



**NETHERLANDS**  
SOCIETY ROTORUA (Inc)  
GEYSER NEWS  
November December 2021  
January 2022

UPCOMING EVENTS:

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Please Notice This



What we need to do in Alert Level 2

MARKET DAY SATURDAY 4TH DECEMBER 10AM-NOON

**Note: Covid19 restrictions do apply! (This is a members' only event this year, which may include your children and grand/great-grandchildren).**

We are happy to announce that the last Market Day of the year will go ahead and Sinterklaas and his Piet will be there to greet you all from 10.30am onwards at the clubrooms. Stock up on all the Dutch treats in the shop for Xmas stocking fillers. Enjoy a coffee, croquette and oliebollen and wait your turn whilst Sinterklaas comes to visit you at your table. He will have plenty of time to see you all!  
This Market Day we will also be selling Gevulde Speculaas made fresh by one of our members, which can be purchased from the kitchen.



**MARKET DAY**

On Saturday **4 DECEMBER** we will have our last Market Day of 2021, 10am-12 noon.

**Don't Forget** to bring your Children and Grand-Children as we expect **Sinterklaas** and Piet to pay us a visit to see you all.



## THE CLUBROOMS AT LEVEL 2

We need to be vigilant and follow Health guidelines:

- Members only (and close family members as above)
- Attendees that are double vaccinated will be admitted.
- If you are feeling unwell, please do not attend this event.
- All attending this event must register Covid19 tracing by either scanning in the QR code with their Tracer app or register their details manually.
- Mask wearing during the event is not mandatory, however advised when in close contact with strangers as per the Alert Level 2 recommendation that can be found here:

<https://covid19.govt.nz/health-and-wellbeing/protect-yourself-and-others-from-covid19/wear-a-face-covering/wear-a-face-covering-when-leaving-your-home>

- While on the premises at the Club, the parents / caretakers are responsible for the Health and Safety of the children in their care.
- The Netherlands Society can exercise the right to remove persons from the premises that cause health or safety risks for themselves or others.
- This event is limited to 100 people due to Covid19 level social gathering restrictions.

### CANCELLATION:

In case of Covid19 level change, upwards from Level 2, or any other advice from the government containing restrictive measures, the event will automatically be cancelled. If you are not sure, please phone a committee member.

#### **CHRISTMAS LUNCHEON**

Sunday: 12 DECEMBER 2021

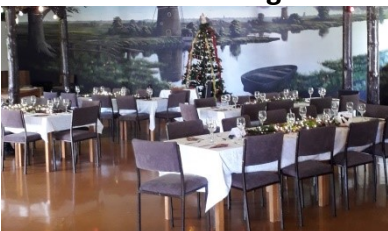
**TIME:** Doors open at 12:30pm

**LUNCH:** to be served at 1:00pm

**COST:** \$20.00 for Members,

\$25.00 for Non Members,

This Includes a Beverage.



#### **PLEASE RSVP BEFORE 5th DECEMBER to**

ANNNEKE on 357 4273

INA on 347 0251 or 021 159 9097

The lunch is always very popular  
Don't be disappointed – Don't miss out

**BOOK NOW**



**FROM THE COMMITTEE:**

The clubs' AGM was held in October this year with 18 members in attendance. Even though we were unable to hold the Market Day in October and had many hall hire cancellations due to Covid19, the club is in a good financial place. We again managed to secure a grant to pay for the Insurance which helped us break even once again. The new toilet renovations have been 80% completed and was a big needed improvement to the clubrooms. Due to supply and shipping delays, we are still waiting on its completion. A long standing member of our Committee Chris Bos, resigned from the committee this year and we would just like to acknowledge her input over the past 12 years. Chris has also been a member of the club for 40+ years. Dick her husband even longer and has great knowledge of past members & the history of the club. The committee will miss her knowledge of the club and are very grateful for all her help over the years.

We are fortunate enough to have a club where members are so willing and involved with helping out. You all know who you are and we appreciate your help and enthusiasm. A great team effort!!! THANK YOU ALL!!!

**PLEASE NOTE!!!!!**

FOR **DECEMBER**

**COFFEE CLUB**



WE WILL HAVE A COFFEE MORNING / LUNCH ON **7 DECEMBER at 12 Noon**

This will be a Pot-Luck Lunch. Bring your favourite dish and share this with your friends.

THERE WILL BE **NO** BINGO IN DECEMBER



**PLEASE NOTE!!!!!**

FOR **JANUARY 2022**

NO COFFEE MORNING 

NO BINGO 



**WHAT'S ON IN THE CLUBROOMS EVERY MONTH**

Coffee Morning Every 1st Tuesday at 10 am, (From February 2022)

Bingo Every 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesday at 1:30 pm, (From February 2022)

**BUYING A BOX OF CROQUETTES**

This has to be ordered by Anneke, 07 357 4273, at least a month ahead of the Market Day. Anneke can put a special order in for you





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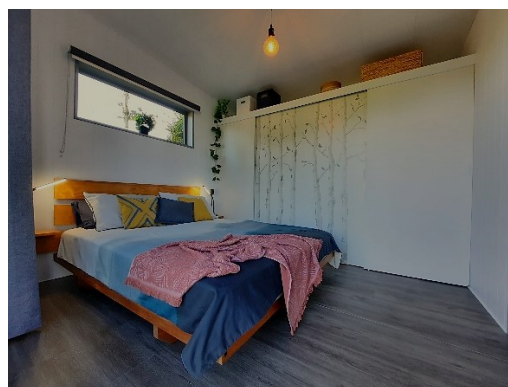
Rest in Peace Rinske

Rinske van der Ploeg passed away early in the morning on 15<sup>th</sup> November. In 2015 Rinske immigrated to New Zealand to be with her daughter Sandra, her only close relative. Coming from Amsterdam, at the age of 73, it is amazing how well Rinske adjusted to New Zealand Life. On a rural property just outside Rotorua Rinske was happy living in a Granny Flat. She had some chickens and every day a nice boiled egg. Her second home, that is what friend called it, was Palmers.



## **FOR SALE**

### BRAND NEW COSY TINY HOME



This is only an impression of the fully furnished tiny home.  
For more information and photos contact me:  
Marius Lagerweij 07 3331937 or

Check on trade me: 3355202241

**THIS IS YOUR COMMITTEE: THEY WISH YOU ALL A HEALTHY AND PROSPEROUS 2022**

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**From the Editors Desk:**



*To those of you who have suffered the loss of a loved one in recent times, our thoughts are with you.*

*If you or your loved ones are suffering from an illness or injury, I hope there is a speedy recovery.*

**To all our Members and their Families: I wish you a Prosperous and Healthy 2022 and to the Committee and All the Volunteers: A BIG THANK YOU**

**Hope to see you all at the Market Day and the Christmas Lunch**

**Hank and I wish you all a Healthy 2022**

