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Latest News & Updates

- **Our Guest speaker at the 20 March meeting will be Nick Ledgard talking about Wilding Pines – are we winning the war.**
- **On 17 April our guest speaker will be Helen Bickers whose talk is entitled 'A Paramedic-experiences with St John.**
- **Subs are now due. Please pay online if possible. Our bank account is U3APEGASUS 031355 0462188 000. Enter your surname, first initial and Sub23 in the reference. Or bring your $28 with you on Monday 20th.**

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Update from President Jorgen

At our March meeting, there will be three large clipboards in the main hall of the Community Centre where people can indicate their preferences for the following:

1. The importance of succession planning and the need to have a register of volunteers. There is no obligation, however, if you are interested in being involved e.g. as a committee member, or helping coordinate an interest group, or can assist at our monthly meetings, please put your name down and Jorgen will follow up.
2. One of the clipboards will be an interest register specifically for any additional interest groups and/or speakers our members would like to hear at our monthly meetings. Speakers can be local or outside of Canterbury.
3. The third clipboard will be for anyone interested in setting up a group for musos. Just the name of the person, the instrument played, e.g. piano, violin, viola, tuba, percussion… with contact details. Jorgen will follow up.

At the March meeting, Judy Calder will give a short update on the DVDs that we have and we will show a brief outline of some of them. Anyone can take part in these lecture series and there is a long list of DVDs that we can purchase in addition to those we have, if there is enough interest.

Your committee is keen to make sure that there are plenty of activities for our members. If you want to discuss this with Jorgen, call him on 021 144 3315.

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Remembering…

- 28 February 2020: New Zealand reported its first case of Covid 19. The country went into lockdown from 25 March 2020 to 13 May. Remember wearing masks everywhere. Millions of them are now floating in oceans.
- 15 March 2019: Two Christchurch mosques were attacked and 51 people killed.
- 25 April 1915: We will remember them on Anzac Day next month and the men and women who died during WW1 and WW2 and subsequent wars including Ukraine.

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Contact your interest group convenor for updates and advice on the next meeting. Check our website www.u3apegasus.org.nz or contact us email u3apegasus@protonmail.com

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