

## OROUA FEDERATION OF



### **Welcome to the April 2023 Newsletter:**

Firstly, many thanks for the way everyone helped at the AGM. Federation couldn't manage without you all.

There were great and interesting speakers. Also thanks to Ann Berntsen for a very interesting talk on her dancing career and showing her lovely costumes.

We would ask you to discuss the Federation situation with your fellow members at your Institute and tell your member of the executive your ideas so she can bring them to the next meeting on the 17<sup>th</sup> April.

If you wish to keep W.I. going you need to find a resolution to the problem.

The delegates to the National Conference will also have to have an idea of what you want as it will also be brought up there.

### **Dates to remember:**

**National AGM 29<sup>th</sup>-30<sup>th</sup> May.**

**Group Meeting: Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> July, Koitiata Hall Turakina Beach. 1.30.pm.**

Please make an effort to come and enter the competitions. Oroua members will meet at the car park opposite the New Life Church at 12.15 pm. We will car share to make it easier for some members. If you don't come, you will miss a great afternoon out. The competitions are; 3 Afghans, floral arrangement in a 6x4 photo frame, and an adults bib.

### **AGM Competition results:**

**Annie Reid Tray**                      1<sup>st</sup> Turakina, 2<sup>nd</sup> Rewa, 3<sup>rd</sup> Halcombe

**Friendship Vase** Best article not cooking in the Annie Reid Tray, Cheryl Perkins

**Mills Rosebowl:** Best knitted article, Gillian Fletcher.

**Shortall Cup:** most points in Competition throughout the year, Joan Marshall.

**Programme Cup:** Rewa.

**Humphry Cup:** Increased membership, Rewa.

**National Competitions:**

<b>Table Runner,</b>	Robin Coleman	Rewa
Tea Cosy	1 <sup>st</sup> Avril Smart,	Rewa
	2 <sup>nd</sup> Gillian Futchter,	Turakina
	3 <sup>rd</sup> Valeri Stevens	Turakina
Jam Jar Label:	Gillian Futchter	Turakina
Toilet Bag:	Gillian Futchter	Turakina
Photography:	Gillian Futchter	Turakina
Tissue Box:	Cheryl Perkins	Rewa
Knitted Vest:	Valeri Stevens	Turakina.

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