



CWL UPPER HUTT BRANCH



AUGUST - SEPTEMBER 2020

MILO MONDAYS We have had three very successful days at the St Joseph's School serving over 300 pupils with a nice cup of warm milo during their morning tea breaks. We have been fortunate to have received a supply of plastic cups. A tremendous help as a lot of the children do not bring cups. Many thanks to CWL members Brenda Neville, Nellie Boynton, Ivy Ryan, Teresa Crosbie and their helpers. As we are now in Level 2 we are unable to supply these drinks until a return to Level 1.



CWL LOTTO BONUS RESULTS

Week 1 - #33 Val Kelly – Consolations Pauline Gray & Amelia Bellman.

Week 2 - #20 Kath St Clair – Consolations Glenda Hand & Frank Macartney.

Week 3 - #36 Sister Marie – Consolations Monica McBride & Irene Hennessey.

Week 4 - #16 Margaret Carson – Consolations Tracy Sharpe & Kathleen Emmerson.

Week 5 – Last week to come! Good luck to those with a number.

ST MARGARET CLITHEROW DAY Which was to be on Tuesday, 25th March at Paraparaumu, has now been CANCELLED!!!!!! Thank you to those who had intended going.



NEW BRANCH MEMBERS A warm welcome to Nellie Boynton and Ivy Ryan.

BRANCH ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING To be held on Tuesday, 10th November. It is important for the future of our Branch for you to think now about suitable people to step forward and provide us with the benefit of their expertise as Committee members. We can never have too many to give us cover when holidays or other commitments are at hand.

MISSION COMMUNITY The Ahopanilolo Technical Institute has been our Pacific Community that we support for several years but in the last few years communication has broken down. We have tried every avenue to no avail. The Branch Committee have decided to ask the CWLANZ National Mission Secretary to allocate us a new Mission Community in the Pacific with our first preference being another Tongan location.

TV KNITTING – SLIPPERS, FINGERLESS GLOVES & BEANNIES Thank you to those Members who have been knitting furiously. The finished articles to date have been much appreciated by St Michael's School. There is a continuing need but just a bit bigger in size. Keep knitting!! We can still come up with wool if needed.

REGIONAL DAY Not too far away now. It is our Branch turn to host. This will be held on our normal 2nd Tuesday in October (13th). Instead of starting at 1.30pm this day will commence at 10am followed by a shared lunch.

THANK YOU To those Members who have helped with the refreshments at the funerals of John McDonald, Deirdre McEvoy and June Passmore. Please keep these people and their families in your prayers. Eternal Rest Grant to the O Lord.

To Irene Hennessey, a big thank you for knitting the new tea cosies which will display CWL prominently at various functions.

ALERT LEVEL TWO

When this is over, May we never again take for granted
A handshake with a stranger. Full shelves at the store
Conversations with neighbours. A crowded theatre
Friday night out. A routine check up.
Coffee with a friend.
A taste of Communion.
The stadium roaring. Each deep breath
A boring Tuesday. Life itself.

When this ends.
May we find That we have become
More like the people.
We wanted to be We were called to be
We hoped to be
And may we stay That way – better
For each other
Because of the worst.

PLEASE PRAY “Our prayers may be awkward. Our attempts may be feeble.
But since the power of prayer is in the one who hears it
And not in the one who says it,
Our Prayers do make a difference.”



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Kia Kaha Courage – Take Heart

Susan Lloyd