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Weekly News Sheet Monday 15 March

Dear Members

Thank you for all the helpful tips about how to make the most of a trip in a motor home, as asked for last week. Does it say something about how I am perceived that these all related to not being a source of annoyance to my husband as opposed to helpful tips on 'campervanning' in general? I particularly liked the one that suggested that I should leave the driving to him, while I either reclined in the back with a good book, or better still, flew to Queenstown and stayed in a hotel, while he and the motor home had a nice road trip in North Canterbury on their own. All helpful advice, thank you.

AGM

Today you should have received an email with the various reports for the AGM to be held Thursday night next week.

Last year we asked members to email the office or myself with any questions you would like to raise at the meeting. This is to ensure that we can respond without having to "get back to you later". These questions will be tabled for all to hear, and of course, questions will be taken from the floor. A quorum is needed for the meeting to proceed and this will require about 30 financial members to be in attendance. I am confident that we will reach this number, and then some! If we can expedite business in our usual efficient way, there will be bridge and dessert to follow.

Memorial Service

A reminder that a function to celebrate the lives of Judy and John Ambrose will be held at the Embers Centre at the Papanui Club this Sunday, 21 March from 3.00 – 6.00pm. If anyone has any photos of John and Judy at the bridge table, please let me know. Their family would like to display these on Sunday.

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If you misplaced a bunch of keys last week, we have them in the office.

Thursday Bridge

A reminder that both of these sessions provide further opportunities to hone your bridge skills. Afternoon bridge starts at 1.00 and the evening session at 7.00.

Well Done

Congratulations to Barbara Geddes and Keith Mabin for their excellent results at the recent tournament at the Ashburton Club.

Well done Shan Edwards and Tony Oliver, Intermediate grade players who scored 69.79% on Thursday evening.

Enjoy your week, and happy bridging.

Kind regards
Jan Barrow
President