

## Some Hall Events 1922-1924

### **1922 Oct 18 Wednesday**

The Committee granted the Taita Tennis Club the use of the Hall and conveniences for Saturday 28 October for £2 10s. Another engagement followed resulting in a total contribution to hall funds of £7 15s.

### **1922 Dec**

The Taita School and Hall Committees worked together on the provision of crockery etc. When the Taita School Committee used the Hall on 14 December, they were charged 10s to cover the cost of lighting. A second meeting held six days later didn't incur a similar charge. In January 1923 the School Committee was granted free use of the supper room the night preceding a picnic.

### **1923 Jan 15 Monday**

An invitation was extended to Alfred Kofoed to attend a special meeting at the Taita Hall on 15 January. In his absence the committee agreed that an offer be made to run pictures only one night per week at a rental of £2 5s in advance plus extra insurance to comply with by-laws at Kofoed's expense. The engine room would be subject to removal and the operating box and any alterations to the building to be left intact at the termination of the lease. Application for a further night would be subject to further consideration.

### **1923 May 16 Wednesday**

The Ratepayers' Association was granted use of the anteroom on dates as per membership card subject to ratification of incoming committee, and the charge to be 5s per night. The Ratepayers Association sent a delegation (Messrs Cooper and Glover) to meet with the Taita Hall Committee on 09 July 1923. With finer details still to be arranged it was agreed that part of the Main Hall and the Gents dressing room could be used for a gymnasium at the rate of 10s per night. There would also be First Aid and Home Nursing classes at 5s per night.

### **1923 Jun 18 Monday**

The Hutt Valley Electric Power Board Used the Dining Room for a meeting before this date.

### **1923 Jul 6 Monday**

The Hutt Valley Association used the Library Room for a meeting before this date.

### **1923 Aug 13 Monday**

The committee agreed that a donation of 21s be sent to Hutt Valley Dental Clinic. They had previously had a short night at the Hall without conveniences and paid £2 15s.

### **1923 Sep 5 Wednesday**

A party of 34 members of the Y.M.C.A. gave a gymnastic display at the Hall. Mr R. McGregor, in his vote of thanks to the visitors, hoped that the young people of the district would see to it that Mr Cooper and Mr Futter carried the scheme for a gymnasium to a successful conclusion. Community Sing events were also held from about this time.

### **1923 Oct 8 Monday**

The Committee agreed to grant use of a room to the Church of Christ for Sunday evenings. Taita Hall received payments for the use of the facilities on 3 March 1924 (£4 9s 6d), 28 November 1924 (£2 8s) and 10 June 1926 (16s).

### **1924 Mar**

The Taita Football Club was granted use of the Hall on Tuesday and Thursday evenings from 8 to 10pm subject to tenure not interfering with any engagements whatsoever and that the Hall be swept clean after use. The rental charge would be 5s per night and Mr Evans was responsible for discipline.

### **1924 Jul 2 Wednesday**

The first euchre card party was held in the evening with an admission charge of 1s. The card tables were donated by Donald McArthur. At the end of the season the leading gent was presented with a bag of sugar.