

The Drones and Sticks Club Pipe Band

2003		
14 Jan	Practices Start	
1 Feb	CHB Ingleside	Waipukurau Caledonian Soc Ingleside
6 Feb	Picnic with Pipes	The Band organised a picnic in the Reserve in Churchill Drive. Invited City of Hastings, City of Napier Pipe Bands, Double Scotch & Taradale Super Grans
23 Feb	HB Presbytery	Played at the lunch following Presbyterian Church Service at Lindisfarne College.
1 Mar	CHB Ingleside	Waipukurau Caledonian Soc Ingleside
8 Mar	Napier Ingleside	Napier Caledonian Society Ingleside
14 Mar	EIT Graduation	Graduation Parade in Hastings
5 April	CHB Ingleside	Waipukurau Caledonian Soc Ingleside
18 April	HB Hospital	Played around the wards
20 April	Highland Games	Played at the Games
25 April	Anzac Day	Taradale Dawn Service, Taradale 9.30 service and Waipawa RSA parade, lunch at Dorothy's place
27 Apr	Pettigrew Green Arena	Opening of the Pettigrew Green Arena, Taradale
3 May	CHB Ingleside	Waipukurau Caledonian Soc Ingleside
10 May	Napier Ingleside	Napier Caledonian Society Ingleside
17/18May	Wanganui Trip	Travelled to Wanganui., played at Masonic Village and their Ingleside, returned Sunday.
7 June	CHB Ingleside	Waipukurau Caledonian Soc Ingleside
16 June	AGM	Held at EIT
21 June	Dave Mitchell	Played at Dave's place for his 70 th birthday
27 June	Ian Wilson - NCC	Played at NCC Social Club for Ian Wilson's retirement do
29 June	Band Dinner	At Bay View Hotel, band played with Giorgi Boys band
5 July	CHB Ingleside	Waipukurau Caledonian Soc Ingleside
8 July	Orphan's Club	Played at Orphan's Club in Hastings with the Giorgi Boys band
12 July	Napier Ingleside	Napier Caledonian Society Ingleside
28 July	Dannevirke Ingleside	Played at Dannevirke Ingleside after having dinner at the Dannevirke Club
2 Aug	CHB Ingleside	Waipukurau Caledonian Soc Ingleside - played with the Giorgi Boys
6 Sep	CHB Ingleside	Waipukurau Caledonian Soc Ingleside
13 Sep	Feilding Caledonian Society	Played at Fielding Caledonian Society's Ingleside
20 Sep	Hastings Caledonian Society	Played at Hastings society's ingleside
4 Oct	CHB Ingleside	Waipukurau Caledonian Soc Ingleside
11 Oct	Graeme Blank's Birthday	At Haigh Hall, Onekawa
12 oct	Concert Practice	At Orphan's Hall in preparation for following weekend
19 Oct	Dinner & Concert	At Orphan's Hall, Hastings. Dinner followed by concert with Giorgi Boys
1 Nov	CHB Ingleside	Waipukurau Caledonian Soc Ingleside
22 Nov	Wedding	Played at Indian wedding in Hastings
29 Nov	Taradale Christmas Parade	Played for Taradale retailers Christmas parade
29 Nov	Mangatinoka Ingleside	Travelled to Paihiatua and played at the Mangatinoka Ingleside after a meal in Paihiatua

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30 Nov	Tamatea Church Parade	St Andrews Day parade at Tamatea Cooperating Church
3 Dec	Countdown Napier	Played at Countdown Christmas function
5 Dec	Westshore	Played at opening of NCC walkway
6 Dec	Waipukurau Christmas Parade	Led the parade through Waipukurau
13 Dec	Emerson St	Played in Napier's Emerson Street and collected
13 Dec	Napier Caledonian Society Concert	Played at concert put on by the Napier Caledonian Society at Asher hall
13 Dec	Napier Ingleside	Napier Caledonian Society Ingleside
15 Dec	Final Practice	Last practice for the year with BBQ and mini concert for supporters who turned up.
16 Dec	Feista of Lights	Hastings Show grounds for Fiesta of Lights (played a bracket with Wayne on guitar)
20 Dec	Hastings Ingleside	Hastings Caledonian Soc Ingleside
21 Dec	Double Scotch Concert	Played at the Napier Sound Shell for the final Double Scotch Concert.
31 Dec	New Years Eve	Played at Irish Pub in Tdle, Atawhai, Taradale RSA, Kennedy Park Camp, Henry Charles Hall, Knightsbridge & Kensington Villages, Taradale Club, supper at Madden's, Bay View Hotel, Ingleside, and on the Parade outside Breakers (near the Sound Shell).