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Disclaimer: The Phoenix Variety Country Music Club Inc. will not be held responsible for any loss, damage or injury incurred whilst attending club functions.

Club Uniforms

Anyone wishing to purchase any club polo shirts, caps and vests, would you please like to place your order with Elaine. Orders will need to be prepaid and I'm hoping for delivery before the next club day.

Polo Shirts: Black or white, with club design \$13-00
Caps: Black with club name \$15
Vests: Black with club name \$50
Key Rings: White with club logo \$6
Badges: White with club name \$11



Subs for 2010

Thank you to all who have joined or re-joined our club for 2010. If you are not a member or wish to bring a friend to join, please see Elaine on the front desk when you arrive and she will be most pleased to welcome you to our country music family.



Presidents Report

Hello Everybody,

Well winter is really upon us now, hope you are all keeping well.

We had an enjoyable club day last month with Carol Hata as our Guest Artist from Twin Rivers. It was also nice to see Carol's husband George and family come along and support her on the day. Carol you have a fantastic voice, loved your choice of songs. Our heartfelt thanks for coming along as our Guest Artist for the day.

Thanks to the other visiting members from other clubs who joined us on the day.

Thanks to the band members, Selwyn, Tom, George R, Kevin, Grahame, George T, the music sounded really awesome for our singers.

Big thank you to Karyn, who does our M.C. for our club days each month. Also to Luana once again for taking our chord charts up for the singers, as it certainly does make the day go a lot faster.

Would like to say thanks, to everybody that helps in the kitchen, preparing our afternoon tea each month. Pat you do a brilliant job, along with other willing assistance that help us out on the day.

Also to Grandma, Maura that do our Raffle table and Sales table thank you so much.

A very big welcome to our Guest Artist today Hoana Katting from Geyserland Country Music Club.

Also would like to welcome today Te Puke Country Music Club. Hope you all enjoy your day.

Next month in August at our Club Day, we are going to have a normal club day till Afternoon tea. Then I would like to have a Duo Section, have fun or even pair up with someone you have never sung with before. Lets have fun and enjoy.

Thanks for coming along, hope you enjoyed the day.

Take Care



Tena Katoa Tatou Katoa
Lauretta





Birthday Wishes

Birthday wishes for **July** go out to:
Ann Wattam, Luana Karl, Carole Frazer,
Deidie Reid, Frances Toi,
We hope you all had/have a great day.

Birthday Draw for June was: Karen Hansen

Raffles

Results from May Club Day

Congratulations to these winners.

Thanks to everyone who supported the raffle sales and donated prizes.

- 1st draw – Pasta & Containers, Pat
- 2nd draw – Torch set, Neville
- 3rd draw – Electric Jug, Larraynne
- 4th draw – Pottery painting kit, Murray
- 5th draw – Bathroom pack, Ngaire
- 6th draw – Pens & Note book, Tyler
- 7th draw – Vegetables & soup mix, Brody
- 8th draw – Mini hamper, Sasha
- 9th draw – Wallet & note book, Luana
- 10th draw – Karen Hansen CD, Jade
- 11th draw – Music ties, Ngaire



\$50 Draw - 1st Carole 2nd Geoff



Meat Raffle — Drawn June Club day

- 1st prize – William Bluegum
- 2nd prize – Jade
- 3rd prize – S. Harvey

**A big thank you to The Mad Butcher,
Te Ngae Shopping Centre Rotorua.**

The next fund raising Meat Raffle is on sale NOW !

Be IN to WIN

- 1st Prize -** \$100.00 Meat Vouchers
- 2nd Prize -** \$ 75.00 Meat Vouchers
- 3rd Prize -** \$ 50.00 Meat Vouchers

Vouchers accepted at Mad Butcher, Nationwide

Thinking of You

The club's best wishes and thoughts go out to Peter & June Armstrong after the loss of a sister and to the members of the Ngaruawahia CM Club and families, with the sad loss of Frances Nathan, a much loved, respected and long time club member.

New Members

Welcome to the new members of our club.

Welcome to Christine Miteff,
we look forward to enjoying your company
at our club days in the future.



TLC Radio Matamata 106.7 FM

The Little Country Radio Matamata is streaming live on
the internet at www.tlcradio.co.nz



Sales Table on Club Day

If you have any unwanted bits and pieces at home, would you please like to kindly donate these for our club sales table each month. You know the saying, 'what is someone's trash, is another's treasure'. This money then goes into the fundraising for next year's awards. Many thanks.



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We thank you all for your support
**Please Members, Friends and Whanau,
support these Businesses and Music Events**

TE PUKE AWARDS

And didn't we do well !! Well done to Geoff Mutton and his dedicated team. What a wonderful venue, well organised and friendly Award. Congratulations to Luana Karl who won the Intermediate Solo. Well done to Tap n Tym, (Kevin & Kay) runner up in the Duo section to Rachel & Robina (Matamata Club) pictured below.

Our very own granny glitter Sita Emery won the Dazzling Diamond section and Bonita Sharvi-Robertson took out the Golden Section. Kay Tappin did exceptionally well winning the Female Solo and Western Sections and then also took Overall Senior from Runner Up, Keinan Ngapo.

Other members to do well were Anita Smith, runner up in the Veteran Section and Wally Robertson, runner up in the Instrumental Section. Thank you to all our supporters on the day.

Good luck and best wishes goes out to Luana who competes in the Auckland Awards as this newsletter goes to the press.

Kevin & Kay , Rachel West



Robina Pakij, Marrison Makene, Luana

Club Visits

On **Friday 18th June, Matamata Country Music Club** held a special "Western" night theme with songs that were given to members and some visitors to perform. Many hats and checked items appeared in the spirit of the evening, a great evening had by all and a large appreciative audience. Well done to all. **(report by Kevin)**



On **Saturday 19th June**, Tom and I, along with Laretta and Luana, Selwyn, Karyn, Grandma and Jade attended **Tokoroa CWMC** evening. We were entertained by members of South Waikato, along with Tokoroa and local club members. Tonight's two guest artists were Dougie Petley, who sung some real up tempo numbers and then Hannah Cosgrave, who sung a variety of her well loved songs. Just awesome both Dougie and Hannah. Thanks Tokoroa for another fun evening of music and friendship.

(report by Elaine)



Sunday 20th June, Selwyn was asked to be part of **Geyserland CM Club** band for there club day, so Grandma, Jade, Selwyn and I headed over met up with Pat, Rose, Grant, Lou, Jake, Luana, Elaine and Tom. What a lovely day it was band along with the Banjo player were awesome thanks guys. Singers all sung well with a good selection of songs. Phoebe Ball was the guest artist what a wonderful job she did she sung beautifully and the songs she picked were great. We were lucky enough to win one of the raffles. Thanks Geyslerland for a lovely day .

(report by Karyn)



INVITATION FROM GEYSERLAND CLUB

Geyslerland club has asked us if anyone is interested in going on their bus trip with them up to visit Hibiscus Coast Country music club in Auckland on the 1st August.

If interested please see Karyn for more information today.

THANKS GEYSERLAND FOR THE INVITE

Sunday June 20th, Kay and Kevin went to the **Te Puke CM Club**. Kevin played bass and had a great time with Shane, Phil and Noah up on the stage.

Some great singers aired their songs for the Awards the following weekend. Thanks Te Puke for a great day, great company and lovely afternoon tea.
(Report by Kay)



On Friday 28th June, quite a few of Phoenix VCMC members visited **South Waikato Country Music Club** for the evening. Was so nice to see some of Phoenix Band members, assisting South Waikato for the evening in their new venue. What a great night of entertainment and a different range of song sung by all. Thanks South Waikato for the lovely supper and evening.
(report by Lauretta)



On Sunday 23rd June, Luana, Tom & Elaine, Percy and I headed over to **Papamoa Country Music Club**. Well what an enjoyable day we had, some really great singers. We were well entertained by their Guest Artist Jan Thompson, gosh what a fantastic lady to sing to the with a huge voice. Jan you choose some awesome songs to sing for the afternoon. Thanks Papamoa for the lovely day of entertainment, and a great afternoon. Hope to see you all next month.

(report by Lauretta)



Sunday July 4th, some of us visited the **CoastalCountry Music** club, what a packed full venue and a wonderful day. Many great Auckland singers from the visiting club. Thanks Coastal for a great day.

Many thanks to all for the reports this month. Any members, who have visited another club, would you please like to write a small report, so that we can place it in our next newsletter. Please get your report to us, the week before the next club day.

E-mail to newsletters@phoenixvcmc.co.nz or post to clubs postal address – see back page. Many thanks to you all.

Newsletters that our club receives, from other clubs, are available for members to read at club days, find the folder by the noticeboard or please see Elaine or Kay.

Events Over The Next Month

July 11th	Welcome to Hoana Katting from Geyserland Guest Artist
July 16th	Matamata C.M.C
July 17th	BUNNINGS BBQ – Fund Raiser
July 17th	Tokoroa W.M.C
July 18th	Geyserland , Te Puke & Taupo CMC
July 25th	Papamoa & Texas CMC
July 31st	Ngaruawahia CMC
July 24th	Eastern BOP Wards - Entries close 16 July
July 30th	South Waikato CMC – CLUB DATE CHANGED
August 1st	Coastal , Forestland & Twin Rivers CMC
August 8th	Phoenix Club –2nd half, make a duo or sing with someone you don't normally sing with
September 12th	Joy Adams guest artist at Phoenix VCMC 2nd Meat Raffle Drawn
October 10th	Phoenix VCMC Guest Artist—Rachel West
November 14th	Phoenix VCMC - Rock /Reggae Theme

Up & Coming Events

July 24th	Awards Meeting
Aug 28th	Manaia Guest Artist at Ngaruawahia
Oct 2nd	E.O.Y at Rotorua
October 9th	Dennis Marsh—Founders Theatre
Oct 23rd	Star Awards at Tauranga
November 27th	Coastal Concert — Tap n Tym Guest Artists
Dec 12th	Phoenix VCMC Christmas Break-up
Jan 8–9th	Kidnappers Festival—Kevin & Kay Guest Artists
Jan 29th	Phoenix Classic Gold Awards for 2011
Jan 30th	After Awards Jam Day

Phoenix VCM Club Information

Club days are held on the 2nd Sunday of each month;

At the Ngongotaha Rugby League Club Rooms,
(Entrance off Tarawera Road,
on the way to the blue & green lakes)

Club Days will commence at 1pm

Afternoon tea will be supplied.
Members, a plate please, for afternoon tea.



Club Day Door Entry:	Members	
	\$3.00 per adult	
	Non-members	\$4.00 per adult
	Children	50c

Membership:	Single	\$10.00
	Double	\$13.00
	Family	\$15.00

Financial year is from December to December

Club Uniform:	Polo Shirts	\$13.00
	Caps	\$15.00
	Vests	\$50.00

Club Key Rings: \$ 6.00

Club Badges: \$ 11.00

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Phoenix Dates for 2010

August 8th, September 12th

October 10th, November 14th

December 12th Merry Christmas

Classic Gold Awards 2011, January 29th

Jam Day, January 30th

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