# NORTH OTAGO FEDERATION OF



#### **NOVEMBER NEWSLETTER**

#### **Dear Members**

President Sue Clark welcomed the Executive to the meeting on the 3<sup>rd</sup> November 2025, held at the Waiareka Saleyards Hall at 11:20am. An apology was received from Tracy Grimwood.

### **Joys and Sorrows**

We send our love and sympathies to those of you who have lost loved ones or friends. And to those who are recovering or with special occasions in their lives, we wish you all the best.

### **General news and Information**

Agenda Date: 29th November 202

Plaque Cleaning: Waiareka

#### **International Day**

Seven members attended our International Day meal of Maltese and red/white food. Everyone dressed in red and white as well. Helen Rhodes had done some research and relayed some interesting facts about Malta.

## **Women's Institute Awareness Month**

This year we had a display in the Oamaru Public Library and a window display @ Stitchcraft Corner for 2 weeks. The display in the library had small craft items, donated, for the public to take. Thankyou to everyone that supported this. It must have been well received as 90% of the items were taken.

#### **Federation Christmas Party**

Members have opted for an evening meal @ The Club Restaurant. Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> December 5pm. Federation will pay \$25 per member towards your costs. Numbers attending to Federation Secretary by the agenda date please.

In lieu of our usual Christmas gift exchange we are asking those attending the dinner to gift \$5 (or more) as a donation to the Oamaru Foodbank.

Can all Show Bay and AGM trophies be returned to Federation by 31<sup>st</sup> January 2026.

**Acting Newsletter Secretary** 

Sue Clark