

New Zealand Friendship Force Lakeside Gathering 26 - 29 August 2022

# JULY NEWSLETTER

Hi everyone. Registrations are now around 60 for our Gathering, but there is room for more if you still haven't registered. You'll need to do it soon, registrations close at the end of this month.

Our FSO Kimberly Fraser will be attending the Gathering to represent FFI, and CEO Jeremi Snook will giving a recorded presentation and zooming in for a Q&A session.

To confirm details:

- The venue is MiCamp, 100 Rawhira Road, Waitetoko, Lake Taupo
- Registration starts at 2pm on Friday 26<sup>th</sup> in the Auditorium.
- The Delegates meeting commences 3pm, and each club is entitled to two voting representatives. Others may attend.

Boat cruise

• There is some interest in a boat cruise to see the Maori Carvings on the shores of Lake Taupo. This can be fitted in on the Friday at 10.30am or 1.30pm. Please make your own bookings with 'Cruise Cat' – the cost is \$45. The link is <u>https://chrisjolly.co.nz/</u>, you can book now and pay later.

A reminder about some things you need to bring:

- Your club banner and/or flag.
- Your own club name badge.
- A plate of finger food for morning and afternoon teas.
- Your fashion hat for the MiCamp Races.
- Your club skit for the Sunday evenings Musical Mayhem.
- If you have any enquiries, please contact one of the below:
- Organisers: Debbie Lattey, (Convenor) 04 293 3252, 021 689 348, <u>debbie@otaihanga.co.nz</u> Colin Ridge, (Registrar) 07 378 5088, <u>colinjanet123@gmail.com</u> Alan Milne, (Taupo President) 07 378 8088, <u>alanmilne40@gmail.com</u>

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MiCamp at Waitetoko, Taupo – 26 – 29 <sup>th</sup> August 2022					
Proposed Programme for Gathering					
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup>	2.00pm	Registrations open in Auditorium			
	12.00	Field Reps Meeting (venue to be arranged)			
	3.00	Delegates Meeting in Dining Hall			
	6.00	Dinner in Dining Hall			
	7.00	Opening Session in Auditorium			
Saturday 27 <sup>th</sup>	8.00am	Breakfast in Dining Hall			
	9.00	Late Registrations in Auditorium			
	9.30	Business session in Auditorium			
	1.00pm	Lunch in Dining Hall			
	2.00	Activities – outdoor			
	6.00	Dinner in Dining Hall			
	7.00	Activities in Auditorium.			
Sunday 28 <sup>th</sup>	8.00am	Breakfast in Dining Hall			
	9.00	Business session in Auditorium			
	1.00pm	Lunch in Dining Hall			
	2.00	Bone Trophy competition			
	3.00	Race Meeting at MiCamp			
	5.00	Happy hour in Auditorium			
	6.00	Dinner in Dining Hall			
	7.00	Closing Session followed by Musical Mayhem II in Auditorium with the Wellington FF Band.			
Monday 29 <sup>st</sup>	8.00am	Breakfast in Dining Hall			
	10.00	Checkout to be completed.			



# Lakeside Gathering – Taupo 2022

At MiCamp, Waitetoko, Taupo – 26-29 August 2022

Registration Information Needed

(One form per person please)

Name	FFI Membership # (if known)
Club	Position in club
Email	Phone

Registration	Cost	Your Payment
Full Registration – includes accommodation and all meals	\$260.00	
Motor Home – includes power point and all meals	\$190.00	
Day Registration – includes lunches and dinners but not accommodation	\$100.00	
Special Dietary – details	\$ 24.00	
Total P	ayment	\$

Single Day Registrations available on request to 'Gathering Registrar'.

Payment - Please pay by Direct Credit or Bank Transfer (must include your Surname in 'Particulars')to Financial Services Account 02-0428-0163652-000.Date of payment ....../......

## Accommodation at MiCamp

Accommodation is available for **80 attendees** at 2 per room on a 'first in' basis. Please indicate your preference (we will endeavor to fill your wishes where possible but no guarantees) –

- I wish to share a twin room with .....
- Some accommodation requires climbing about 15 steps. Can you manage this? Yes / No

# Pre and Post Transport

- Do you need transport from MiCamp to Taupo on Monday? Cost \$10pp Cash Yes / No

## General

Please circle <u>'No'</u> if you do <u>not</u> wish your name included In the Gathering Booklet **No** 

## Early-bird registration closes **30 June**. Send this form to:

'Gathering Registrar' Colin Ridge, <u>colinjanet123@gmail.com</u> or 29 Lakeridge Close, Taupo 3330, and Make payment to Financial Services Account 02-0428-0163652-000 *(must include surname)*