## Dunedin Rock/FROIL Revival Guth

## NEWSLETTER September 2024



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#### **President's Report**

#### Hello everyone

It has been quite a busy month for the club, with having the club competitions and the AGM on, as well as the usual dance, club nights and lessons.

The club competition was held on dance night, with an earlier start time and lead into the dance. This seems to be a popular choice with the members and many people came along to support the dancers. Thanks to all those that helped pull the comps together and who helped on the night: Liz, Tom, Warren, Kim and Gordon, with special thanks to Leila who is also always happy to help with the prep and offer advice and support. Thanks to Karen Birch who travelled from Invercargill to judge alongside Leila. Great to see Susan and Jack from Invercargill pay us a visit as well.

We have 26 members attending the Nationals in Christchurch at Labour weekend, and we will be supporting Sam, Mel and Toni in the Triples, Sam and Toni in the Open, and Geoff and MaryAnne in the Diamond Restricted. It is a lot of work to prepare for Nationals and we know you will do the club proud, and we will be there to support you.

For those attending please remember that your accommodation money is due to Liz by 18 September, you will have received an email from Toni with the details. If not please let her know.

The AGM was held this week and your new committee for the next year elected. Sam and Mel have decided to take a break from the committee, and we thank them for their time they have spent supporting the club in their various roles. Your committee is;

President V.President Secretary Treasurer Committee

Kimberley Lamond
Tom Naylor
Liz Naylor
Dale Boyle
Dave Walker
Erelene Milne
Geoff Henry
Pat Tutty
Richard Robb

Robyn Tweedie

Margaret Cameron

Sandra Christie Susan Warburton Toni Kennedy

The club is still in a healthy financial position and we had a surplus again this year. There will be some costs coming up for new laptops etc and we are lucky we have the funds to get what we need.

There was some good discussion at the AGM. There was support for the number of bands we are having in a year, support for members to participate in demos, member's profiles to go into the newsletter, for more feedback to members through the newsletter, support for dances to start earlier )particularly in the winter months), conversation and concerns about the hall sound system, outdated laptops (for music). These items will be taken on by the committee and we will feedback to the members.

Liz talked about the changes we need to make to the constitution, and we also are going to review our club competition rules as they have been in place for a good number of years and circumstances have changed.

On October 4<sup>th</sup>, Geoff has arranged for 10 Pin Bowling night for those who want to attend. This is always a good social night, with a bit of friendly competition, and all are welcome. Details regarding time and costs will be communicated through the Facebook page.

The Santa parade is on

1 December this year and we will
be entering as usual. This is a great
way to promote the club and a lot
of fun, the day ends with us all
having a meal together for those
who wish to attend

The dance this month is a special one as Gill and Mike are celebrating milestone birthdays, their 120<sup>th</sup> (between them).

What a stunning pic of a lovely young couple, you haven't changed a bit. (*Thanks Margaret!* Editor)



Details for the September dance as follows:

No charge at the door, but please go and get a door ticket from the lovely folk on duty, so we can keep track of numbers.

Supper is provided, no need to bring a plate, but will be served at the slightly earlier time of 9 pm to be kind to elderly relatives! We will keep it rolling through the evening, so there will be something to snack on if you get pecky!

Raffles will be as normal.

That's all for this month, see you at the dance and the 10 pin bowling.

Keep on rocking

#### Margaret





### **RESULTS 2024**

# **Best Dressed Competitors** John and Hannah Whelan **Triples** Sam Gillions, Mel Halley and Toni Kennedy **Senior Restricted** Geoff Henry and MaryAnne Bishop Diamond Geoff Henry and MaryAnne Bishop

## **Novice** John and Hannah Whelan **Open** 1st Sam Gillions and Toni Kennedy 2<sup>nd</sup> John and Hannah Whelan Same Sex MaryAnne Bishop and Jenny Kendrick **Overall Club Champions** Sam Gillions and Toni Kennedy

## Rock 'n' Roll Revival Club Saturday, 21 September at 8.00pm



### Cactus

Supper Provided

Prices: No charge!

Flat shoes only on the dance floor
Community Hall, 253 King Edward Street, South Dunedin

## Happy Birthday To These Rockers! September Birthdays

02. Stephen Black 24. Reid Buchan

05. Andrea Knowles 30. Evan Vincent

22. Stuart Fletcher 30. Norman Evans

22. Amy Wilson

## Happy Birthday To These Rockers! October Birthdays

07. Graeme Abernathy 16. Cheryl McIvor

10. Temika Bishop 16. Mary-Anne Bone

10. Grace Bishop 22. Sean Blair

10. Janine Martin 23. Denis O'Connell

12. Shirley Christie 28. Alan Montgomery

16. Eric McAuslan 30. Jeremy Dubrulle



A new set of beginners classes commenced on

Monday 19th August

Please say Hi to them



21 Sep	September Dance
19 Oct	October Dance
25-27 Oct	Senior Rock 'n' Roll Nationals, Christchurch
16 Nov	November dance
1 Dec	Santa Parade
21 Dec	Christmas Dance

#### Some items from the Club Wardrobe

The Club has a wardrobe of donated items that Club members are able to borrow. We'll be featuring some of these each month and if you wish to know more about what is on offer or wish to borrow anything for a special occasion (or indeed, any occasion!) please see Erelene or Pat.









## To keep up with the latest ... join the club's Facebook Page! Dunedin Rock 'N' Roll Revival Club

Please send any articles you wish to have included in the newsletter to Gill at gillhormann@yahoo.co.nz

or on the Website to Sharon at <a href="mailto:schappelow@gmail.com">schappelow@gmail.com</a>

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#### COMMITTEE

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**Committee:** Erelene Milne

Pat Tutty
David Walker
Toni Kennedy
Dale Boyle
Sandra Christie

OTHER INFO

**Lessons Contact** To be updated

Dances 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday each month 8 pm

Members' Club Night Tuesdays 7.30 pm

Website Sharon Chappelow

Newsletter Editor Gill Hormann

Facebook Editor Margaret Cameron (Group page)

Gill Hormann (Public page)

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