

2025 COURSE LIST					
NAME	CONVENOR	PHONE	EMAIL ADDRESS	DATE AND TIME	VENUE
Art Appreciation	Kathleen Cocking	845 1553	<a href="mailto:jkcocking@yahoo.com.au">jkcocking@yahoo.com.au</a>	2nd Tuesday 1.30 - 3.30pm	Taradale Library
Astronomy	Les De Frere	870 3634 027 5270067		1st Thursday after 2nd Wednesday of the month (1:30pm)	NBHS Planetarium
Bon Vivant Group	Jenny Garrett	027 2932669	<a href="mailto:jenniferann@xtra.co.nz">jenniferann@xtra.co.nz</a>	4th Wednesday - various times	Various
Book Group	Vic Chick	843 3474		2nd Friday 2.00pm	Various
Classical Music	Lester Calder	027 234 7050	<a href="mailto:lesterandjill.calder@gmail.com">lesterandjill.calder@gmail.com</a>	4th Thursday of the month 1:30 pm	Private Home
Community Affairs	Franki James	843 5926	<a href="mailto:frankijb@gmail.com">frankijb@gmail.com</a>	1st Monday 9.30 - 11.00am	Somerset in the Bay, Merlot Dr
Contentious Issues	Keith Rowe	021 258 5298	<a href="mailto:kkrowe@xtra.co.nz">kkrowe@xtra.co.nz</a>	1st Thursday 1.45 - 4.00pm	Mission View Village Hall
Dipping into History	Wynn Barnett	844 2329	<a href="mailto:joehandwynn@gmail.com">joehandwynn@gmail.com</a>	2nd Monday 2.00 - 4.00pm	Mission View Village Hall
French Conversation Beginners	Marion Sturm	844 8872	<a href="mailto:marions36ms@gmail.com">marions36ms@gmail.com</a>	Mondays 10.30 - 12.00pm	36 Churchill Drive Taradale
French Conversation Middle	Lynn Lusby	021 250 6638	<a href="mailto:slusby@xtra.co.nz">slusby@xtra.co.nz</a>	Mondays 9.30 - 10:30am	Taradale Library
French Conversation Friday	Franki James	8435926	<a href="mailto:frankijb@gmail.com">frankijb@gmail.com</a>	Fridays 10:00 - 11:00 am	Private Home
Gardening	Christine Smith	027 632 6973	<a href="mailto:tontine.smith@gmail.com">tontine.smith@gmail.com</a>		Various
Geography	Tony Smith	021 035 9314	<a href="mailto:tontine.smith@gmail.com">tontine.smith@gmail.com</a>	1st Friday 10.00 - 11.30am	Somerset Palms, Ericksen Rd
History	Norma Sinton	844 8388		2nd Wednesday 1.45 - 4.00pm	Taradale Senior Citizens Hall
Leisure Cycling	Vince Allcock	027 4771654	<a href="mailto:errwood17@gmail.com">errwood17@gmail.com</a>	E-bike. Group.( Pedal Power are welcome to come along)	
Lunch 3	Pam Medcalf	835 8231	<a href="mailto:medcalf6@xtra.co.nz">medcalf6@xtra.co.nz</a>	1st Friday 12.00pm	Various
Mahjong	Bev Doohan OR	845 3834	<a href="mailto:b.doohan@xtra.co.nz">b.doohan@xtra.co.nz</a>	Tuesday 9:15 for 9.30 am start	
	Joy Lawrence	027 2844235	<a href="mailto:garthjoy@gmail.com">garthjoy@gmail.com</a>		Bridge Club, Clyde Jeffery Dr, Park Island
Photography	Shirley Pattison	027 338 8837	<a href="mailto:spattison7@gmail.com">spattison7@gmail.com</a>	4th Tuesday 1.30 - 3.30pm	Mission View Village Hall
Poetry Reading	Sonia Mackenzie	844 4834	<a href="mailto:sjmac13@xtra.co.nz">sjmac13@xtra.co.nz</a>	1st Wednesday 2.00pm	Private Home
Religion:Multifaceted and Diverse Human Phenomenon	Keith Rowe	021 258 5298	<a href="mailto:kkrowe@xtra.co.nz">kkrowe@xtra.co.nz</a>	Short courses	
Rummikub	Russell Drieberg	844 0303		1st & 3rd Monday 1:30-4:00 pm	Mission View Village Hall
Scrabble	Marion Sturm	844 8872	<a href="mailto:marions36ms@gmail.com">marions36ms@gmail.com</a>	Thursdays 2.00pm	Taradale Library. (ask at desk)
Stories of the past for the future	Sonia Mackenzie	844 4834	<a href="mailto:sjmac13@xtra.co.nz">sjmac13@xtra.co.nz</a>	2nd Thursday 10.15 am	Private Home
Te Reo Maori	Claire Donkin	021 0298 7728	<a href="mailto:clairedonkin@gmail.com">clairedonkin@gmail.com</a>	Tuesday 2.15 pm -3.30pm	Private Home
Words! Words! Words!	Janet Turvey	027 3679120	<a href="mailto:janet.turvey51@gmail.com">janet.turvey51@gmail.com</a>	1st and 3rd Wednesdays 2:00 - 4:00 pm	Taradale senior Citizens