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Dalmatinsko Kulturno Društvo Inc.








2024 OPEN DAY

We proudly want you to come and see us at the Dalmatian Cultural Society one of the oldest and largest Social and Cultural Societies in New Zealand

10.30AM - 6.00PM SUNDAY 22 SEPTEMBER 2024

Villa Dalmacija
10 New North Road
Eden Terrace, Auckland

Dalmatian Archive and Museum
Kolo Groups Corridor Photos
Library
Trading Shop
Meals: Morning Tea, Lunch, Afternoon Tea, Dinner for sale
Cooking demonstrations 1.00 pm
Folklore Concert at 2.00 pm

www.dalmatian.org.nz
Email : dalmatiancultural@gmail.com

**SAVE THE DATE
SAČUVAJTE DATUM**

Quiz Night

Youth Group 6pm Saturday 7 September 2024

Dalmatian Archive and Museum Meetings

2 pm Sunday 8 September 2024 Michael Brajkovich

Annual Open Day

10.30 am Sunday 22 September 2024

Brodet Night

Friday 27 September 2024

Nelson Buildings Annual Meeting 2024

2 pm Sunday 29 September 2024

DCS Member's Meeting

After the Nelson Buildings Meeting
Sunday 29 September 2024

Annual Briskule Tournament 2024

Day 1 Sunday 6 October Registration at 1.30 pm

Day 2 Sunday 13 October 2.00 pm

ABBA HEAVEN Night

Dine and Dance 7pm Saturday 19 October 2024

2025 Trade and Tertiary Scholarship and George Mihaljevich Writing Competition

Closing on Thursday 31 October, 2024

Halloween Night

6.30pm Friday 25 October 2024

Also Brodet Night

Dalmatian Archive and Museum Open

7pm- 9pm Friday 25 October 2024

2024 Ladies Lunch

12.30 pm Sunday 3 November 2024

Dalmatian Archive and Museum Meetings

2pm Sunday 10 November End of Year Get-together

Dalmatian Archive and Museum Open

7pm-9pm Friday 29 November 2024. Last one 2024

Also Brodet Night

Children's Christmas Party

Sunday 1 December 2024 at 11 am.

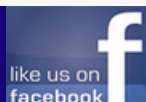
2024 Folklore and Language Showcase

Sunday 8 December 2024 Time TBA

Life Member 2024

Franka Nola

For loyal and life long service to the society in the kitchen and for her amazing baking skills producing endless kroštule, cakes, jams and pickles.



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Past Events Gallery



Auckland Rescue Helicopter Trust Fundraiser

We raised
\$6,000



The \$6,000 raised on Sunday 28 July would have provided for one rescue mission.

A salute to the people working the **Westpac Helicopter Rescue**.

Well done, Portia Murray (Seputich) and your mum, Angelic, for recounting that terrifying event which led to you being rescued. Thank you to Josh and Lincoln for coming and speaking. Thank you also to the special performance group **VOLGA Belly dancers & Cossack Group**. Very impressive. Josh took two substantial Food goodie bags for the Helicopter crew working at the base in Ardmore.

A pat on the back to everyone who attended and gave so generously



Society's Reunion Kolo Group performing recently at an Auckland Multicultural Festival



Babe i Dide Concert 2024





- Dalmatian Cultural Society -
- Dalmatian Youth Committee -



Quiz Night

Saturday 7th September 2024

Doors Open - 7:00pm Quiz Starts - 7:30pm

Tickets - \$30

BOOK NOW



- SUPPER INCLUDED -

10 New North Road, Eden Terrace, Auckland

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NEW ZEALAND'S OWN PREMIERE ABBA TRIBUTE BAND LIVE!
DELICIOUS DINNER FIRST THEN SING AND DANCE THE NIGHT AWAY
DRESS CODE: ABBA-TASTIC

STARTS AT **7PM** UNTIL LATE
SATURDAY **19** OCTOBER 2024
TICKET PRICE **\$65** PER PERSON

VILLA DALMACIJA, 10 NEW NORTH ROAD, EDEN TERRACE, AUCKLAND

ABBA TRIBUTE

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Dalmatian Cultural Society

Ladies Lunch

SUNDAY 3 NOVEMBER 2024
12.30PM



Guest Speaker
Rose Delegat
Delegat Wines

Enjoy a delicious lunch,
entertainment, raffles and more

\$50 MEMBERS / \$60 NON MEMBERS

Tickets are limited! Book online at
<https://www.trybooking.com/nz/TNJ>
or scan QR code
(no door sales)



10 New North Road, Eden Terrace

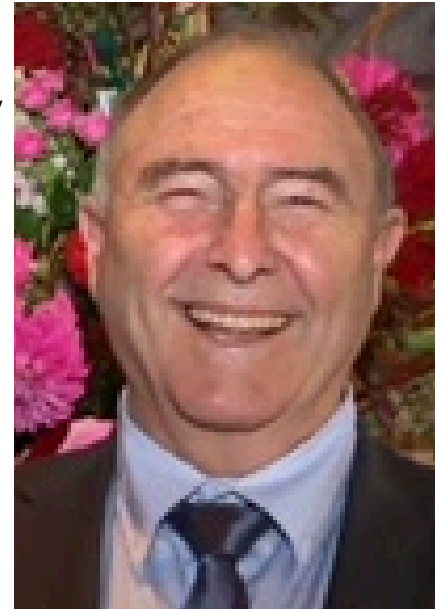
Nelson Buildings Candidates 2024

John Garelja

I became a member of the Yugoslav Club in Hobson St when I was 17. Like most Croatians born in NZ I joined the club to dance the kolo and to meet others and generally have a good time. Within a couple of years I ended up on the committee and was still a committee member when the two clubs merged and purchased this building. I have been a member of the Dalmatian Cultural Society almost continually since then. I have served on the club's committees for about 15 years and have been a director of Nelson Buildings for the last 2 years.

I have substantial experience in governance and management. I have been the president of a large national grower's organisation, NZ Berryfruit Growers Federation, which at that time had over 1300 members. For 10 years I was also the Director/ Chairman of a grower owned company which held the licences for overseas varieties of a number of plant types. In 2020 I was awarded a Life Membership of the New Zealand Horticultural Industry. I have also served on the Board of Trustees of Massey High School for 12 years, 9 of those as Chairman of that Board.

I also have 14 years of experience in commercial, industrial and retail property development and management. I believe this is helpful to my involvement with the team of directors of Nelson Buildings. I am proud of what our community has achieved in owning this property and understand fully the role Nelson Building Ltd has in maintaining this asset for the benefit of the club's members I am happy to continue in this role if re-elected.



Andrew Skokandich

I offer my extensive professional experience and proven expertise as a Fellow of The Chartered Governance Institute and a Chartered Accountant towards providing a fresh new perspective, as well as advocating for sound Board practices wherever possible.

My experience to take on this role spans four decades. I've acted in a professional capacity for several well - known Auckland Clubs. I've also provided input into the private workings of countless businesses ranging in size from startups to publicly listed companies. They include those in commercial property, and in a wide array of other industries. It includes time based offshore with international consulting and accounting group Deloitte. And as a Business Consultant providing general business advice on top of my core finance competency.

I'm an active member of our Club through my involvement in the Reunion Kolo and the singing group. In addition, since October last year I've been a member of the Advisory Group reviewing our Club's Rules towards reregistering our Club to comply with the new Incorporated Societies Act.



Victor Yukich

Member of committee from 2017 to 2019.

Danced Kolo in the late 1970's and have been a member of the Reunion Kolo from 2010 to the present day. My family have been involved in club activities for over 50 years either participating in Folklore activities as dancers, musicians and singers or contributing as part of the committee or other voluntary groups within the club.

I am a qualified Accountant and a member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants Australia and New Zealand. In the early part of my career I worked as an auditor in public practice and then in various financial/management accounting roles in the private sector. In the last 30 years or so I have held several Managing Director positions for both international and local NZ companies. I am currently working full time as Managing Director of an Italian owned company operating in the industrial/ commercial controls field. I will be semi-retiring from this position later in 2024. Appointed as a Director in October 2020 - almost 4 years of service in that role. As a current NBL Director, I have been part of a team with my fellow Directors in taking care of the assets of NBL to ensure that they are maintained to a good standard and that the money we are responsible for is spent wisely for the future benefit of both DCS and NBL . With my upcoming retirement from full time work in the not too distant future, I will have more time to contribute to these goals and am looking forward to that.





Our Friday member nights continue to be a delightful and enjoyable gathering. Our kitchen and bar are run by dedicated volunteers, and to ensure everything runs smoothly, we kindly ask for your cooperation with the following:

1. The bar opens at 6:30 PM to allow our volunteers time to prepare after work.
2. Please return dishes to the table and glasses to the bar.
3. Remember to sign in any non-members.
4. For groups larger than 8, please contact us at events.dallyclub@gmail.com or 027 428 1922 in advance.

Remember we are not a restaurant but a community space run by our members for everyone to enjoy. By working together, we can ensure a great time for all. Our recent Westpac Helicopter Fundraiser was a tremendous success, thanks to the generous raffle donations and delicious baking. The performances from various cultural groups were a joy to behold, and our intermediate girls' performance was particularly noteworthy. Thanks to everyone's efforts, we raised over \$6,000.

Our first Midwinter Feast was a resounding hit, featuring a delectable buffet that pleased everyone. Although some people's eyes were bigger than their stomachs, so even the compost worms enjoyed the feast.

We have several exciting events lined up for the rest of the year, and our committee and volunteers are working diligently to ensure their success. If you would like to assist with any upcoming events, please reach out to me.

I look forward to seeing you at The Club soon.

Best regards,

Julena Nola *President*

Naše članske večeri, svakog petka, nastavljaju biti divno i ugodno okupljanje za sve pristune. Kuhinju i bar vode predani volonteri, a kako bismo osigurali da sve teče glatko, molimo Vas za saradnju sa slijedećim:

- Bar se otvara u 18:30; naši volonteri dolaze nakon posla pa im ovo daje dovoljno vremena da se pripreme
- Molimo vratite iskorišteno posuđe na stol i čaše na šank.
- Ne zaboravite upisati sve goste koji nisu članovi.
- Za grupe veće od 8, molimo da nas unaprijed kontaktirate na events.dallyclub@gmail.com ili 027 428 1922.

Molimo Vas, ne zaboravite da nismo restoran, već prostor zajednice koji vode naši članovi kako bi svi mogli uživati. Zajedničkim radom i trudom, možemo osigurati divan provod za sve.

Naša nedavna akcija prikupljanja sredstava za Westpac helikopter bila je nevjerovatno uspješna, zahvaljujući velikodušnim donacijama na tomboli i ukusnim kolačima. Nastupi raznih kulturnih grupa bili su pravi užitak za vidjeti, a posebno je zapažen nastup naših devojčica iz intermediate kola. Zahvaljujući zajedničkom trudu, prikupili smo preko 6000 dolara.

Naša prva zimska gozba, Midwinter Feast, bila je izvanredna, s ukusnim švedskim stolom koji se svidio svima. Činilo se da su nekima oči bile gladne, pa su čak i kompostni crvi uživali u gozbi.

Imamo nekoliko uzbudljivih događaja u planu za ostatak godine, a naš odbor i volonteri marljivo rade kako bi osigurali njihov uspjeh. Ako želite pomoći s bilo kojim nadolazećim događajima, obratite mi se.

Radujem se što ću Vas uskoro vidjeti u Klubu.

Srdačan pozdrav

Julena Nola

Dalmatinsko Kulturno Društvo Inc. Members' Meeting

Following the Nelson Buildings Annual Meeting
Sunday 29 September 2024
At the Society Ballroom

The Agenda for the meeting is:

1. Moments Silence for deceased members;
2. Apologies;
3. Minutes of the last Members' Meeting. Sunday 5 May 2024;
4. Correspondence;
5. Treasurer's Report;
6. Overseer's Report;
7. Dalmatian Archive and Museum Report;
8. Folklore and Language Report;
9. Events Report;
10. Planning and Development Report and Strategic Plan;
11. Health and Safety Report;
12. Food Control Plan;
13. IT and Technical Support Report;
14. Youth Report;
15. General Business

Nelson Buildings Annual Meeting 2024

with the Members of the

Dalmatinsko Kulturno Društvo (Inc.)
2 pm Sunday 29 September 2024

In the Society Ballroom, 10 New North Rd, Eden Terrace
Nelson Buildings Directors are elected for a two year term. Two directors retired this year and they are John Garelja and Victor Yukich

Nominations were called in July 2024 and closed on Friday 23 August 2024. Three nominations have been received by the closing date for the two positions:

John Garelja
Andrew Skokandich
Victor Yukich

There will be an election for Directors

The Agenda for the meeting is:

1. Opening of meeting;
2. Apologies;
3. Minutes from last Annual Meeting Tuesday 26 September, 2023;
4. Election of Nelson Buildings Directors;
5. Correspondence;
6. Directors Report;
7. Financial Report;
8. General Business

Dalmatian Archive and Museum

The Secretary, Dalmatian Archive and Museum
PO Box 8479, Newmarket 1149 Auckland.
Ph. +649 3030366

Email: dalmatianmuseum@gmail.com

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**Sunday 8 September
2pm**

**Members' Lounge
Speaker**

**Michael Brajkovich
of Kumeu River Wines**



Michael's father's family came from Živogošće and through his mother he has links to Gradac and Majići (near Vrgorac). Michael will speak about his career in winemaking.

This is a golden opportunity for anyone with an interest in wine and winemaking to hear from one of NZ's best qualified and experienced oenologists.

*Below: Mate and Melba (nee Sutich)
Brajkovich's Wedding*



August 2024 Meeting

Thanks go to **David Tolich** for his talk on Sunday 4 August 2024 about the difficulties and prejudices faced by our early settlers. He reminded us of the bonds of friendship that grew between the Iwi of Northland and young Dalmatian men. Common values led to positive social relations and also marriages.

We should remember that our present good standing in NZ society developed from a very different situation, a situation that is faced by other national groups now.

We will be taking a break in October. No speaker's meeting. September will have been a busy month and the Club will be hosting the Annual Briškula tournament on the first two weekends of October.

Our End of Year Celebration Get Together

is to be on
Sunday 10 November at
2pm.

Along with our usual festive fare there will be a talk about and a wine tasting of Čuvar Wines from the Fistonich Family Vineyard.



Dalmatian Archive and Museum

Open by appointment by calling the following:

Chairperson: *Steven Sulenta* 636 7788

Secretary: *Slavenka Misa* 623 3288 or 021 02750659

Treasurer: *Linda Tolich* 629 2353 (Treasurer)

Committee: *Catherine Pivac; Pam Roderick; Glenda Lucich; Sylvia Sokolich*

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Open Day

22 September 2024

the Dalmatian Archive and Museum
will feature three new displays:

- **A Century of Dalmatian Market Gardening,**
- **Dalmatian Wrestlers in 20th century NZ**
- **and two stunning vintage costumes.**

We are grateful to
Helen Warden (nee Vujnovich) and
Teresa La Cassie (nee Vujnovich)
who donated these wonderful
examples of the finest needlework.



Left: Hand Embroidered detail, wool on linen, on the Posavina Costume.

Above: Helen Vujnovich wearing the Croatian Costume 1952 now displayed in the archive.

Below: 'Zlatovez' (gold work embroidery) detail on scarf of Djakovo costume.



Friday Evenings Open Archive 7-9pm

- Fridays 27 September; 25 October and 29 November 2024

Do remember that the Archive is accessible most Monday mornings (10am onwards) when our volunteer team is at work. It is advisable to phone us to be sure.

Folklore and Language 2024

Please be prepared to complete Folklore and Language Enrolment form and pay the fee as soon as you join a class or two.

The Enrolment Fee payable by all participants :

One applicant	\$70
Two Applicants in one family	\$110
Three or more applicants in one family	\$140

Classes with tutors are on the following days:

Junior Croatian Language Class	Baki Matarugić	Friday	6.00pm
Adult Croatian Language classes	Baki Matarugić	Friday	7.00pm
Junior Kolo	Katja Mihajlov	Friday	6.30pm
Intermediate Kolo	Katja Mihajlov	Friday	7.15 pm
Tamburica Group	Nick Cebalo	Friday	7.00 pm
Dalmatian Cultural Society Choir	Damir Coklo	Friday	8.00 pm
"Tarara Folklore Ensemble" Kolo 16 years +	Nenad Rajic	Sunday	6.00 pm
Reunion Kolo Group	Jakov Sale and Robert Blucher	Wednesday	7.30pm

Please note that you (parents, grandparents, or guardians) or your children must be members of the Society to participate in our folklore activities. If you're not a member, it's easy to apply. Either pick up a Membership Application form from the Secretary's office downstairs, or at the Bar in the Members Lounge on a Friday night or download from our website:

<https://www.dalmatian.org.nz/>



Our members, Cushla Anich and son Marko Garlick finally met Branka Bezić in person at the Split Maritime Museum on 16 August 2024.

They have been in contact over the years regarding Dalmatian immigrant history in NZ.

Marko wrote a book My Baba and Dida's journey from Dalmatian to New Zealand over ten years ago while at school (he is now 26 years old and a qualified lawyer). Cushla and her sister Venessa wrote about their family's fish restaurant Tony's that also featured in one of Branka's books.

Branka kindly gave them copies of her wonderful books on Dalmatian immigrant stories to share back in NZ with Cushla's six siblings.

Cameron Leslie

is a highly accomplished Paralympian from New Zealand, known for his achievements in swimming and wheelchair rugby. He has represented his country in multiple Paralympic Games, earning several gold medals throughout his career:

Swimming Career:

Beijing 2008 Paralympics: Won a gold medal in swimming.

London 2012 Paralympics: Secured another gold medal.

Rio 2016 Paralympics: Achieved a gold medal and set a world record in the 150m medley event.

Wheelchair Rugby:

Cameron Leslie is also a member of the "Wheel Blacks," New Zealand's national wheelchair rugby team, showcasing his versatility as an athlete.

Recognition and Awards:

Received his 'numbered' Paralympic pin as part of The Celebration Project in Whangarei in May 2019.

Nominated for a prestigious Laureus Award in 2023, highlighting his global recognition as one of the top Para athletes.

Won the Halberg Award in 2024, a significant honor in New Zealand sports.

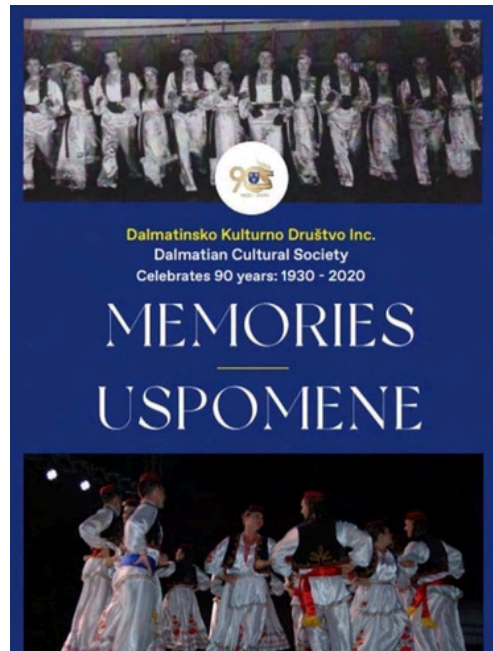
Personal Background:

Cameron Leslie was born in Whangarei, New Zealand. His grandfather was a Srhoj, which hints at his diverse family heritage.

Cameron Leslie's dedication to sports and his numerous accolades make him a remarkable figure in Paralympic sports. He continues to inspire many through his achievements and commitment to his athletic pursuits.

In 2011 he came to the club with his cousins, Danyela Van der Sande and Mara Blucher and became a member of the Dalmatian Cultural Society for several years.

Wishing him all the best at the Paris Paralympics this year.



We have a number of

90th Anniversary

books left to sell. Price on collection when the Club is open

\$40

See the Secretary in the Society's Office on a Friday Night.

Email dalmatiancultural@gmail.com or phone Mara 021 362 872

Dalmatinsko Kulturno Društvo

Friday Night Dinner Menu

ADULT MEAL \$27
HALF MEAL \$17

CHOOSE FROM

Fish of the Day / Riba Dana
Salmon / Losos
Squid / Lignje
Prawns / Kozice
Ćevapi
Steak / Odrezak
Pork Steak / Svinjski Odrezak
(all subject to availability)

All meals served with chips & salad

OTHER ITEMS
Fries *Large \$5 *Small \$3
Side Salad \$5
Pancakes/Palačinke \$1.50
Antipasto Platter \$20
Tea/coffee \$3

Bon Appetit / Dobar Tek

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PATRONS Mate and Vojna Pavlovich

EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE 2024-2025

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PRESIDENT: Julena Nola

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Marin Tokmadžić

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Assistant Roland Sokcevic

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Julia Matich Tamara Ujdur
Slavenka Misa Dina-Sara Vajsakovic
Vojna Pavlovich

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John Garelja
Julena Nola (President)
Tony Unkovich
Victor Yukich

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John Garelja
Helen Marinovich (Assistant)
Tanja Nola Schipper

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Steven Šulenta (Chairperson)
Slavenka Misa (Secretary)
Linda Tolich (Treasurer)

BAR MANAGER Daniel Kovačević

EVENTS Julena Nola

FOLKLORE AND LANGUAGE
Marin Tokmadžić and Mara Vitasovich

HEALTH AND SAFETY Annette Ciprian

TECH SUPPORT Daniel Kovačević

KITCHEN MANAGER Vojna Pavlovich

LADIES GROUP Mara Vitasovich
Vojna Pavlovich

PLANNING AND DEVELOPMENT TEAM
Annette Ciprian
Veronica Shale

TRANSLATOR Suzana Tokmadzic

COSTUME MANAGER Radmila Lupis

YOUTH GROUP Monika Palinich (Chair)
Nadija Palinich (Secretary)

VENUE BOOKINGS
events.dallyclub@gmail.com

NEW MEMBERS

NOVI ČLANOVI

We would like to welcome the following new members:

Dragan, Aleksandra and Stefan Petrovic;

Gerald Matijasevic; Joe Radich;

Miodrag and Vesna Zdravkovic

and wish them many happy years of association with our Society.

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATIONS

MOLBE ZA UČLANJENJE

The following have applied for membership in our Society:

Ivan and Brenda (Nola) Houghton

Nominator Louise Matulovic, seconder Marin Matulovic
Antoinette Yelavich

Nominator Louise Matulovic, seconder Marin Matulovic
Veronika Stojanovikj

Nominator Jasmine Druskovich, Seconder Nadija Palinich

Robert, Natasha, Maya and Nika Plešnik

Nominator Daniel Kovacevic, seconder Mara Vitasovich
Sylvanna and Denis Andzakovic

Nominator Louis Segedin, seconder Katee Yukich
Sacha Moore (Loverich)

Nominator Maria Loverich, seconder Nicolette Palinich
Isabella Regtien

Nominator Cheryl Segedin, Seconder Michael Marinovich

Katrina, Mike and Jamie Shaw (Associate Members)

Nominator Zorka Webster, seconder Steven Garelja

Anyone wishing to object can do so in writing within 14 days receipt of this newsletter in accordance with Society rules.

BEREAVEMENTS

OSMRNICE

Our condolences are extended to those members who have recently lost loved ones, both here and overseas.

Ivan Botica Longtime Club member and supporter of Dalmatian Bowls.

Vera Gibson (Sunde) Longtime supporter and Member.
Počivali u miru

Get well wishes

Dobre želje

We wish all who are recovering from an operation or illness a speedy recovery. Keep warm during these late winter chills. Our best wishes to you all for health and happiness.

Change of Address

Promjena adrese

Please let us know of your change of address if you have recently moved homes at any time. We have had mail returned to us recently.

Volunteers needed

Potrebni volonteri

Training given for members to work in a friendly happy environment.
Includes: Bar work; Kitchen work; Functions; Special Events; Private functions. Email: dalmatiancultural@gmail.com or phone Julena 027 428 1922

Dalmatinsko Kulturno Društvo (Inc.)

2025 Trade and Tertiary Scholarship

\$3000

The competition is open 1 July 2024 - 31 October 2024

This scholarship is open to Dalmatinsko Kulturno Društvo (Inc) (referred to as DCS) members who are 18 to 25 years of age and are students in tertiary or trade studies. This scholarship is set up by DCS to promote further education for the benefit of members of the Society and is funded by DCS.

The recipient of this award will assist the student with materials and course expenses.

CRITERIA

Applicants for the scholarship must:

Have a good academic record.

Be a member of DCS.

Be enrolled into Tertiary education or Trade study.

Complete this application by due date.

Students are to complete an essay of 1500 words titled



My Career Choice, Aspirations and Hopes and Dreams

For more information see the Secretary

Judges decision will be final

Decision announcements will be made at the

Folklore and Language Showcase,

Sunday 8 December 2024

George Mihaljevich

Writing Competition 2024

Senior Prize \$ 500

Junior Prize \$150

The competition is open 1 July 2024 - 31 October 2024

We are looking for originality and variety. Excite us. Everyone has a story inside them waiting to be released. Choose your words carefully and submit an as yet unpublished short story of your choice.

The competition is open to Dalmatian Cultural Society Members only.

Categories: Junior: up to 15 years

Senior: 16 years and over

Word Count: Junior: Up to 1,500 words

Senior: 1,500-2,000 words

Formatting: 1.5 spacing Size 12

Preferred font: Arial or Times New Roman

Attach your story as a **Word Document** in an email sent to the Secretary of the Dalmatian Cultural Society (Inc.) at dalmatiancultural@gmail.com

Please use the title of the story as the subject of the email submission and your contact details.

(Full name and phone number in the body of the email.)

Judges' decision will be final.

Decision announcements will be made at the

Folklore and Language Showcase,

Sunday 8 December 2024

Dalmatian Radio on Planet FM104.6

every Tuesday night from 7.20 until 7.50 where you are informed about upcoming events from the Dalmatian Cultural Society and hear the latest and greatest music from the various regions of former Yugoslavia. You can also log onto Planet FM website

www.planetaudio.org.nz/dalmatianradio

where you can hear our radio programme, anytime, from anywhere in the world, and also download it.

Nick Bartulovich

Producer, Recording Engineer & Presenter.

Dalmatinsko Kulturno Društvo Inc.

2024-2025 Membership Renewal

A reminder that 2024-2025 Membership subscriptions are now overdue for those who haven't yet paid.

These were due on April 1st 2024.

Methods of payment:

Ø For on-line payments

o **BNZ 02-0144-0070761-00**

o Bank **Particulars:** Surname

Code: Membership No 2023-2024

Reference: Invoice number

Ø Paying by cash or Eftpos Friday nights.

If any details of your membership has changed, ie address, or no longer living in a family home for membership, please note the change on your invoice, including address, email address and phone number and hand into office, scan or post to the secretary.

Email: dalmatiancultural@gmail.com

A reminder has been posted or emailed to those who have forgotten.

Membership Cards

these are now being posted to those who havent collected these yet.

HAVING A PARTY?

Hire our venue for Weddings, Birthdays, Anniversaries, Corporate Functions. We have lots of great options for your event. Fantastic food, drinks, music and entertainment are on offer.

Have a chat with our Events Team:

Email: events.dallyclub@gmail.com

Emailed newsletter: "Novosti"

All newsletters will be emailed to known email addresses. If you wish to have a paper copy please see the secretary in the office on a Friday night.

If you haven't received this newsletter in email form please send your email address to the Secretary at

dalmatiancultural@gmail.com

Mara Vitasovich, Secretary 021 362 872

Parking your car at the club

Friday nights and Events nights are busy. When parking your car behind another in our club carpark, please write your name and number plate on the board in the Members' Lounge for ease of locating the owner.

Brodet Brujet Brudet

Back by popular demand for you at the club on the last
Friday of the Month

Friday 27 September 2024

Friday 25 October 2024

Friday 29 November 2024

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A SPECIAL TREAT FOR YOU ALL

ANNUAL BRIŠKULA TOURNAMENT 2024

Sunday 6 October 2024

Registration at 1.30pm, 2.00pm start

13 October 2024 at 2.00pm

Entry \$20 each

All ages, men and women are most welcome.
Get a team of three together.

Dinner will be sold every night of the
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