



friendship force

MARLBOROUGH

34th Friendship Force Conference 'The Cave', 8 Beaver Road, Blenheim 19th – 21st February 2020

Greetings to all Registered Members. I trust everybody had an enjoyable Christmas and New Year. It is just over a month now before we meet and greet you at your Conference here in Blenheim – and we are looking forward to it.

- We ask those Clubs who are attending if they wish to promote their Clubs forthcoming Journeys during the allocated time on Friday 21st, so that we can get some idea of the overall time needed. Would you please email us your intentions and proposed time required to EB.RE.Bridges@xtra.co.nz
- Just a reminder that the theme for the Thursday night dinner is 'Be Visible'. Jeremi and Kimberley will be judging between the main course and the sweets and this year will be single entry - one male, one female - NOT per Club.
- Also, to save embarrassment, The Club has a 'No Hats' policy. However, once in the Restaurant at our Private Function, you may wear hats if part of your dress-up theme. Hopefully, February should be quite warm as January certainly hasn't been!
- Another reminder – Those of you who require transport on arrival or departure, and from their motels to and from the venue and have not replied to the last newsletter outlining this, please email (as above) your details for travel urgently. The committee are trying to arrange a roster, but if not notified you will have to make your own way.
- Also for your information, there is a large free carpark next to 'The Cave', and the parking building over the road from The Club (Thursday nights venue) is free after 6pm.

That appears to be all – everything is falling into place and we are looking forward to hosting your Conference.

Barry Bridges, Conference Coordinator