

MG Manawatu Christmas Party

Sunday December 3

For 2017, our Christmas gathering was held once again at the Coach House Museum in Friendly Feilding, a nice central location with ample parking.

The day began for most with a lovely 70km rural run planned by Neil Morris, taking in Mt Biggs, Kakariki, Stanway and Beaconsfield. Thanks Neil. A few who had already covered a substantial distance in getting to Feilding relaxed at the Museum and of course the hardworking lunch preparers Liz and Sandy and helpers were busy on behalf of all of us.

A very good turnout in excess of 40 members sat down to enjoy the fine Christmas lunch. For a change this year exchanging of presents was replaced by more of a spot prize format. The best hat competition saw Murray and June scoop the pool with their fabulous creations.

Robin and Claire Brown gave us a short introductory talk on their major overland journey across Asia to Europe during the northern summer and we look forward to an opportunity to hear and see more about that before too long.

Some members took the opportunity for a look through the impressive Museum to cap off a successful Christmas event.

