



From the RNZAC Association

Spring Lunch – Sunday 10th September – Papanui RSA

Too late for a mid-winter Christmas lunch, and the weather has been so bad and gloomy the Committee thought a “Spring Lunch” was a much better idea. Sunday the 10th of September, in the Upham Room at the Papanui RSA. Cost to be confirmed, but given the way the cost of living has been rising I suspect we will be paying a wack more than last year!!

Bookings to Mike Sheppard please, miksan@xtra.co.nz

RNZAC History Project Charitable Trust

The finishing line is in sight, however, like all of us, the History Project is struggling to get funds to cross the final hurdles through to getting the book published/printed. The title of the history is “*Those Who Have Courage*”, so if you can contribute to the Trust please dig deep. At this stage every little bit counts and we are all keen to see this worthwhile project completed.

The account details for the Trust are:

Bank-Westpac Account-RNZAC HPCT Account number-03-0631-0030863-000

Fundraising Raffle for the History Project

To help with fundraising for the History project the Association is running a fundraising raffle with some great prizes. A Crusaders Jersey from 2023 signed by the victorious Super Rugby Champions will be the first prize, as well as some military themed prizes and more Crusaders merchandise.

Limited to 1500 \$2.00 tickets the raffle will go on sale in early September and will be drawn at our Cambrai Commemoration in November. Tickets must be purchased face-to-face, with the full details at the point of sale. Tickets will be available at the Papanui RSA at our September, October and November Happy Hours, as well as at the Spring Lunch. We will be canvassing other RSA's in the region and will advise where tickets will be available.

Please support the RNZAC Association and the RNZAC Trust in this raffle.

Cambrai 2023

Will be on the weekend of 25/26 November. Just finalising which day works best for our church parade, lunch and the Association AGM.

RNZAC Association Subscriptions for 2022/23

A big thank you to those members who have already paid their subscriptions. Reminder e-mails will be sent in July to those whom we normally receive a subscription from, who may have overlooked it to date. (The subscription of \$30.00 can be paid by internet banking direct to the RNZAC Association: Account number: 03 0566 0209452 001. (Please include your surname and initials in the details field.))

The subscription helps the Association to maintain the RNZAC Association Website and to support important projects like the RNZAC History Project. Your continued support of the RNZAC Association is much appreciated.

Mike Sheppard, Treasurer, RNZAC Association



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