



October 2021

Newsletter

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Another successful function was held for our AGM at the Otago Golf club attended by 39 members where your Branch committee was elected. Our National President Tony Hamilton also attended and kept us up to date with happenings from Wellington.

Your present committee is:

Chair Bill Price
Vice chair Max Kennelly
Secretary/treasurer Robert Morey,

Committee members:

David Horne, Robin Gledhill, Ron McLeod, Ralph Harrison, Brian Hall, Bryan Manly, and Charlie Gilligan.

Errol Thompson has resigned from the committee after many years serving on it and organising our past bus trips. I would like to thank him for the service he has given us. We are always looking for new blood for our committee. If you are interested in joining us please let me know. What about the ladies? Do any of you want to join our committee?

Do you know anyone or have any old work mates who were contributors to the Government Superannuation Scheme and not members of the GSA? Invite them to join our organisation.

Our social subcommittee is investigating possible venues for our bus trips so if you have any ideas please tell us as we are always looking for more destinations. One suggestion was the Hayes Engineering works at Oturehua, what others would you like?

We as a branch are very fortunate in having sufficient funds to subsidise the costs of these trips and dinners all due to the diligence of former treasurers. I would like to thank them for their efforts.

IMPORTANT:

When moving, you must notify The Scheme Administrator at Datacom **and** your local GSA secretary of your new address. I have recently checked addresses supplied by Datacom against our database and found about 5% of them are different. I also get a lot of mail returned to me with "Gone no forwarding address". If you know anyone who hasn't received newsletters, tell them to get in touch with us with their new address. Are there any issues that you would like discussed/ brought up on your behalf?

Contact your local secretary Robert Morey at PO Box 5182 Dunedin 9054

OR

Email me at otago@gsa.org.nz. Or by phone at 0800 888 472.

Thank you.

R Morey

BUS TRIP

Our bus trip next February will be to the Hayes Engineering works at Otarehura on the 9th February 2022. We will leave the car park at Shore Street Andersons Bay at 9am and hope to be back at 5pm. The cost will be \$25 per person which will include a light lunch and a tour of the engineering works.

Christmas Lunch

Our annual Christmas lunch will be held on Wednesday the 1st December at the Otago Golf Club in Balmacewen Rd as in the past. Please be seated by 12pm. Cost will be \$25 per person.

BANKING CHANGES

As you may be aware we are no longer able to accept cheques. Please use internet or phone banking to deposit money into our account.

Government Superannuitants Association Otago Branch

Westpac 03 0903 0379891 00

If you don't have either of internet/phone banking, go into your branch and ask them to help you.

When paying this way it is important that the return slips on page 4 are mailed back to me or scanned/photographed then emailed to me. I use these for auditing purposes and contact details checking.

Important Phone Numbers and Addresses

| Name | Phone | Email | Postal address |
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| GSF Datacom | 0800 654731 | gsf@datacom.co.nz | PO Box 3614 Wellington 6140 |
| NPF Datacom | 0800 628776 | npfenquiries@datacom.co.nz | PO Box 1036 Wellington 6140 |
| GSF Authority | 04 4996999 | | PO Box 3390 Wellington 6140 |
| PSA Holiday Homes | 0800 103090 | holidayhomes@psa.org.nz | |
| Marram Community Trust (Ex Post Office staff only) | 04 8012920 | | PO Box 24006 Wellington 6142 |



National President Tony Hamilton and local members at the Otago Branch AGM



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BUS TRIP

When mailing returns please allow a week for NZ Post to do their delivery.

Please return to Otago Branch GSA, PO BOX 5182 Dunedin 9054 **OR** scan and email to

otago@gsa.org.nz **by 25th January 2022.**

I would like to go on the bus trip to Hayes Engineering works on Wednesday 1st February 2022

NAME.....Number of people.....

Phone number..... email.....

Amount enclosed/paid by internet banking (\$25 per person) \$.....Date.....

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CHRISTMAS LUNCH

Please return to Otago Branch GSA, PO BOX 5182 Dunedin 9054 **OR** scan /photograph and email to

otago@gsa.org.nz **by 26th November.**

I would like to go to the Christmas function at the Otago Golf Club on Wednesday 1st December 2021

Please arrive by 11.45 am.

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