

## NZMKS Manawatu Area 18

### July 2017 Newsletter

Festival has been and gone. How time flies. Congratulations to all those who entered competitions. Start planning for next year. Festival will be in Rotorua in June. Dates yet to be confirmed.

Our next Area Day will be held on 5th August, 2017, at St. John's Hall, Bowen Street, Feilding, starting at 10 am. Cup of tea/coffee at 9.30 am. Please bring your own lunch.

Cost for the day: \$10 for members and \$15 for non members. Our demonstrators have a lot lined up for us.

We will be having a raffle – 1 cone of Possum/Merino yarn. Tickets will be \$2 or 3 for \$5.

We will also be having a sales table for bring and buy.

Please bring along your competition garments for display. We are having a separate table to display any knitting you may have done.

**For those that ordered Seminar Books please bring the \$10 balance owing and collect your book.** For those that have already paid please bring your 2017 Seminar book with you. Our tutors will be demonstrating from this book.

#### Dates for Area Days 2017      November 4

The mid winter luncheon was held at Murrayfield again. Thanks to the 21 ladies who came along. A good time was had by all.

Please see attached notice for El Rancho. Don't miss this wonderful weekend of fun, laughter and learning. If you haven't already done so, please send your \$50 non refundable deposit to Ray Lauridsen.

We are in need of some Seminar books for our new knitters so if you have any spares can you please bring to Area Day.

Our charity knitting this time round is singlets for India which Blanche is in charge of. If you feel inclined please knit a singlet (any pattern) or fish & chip singlet in wool only. We do appreciate the charity knitting you all do.

At Festival the Southland group gave every Area a disc of how to do Bees Knees by Carol Watson. Jan Hughes has this loaded on her laptop and will have it at Area Day. If you want a copy please bring a flash drive or a CDR and she will transfer it for you.

If you have a particular recipe or a hint/tip for knitting for inclusion in the newsletter, please forward to me - [beulahfarland@inspire.net.nz](mailto:beulahfarland@inspire.net.nz)

We look forward to seeing you all on the 5th August.

Kind regards,  
Mary, Ruth, Jan, Dianna & Beulah.