

Phoenix Variety/Country Music Inc.

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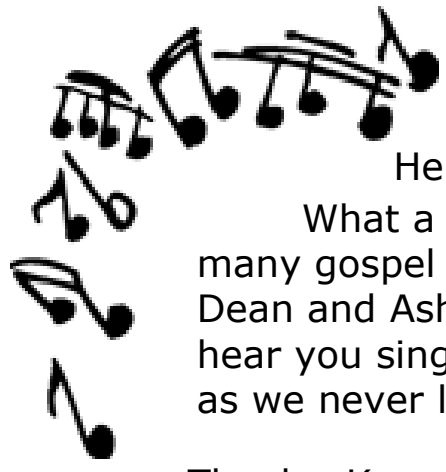
Disclaimer: The Phoenix Variety Country Music Club Inc., will not be held responsible for any loss, damage or injury incurred whilst attending club functions.

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





Hello Everyone,

What a wonderful day we had last club day listening to the many gospel songs that were sung. Was great to see Bronwyn, Dean and Ashleigh back for club day. Bronwyn it was lovely to hear you sing your motto song River Deep, Mountain High again, as we never let you go without singing our favourite song.

Thanks Karyn for a great job doing our M.C for the day, also making things run so smoothly. Luana and Seattle a big thanks for taking up the Chord Charts, it certainly saves time and our singers do appreciate it.

To Pat Eastwood and the lovely ladies that work in the kitchen, thank you so much for organizing a beautiful afternoon tea and cleaning up. Thank you all so much for a fantastic job, well done. Also to all who brought along a plate, we really do appreciate your kindness.

To our band, Selwyn, Tom, Kevin, Neville, Bob, Baron and Dean thank you so much for playing every month. To all who sung thank you for partaking, you were all great.

To Grandma and Manaia, many thanks for a wonderful job done on raffles and canteen.

Next Month our Guest artist is Colleen Jarvis, from Coastal. She is a lovely lady with a great voice.

Hope everybody enjoys themselves today as we celebrate our 10th Birthday and listen to all the Guest Artists that we have lined up for you. Hope you all have had fun dressing up to our black and white theme day for our 10th Birthday.

That's my news for this month, Take Care

Lauretta



Birthday Wishes



Birthday wishes for **May** go out to:

Dean Tangihaere Sasha Rangitulia
Chase O'Brien Shirley Darroch
Shirley Flay George Tuahine
Caroline Te Tomo Manaia Rikiti-Graham
Hinekahukura Rangitulia
Tai Jnr Rangitulia

We hope you all had/have a great day.

Raffles from April Club Day

Congratulations to these winners.

Thanks to everyone who supported the raffle sales

And donated the prizes.

1st Draw, Easter Rabbit, Jean

2nd Draw, Easter Cake, John

3rd Draw, Klip it Containers,
Nature

4th Draw, Glasses & Chocolate
Karen

5th Draw, Coffee Mugs, Mae

6th Draw, Photo Frame, Helen


7th Draw, Stationary Basket

8th Draw, Bathroom Basket, Luana

9th Draw, Clock, Bonita


\$50 Draw - 1st Doug and Gale 2nd Sita

Birthday Draw – Kevin Tappin



12th June

Workshop
For Singers ONLY
No Chord Charting will be done.
10am – 12pm
One Song each only
Please see Kay for assistance for researching song





New Members

Welcome the following new members to our club, Dennis August & Karen Clay. We look forward to enjoying your company, at our club days, in the future.



Phoenix VCAC Sponsors

Skyline Skyrides Gondola – Restaurant - Luge	Rainbow Springs Nature Park & Kiwi Encounter
Vege World Te Ngae Shopping Centre	Polynesian Spa Hot Mineral Bathing & Spa Therapies
Te Ngae Mad Butcher Meat Shop	Tokoroa Greenworld Garden Store
All Seasons Holiday Park Lee Road, Hannahs Bay	Paradise Valley Springs Paradise Valley Road
Agrodome The Unique NZ Experience	Hurricane Computers Matamata
Wai-o-tapu Thermal Park	NZ Caterpillar Experience Rotorua
Polynesian Spa Thermal Pools	Aletro Music Store Rotorua
Bunnings Home Improvement Store	Community Post Postage Envelopes
Pub Charity Event Funding	Rotorua Museum Of Art and History
<p>We thank you all for your support **Please Members, friends and Whanau, Support these businesses and Music Clubs**</p>	

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 treasurer.' This money then goes into the fundraising for next year's awards.



Phoenix Variety Country Music Club



10th Birthday

At Rotorua Bridge Club

8th May 11am



11am	Welcome
11.05am	Regular Club Day format
12.30pm	B.Y.O Lunch
1pm	Guest Artist Spot
Anahera Waiariki	Junior Club Member
Seattle McLeod	Junior Club Member
Vickie-Mae Mareroa	Classic 2006
Margret Curran (not able to attend)	Gold 2006
Ted Standen	Gold 2006
Helen Atutahi	Overall 2007
Glenys Wana	Overall 2008
Caroline Te Tomo	Overall 2009
Manaia Rikiti Graham	Intermediate Club Member
Luana Karl	Intermediate Club Member
Rupert King	Overall 2010
Hale/Whanau (not able to attend)	Guest Whanau
Selwyn, Tom, Baron	Original Band Members

3pm Raffle Draws / Cutting Cake / Afternoon Tea
3.30pm Regular Club Day
4.45pm Phoenix VCMC 10th Birthday closes





Club Visits

On Friday 15th April, Mum, Tom & Elaine, Karyn & Selwyn and I went to **Matamata Country Music Club**. It was a lovely night. Great to see our young ones compering. Thanks Matamata for a delicious supper and great night of entertainment.



(Report by Luana)

On Sunday 17th April, Mum, Tom & Elaine, Nana, Margaret, Karyn & Selwyn, Chase and I went to **Geyserland Country Music Club**. What a wonderful day we all had. We also heard a few new singers with fantastic voices to the club. Thanks Geyserland for a yummy afternoon tea and a day of entertainment.



(Report by Luana)

On Friday 22nd April, Tom & Elaine, Karyn & Selwyn, Grandma, Kevin & Kay, Luana and I Went to **South Waikato Country Music Club**. We all had a wonderful time, listening to the great talent. I would just like to thank our Phoenix Club Band for helping out at South Waikato and other clubs. Thanks South Waikato for lovely evening.



(Report by Lauretta)



On Sunday 24th April, Luana, Tom & Elaine, and I went to **Papamoa Country Music Club**. What a wonderful surprise Cathy had organised. It was an Easter Bunny to join us for the whole day. But unfortunately Cathy was unable to attend the wonderful day. Sita Emery was the Guest Artist for the day.

Thanks Papamoa for the fantastic day of entertainment and yummy afternoon tea.



(Report by Laretta)

On Saturday 30th April, Mum, Tom & Elaine, Nature, Manaia, Anahera, Karyn & Selwyn and I went to **Ngaruawahia Country Music Club**. We had a wonderful day listening to a great group of singers. Thanks Ngaruawahia for a great day and delicious afternoon tea.



(Report by Luana)

On Sunday 1st May, Mum, Tom & Elaine, Nana, Margaret and I travelled to Whangamata to be their Guest Artist at the **Whangamata Country Music Club**. I had a wonderful time entertaining you all and would like to thank Maggie Forbes and the Whangamata C.M.C Committee for inviting me to be there Guest Artist. I was honoured and privileged. I would just like to thank Tom for helping me with my singing and Mum for taking me to singing each weekend. But a big thank-you to all who support me because without you I wouldn't be where I am today.



(Report by Luana)

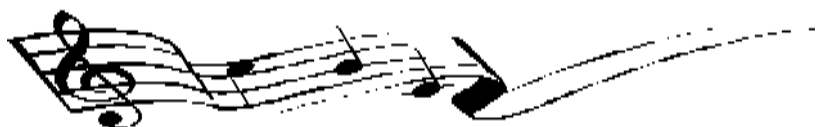
To All Members,

Many thanks to **Luana, Laretta** for their report 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 pos to clubs postal address – see back page. Many thanks to you all.

The newsletters that our club receives, from other clubs, are available for members to read at club days.

Newsletter folder by noticeboard or please see Karyn.



Events over the next month

May 15 th	Geyserland Country Music Club venue change, to Kahukura Rugby Club Rooms
May 15 th	Te Puke Country Music Club
May 15 th	Taupo Country Music Club
May 20 th	Matamata Country Music Club
May 21 st	Tokoroa Country Music Club
May 22 nd	Papamoa Country Music Club
May 27 th	South Waikato Country Music Club
May 28 th	Ngaruawahia Country Music Club
May 28 th	Red Star Awards
May 29 th	Texas Country Music Club
June 3 rd	Cambridge Country Music Club
June 5 th	Coastal Country Music Club
June 5 th	Twin Rivers Country Music Club
June 5 th	Forestland Country Music Club
June 12th	Phoenix Variety Country Music Club – Guest Artist Colleen Jarvis from Coastal



Up Coming Events

June 25 th	Te Puke Awards
Aug 14th	Phoenix VCMC Duo Theme
Oct 22 nd , 23 rd	Star Awards
Nov 13th	Phoenix VCMC Rock / Reggae Theme
Nov 19 th	Narrows Awards
Nov 26 th	E.O.Y
Jan 28th 2012	Phoenix Awards
Jan 29th	Jam Day



Phoenix Dates For 2011



June 12th - Colleen Davis from Coastal

July 10th - Milltown Magic, 3 very talented children

August 14th - Duo Theme

September 11th - Jan from Papamoa

October 9th - Surprise

November 13th - Rock/ Reggae Theme

December 11th - Christmas Club Day



Phoenix VCC 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
Membership:	Children	50c
	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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