

Friday 31 January 2025

Dear

This is just a follow up to your formal notice sent with your membership renewal in December 2024 advising details of our forthcoming Tawa Branch AGM.

Tawa is a well-established suburb in the northern part of the Ohariu electorate with growing numbers of young families and seniors. Over the last four years we have established a thriving National Party Tawa Branch Committee which has resulted in increasing our volunteers in the Ohariu Electorate and created greater engagement with our local community.

Our Deputy Leader, Hon Nicola Willis has opened an office in nearby Johnsonville and any constituent who has issues they wish to discuss with her can make an appointment by visiting the office during working hours.

This last year was a period for focussing on getting New Zealand back on track and growing our economy. Locally the Party was well represented at the Spring in Tawa Fair along with some well attended social functions. Our aim in 2025 is to build on those events and grow our membership and fundraising for the 2026 election.

Details of our Branch AGM is as follows:

Date: Monday 10 February 2025

Time: 7.30pm - 9.00pm

Venue: Emmaus Centre, Northern Room, Tawa Anglican Church

Address: 1 Lyndhurst Road, Tawa. Plenty of parking in front of the Centre

RSVP to: Branch Chair: Martien Lubberink

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The Agenda

- 1. Welcome (ensure we meet quorum as set at 2023 AGM)
- 2. Apologies
- 3. Obituaries
- 4. Minutes of last year's AGM
- 5. Branch Chairs Annual Report including membership
- 6. Planning for 2025 a presentation
- 7. Constitution of the branch
 - Resolve branch membership transfers if any
 - Quorum for next year's AGM and Branch Executive
 - Appoint the Branch Executive
 - Chair
 - Deputy Chair
 - Secretary
 - o Fundraising & Events coordinator
 - o Membership Coordinator
 - o Any other?
 - o Power to co-opt up to 6 additional members
- 8. Vote of thanks to retiring office bearers
- 9. Electorate Chairs report
- 10. Nominations for Electorate Office
- 11. Remits
- 12. General Business
- 13. Closure followed by refreshments