

GANZ NEWZ

Guitar Association of New Zealand



November 2017 www.nzguitar.com

GAN2™ VENUE: Ponsonby Cruising Club, Westhaven, Auckland (next to Sitting Duck Café) Fantastic venue Free parking (between the white lines) Cheap drinks

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MEETINGS: 3rd Wednesday of the month Open Mic from 7.30pm Members \$10 Non members \$15

Guitar Jam

Electric Jam every Wednesday. Bring songs to share or join in with ours. We want to see you there

Acoustic Guitar Jam

Every Wednesday of the month. Just join in

Open Mic

Open mic is on the 3rd Wednesday of the month.

You are invited to come along and play. [Phone Paul first]

Use your own guitar or use the acoustic-electric Martin DM Dreadnaught provided by Lynn McAllister Music.

GANZ Open-mic & Jammers call Paul 021 717 128

GANZ A G M Report

Present: Phil, Val, Paul, Ian B, Dean & David. Apologies: Steve, Ian H

This year Dennis moved out of Auckland and resigned as President. He remains a member. We thank Dennis for all his many contributions to GANZ since 2005 and for our current use of the resources he left with

We called for candidates for a new President, but there were none, so we have discontinued the role of President and will carry on with the Committee.

This year's Committee is: Phil Ellis and Val Cole (re-elected) and Paul Humby and Steve McLellan (Proposer Val, Seconder Ian)

Val will now be the contact person with the Ponz. Dennis will continue to look after the GANZ website and Facebook page.

The Treasurer (Phil) gave the financial report and we are pleased to note that we are in the black.

The GANZ Songbook was reprinted this year and we have sold a few copies. We continue to advertise in the NZ Music Services Directory.

The Xmas BBQ and Jam will be on 20 December 2017 and next year's Jambegue will be at Phil's on Anniversary weekend.

We may have the occasional Open Mic and Band night next year.

One of our members and staunch supporter of the Open Mics John Croft died this year. We are sorry to lose him.

A special thanks to the Ponsonby Cruising Club and Bar Manager Kevin for hosting GANZ for the year in their wonderful clubrooms at Westhaven.

Val Cole

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Name Mr / Ms	/ Dr			
Email Address				(for the newsletter)
Phone number(s)				
Postal address (Optional)				
Membership Fee	\$65.00			
		(Me	mbershin Fee structure changed at AGM Nov 200	15)

Please make your cheque out to GANZ and mail with the completed form to:

GANZ c/o, P.O. Box 52 Clevedon, Auckland 2248

Deposit in our account with your name so we know it came from you! Collect your card from us at the PONZ A/c name: Guitar Association of New Zealand A/c number: 12 3030 0550410 00

A word from the Committee

See the front page for the report on the GANZ AGM on 11th October 2017.

We also had a Special General Meeting on 19 April to discuss the redistributions of Dennis' roles because he was moving out of Auckland.

If you want to know how to pay your subs, you can come to a Jam and give your \$65 to Phil or Val or the bank account number is 12 3030 0550410 00.

All members are welcome to join us on Wednesday nights from 7pm. We have Electric and Acoustic jam sessions. If you arrive early you can get cooked food from the bar. You can even help us set up!

Val



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