

**Grey Power Wanganui & Districts** 

## NEWSLETTER

## WINTER **EDITION**

## Tips for staying snug in winter

Since May 1, there has been a definite change in the weather with winter approaching fast. Here are a few tips for staying snug in winter.

Seal windows and doors: sealing gaps around windows and doors can prevent heat from escaping and cold air from entering. Weatherstrips can be cheaply and easily applied to window frames and door gaps to keep out drafts.

Make the most of curtains and blinds: curtains and blinds can help keep the home warn in winter. During the day, open curtains to let natural sunlight and help heat your home for free. Before sunset, close curtains to keep the warm inside and

block out the cold.

Use heaters wisely:

They may warm the home quickly but can use a lot of energy too. Only heat rooms being used and keep doors closed to retain heat. Heat pumps with a thermostat control are more efficient, also radiant or gas heaters that can be set to a desired temperature.

Layering: wearing layers. Start with a thermal or warm base, add when a comfy jumper, then a cosy jacket. Pull on warm socks and when outdoors, wear gloves and a hat to keep extremities warm.

Snuggle up with blan**kets**: Investing in a snuggly blanket can make a difference. Keep a couple handy so you can easily wrap up when you're feeling chilly. Electric

blankets are also an option for added warmth but use them sparingly to manage electricity costs and never leave them on you go to sleep.

Grey Power Wanganui Inc. AGM is Tuesday 10th of June

2025 starting at 1.00pm



at Saint Andrews Church Hall in Glasgow Street.

Please consider coming on the committee. We need committee members with a range of skills such as IT skills, marketing etc.

12.30pm: we will start with a cuppa

1.00pm AGM will commence. The new updated Constitution is to be ratified according to new rules set by the Companies Office for Incorporated Societies

Only current members are able to vote at the AGM.

Outstanding subscriptions will be accepted prior to commencement of the meeting CASH ONLY \$25 single \$40 double.

The office at Metro will be closed on this day.

Café catch up at Columbus café, Mitre 1,0 on the second Friday of each month at 2.00pm. All welcome.

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