

Upcoming events

Scandinavian Christmas Market

Date: Sunday 6th November 2011 at 10am-4pm
Venue: Danish House, 6 Rockridge Road, Penrose, Auckland
FREE PARKING!

Organised by the Danish Society, this is a Scandinavian Christmas extravaganza for the first time in Auckland. There will be quality Christmas decorations, candles, clothes, homewares, jewellery, handcrafts, wooden toys, speciality food items, all for sale from Danish, Swedish and Finnish stalls.

You can also pick up your pre-ordered **Finnish goodies** from our stall, and buy more on the day. The Finnish stall will also sell fresh blueberry pie, pulla and joulutortut, among other things!

The café will sell Danish delight ice cream, Danish hot dogs and more.

MEMBERS, WE NEED YOUR HELP PLEASE! If you have any crafts you could donate to us to sell, or if you'd like to bake some Finnish Christmas specialities, sweet or savoury, please email us. We also need volunteers to help out on the day, setting up, selling the food and cleaning up. Email finnishsociety@gmail.com



Independence Day

Date: Tuesday 6th December 2011 at 6.30pm
Venue: Martti Koski's house in Pakuranga



Mark the date and time now, further details and an invitation will follow by email, and keep an eye out on our website. The function will be catered.

Pikkujoulu

Date: Saturday 17th December 2011
Venue: Tuula Johansson's place in Albany

*Yay,
pikkujoulu-
sauna!*

Save the date for our annual pikkujoulu (Christmas party) which will be held on Saturday 17th December 2011 at Tuula Johansson's place in Albany. There's a sauna and a swimming pool. Joulupukki (Santa) will visit in the afternoon. More details about pikkujoulu and the exact time will follow closer to the date by email, and keep an eye out on our website.



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Membership fee reminder

The Auckland Finnish Society's annual membership fee is only \$30 per household. If you haven't paid your membership fee yet, here are the bank account details:

Auckland Finnish Society Inc., ASB Bank
 Acc. No: 12 – 3082 – 0049820 – 00

Please email finnishsociety@gmail.com when you have made your payment. Thank you for your support!

Births

Outi and Chris Malcolm welcomed little Elsie Annabel May to the world on 29th June 2011.

Anu Tuupanen and Nicholas had a new arrival in January this year and their little girl is called Marika.

Congratulations and welcome, new members!

Frans Van Oorde's 90th Birthday

Photos: Jouni Torvelainen

On the 11th of June a group of Society members and friends celebrated Frans's birthday with a dinner and live music at Leila and Irja's house in Kohimarama. To add to the surprise, a close friend from overseas popped out of a large gift box when Frans arrived. A sumptuous meal including their favourite, eye fillet, was expertly prepared by Leila's son in law, Warren, plus schnapps and herrings for entrée. During the meal the duo called "French Toast" arrived and serenaded the diners, with tunes from Europe and the romantic past.

To finish off, we had a slide show and commentary by Leila's son, Nick, of Frans's life. With some very rare shots of our birthday boy, who was amazed that these memories had been found. Frans was a dashing young lad, always impeccably dressed with a career in the airline industry and never far from a party or special occasion.

On the right, a couple of photos from the night, that show how well Frans has aged and remained a dashing figure to this day.



*The Society wishes you a belated
Happy 90th. Happy Birthday Frans!*



belle and charlie

Our members Daniel and Heidi Stöckli have set up an exciting new online store for pet lovers!

Belle and Charlie (www.belleandcharlie.co.nz) is an online pet store focusing on stylish and well made pet products. We offer beautiful collars, leashes, toys and also have products for our two-legged friends. Additionally we offer pet photography in the Auckland region. Belle and Charlie is owned by our two Finnish Society members Heidi and Daniel Stöckli, and Lumi the black labrador retriever, who also acts as the marketing manager.

As a special offer for members we offer a 10% DISCOUNT FOR ALL PURCHASES until 31st December 2011. Just add the promotion code FINNISHSOCIETY at the checkout.

The Team at Belle and Charlie



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PRICELIST



***** PRE-ORDER ONLY *****

Dronningholm
Tähtitorttu luumumarmeladi
300g.....**\$4.00**

Napapiiri
luomu mustikkakiisselijauhe
2x60g.....**\$7.00**

<http://www.napapiiri-organics.com/finnish/tuotteet/kiisseli/>

Knorr Tillikastike kalalle /
Dill sauce for fish
(triplepack).....**\$5.00**

<http://knorr.fi/#/tuotteet/kastikkeet/740/>

FOREST MUSHROOMS / METSASIIENET

Sauvon sienikuutio tolkki /
canned mixed salted mushrooms
160g.....**\$5.00**

<http://www.sauvonsailyke.fi/metsasiienet/sienikuutiot.htm>

Pirkka kanttarelli tolkki /
canned chantarelles
110g.....**\$4.00**

Blå Band kanttarellikastike /
chantarelle sauce
(triplepack).....**\$5.00**

**PRE-ORDERS BY 24/10/2011 LATEST TO
finnishsociety@gmail.com**

SINAPPI / MUSTARD 125g:

TURUN Sinappi väkevä/hot
TURUN Sinappi tulinen/extra hot
TURUN Sinappi mieto/mild
\$5.00
each

SUKLAA / CHOCOLATE

FAZER Nordic Gourmet chocolates 125g:
* Blueberry Pie
* Lingonberry Parfait
* Raspberry Dark Chocolate mousse
* Rhubarb-Strawberry
\$7.00
each

FAZER Salmiakki-Täytesuklaalevy 100g.....**\$5.00**
FAZER Geisha suklaalevy 100g.....**\$5.00**
FAZER Sininen 200g.....**\$7.00**
FAZER Geisha 44g suklaapatukka.....**\$1.50**
FAZER Da Capo -suklaapatukka 20g.....**\$1.00**
LEAF Tupla Maxi 57g.....**\$2.00**
FAZER Kismet 55g.....**\$1.50**
Fazer Classic Marianne pussi**\$6.00**

SALMIAKKI

FAZER Pantteri Mix 180g
FAZER Pantteri Salmiakki 180g
FAZER Salmiakki mix 180g
FAZER Tyrkisk Peber 150g
FAZER Ässä Mix 180g
\$5.00
each

TÄYTELAKRITSI / FILLED LIQUORICE 20g

FAZER Lemon lakritsi- täytelakritsi
FAZER MUUMI Päärynä-vanilliini-jogurtti täytelakritsi
FAZER MUUMI Mustikka-vadelma lakritsi
FAZER Tyrkisk Peber - täytelakritsi
FAZER Marianne - täytelakritsi
FAZER Ässä - täytelakritsi
\$0.50
each

**PICK UP FROM THE SCANDINAVIAN CHRISTMAS MARKET
ON 6TH NOVEMBER!!**

Limited quantities available. Pre-order to avoid disappointment!

Next shipment including rye bread will be for independence day