

SENIORNET MOTUEKA INC

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SeniorNet Motueka commenced operating in July 1998 to teach, within a congenial environment, basic computer skills and computer-related activities. Members enjoy the opportunity of problem solving their technology challenges with their laptops, tablets or cell phones, or partaking in a number of Special Interest Groups, and occasional computer-related workshops, all listed on our website at www.seniornetmotueka.org.nz and well published with regularity within the membership. We aim to limit any workshops to 4 to 6 attendees so that personal attention is assured.

Annual subscription of \$15 single or \$30 per couple falls due on the **1**st **October Members Meetings** are held on the **first Monday** of each month at 10am at our Club Room at 42 Pah Street. Most meetings have a guest speaker, and often a five minute "information bite" and the sharing of SeniorNet news.

Help & Support (or Beginners) as advertised. This gives members the opportunity to meet in a relaxed and informal atmosphere; exchange knowledge with other members, solve problems they have encountered, and be assisted by our volunteers on a one to one basis. **Cost \$2** If we are busy sessions will be limited to 30 minutes per member.

The dates for the Beginners Help & Support will be advertised in our weekly reminder emails and on our website at seniornetmotueka.org.nz

Courses or Workshops: These are held periodically if there is demand. Unless stated otherwise courses and workshops consist of a 2-hourly session, or could be sometimes over 1 to 2 weeks. If such workshops or courses are being offered, these can be found on our website, along with contact details of the course tutors. Please make contact with each tutor to register your interest in attending.

Costs – This varies depending upon which workshop or course you take. At present we charge a simple **\$2** door fee for everyone attending any event at our Meeting rooms – this is to help cover costs such as rates and insurance, electricity etc, and it includes tea/coffee at the rooms.

Our website: seniornetmotueka.org.nz

The Club's website has been set up to provide members with a quick and easy means of getting information about the complete and current schedule of club activities. We encourage members to participate in this up-to-date and reliable means of communication. It is a good place to find more information about SeniorNet.

All Term Holidays coincide with school holidays

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Application for Membership

Membership is open to people aged 40+ and the Committee reserves the right to accept or decline membership.

First name/s	Su	rname	
Preferred first name for Name I	Badge/Membership card		
Phone:(03)	Mobile:		
Email Address (please print using	CAPITALS)		
Signature		Date	
Street Address		Postal 0	Code
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any one year. It is payable with NBS yourself, or - if you are	when you apply for mem paying by cash, this can	overs your membership until 30th bership, either by internet banking be left in the mail box in the doo know if you are planning to leave	g or going into r of our rooms
The Membership Secretary, Kay Mathieson-Adams kay.motueka@outlook.com Tel 021 109 5902	OR	Internet Banking A/c No: 03-1354-0179057-016 Nelson Building Society Remember to add your name.	
WHAT OPERATING SYSTE Windows Macint	E M(S) DO YOU USE - <mark>P</mark> osh Apple/iPad/IO S		
HOW DID YOU HEAR ABO 1. Flyer 2. News			5.Other
		accept or decline membership on above will be used by SeniorNet Motueka	Committee and

respect your contact details with the utmost privacy and will never knowingly pass along your personal details to outside sources.

Welcome to the friendly world of SeniorNet – helping with cell phones/tablets/laptops

Tutors for purposes of communicating with you regarding Club activities etc, SeniorNet Motueka makes every endeavour to

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(Detach here if you would like to retain the next section for yourself re our interest groups courses and workshops etc, below)



Interest Groups:

You must be a paid-up member of SeniorNet Motueka (or have applied for membership) to be eligible to attend any interest groups.

There are interest groups on various topics, the cost to attend each is always \$2 door fee per person. See brief details about the groups below, with more Interest Groups and more information available on our website at: https://seniornetmotueka.org.nz/interest-groups/

Countries & Cultures Interest Group (CCIG)



This group meets monthly, on the 2nd Thursday of each month, 2-4pm. Members choose a country or geographical area to focus on each month. We often have speakers who have lived/worked/volunteered in a country, or documentaries are viewed. Members research selected topics on the country/area for discussion together. Contact: Allan Culling, allanculling@gmail.com

iPad/iPhone Interest Group (iPPIG)



This group is for owners (or wannaby owners) of iPads or iPhones. We meet on the 3rd Friday of every month at SeniorNet rooms from 2pm to 4pm. Bring your iPad or iPhone and learn from others how to operate. Members meet and help each other and gain knowledge. Contact: Peter Beaumont <u>beaumont.peter@gmail.com</u>

Mac Interest Group (MIG)



The Apple MAC Interest Group meets on the last Friday of each month at the SeniorNet rooms from 2pm – 4pm. Activities are aimed at exploring the Mac and its wide selection of software and explaining the many tips and tricks that can be used to get the most from the machine. We also look at the many free programs and tutorials for the

Mac that are available on the internet. Contact: Gail Riddell riddelldna@gmail.com;

Genealogy Interest Group (GIG)



The Genealogy Interest Group meets on the 2nd Friday of each month at the SeniorNet rooms from 2 to 4pm. GIG group member names go on a mailing list so that you can be kept in touch with the activities such as researching your ancestry using the Internet and genealogy software. Other activities are creating "Time

Lines", demonstrations on different websites, with a chance for a "hands on" experience. Contact: Ann Bassford forest.ann@xtra.co.nz

Other Interest Groups presently include:

DNA for Genealogical Research, Rummikub, Photography, Nosey-Parkers. Check our website for details!



Workshops:

These can be held on a number of subjects, depending upon what our Membership tell us they'd like.... from starter courses for the users of PCs, laptops, tablets and smart phones, to special interest subjects such as photo editing, desk top publishing, using social media such as Facebook, YouTube etc or learning about Zoom or Skype, or word processing and spreadsheets.

If you are feeling a little "rusty" we can also set up **Refresher sessions** for small groups.

Workshops offered in the past have been many and varied.

Some can be single-session, others can be done over 2 to 3 weekly sessions.

If our members ask for a topic to be offered as a workshop and we have a volunteer host or tutor to do it, we will do our best to provide it by offering it to the entire membership to gauge if there is sufficient interest for at least 5 attendees to make it viable.

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Learning is also available by dropping in to one of our **Help & Support sessions**, or perhaps following some self-directed online tutorials – there are a number of those linked to various reputable organisations on our website and they offer a wide depth of variety and topics..

Please feel welcome to talk to our Events Coordinator about what starting point would be best for you. As well, if you think of a topic we are not covering, the committee would love to hear from you.

To find out which courses are being held this term, look at our website, at https://seniornetmotueka.org.nz/whats-on/

And for an Event Calendar showing what is current and updated at any time, you can always find this on our website.

Finally - Can You Help?

We love sharing our experiences and discoveries and breakthroughs in the everexpanding exciting world of IT. As a new Member you'll doubtless have some of your own to share with us too – please consider bringing along your own tips or the findings you've uncovered and sharing it with one of our many small groups? Or joining with one of our Helpers/Volunteers/Tutors – by sharing, we all learn more from one another.