

The aims and objectives of the Federation are:

- ★ To promote greater interest and appreciation of the values of herbs and their safe use.
- ★ To increase knowledge through education.
- ★ To assist in maintaining the diversity of herb collections.
- ★ To protect and promote the use of herbs, now and for future generations.
- ★ To encourage accurate identification of plants and the use of botanical names.

Activities we promote include Herb Awareness Week events, establishment and maintenance of herb gardens and plant collections, lecture tours, workshops and booklets on specific topics, resource lists of crafts people, visits to interesting gardens, nursery and retail outlets, seed and plant exchange, slide and video library, exchange of newsletters.

A Certificate Course entitled "Herbs and their Uses" based on distance learning, is available for study. Details are posted on the website www.herbs.org.nz



Membership

Membership is open to any individual, incorporated society, group or institution with a serious interest in herbs for whatever end; culinary, craft, medicinal, cosmetic, dyeing, commercial, cropping, research or as a hobby.

Benefits of Membership of the Herb Federation of New Zealand include:

- ★ Subscription to the quarterly **herbnews**.
- ★ Notices of news and events.
- ★ Biennial Conference details.
- ★ Use of library facilities and archives.
- ★ Information on plant collections and mail order seed bank.
- ★ Discounted study for the Certificate Course

Further publications available from the Federation are detailed on the website www.herbs.org.nz/information_main.html

Subscriptions are due on 1st September annually.

Herb Federation of New Zealand MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

Name: _____

Address: _____

Postcode: _____

Telephone: _____

Fax: _____

Email: _____

Please circle type of membership required.

INDIVIDUAL MEMBERSHIP _____ \$35.00

**FAMILY (2 family members) _____ \$40.00
- (\$5.00 each additional family member)**

OVERSEAS MEMBERSHIP _____ \$40.00

DONATION _____ \$

TOTAL PAYMENT \$ _____

Payment may be made by cheque made payable to "Herb Federation of New Zealand Inc." or direct to the Federation bank account by Internet Banking at Westpac Bank, account number 03 1549 0030463 00

Please include your name in the "Reference" field to enable your payment to be identified.

Please post cheques and the completed form to the Secretariat or email the details to herbfed@fragrantgarden.co.nz

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Website: www.herbs.org.nz

herbnews

herbnews is a quality journal of the Herb Federation of New Zealand which features a wide range of herb articles, snippets, regional herb reports, events, news and updates, along with book reviews. A journal compiled from contributions from various Herb Societies and their members.

herbnews is available to Herb Federation of New Zealand member societies and individual members.

To keep up with the latest **herbnews** fill in the enclosed subscription form and send with your subscription to:

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Herb Federation of New Zealand Inc.
P O Box 546
Feilding 4740
New Zealand

2013 Biennial Herb Conference

The next biennial conference will be held in Nelson, South Island, New Zealand; November 2013. The conference will provide an opportunity for members and friends to meet and enjoy a programme of events, workshops and seminars.

Please refer to the website: www.herbs.org.nz for contact details of the Herb Society in your area.

The Herb Society in your area is:



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