

End of Year/Christmas BBQ

Sunday 1st December 2024

This year we were invited to enjoy our final run of the year at Bruce and Elaine Little's beautifully presented home and park like gardens at their property on the outskirts of Levin. The weather was warm, threatening rain first thing, but remained fine with the sun appearing around lunch time.

For this event we had a large turnout of 22 cars and over forty people originating from Whanganui, Rangitikei, Manawatu, Horowhenua, Kapiti and Wellington. The northern cars met at the blo-cart track Sanson and travelled in 'a spread out' convoy to Levin. This meant that we all arrived within a few minutes of each other at around 11 am and spent time exploring the gardens and chatting with those we had not seen for a while. Elaine and Bruce had many patio games available, such as corn-hole, and the more adventurous ones had a game or two. During the day we were treated to lovely soft background music by a gentleman on a piano. His presence arranged for our enjoyment by Bruce and Elaine. Club Captain John Eames thanked us for participating in a successful year and wished everyone a very Merry Christmas and a happy holiday season and is looking forward to seeing us all again in January 2025.

The club provided the meats and we all brought a supporting main and dessert. At an appropriate time, Bruce started up the BBQ and lunch was soon available. The large patio enabled all of us to find seating outdoors, where we enjoyed the convivial company of fellow members and our wonderful hosts. The first cars began leaving at around 2.30pm.

Thank you, Bruce and Elaine, for making your property available, your great hospitality and arranging for the piano man to attend, all of which was greatly appreciated.

Robyn and Steve