

LONGCAST

- 18 August 23 Ngapona Lunch at Panmure RSA
- 8 September 23 Navy Club
- 15 September 23 Ngapona Lunch at Glen Eden RSA
- 24 September 23 Daylight Saving starts
- 13 October 23 Navy Club
- 20 October 23 Ngapona Lunch at Papatoetoe RSA
- 23 October 23 Labour Day
- 10 November 23 Navy Club
- 11 November 23 Armistice Day
- 17 November 23 Ngapona Christmas Lunch at Birkenhead RSA
- 8 December 23 Navy Club
- 15 December 23 Ngapona Lunch at Grey Lynn RSA

Hi Folks

FROM THE SICK BAY

Gordon Cattermole – I understand that Mole is being moved to 'Ranfurly Veterans Home' in Royal Oak, Auckland.

Dick Tyson - I understand that Dick Tyson is unwell and in Ward 14, Auckland Hospital.

We wish both our members all the best.

NGAPONA ASSN MONTHLY LUNCH

Please note – the venue for the lunch this Friday, 18 August has been changed from Hobsonville RSA to the Panmure RSA, 104 Queens Road, Panmure (the old BNZ building). This RSA has only recently relocated from the pub opposite and they are keen to make a good impression. Let's have a good turnout to support them.

AUCKLAND ROCKIES

In 1995 Lt Cdr John McEwan produced a 400-page book on the history of the Naval Reserves in New Zealand. This well researched book gave the history of the founding of Ngapona and its activities up to 1995. John has started researching the period 1995 to 2020. He needs help with any historical material, including photographs and medallic recognition for that period. If you are able to assist, please contact John; john.mcewan@xtra.co.nz The intent is to have the book complete and ready for sale for the Ngapona Centenary in October next year.

Your help is need NOW!

FROM THE EDITOR

It has been decided that the weekly newsletter will now go out on a monthly basis, the Monday before our monthly lunch.

I hope you have enjoyed the weekly dits and I look forward to keeping in touch on a monthly basis.

Regards

Jerry Payne

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