



Keas

Cubs

Scouts

Venturers

Rovers

Leaders

Hi there

The chances are that if you have been sent this you are a past or current member of the New Lynn Sea Scout Group or have had some association with us in the past in one form or another. Hence we would like to extend an invite to you to join the New Lynn Sea Scout Group Supporters Club.

Supporters' Club

The past 75 years have been very successful for our group and thousands of youth members have been given some great experiences by being a part of Scouting at New Lynn. We would like to ensure that the next 75 years are even more successful.

We believe that one way of achieving this is through a 'Supporters Club' for the Group. There are three key reasons for having a Supporters' Club:

- To help us gather our history;
- To provide a contact network for past members to use to stay in contact with others;
- To provide an opportunity to support the Group and invest in our future.

Gathering our history

You are the people that have helped to shape our past and create the legacy that has been left for the current members. We do not want to forget our past and want our current members to have pride in what has been achieved in the past, and all those past stories (good and bad, serious and funny) are all a part of who we are now. Please share them with us and keep alive the fun and games...

We have a rich history, but the longer we leave it, the harder it will be to record it – can you help?

Contact List

It is amazing just how often our current members keep running into people who used to be a part of our group and how keen their interest is in what we are up to now. The proposal for the supporters club is to form a database with the contacts for all current and past members and friends of the Group to allow you to get in contact with others and to allow us to pass on information about what is happening.

We propose a couple of informal get-togethers each year. Perhaps a family boating day at the beach so that we can check that all those hours of rowing practice in the past has not been lost... perhaps a ten pin bowling evening...who knows? But it will be an opportunity to catch up with past friends and maybe make some new ones!

Other benefits could include trying to find a trades person and would rather trust a former Scout. The chances are that there is a past or current member who can assist. The possibilities are endless...

Sponsorship

We would also like to offer you the opportunity to become a financial member of the Supporters Club. The purpose would be to enable us to form a trust fund to assist our current members take training opportunities that may otherwise be beyond their reach. This may include the likes of going on the Sail Training Ship the Spirit of New Zealand or to Outward Bound or even take part in the trips to Antarctica that Scouting NZ is sometimes able to offer.

A small contribution goes a very long way. Sixty members at \$10 each puts someone on the Spirit of NZ once a year. As, we have literary hundreds of past members out there, just imagine what we could achieve for our youth.

This fund is administered independently from the New Lynn Scout Group Committee and we seek registrations of interest for people to sit on a panel for the allocation of the funds to recipients.

Please return this form to:

Mail: New Lynn Scout Group Supporters Club
P.O. Box 151216
New Lynn
Auckland

Email: supportersclub@newlynn.seascouts.org.nz

Name: _____

Please keep my name on your contact list: Y / N

Address: _____

Email: _____

Phone: _____

Years at New Lynn: _____

Section Involvement: Keas Cubs Scouts Ventures Rovers

Involvement Type: Youth Leader Parent Committee

Comments _____

I am interested in becoming a member of the Supporters Club: Y / N

- Financial member @ \$10.00/yr
- Non financial member

I would like to make a donation to the Supporters Club: \$ _____

Other Contacts that I know of

Name	Contact details
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