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INFORMATION SESSION WITH WELLINGTON ELECTRICITY FOR NORMANDALE RESIDENTS



The Normandale Residents' Association will be hosting a get together with Wellington Electricity for a residents information session on Thursday 22nd February at St Aidan's on the Hill.

They have asked to come and talk to us following the concerns raised last year when we lost power in the storms. They will cover some generalised topics including: who they are, how they fit into the chain providing household supply, vegetation management, outage stats (High Voltage), regulation information, planned outage processes, as well as a Q&A session.

IMPORTANT! Wellington Electricity have offered to provide refreshments, so they do need a gauge on attendance. If you are considering attending please RSVP to we_customerservice@welectricity.co.nz.

If you cannot make it but would still like to pose a question for the Q&A portion of the evening, you can email us (see email address below) and we can ask the question for you.

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Disclaimer: The opinions expressed in this paper do not necessarily reflect those of the committee. ***Note:** Copy deadline is the 25th of preceding month.

WHEN:

Thursday 22nd February
7pm-9pm

WHERE:

St Aidan's on the Hill
(corner of Poto Rd and Stratton St)

REFRESHMENTS WILL BE PROVIDED

Next NRA meeting:
15th February 2024
7:30pm at St Aidan's on the Hill. All association members welcome.

No rain for Santa's 40th parade

After several days of rain it dawned fine for Santa's 40th visit to Normandale on Christmas morning. More than 120 locals and their visitors received presents from Santa as he toured our suburb's streets in his sleigh.

Fourteen kilos of sweets for those watching Santa travel past were again provided by the Normandale Residents' Association.

A highlight was Rosalie and Ada McBride, who live in the Manawatu, helping on the sleigh this year. Their mother, Laine Cousins, was one of the fairies in the first parade on Christmas Day 1984.

Pictured right: Laine Cousins, a fairy for the very first parade in 1984, with her daughters Ada, left, and Rosalie.



Santa brings presents to these youngsters, Niko and Etta, who surprise him with thank you gifts.



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Quiz

Word of the Month:

Hegira

- A. chest pain
- B. exodus
- C. long haired goat
- D. chariot

Last month's word:

- Selcouth**
- D. unusual

Thanks are due to this year's parade team - David and Tara Capel, Göran Persson, Malcolm Cameron, Aaron Gough, Alex Whitton, Rosemary McLennan, Rosalie and Ada McBride, Hayley Rigby and Hannah Jones.

You don't have to be a child to receive a gift from Santa, as Caleb Tregaskis discovers.



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