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## Rotorua Branch April 2022 Newsletter

### Chairman's report 2021 - 2022

Welcome members to our AGM for 2021 / 22. The past year has been a disrupted once again, with the Covid-19 virus and the health measures we have had to get used to. However, the Branch still managed to function smoothly.

We held committee meetings on 7 May, 27 May, 30 July, 24 September and 16 February to conduct our business. Finances remain in a healthy state. Membership numbers are:

2018	-	434
2019	-	418
2020	-	409
2021	-	392

Total New Zealand membership for 2021 is 24,424. The loss rate is about 4%.

Breakdown for our Branch in 2021:

Annuitants:	207
Annuitant spouses:	105
Surviving spouses:	64
Pre-Annuitants:	9
Pre-Annuitant spouses:	7
Total	<b><u>392</u></b>

Three functions were held. On 21 May there was a morning tea and AGM, with National President Tony Hamilton speaking. On 6 August there was a morning tea with guest speaker Richard Perkins from Neighbourhood Support Rotorua. On 19 November there was a Christmas Lunch with guest speaker Mel Bowen. Attendance was very good for Mel's talk on the final sinking of the Rainbow Warrior.

The **GSA's** National Council Meeting has had to be postponed on two occasions, the latest being on 29 January this year. The National Office continues to maintain frequent communication with Branches.

The committee thanks the CT Club for the use of their premises for Branch and Committee Meetings. I personally thank the committee for their good work during the year and, of course, I thank our Secretary Ian for fulfilling all the administrative work required to keep the Branch in good order.

Wayne Hall, Chairman, Rotorua Branch

### **Friday 20 May – Rotorua branch AGM and morning tea**

The Rotorua branch AGM will be held at 10:30am on Friday 20 May at Rotorua Commercial Travellers club, 26 Moncur Drive, Rotorua. This meeting will only proceed if Covid restrictions allow.

Please RSVP to Wayne Hall by Monday 17 May.

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### **Have you moved or will be moving?**

Have you let us know your new address?

It is important to inform both **Rotorua GSA** phone 0800 888 472 and email: [rotorua@gsa.org.nz](mailto:rotorua@gsa.org.nz)

And

**Datacom** on 0800 654 731 or email: [gsf@datacom.co.nz](mailto:gsf@datacom.co.nz)

### **End of year financial accounts 2021-2022**

The financial report was not available at the time when this newsletter was compiled. The financial report will be independently reviewed and will be available at the AGM.