sweet as" you know it has nothing to do with the taste
- The correct name for flip-flops is jandals
- You are 100% sure that the Pavlova is a Kiwi creation
- You know that Whakapapa sounds like a swearword but actually isn't
- A dairy is something that actually has very little to do with diary



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Neerlandia Choir recital

The Neerlandia choir was going to hold their yearly concert in conjunction with Leidens Ontzet on Sunday 3rd October.

Because of the restrictions with level 2, the luncheon has been cancelled but the choir is still going to sing.

The recital will start at 2pm on Sunday 3rd October at Everglades.

Afternoon tea will be served.

Cost is \$5

Please call Annie: ph: 383 1594 or mob: 021 062 5656

The people who have already booked for Leidens Ontzet, do not need to rebook for this recital, but please let Annie know if you are not attending.



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or from Secretary

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Lilian's Lockdown Jokes

Why did the chick cross the road?

Because the chicken behind it did not know how to socially distance properly! After years of wanting to thoroughly clean my house but lacking the time, this week I discovered that wasn't the reason! How did the health experts lie? They said a mask and gloves was enough to go to the grocery store.

When I go there, everyone else has clothes on!







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