



16<sup>th</sup> National Model A Rally

Methven – New Zealand

2023

Earlybird members

Newsletter Number 1

Thank you for the excellent response we have received from you all in registering as “Earlybirds” at the last National Rally in Gisborne this year. There were 77 registrations on the board before we left for home.

Congratulations to David, Karen and the Gisborne team for a very enjoyable week in Gisborne and the well organised events.

As displayed at our presentation in Gisborne we have chosen to centre the 2023 Rally at Methven in the heart of the Mid Canterbury rural area with ready access to the great scenery that the open spaces of the plains, the Canterbury Alps, and rivers can produce.

In the coming months we will provide information in relation to the planned programme and activities, and places of interest in the surrounding areas. We are also hoping to gain some information on accommodation availability – when we can get through this Covid 19 interruption.

At the presentation we promised the Earlybirds who paid their \$20 deposit at the 2021 Rally that they would go into a draw to receive a rebate of the 2023 Rally entry fee.

Congratulation to that lucky person Ross Bolton of Mangawhai (number 24 entry).

Our next newsletter will be with those who have registered before the end of 2021, with a list of accommodation that can be booked.

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