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NEWSLETTER DATED 4 NOVEMBER 2021

Dear members,

St Nic, 2.00pm Sunday 5th December 2021

Normally we would be begging you to join our youngsters at the Sinterklaas celebration. This time it will be a different party however, let us explain:

We are trying to organise the event with the current COVID Level 2 restrictions in mind. Reading the official COVID guidelines is a bit like walking through the jungle, we imagine (none of us have actually done that), where you lose your way quickly depending on how you categorise the event.

One thing is very clear though and that is the maximum number of people allowed to congregate and that is 100.

Considering volunteers needed for the event, that leaves only fewer visitors to the event possible.

Hence, we are asking visitors without children to leave the limited spots that we have available for the kids and their family.

Thank you very much for your understanding and we will make sure that there are plenty of photographs available to look back on the event.

Christmas Lunch, Sunday 19th December 2021, Doors open 11.30am, lunch at 12.30pm. \$30 per person for members, \$40.00 per person for non-members.

A caterer has been organised but needs a minimum of 40 people, so we need to have firm numbers of bookings that need to be confirmed by payment on or before Sunday, 20th of November 2021. This can be done by cash payment to Ann Beyk in the club rooms on Sunday Social Afternoons, Tuesday morning Klaverjas, or Wednesday Coffee morning on the 17th of November. Otherwise, email or phone Dawn (contact details in the letterhead) to place your booking and pay by electronic transfer of funds to account number: 03-0525-**0098055**-000, NZ Netherlands Society Wgtn Incorporated and enter your name and "Christmas Lunch" in the payment details. Please note: the bank account number announced in the Double Dutch item about this event is wrong – there was one 8 too many.

Kind regards

From Dawn on behalf of the committee.