

## Newsletter 106 Apr/May 2018

#### President's Report

#### **April 2018**

Well we have had a very busy time, which cumulated with hosting the Junior Nationals over Easter Weekend. It all started with Shane and the Shazam Band at our 30<sup>th</sup> birthday hop, followed closely with our Do You Wanna Dance free beginners lesson and Sunday beginners' lessons making a brief comeback. Triples lessons have just finished a four week set and thanks to teachers Steve, Judy and Linda for stepping up to do this one. We had four sets of triples who now have enough moves to fill a song and just need to keep practicing.

Junior Nationals - what can I say! I am thrilled that the club put on an event of which everyone can be proud. What a sterling effort by all the helpers, but first of all my thanks to the committee who had regular meetings to ensure everything was done. Others who worked tirelessly included Eileen who was a runner for the entire event, and Leeyan who juggled everything from sewing outfits, undertaking the role of executive coordinator and team coaching. The competition was of a very high standard and the winners were spread across the country. Special mention to our juniors who did really well with most getting through to the next round and a special mention to Brooke Williams who placed second with Louisa Miles in the Junior Same Sex division. You can be proud to be judged second in New Zealand.

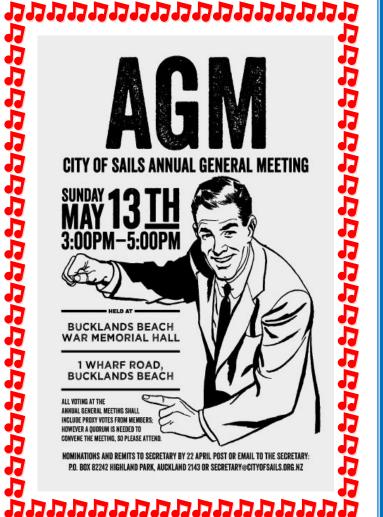
We will be locking in accommodation very soon for those travelling to Senior Nationals at Labour Weekend so need to know if you require a motel room. You can email our Secretary <a href="mailto:secretary@cityofsails.org.nz">secretary@cityofsails.org.nz</a> or let us know at a club night. This year Senior Nationals is being hosted by the Wellington Rock'n'Roll Club at Walter Nash Stadium, Lower Hutt.

Stars in your eyes is all go and there has been a change of date to Saturday 30 June. Time to get your acts together as without them we do not have an event. Greg Vine is the organiser so if you need help with putting an act together or ideas then please contact him. His mobile is 021 1127 533.

Further on in this newsletter is information on the AGM. Please note it is on 13 May at Buckland's Beach Memorial Hall at 3pm. Our applogies, the original notification had Buckland's Beach Intermediate School.

Thanks for your continuing support

Mark Roberts



#### **AGM Format Change:**

The AGM notice was sent by email recently and there is a change to the nomination and voting method as per the special meeting held late last year. Should you not have received notification of the AGM notice and are a current member please contact the Secretary urgently to have a copy sent to you as there is a time limit to get your nomination/s in.

#### To summarise how voting will work:

- I/ Anybody wishing to be considered for a position must be nominated and seconded using the form recently sent out. Let us know if you need a copy. This applies to the existing committee as well.
- 2/ You can nominate yourself but need a seconder.
- 3/ Should only one person be nominated & seconded for a position then they will automatically hold that position and this will be ratified at the AGM.
- 4/ Nominations are to be made to the Secretary by 22 April 2018.
- 5/ Should no nominations for a position be received by 22 April then it will be elected from the floor at the AGM.
- 6/ Should any position/s have multiple nominations then a vote will be carried out at the AGM. If you are not able to attend the AGM, voting papers are available from the Secretary. And can be E-mailed or Posted to the Secretary to arrive no later than 48 hours prior to the AGM. Proxy votes at AGM still apply but there is a maximum of 2 per person.

So it is important if you are considering going on committee to get your nomination in. You may not have a chance at the AGM if there is only one nominee they will be confirmed in the position at AGM.

Please ask the committee should you need more clarification.

#### Calendar

Date	Day	Details	Time	Duty
April 10	Tuesday	Beginners – week 1 of 6 - Wharf Road	7pm to 8pm	Mark
April I I	Wednes- day	Club Night – Howick RSA	7.15pm to 9.15pm	Leeyan
April 17	Tuesday	Beginners – week 2 of 6 – Wharf Rd Club Night	7pm to 7.30pm 7.30pm to 9.15pm	Kirsty
April 24	Tuesday	Beginners – week 3 of 6 – Wharf Rd Club Night	7pm to 7.30pm 7.30pm to 9.15pm	Paul
April 28	Saturday	Monthly Hop – John Loveday Band Edgewater College	7pm to 11.30pm	
May I	Tuesday	Beginners – week 4 of 6 – Wharf Rd Club Night	7pm to 7.30pm 7.30pm to 9.15pm	Jen
May 8	Tuesday	Beginners – week 5 of 6 – Wharf Rd	7pm to 8.00pm	Linda
May 9	Wednes- day	Club Night – Howick RSA	7.15pm to 9.15pm	Leeyan
May 13	Sunday	AGM – Wharf Road	3pm start	
May 15	Tuesday	Beginners – week 6 of 6 – Wharf Rd Club Night	7pm to 7.30pm 7.30pm to 9.15pm	Corinne
May 22	Tuesday	Intermediate 3 – week 1 of 4 Club Night	7pm to 7.30pm 7.30pm to 9.15pm	Linda
May 26	Saturday	Monthly Hop – The Blasé Edgewater College	7pm to 11.30pm	
May 29	Tuesday	Intermediate 3 – week 2 of 4 Club Night	7pm to 7.30pm 7.30pm to 9.15pm	Dave
June 5	Tuesday	Intermediate 3 – week 3 of 4 Club Night	7pm to 7.30pm 7.30pm to 9.15pm	
June 12	Tuesday	Intermediate 3 – week 4 of 4	7pm to 8pm	
June 13	Wednes- day	Club Night – Howick RSA	7.15pm to 9.15pm	



30th June.

Register Now: Greg Vine

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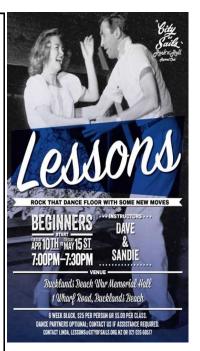
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### **Birthday Wall**

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