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NEWSLETTER JULY 2024.

Dear Members,

Our thoughts are with Wairoa after the last floods,so soon after Cyclone Gabriel . All our members are O.K. and could go back home that night or the next day.

If any member would like to do some baking to send to Wairoa,Frasertown members can take the baking down after our Federation Meeting on Thursday the 11th of July 2024.The Meeting will be at Liz Clark's residence which is 4 Stanley Rd,Gisborne and is from 10 a.m. to 12.00 p.m So the baking can be dropped off at Liz's. Biscuits and Loaves are recommended.

Our Puha W.I. will celebrate their 93rd Birthday on the 10th July 2024 and Turanganui their 40th Birthday on the 11th July 2024.Well done both of you,enjoy your celebrations.

International Showtime Meeting will be held on the Friday 1st November 2024 ,at the Masonic Lodge ,Ormond Road ,Gisborne at 10.00 a.m.

The country for celebration,for International Showtime Meeting, is to be confirmed by N.E.C.

The National Competitions Theme ,for the International Showtime Meeting, for the Robert Young Rosebowl/May Martin Trophy is "Tones and Hues". Individual members planning to enter this Competition will need to decide for themselves what colours they are going to choose for their own Entries.

The Competitions ,with the 'Tones and Hues' Theme , at the International Showtime Meeting are;

1/ Handmade Necklace;Use any medium to produce an original piece ,any length and that is fit for purpose.Jewellery findings may be used.To be displayed on fabric covered base.[Base will not be judged]

2/ Greeting Card using Iris Folding technique.Finished size 10.50cm x 14cm.To include a suitable handmade envelope.Embellishments may be used.

Overall interpretation of the theme, by the items, will be judged separately.

OTHER NATIONAL COMPETITIONS for the International Showtime Meeting are;

SUMMER SHOW CUP;Pottery Pinch Pot;A small handmade pot decorated on surface with any suitable technique and finished with a final coating of polyurethane.Made from oven baked polymer clay or air -drying clay or handmade cold porcelain.No larger than 10cm x 10cm.

RISSINGTON C.W.I. DIAMOND JUBILEE TROPHY;Black and White photograph;' MODERN WI HERITAGE' A photograph depicting the NZFWI presence in Aotearoa /New Zealand .Size 5" x 7".Orientation either portrait or landscape.To be mounted on card.Card will not be judged.

INTERNATIONAL DAY COMPETITIONS;

FLORAL COMPETITION; To Be decided.

COOKING COMPETITION; To be decided.

SHADES of RED; Saturday 13th July 2024 at " The Force" Noon. Names to Trish or Liz.

SHOW SCHEDULE is now out.Please think about putting in an Entry as we need more to enter ,to keep this going.

NEXT Federation meeting is the 11th July 2024, at Liz Clarks Residence,at 10.00am.

Alison and Team W.I.