

MANAWATŪ BRANCH MONTHLY MEETING

Tuesday, 10 July @ 7.30 p.m.

Sound and Vision Centre, Palmerston North City Library, George Street

“DISCOVERING FERNS”



Spore-producing structures of Ponga | silver fern | *Cyathea dealbata*.

**Speaker: Leon Perrie,
Botanical Curator & Researcher at Te Papa Tongarewa**

Leon’s talk will cover what distinguishes ferns from other plants, the place of ferns in NZ culture, recent research on ferns including discussion of why scientific names change, ferns in the broader context of conservation in NZ, and practical tips for identifying ferns.

All welcome. Gold coin donation appreciated

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