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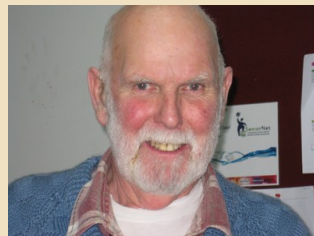
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Chairman's Message



Chairman's message.

Well the good news is we have received a grant from the South Canterbury Community Trust for new computers but the bad news is we only received half of what we applied for. Further good news is the computers we intended to buy were sold out and the ones we were getting now are cheaper so we are able to buy an extra one. Hopefully we will have the four

new computers installed in the next week or so and that should make things a lot faster with no break downs.

The year is starting to draw to a close so I would urge members to consider registering for any courses they wish to do so they can finish before Christmas.

The Tutors are studying Basic Database at present and we should be able to offer a course in this very shortly. It certainly is a better way to keep you names and addresses.

ICE

In case of emergency number. If something happens paramedics, firefighters and the police may check your cellphones' address book for **ICE** (in case of emergency number).

The first responder would call the **ICE** number—typically your next of kin—to identify you and obtain relevant medical information. To create an **ICE**, enter your contact persons' phone number in your mobile's address book on Contact List and call the entry **ICE**.

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Workshops \$5 a day

Phone in or call in on a Friday afternoon. Or [email](#)

Photo Story
23rd September

Make a video set
to
Music with your
photos .

Cards
In Word

12th October
Make greeting
cards using your
word processing
programme.

Word Art
26th October

Word Art to give
your cards that
special finish.



**Two more Workshops planned
for November**
**See particulars at club rooms for
enrolment**

- 1. Trade Me**
- 2. Christmas Newsletter Mail Merge**

Tip

(Disclaimer: tips and hints are shared in good faith, but what works on one computer might not work on another)

The Dreaded ‘Caps Lock’

A little trick to make the computer give a beep when the Caps Lock key is inadvertently tapped.

To make warning Beep:

For XP Usurers

1. Click the **Start** button, **Control Panel**, open the **Accessibility Options** icon.
2. On the **Keyboard** tab, Click the “Use **Toggle Keys**” checkbox. Click **OK**.

For Vista Users

Click on the **Start** button, **Control Panel**, open **Ease of Access Centre** icon.
Click on **Make the Keyboard easier to use** link. Check **Turn on Toggle Keys**.



Thanks to Senionet Warkworth for this Tip.

Courses

Email Starting Thursday 30th September 9.30.a.m.

Word One Starting Soon still some vacancies..

To Enroll Please phone Andrina 689 7430 or Joan 689 8408 or a committee member. You will then be contacted when a course is arranged.

Reminder All subs now due \$20



**Queen Street
Waimate**

Seniornet Digital Camera Group

The Seniornet Digital Camera Group meet on the third Friday of each month at 9.30 a.m.

Open to all members of Waimate Seniornet. Members help each other with the settings on their cameras. To stimulate members we have competitions .

Our topic for the October competition is Bridges. All entries to be taken between 17th September and October 15th.



1st Heather



2nd Heather



3rd Kirsty

Monotone Photos

We had eight entries for this competition.

October Subject

Bridges

Photographs to be taken between 17th September and 15th October.



The Answer



This is the Bell Tower from the first Knox Church. Built in 1874 the first Knox church was built from Totara from the Waimate Forest. The Bell tower was shifted to Belt Street when the present church was built.

WE'RE ON THE
WEB

[Waimate Seniornet](#)

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What is SeniorNet?

SeniorNet gives older adults an opportunity to get on the Internet, and learn more about new communication and information technology.

Many older people may feel they're being left behind by technology and the computer age. Now SeniorNet brings older adults and computers together in a friendly, fun and stress-free way.

It's for people over the age of 50 who'd like to learn more about computers and what they can do, from word-processing through to surfing the Net. There are Learning Centres established throughout New Zealand. Each Learning Centre is run by a management team who organize all aspects of their Centre.

A Federation of SeniorNet Societies was established in November 2006 to support the learning activities with resources and funding.

How well do you know Waimate?



Where was this flour mill in town?

Answers to Email below.
Holding down Ctrl >left click on the word
Email below please.

Email