



**U3A TAWA COURSES & ACTIVITIES
A to Z - JANUARY to DECEMBER 2024**

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ART GROUP (ART)	RUNS ALL YEAR
Coordinator: Alison Bayly wiseowlalison@gmail.com 027 437 9215	
<u>When:</u> Every Thursday, 10am till noon, begins February 8th	
<u>Where:</u> Tawa Community Centre	
BOARD GAMES (BGM)	4 SESSIONS
Coordinator: Alison Bayly wiseowlalison@gmail.com 027 437 9215	
<u>When:</u> 4th Wednesday of the month, 10 - 11.30am, begins February 28th	
<u>Where:</u> Tawa Union Church	
BOOKS 1 (BK1)	RUNS ALL YEAR
Coordinator: Faith Delaney 232 6730	
<u>When:</u> 2nd Monday of the month @ 10am, begins February 12th	
<u>Where:</u> Members' home	
BOOKS 2 (BK2) - NB This course is full	RUNS ALL YEAR
Leader/Coordinator: Sally Horan horanps@xtra.co.nz 232 6006	
<u>When:</u> 4th Monday of the month @ 10am, begins February 26th	
<u>Where:</u> Member's homes	
BOTANY (BOT)	RUNS ALL YEAR
Coordinator: Helen Roper gandhroper@gmail.com 897 0155	
<u>When:</u> 2nd Monday of the month @ 9.30am, begins February 12th	
<u>Where:</u> Meet at Davies Street/Luckie Street car park, Tawa	
CHOIR (CHR) - U3A Singers	RUNS ALL YEAR
Coordinator: Gail Milner milner_family@xtra.co.nz 027 417 4422	
<u>When:</u> Every Monday @ 1.15pm, begins February 12th	
<u>Where:</u> Tawa Union Church	
COMPUTER CHATTER (CMP)	RUNS ALL YEAR
Coordinator: John Baldwin ajbaldwin.nz@gmail.com 237 6501 / 027 349 777	
<u>When:</u> 4th Thursday of the month @ 10am, begins February 22nd	
<u>Where:</u> Tawa Community Centre	
CROSSWORD SOLVING (CRS)	4 SESSIONS
Coordinators: Barbara Woods pandbwoods@outlook.com 971 5464	
John Bolland bollywelly@gmail.com 232 6126 / 021 264 0941	
<u>When:</u> 2nd Wednesday of the month @ 11.15am, begins February 14th	
<u>Where:</u> TBA	
CURRENT AFFAIRS (CAF)	RUNS ALL YEAR
Coordinator: Helen Roper gandhroper@gmail.com 897 0155	
<u>When:</u> 1st Wednesday of the month @ 10am, begins February 7th	
<u>Where:</u> Emmaus Centre	

DISCUSSION GROUP (DIS)**RUNS ALL YEAR**Coordinator:Lola Gudsell gudsellco@gmail.com 232 6110When: 2nd Wednesday of the month @ 10am, begins February 14thWhere: Member's home**ENGLISH CIVIL WARS (ECW)****SEMESTER TWO**Coordinator:Dave Smith dogsnake33@gmail.com 232 5082 / 021 991 404When: TBAWhere: TBA**FLAX WEAVING (FLW)****4 SESSIONS**Coordinator:Judith Havill judith.havill@gmail.com 027 319 8235When: Tuesdays 6th, 13th, 20th & 27th February (TBC), 10.00am - noonWhere: Member's home**HEALTH ISSUES (HLT)****RUNS ALL YEAR**Coordinators: Gillian George gillian.george3a@gmail.com 021 231 4240Sally Horan horanps@xtra.co.nz 232 6006 / 027 439 2721When: Tuesdays March 12th, May 7th, August 6th & Oct 8th @ 10.30am (TBC)Where: Tawa Union Church**INDOOR BOWLS (INB)****9 SESSIONS**Coordinator:Gay Quirke gaquirke790@gmail.com 027 242 3288When: Every Friday, May 3rd to June 28th @ 1.00pm (TBC)Where: Tawa Union Church Hall**KEEP-FIT CLASSES (KFT)****RUNS ALL YEAR**Coordinator: Brian Wilson brian.mariew@gmail.com 234 7085 - \$7 per half hourWhen: Sessions available Mon 1.30 - 2pm, Thurs 2 - 2.30pm and Fri 1 - 1.30pmWhere: Revolve Fitness, Tawa Mall, Tawa**KNITTING TOGETHER (KNT)****RUNS ALL YEAR**Coordinator: Gillian George gillian.george3a@gmail.com 021 231 4240When: 1st Tuesday of the month @ 2pm, begins March 5thWhere: Members' homes**LITERATURE (LIT)****SEMESTER TWO**Coordinator:Valerie Saxton valerie.m.saxton@gmail.com 232 7303 / 021 166 3373When: Wednesdays August 28th & September 4th @ 1.30pmWhere: Tawa Library**MECCANO (MEC)****RUNS ALL YEAR**Coordinator: Gillian George gillian.george3a@gmail.com 021 231 4240When: 2nd & 4th Mondays of the month, 9.30 - 11.30am, begins February 12thWhere: Member's Home**MOVIE GROUP (MOV)****RUNS ALL YEAR**Coordinator: Pat Hammond exlibrarypat52@gmail.com 027 335 0038When: 3rd Wednesday of the month @ 10.30am, begins March 20thWhere: Lighthouse Cinema, Pauatahanui**MUSIC PERFORMANCE GROUP (MPG)****RUNS ALL YEAR**Coordinator:Jancis Potter jancispotter@gmail.com 232 3915 / 027 635 4733When: 1st Thursday of the month @ 2pm, begins March 7thWhere: Member's home**NEW BOOKS IN THE LIBRARY****RUNS ALL YEAR**Coordinators: Pauline Gallagher paulinemg@xtra.co.nz 232 4653 & Dave SmithWhen: 2nd Thursday of the month @ 10.00am, begins February 8thWhere: Tawa Library

PETANQUE (PET) RUNS ALL YEAR

Coordinator: Jane de Waal janevharvest@xtra.co.nz 027 364 1273

When: Every Friday 10 - 12 noon, begins February 2nd (weather permitting)

Where: Aotea Lagoon

PHILOSOPHICAL ISSUES (PHI) RUNS ALL YEAR

Coordinator: TBA

When: 2nd Wednesday of the month @ 10am, begins February 14th

Where: TBA

PIANO RECITAL (PNO) 1 EACH SEMESTER

Coordinator: Jancis Potter jancispotter@gmail.com 232 3915 / 027 635 4733

When: Tuesday March 19th, from 10am to 12 noon

Where: Member's Home

PLAY READING (PLR) SEMESTER ONE

Coordinator: Barbara Woods pandbwoods@outlook.com 971 5464

When: 4th Wednesday of the month @ 10.30am, begins February 28th

Where: Tawa Community Centre

PRESIDENCY OF HARRY TRUMAN (PHT) SEMESTER ONE

Coordinator: Dave Smith dogsnake33@gmail.com 232 5084 / 021 991 404

When: Mondays April 8th & 22nd, and May 6th & 20th @ 10.00am

Where: TBA

QUIZ (QUZ) 4 SESSIONS

Leader/Coordinator: Pat Hammond exlibrarypat52@gmail.com 027 335 0038

When: Tuesdays March 26th, June 25th, August 27th & October 22nd @ 1.30pm

Where: Tawa Union Church Hall

RAMBLERS (RBS) RUNS ALL YEAR

Coordinator: Shirley Williamson jdwskw@actrix.gen.nz 232 6746

When: Every Thursday @ 10am, begins February 1st

Where: Meet @ Davies Street/Luckie Street car-park

READING SHAKESPEARE (RSH) RUNS ALL YEAR

Coordinator: Dave Smith dogsnake33@gmail.com 232 5084 / 021 991 404

When: Thursdays Feb 15th, 22nd & 29th; June 13th, 20th & 27th @ 2.00pm

Where: TBA

REDUCE RUBBISH, REUSE, RECYCLE (RRR) 2 SESSIONS

Coordinator: John Baldwin ajbaldwin.nz@gmail.com 237 6501 / 027 349 7777

When: Wednesdays March 13th & August 21st @ 2.15pm (TBC)

Where: Tawa Community Centre

RESILIENCE (RES) SEMESTER ONE

Coordinator: Barbara Woods pandbwoods@outlook.com 971 5464

When: 3rd Wednesday of the month @ 10.30am, begins February 21st

Where: TBA

SCIENCE, TECHNOLOGY & US (SCI) RUNS ALL YEAR

Coordinators: David Wratt wrattds@gmail.com 232 9950

Peter Woods pandbwoods@outlook.com

When: 4th Wednesday of the month @ 10.30am, begins March 27th

Where: TBA

SCRABBLE (jointly with Porirua U3A) RUNS ALL YEAR

Contact: John Bolland pollywelly@gmail.com 232 6126 / 021 264 0941

When: Fridays fortnightly @ 10am, begins February 2nd

Where: Members' homes

SCRAPBOOKING/CARDS (SCB)**RUNS ALL YEAR**Coordinator: Barbara Russell barb.david@xtra.co.nz 232 5831 / 021 049 3599When: Every Friday, 10am - noon, begins February 2ndWhere: Tawa Community Centre**SPIRITUAL DISCUSSIONS (SPD)****RUNS ALL YEAR**Coordinator: Digby Gudsell gudsells@usnet.co.nz 232 6110When: 3rd Tuesday of the month @ 10am, begins February 20thWhere: Member's home**TABLE TENNIS (TTN)****RUNS ALL YEAR**Joint Coordinators: John Bolland bollywelly@gmail.com 232 6126 / 021 264 0941Tim Davin davinfamily49@gmail.com 027 204 9536When: Every Thursday @ 9.30am, begins February 1stWhere: Tawa Community Centre Hall**TAI CHI (TCM)****RUNS ALL YEAR**Coordinators: Susan Lennie susan.lennie@gmail.com 021 048 1275Michael Lynch m.lynch@xtra.co.nz 022 616 8066When: Every Friday @ 10am, begins February 2ndWhere: Tawa Union Church Hall**TAWA HISTORY (TWH)****2 SESSIONS**Coordinator: Alison Bayly wiseowlalison@gmail.com 027 437 9215When: Monday April 15th & October 7th @ 10amWhere: Emmaus Centre (TBC)**TAWA-LINDEN WALKERS (TLW)****RUNS ALL YEAR**Coordinator: Allan Johnson sharall@xtra.co.nz 021 138 1233When: Every Tuesday at 9am, begins January 9thWhere: Meet at Tawa Junction, Wellington Beds end of car park**THEATRE VISITS (THV)****RUNS ALL YEAR**Coordinator: Alison Bayly wiseowlalison@gmail.com 027 437 9215When: As plays are staged**TRAVEL ADVENTURES (TRA)****RUNS ALL YEAR**Coordinator: Carole Naylor carole46naylor@gmail.com 233 8032When: 2nd Friday of the month @ 10am, begins February 9thWhere: Emmaus Centre**UKULELE STRUM (UKU)****RUNS ALL YEAR**Coordinator: Malcolm Haddon mdhaddon@gmail.com 021 114 8852When: Every Friday @ 1pm, begins January 26thWhere: Tawa Community Centre**WINE APPRECIATION (WIN)****6 SESSIONS**Coordinator: Pat Hammond exlibrarypat52@gmail.com 027 335 0038When: TBAWhere: Member's Home**WRITE IT! (WIT)****RUNS ALL YEAR**Coordinator: Lola Gudsell gudsellco@gmail.com 232 6110 / 021 147 0133When: Tuesdays fortnightly @ 1.00pm, begins February 6thWhere: Tawa Community Centre, Boardroom entrance**More up-to-date information is on the Tawa U3A website -**www.u3atawa.org.nz