



## MANUKORIHI GOLF CLUB INC.



### Golf Trivia Question

Following on from last week with another scenario regarding immovable obstructions.

While playing the 18<sup>th</sup> hole, the players ball shot comes to rest beside the ball washer and drinking fountain behind the 13<sup>th</sup> tee block.

Does the player get a drop, and if so where do they drop.

We have both a left- and right-handed player option.



**Answer at the end of newsletter**

### Club Captain's Report

#### **Last Week**

A long weekend and a different format Saturday Huggle playing all eighteen holes Par 3. Everyone was off the yellow tee's and this gave the ladies quite an advantage.

With the handicaps well spread there were Gross, Nett and Stableford competed for.

The Club were not brave enough to open the jackpot two's and rightly so.

Best gross Robbie Busing 58, Darryl Baird 59, Peter Pearce and John Rayner 62's

Best Nett Martin Nobbs 44, Trish Crawford 44, Mary Hamblyn 47 and Lee Mather 51.

Best Stableford Caron Watson 50, Teddy Danych 44, Amanda White 41 and Trevor Wood 39.

There was a bundle of two's twenty in total with five players getting a couple each.

We trust everyone had enjoyable day with a difference and that all your short games improve from the experience.

Thanks to all those who help on the day putting out and putting back the tee blocks taking the results and writing them up on board.

This weekend is the semifinals for the Joll cup and while those players battle it out the rest of the field are playing Par.

Also, this Sunday the men pennant teams are playing at Kaitake for the final round of sectional play with Manu 2 needing a win to secure a place in the top eight.

Manu 1 is only in the position to do damage to other teams making the play off's

Weekend Ladies are at New Plymouth, and I wonder where we will meet after the match's (Shifty's no doubt)

### **This Week**



Last Saturdays haggle 58 entries was on Par with some good results.

Darrin Cranson +5, Teddy Danych +3, Robbie Sim +2, Trevor Wood, John Rayner, Hoani Skellern Mike Burkhart, Broney Gower and Jo Downe all +1.

A number of two's all get one ball each. Eight raffle winners and thanks for the support there.

This Saturday the Haggles is on Nett while the Joll Cup finals are played, good luck to all players.

Last Sunday the Men's Pennett teams played at Kaitake with Manu 1 going down 6 to 3 while Manu 2 come away with a good win 8 to 1 which put them through to the play offs which are played on the 6th April. Good luck team

Every Saturday when **we don't have a mass start**, we have Tee Bookings and the time for teeing off is set with each group and to allow the greens staff to do their work in the morning.

### **We need all players to stick to the time you are to start.**

The first tee block is set for 7:52am no earlier and the field to follow. This will be appreciated on behalf of the course staff and the club thank you

We have a great club, and the course is going to attract a number of visitors and with this occurring more often the club ask all members to treat everyone else on the course with respect as they would want to have treated themselves.

These visitors are a big source of club's income and allows us to continue to do improvements within the club.

There will be a sign at main door each Saturday morning stating Tee bookings only until 11am or whenever the last booking is on the day.

Good Golfing everyone

MMC

## **Saturday Ladies Report**

Saturday's comp was nett. 1<sup>st</sup> division was won by Lesley with 71 and 2<sup>nd</sup> division was won by Caron with nett 73. The RSA trophy was won by Lesley, nett 143 over the 2 rounds on a C/B from Rachelle.

Putting points went to Fiona 3 for 28 putts, Jo & Nicole 2 pts for 33 and Rachelle 1pt for 34. This week's comp is off the White Tees.

Remember to get your partners for Nancy McCormick. Entry sheet is up in the ladies room.

Sat 29<sup>th</sup> is LGU, Home Pennant and also Qualifying for the Teams event to be played at Stratford Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> May. Entry fee is \$5.00.

Good golfing

Lesley

## **Tuesday Ladies Report**

### **Last Week**

Another very pleasant day for golf and with all the runs some good scores.

Annette won Div 1 with 38 stfd points but Kath had another blinder for Div 2 with 42 stfd points. Just shows age is no barrier.

Marie had a 2 on 3<sup>rd</sup> and collects \$10.

Putting results: Jo 3/25, Kath 2/28 and Annette 1/30.

Next week we are playing LGU and Qualifying Rnd for Teams Event @ Stratford and the starter is Joy E.

Cheers Jo.



## **9 Hole Golf Report**

### **Last Week**

Tuesday golf - 2nd round of the Sue Bunt Nett play

We played the yellow 2 course - we got a bit caught up with the 18-holer's but hopefully it flowed well enough not to annoy anyone.

Division 1 - Pauline D had a great game for 1st place with a Nett 30 Rhonda M Close 2nd with Nett 30 and Barbara Nett 30

Division 2 - 1st Teresa T on count back from Nancy both with Nett 34

Putting -3 points Pauline and Barbara with 13 putts, Bev 2 points with 13 putts, 1 Point Rhonda & Jennifer with 16 putts.

Pennant golf for Monday 17th is at Kaitake against Westown Team is Bev H, Rhonda M, Teresa T, and Barbara H.

### **This Week**

Tuesday golf Grandmothers / Mothers Nett competition. Bev won with an impressive Nett score of 30, 2<sup>nd</sup> Kay with 31 and 3<sup>rd</sup> Julie with 32.

### **Putting**

Bev 3 points with 15 putts, 2 points Kay, Pauline, Teresa, Nancy all with 16 putts and 1 point Sharmaine and Julie with 18 putts

### **Pennant Golf**

A loss this week on a tough course \_ that's our excuse 😊

### **9-hole open day**

We have our 9-hole open day on Friday March the 21<sup>st</sup> 9-holer's please can you bring a gift for our raffle next Tuesday if haven't already done so

Cheers Teresa T

## **Raffle NZ Eagles**

It's that time again that the club is asked to sell some raffles for the NZ Eagles Society, this is Promoting and Fostering Junior Golf in NZ.

Tickets are \$20.00 per book, and you get 1 ball as well, these are great balls that have an eagle on them, and they fly long and straight.

Books are at the bar,  
Thank you for your support.



## Twilight Golf

### Twilight Golf

Thank you to everyone who came and supported our last night of Twilight Golf for the season. We had 40 entries.



Winners on the night.

Men's Division 1 –Nathan Russ, Rowan Deuart, Greg Watt, Greg Jans and Jim Deuart

Men's Division 2 – Jamie Horgan, Matiu Adams, Dean Clement, Jason Brown, Darrin Cranson and John Edgar

Ladies Division- Jo Broadmore and Teresa Tuffery

Two's – Greg Watt

Meat Raffles – Meryn Morrison, Rowan Deuart, Stuart Skene, Jo Broadmore, Matiu Adams, Teddy Danych and Jan from the kitchen.

As it was our final night there were multiple draws to find the Ace of Club and the Ace of Spades

The two successful recipients were Kelly Brown and Ian Peters both receiving \$106.00.

I have enjoyed running Twilight, but it is all down to the support that has been given to me. Many thanks to all who have helped through-out the season, Helen, Jo, Marie, David, Joy and Robert. Maree our caterer has provided lovely dinners and was well supported by the participant.

Thanks very much to our sponsors: **The Kiwi Butcher Shop, Tasman Toyota and RaD Car Hire**

Happy Golfing

Mary

## Bar Roster



<b>March Bar Roster (<i>Volunteers needed please see Martin Nobbs</i>)</b>		
22 <sup>nd</sup>	Rachelle	Nicole
29 <sup>th</sup>	Shane	Terry
<b>April Bar Roster (<i>Volunteers needed please see Martin Nobbs</i>)</b>		
5 <sup>th</sup>	Fiona	Lofty
12 <sup>th</sup>	Vandels	Kev
19 <sup>th</sup>	Sue	Martin
26 <sup>th</sup>	Kerry E	JR

**Please remember that if your duty date does not suit, please swap with someone or let me know.**

**Huge thanks for your time given to our club each month.**

**NOTE:** The rostered bar staff are the designated Fire Wardens and a list of duties can be found next to the can crusher. Please **familiarise** yourself with the **Evacuation.**

# Welcome to our New Members

**Paige Greenwood    Madison Drinkwater    Mitchell Smith**

**Lana Kingi    Campbell Bower**

## **Reminder Course Closure**

### **37th Annual Veterans Tournament**

**Course will be closed till 2pm each day of play next week**

**Monday 24th, Tuesday 25th, Thursday 27th and Friday 27th March.**

Wednesday golf still on at 9.30 am

### **Puketapu Annual Fundraiser**

Friday 4th April.

Mass start at 11am

This event is not in the club programme. Course will not be between 11 am and 3pm



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## Club Programme

MARCH

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
23	24	25	26	27	28	1 Joll Cup Quarter Finals (L) RSA Trophy Rnd 1 nett
2 Handicap Pennant rnd 4 @ Waitara Ladies Weekend @ Kaitake	3 Midweek Pennant @ Manukorihi 9 Hole Pennant @ New Plymouth	4 Grandmothers & M & K Old - nett	5 New World Sweepstake 9:30 Mass start	6 Final Night - Twilight 4pm to 6pm	7	8 Captains Choice Par 3 9am Mass Start
9	10 Taranaki Anniversary	11 Barclay Cup Rnd 1 Stableford	12 New World Sweepstake 9:30 Mass start	13	14 Mid Monthly 8am - 11 am	15 Joll Cup Semi Finals Rest Par (L) RSA Trophy Rnd 2 nett
16 Handicap Pennant Rnd 5 @ Kaitake Ladies Weekend Pennant @ New Plymouth	17 Veterans Pennant @ Manukorihi Midweek @ TeNgutu 9 Hole @ Kaitake Main Committee Meeting @ 7pm	18 LGU - Qualifying Rnd- Team Event @ Stratford 1/5/25	19 New World Sweepstake 9.30	20	21 9 Hole Open Day @ Manukorihi	22 Joll Cup Final Rest Nett (L) White Tees
23 Ladies Pennant Reserve Day	24 Manukorihi Mixed Vets Midweek Pennant Spare Day	25 Manukorihi Mixed Vets	26 New World Sweepstake 9.30	27 Manukorihi Mixed Vets	28 Manukorihi Mixed Vets	29 Bleakley Tray Nett (L) LGU & Home Pennant Qualifying Rnd - Team Event @ Stratford 1/5/25
30 Weekend Pennant @ Inglewood	31 9 Hole Pennant @ Te Ngutu	NOTES:				

## 9-Hole Programme

MARCH

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
23	24	25	26	27	28	1
2 Handicap Pennant rnd 4 @ Manukorihi	3 Mid Week Pennant @ Manukorihi hole Pennant @ New Pilymouth	4 Grandmothers & M & K Old - nett Course 1	5	6 Twilight 4pm to 6pm	7 Mid Monthly 8 - 11 am	8 Captains Choice Par 3 9am Mass Start
9	10 Taranaki Anniversary	11 Sue Bunt Salver Rnd 2 - nett Course 2	12	13 Twilight 4pm to 6pm	14	15
16	17 Veterans Pennant @ Manukorihi Pennant @ Kaitake Main Committee Meeting @ 7pm	18 LGU Qualify Manukorihi Cup Course 3	19	20 Twilight 4pm to 6pm Final Night	21 9 Hole Open Day @ Manukorihi	22
23	24 Mixed Veterans Tornamment	25 Mixed Veterans Tournament	26	27 Mixed Veterans Tournament	28 Mixed Veterans Tournament	29
30	31 Pennant @ Te Ngutu	NOTES:				

# Manukorihi Golf Club

## LADIES 9 HOLE OPEN DAY

Registered 9 Hole ladies only.



**FRIDAY 21 MARCH 2025**

**\$15 ENTRY (INCLUDES 2'S)**

**2 DIVISIONS  
STABLEFORD**

**CUP OF TEA AT 9.30  
2 TEE start 10.00**

**PLEASE PHONE  
Rhonda McFarlane 0211186126  
or email [rmcfarlane@slingshot.co.nz](mailto:rmcfarlane@slingshot.co.nz)  
WITH YOUR ENTRIES**

Soroptimist International New Plymouth & AdAstra Financial Services present



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# CHARITY GOLF TOURNAMENT

+ Auction at Ngāmotu Golf Club

## Friday 21st March 2025

Raising funds for the Cancer Treatment Centre  
and Raising awareness of Ovarian Cancer.

Enter a team of 4 for

# \$200

Please pay your entry fee into 15-3942-0003399-02 with your name and mobile number as the reference. Confirmation texts will be sent out. Receipts available on request.

- Ambrose format competition
- Bring cash for raffles, drinks, & merchandise available for donation on the 12th tee.
- Free BBQ for all attendees!
- Celebrity auction: bid on extra team members to join your group + amazing auction items (payment required on the day).
- Raffle supporting the Spirit of New Zealand.
- Lucky card draws for sponsored holes.
- Book carts through the pro shop

Registrations Open: 9.30am | Celebrity Auction: 10.30am | Mass Start: 11am

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# TARANAKI GOLF

## FUNDRAISING AMBROSE

### *for Junior Golf*

SUNDAY 23rd MARCH  
TE NGUTU GOLF CLUB  
5 PLAYERS IN A TEAM  
\$150 per team  
10AM MASS START



Supporting junior coaching



Supporting players to attend the  
Manawatu Age Groups

2022 JUNIOR  
MEMBERSHIP

380

2025 JUNIOR  
MEMBERSHIP

658

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**TIKORANGI, TARANAKI**  
(THE ENERGY PROVINCE)  
**37th ANNUAL**  
**VETERAN GOLFERS**  
**Mixed Four-Ball Best Ball**



\$100 per team

**STABLEFORD TOURNAMENT**  
**MONDAY 24th March to FRIDAY 28th March 2025**

(Rest day Wednesday 26th March)

Open to **18 Hole** financial players belonging to an affiliated club.

Minimum ages; **Men 55, Women 50**

**TO BE PLAYED AT**

**MANUKORIHI GOLF CLUB**  
**WILLS ROAD off PRINCESS STREET**  
**TIKORANGI (WAITARA)**

Entries close with the Tournament Secretary by 17th March

Entry forms available on Manukorihi and NZ Veterans websites

For any further [information](#) (Marie)

Or Email: [rere8533@gmail.com](mailto:rere8533@gmail.com)

**The field will be limited to the first 96 paid entries**



**STRATFORD GOLF CLUB**

# **VETERAN GOLF**

## **TOURNAMENT 2025**

Free Practice round 31st March

1st April- 3rd April 2025 \$75 per player, 2's incl

4th April 2025 3 person Ambrose \$10 per player

Carts available @ \$20 per day

**INDIVIDUAL- GROSS, NETT, STABLEFORD**



**MARCH 31ST-4TH  
APRIL  
2025**

**REGISTER NOW**

**ENTRIES CLOSE 26TH MARCH 2025**

entry form via NZVGA website or email  
[murray@cookshonda.co.nz](mailto:murray@cookshonda.co.nz)

[www.nzvga.co.nz](http://www.nzvga.co.nz)

— PUKETAPU SCHOOL —

# GOLF DAY

**SAVE THE DATE!**

• TEE OFF 11AM •

FRIDAY 04 APRIL 2025 •

Email:

[homeandschool@puketapu.school.nz](mailto:homeandschool@puketapu.school.nz)



**Manukorihi, Waitara**

**Sponsor a hole : \$400**

**Team of 4 : \$200**

**REGISTER NOW!**

## Answers to Trivia Questions

This week covers a scenario where the player does NOT get relief from an immovable obstruction, even though it clearly impedes their stance or swing.

Rule 16.1 (3) No Relief When Clearly Unreasonable. There is no relief under Rule 16.1:

- When playing the ball as it lies is clearly unreasonable because of something from which the player is not allowed to take free relief (such as when a player is unable to make a stroke because of where the ball lies in a bush), or
- When interference exists only because a player chooses a club, type of stance or swing or direction of play that is clearly unreasonable under the circumstances.

To simplify: if the ball washer and drinking fountain were not there, could you play a normal shot. If yes, you get a drop, if not then no free drop.



For the right-handed player: The tree behind the will prevent them from taking a normal swing, therefore in this instance there is no relief from the ball washer.

For the left-handed player: The ball washer (and drinking fountain) is impeding their swing, however the tree is not therefore the left-handed player would get free relief in this instance.

