

# MANUKORIHI GOLF CLUB

INC.



## President's Report

#### **New Zealand Secondary Schools Final**

As mentioned last month, on Sunday/Monday 1 & 2 September Manukorihi will be hosting the New Zealand Secondary Schools Final golf tournament, with 22 teams of three players from all around the country taking part and playing one round of 18 holes each day (best two scores of three counting in each round).

This will require the support of about a dozen Club volunteers each day as well as the provision of about 40 trundlers. It would be appreciated if members could make their trundlers available and consider whether they would be prepared to assist as a volunteer over one or both of the two days: please indicate availability on the sheet which will be set up shortly on the competition boards table just inside the clubhouse door. Thank you.

#### **Projects**

Along with many routine course maintenance activities, several specific projects have been or are being progressed:

- Removal of the three bushes in front of the clubhouse to increase course visibility and the general feeling of spaciousness in that area
- Removal of some of the taller shrubs beside the Blue and White 16<sup>th</sup> tee block
- Completion of the new carpark boundary fence by the exit road, comprising timber bollards linked by a draped rope, with four Michelia trees planted to beautify the area
- Planting out of the sloping face between the Blue and White/Yellow 3<sup>rd</sup> tee blocks
- Trailing of the possible new position of the Yellow 16<sup>th</sup> tee block
- Construction of a retaining wall along the pathway on the 5<sup>th</sup> fairway
- Completion of clubhouse painting in the entry tunnel area.

Many thanks as always to the volunteers actioning these projects.

#### **Grants**

Unfortunately, the application to the Pelorus Trust for grant funding towards the cost of purchasing turf seed, fertiliser and wetting agent for our course was declined "due to lack of available funds" in our geographical area.

#### Richard Crowe

## Club Captain's Report

Hello to all. Hope you are all well.

Can we all make sure you are there on time or at least let the group now you are late so we can arrange things and try not to end up with 4 x3s and 2 x5s on the course as this slows things up. A bit of common sense and courtesy please, thanks.

NOTE THE PLACING HAS BEEN CHANGE BACK 15 CM OR A SCORE CARD LENGTH PLACING ON OWN MOWEN FAIR THIS DOES **NOT INCLUDE** THE NEW SECOND CUT!!!!! IF YOU PLACE ON THE SECONED CUT IT IS A 2 SHOT PENILTY

THIS WEEK. Round 2 of 3: Stroke play champs AND QUALIFYING FOR THE MATCH PLAY TOP 16

**OK**, **listen up all**. Stroke play is 3 rounds of gross in each division and you must putt out, if you see someone take a 1 "gimmie" they are out.

You can use the 18<sup>th</sup> fairway on course for hitting a Driver / 3 wood if safe to do so. DO NOT HIT INTO THE GREEN.

## Anything else use the range please

YOU CAN NOT PRACTISE ON ANY OTHER PART OF THE COURSE, INCLUDING PUTTING ON GREENS OR YOU WILL BE D.Q.

NO EXCEPTIONS SO PLEASE DON'T PUT US IN THAT SPOT.

You CAN NOT PLAY IN A TWO.

You MUST TEE OFF THE FIRST.

You MUST COMPLETE ALL 3 ROUNDS TO BE IN FOR THE COMP.

Current leaders in the men's. Note: Nathan BOO BOO loppy stayed late to collect his best gross prize so well-done Nathan, you can pay Kerry for the van now or at the least put down a deposit.

#### The Top Placings so far:

1	Nathan Lopusiewicz	8.8 ()	Manukorihi	71	-		71
2	Kingston Taylor-Voyle	+3.0 ()	Manukorihi	73	-	-	73
3	Jody Bound	9.5 ()	Manukorihi	76	-	-	76
4	Reece Vesty	4.4 ()	Waitara	76	-	-	76

1	Kerry Edgcombe	13.6 ()	Manukorihi	82		-	82
2	Elliott Gunn	12.2 ()	Manukorihi	84			84
3	Ivor Sarten	12.7 ()	Manukorihi	84		-	84
4	Peter Bingham	12.3 ()	Manukorihi	84	-	-	84
1	John Chandler	22.9 ()	Manukorihi	95	-	-	95
2	Ted Danych	25.0 ()	Manukorihi	97	-		97
3	Theo Drake	22.8 ()	Manukorihi	98	-	-	98
4	Peter Lopusiewicz	23.9 ()	Manukorihi	98	-	-	98
5	Mike Letherman	22.1 ()	Manukorihi	98	-	-	98
6	John Skellern	23.9 ()	Manukorihi	98	-	-	98
1	Bill Wadsworth	27.7 ()	Manukorihi	99	-	-	99
2	Carl Beale	28.0 ()	Manukorihi	102	-	-	102
3	Michael Burkhart	27.8 ()	Manukorihi	107	-	-	107
4	Izac White	30.0 ()	Manukorihi	112	-	-	112

#### Womans results

1	Esther White	8.9 ()	Manukorihi	80	-	-	80
2	Andrea Fraser	15.7 ()	Manukorihi	87	-	-	87
3	Fiona Rook	17.2 ()	Manukorihi	89	-	-	89
4	Bronny Gower	15.4 ()	Manukorihi	90	-		90
1	Christine Ogle	19.9 ()	Manukorihi	83	-	-	83
2	Joy East	18.7 ()	Manukorihi	93	-	-	93
3	Lesley Elliott	23.3 ()	Manukorihi	95	-	-	95

1	Trisha Crawford	33.8 ()	Manukorihi	101	-	-	101
2	Marion Coleman	33.7 ()	Manukorihi	103		-	103
3	Meryn Morrison	38.4 ()	Manukorihi	105		-	105
4	Caron Watson	27.9 ()	Manukorihi	110		-	110

<u>Match play</u> will use the best <u>two gross</u> scores from stroke PLAY to qualify you in the MATCH play top 16. So, the top 16 per division will be seeded for the match play which follows the stroke play comp. Unless there is an empty spot due to someone pulling out then the 17th qualifier will be asked join the top 16 and so on until the top 16 is found.

Please once again, READ THE BUTTONS ON DOT GOLF BEFORE YOU PUSH THEM ALL.

There is the COMP entry if you want to have a go at the cup. And not enter haggle. Free entry

The HAGGLE is just that and non-comp / no cup entry. \$10 entry includes 1 raffle

Enter BOTH it is just that you are in to win the cup and haggle \$10 entry includes 1 raffle

**SPECIAL THANKS**. Thanks to all the greens staff (I LOVE THE SECONED CUT KEEP IT UP TEAM) and workers around the club. Course is looking good, and the club house has a new look. *PLEASE REPAIR PITCH MARKS GUYS AND GIRLS* 

**FOOD:** Thanks Maree the food is very good and keep up the good work.

Thanks, and good golfing.

Thanks, Your M.M.C.

## Ladies Report

Congratulations to Meryn Morrison who had a HOLE In ONE on the 11<sup>th</sup> Hole on Saturday.

We had a good turnout for the 1<sup>st</sup> round of Stroke Play on Saturday. Esther White is leading Division 1 with gross 80. Christine Ogle leads division 2 with 83 and Trish Crawford leads division 3 with 101. Two rounds to go so things could change.

The days sweep was on nett. Christine won Div1 with nett 66. Lesley led Div 2 with nett 75 and Trish with nett 71 won Div 3. Marion had a lovely 2 on the 15<sup>th</sup>.

Remember to get names up for the match play.



A small group turned up on Tuesday to play Bisque Par. We got 14 Holes played before the rain came and we headed off for lunch. Next Tuesday is stableford. Rnd 1 of the Barbara Sharrock.

Good Golfing Lesley

## Waitara New World Wednesday Club

Not a very nice day to be playing golf, a winters day cold and a bit windy, with the course playing long with all the rain over the past few days.



Division one winner with 36 points was John Rayner picking up a \$20 new world voucher, Kelly Brown 34, Kerry Edgcombe 33, Robert Fraser, Jim Ropitini, Stance Aldridge, Wayne O' Donnell and Peter Pearce all 32 points for a \$10 voucher.

Division two winner with only 31 points was Mike Letherman enough for a \$20 voucher, Dave Yates, Keven O'Donnell, David Butler, and John Davey all 30 points for \$10. Phil Wilson had the only 2.

Six raffle winners. Next week is the top 4 playing Match play, Richard Hamel V Kerry Edgcombe, Lee Mather V Clayton Riddle. Sorry can remember the flights.

Cheers

David.

## Men's Tour 2024

A space has opened up on tour for this year's trip to Wellington, leaving 29th October and returning Sat 2nd Nov.

Day 1 - Shandon Golf Club

Day 2 - Paraparaumu Golf Club

Day 3 - Manor Park Golf Club

Day 4 - Castle Cliff Golf Club

Please contact Paul Rauputu 021728565 for more details.

### 38th Mixed Veterans Tournament

2025 dates are Monday 24th March to 28th March with Wednesday 26th as a rest day.

Negotiated with the Taranaki Veterans and NZVGA to avoid Easter and school holidays. Believe these dates will work well for our club.

The order of Taranaki Veterans' Tournaments is:

Waitara

Manukorihi Stratford Te Ngutu (No 4-course next year)

Marie, Tournament Coordinator

## \$100 Club Report

Next draw is on the Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> August.

Remember 4 x \$100 draws up for grab.



One of our members that wasn't happy with his game Saturday



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SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
28	29	30	New World Sweepstake 9:30 Mass start	1	2	3 Strokeplay Champs Rnd 3 (L) Strokeplay Champs Rnd 3
4	5	Barbara Sharrock Rnd 1 Stableford	7 New World Sweepstake 9:30 Mass start	8	9 Mid Monthly 8 - 11 am	Strokeplay Champs Spare Men & Ladies
11	12	Barbara Sharrock Rnd 2 Stableford	New World Sweepstake 9:30 Mass start	15	16	17 Tupai Cup Stableford (L) Hidden Partners - Stableford
18 Kiwi Butcher Open Tournament	19 Main Committee Meeting @ 7pm	20 Club Champs Rnd 1	21 New World Sweepstake 9:30 Mass start	22	23	24 Club Champs Rnd 1
25	26	27 LGU &Home Pennant. Foreman Trophy Rnd 1	28 New World Sweepstake 9:30 Mass start	29	30	31 Club Champs Rnd 2 (L) LGU & Home Pennant, Foreman Trophy rnd 1
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