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MANUKORIHI GOLF CLUB
INC.



21 October 2026

Greenkeepers Report

It's been another hectic month out on the course with a lot of mowing taking place rather than course projects to keep up with the flushes of growth we are experiencing currently, with the warmer temps mixed with the odd bit of welcomed rain.

We have come out of winter very dry in relation to previous years and the figures show we are nearly 500mls behind on our yearly average rainfall which is concerning considering the weather that is forecasted for the summer.

In light of this, I have sprayed the greens, tees and surrounds with their 1st wetting agent application to try and harvest as much water as possible in the profile. These applications will occur every month from now until we get to the other side of summer and into early autumn. Hopefully this will prevent any turf damage or loss from heat stress or drought over this time.

I also for the first time sprayed a pre-emergent herbicide over the tees to combat the emergence of summer grass and Crowsfoot that invade these areas when the poa checks out and leaves an open canopy for these weeds to invade, so that will be interesting to see how that performs.

The greens were also treated with an insecticide that will give us 6 months protection from any nasty pests. You will notice a lot of black beetles at this time of the year, but they won't survive for long when they burrow into the turf and contact the insecticide.

We are almost back to full coverage on the greens and is very nice to mow without picking up a lot of sand in the process. I have sprayed a growth regulator on them and this has helped the turf become denser and has helped fill in any bare core holes as it slows vertical growth and puts all its energy into lateral growth.

We held the speed golf champs a few weeks back and in hindsight if we were to host again I would make sure our coring was scheduled straight after or at least 6 weeks before the tournament, as I believe the greens were not ready to host one, 4 weeks after aeration. All I achieved by pushing the greens to be an acceptable surface for the competitors was putting extreme wear on the reels and bed-knives of our greens mower which I am struggling to get back to an acceptable cut.

I will definitely be forced into having to get the bed-knives replaced and the reels reground before the end of the year.

This coming Thursday the whole course (excluding greens and tees) will be sprayed with herbicide to take out all broadleaf weeds which are really starting to invade our fairways and rough areas. This will also help with slowing the growth in these areas which will reduce mowing time and diesel consumption.

In the next few weeks I will spray the greens with another herbicide to take care of any hydrocotyle that is present. There is a lot of starweed starting to creep in on a few greens that will need to be picked out also.

Coming up in November we will get our tee irrigation project underway and completed which will definitely be beneficial if we are going to be drier than normal as has been forecasted this will help get more water on the tees without wasting it and if it's anything like 2 years ago we will be getting very low on available water come the end of February, so every drop saved is precious.

Once again, I'd just like to show my appreciation and give my amazing volunteers a huge thanks for all their time and devotion to the course. It really is looking a picture out there at the moment and that is thanks to your time and effort.

Look forward to seeing you all out on course as the days get longer and the weather becomes more settled.

Regards

Ryan (Greenkeeper)

Men's Club Captains Report

Hello to all, hope you are all well.

BREAKING NEWS, YOU HEARD IT HERE FIRST ... Australia tried to take PHARLAP / SPLITENDS AND THE PAVLOVA ... BUT THIS TIME THEY HAVE STOLEN ... **RYAN** ... yes our green keeper is on the move and in 3 months he is takes off over the ditch and on to a championship course so ... please feel welcome to thank him for all the great work he has done and we wish him all the best.

In OTHER BREAKING NEWS ... WE ARE GETTING A CLUB MANAGER ... WATCH THIS SPACE????

Twilight, Big THANKS Coops and Rob for taking this on please if you can help see them thanks.

LAST WEEK: We had the 'all irons' day. This use to be a great day and all enjoyed BUT as the age goes up the irons in the bags goes down ... I didn't really think of it, but a lot of players don't carry a heap of irons anymore so there was a few that did want to play as they thought they didn't have a chance in the comp ... (Stableford). But those that did take part seemed to enjoy it, so the 'all irons' maybe off the table next year depending on the CLUB Captain choice?

Winners were Seth Dew and Richie Ransfield so well done to them.

THIS WEEK There is a heap away to Taumarunui, so safe travels to them and sing loud & make us proud!

For the rest of us it's the LF TRUEMAN CUP, Stableford so make up your fours.

SHOOT OUT: there are some players that still need to get some cards in. So, I have got Robert to make sure that on the weeks we have Stableford comps, the nett is there as well (TICK THE BOX), so please use these to get in. Only 3 available rounds left and you need 8 so?

TOP club was be played this week at Fitzroy. Thanks to those that played and represented the club.

Women's: Andrea Fraser (Captain)

Men's: Kelly Brown, John Skellern

Good on you team and thanks.

Men's trip next week so a few away again and all the best lads for the green jacket. Safe trip lads remember (what goes ?????)

AGM TIME SOON: The AGM is in December and there will be some roles to be filled. It's good to have change and fresh input so if you think you are up for it start thinking about cheers.

These roles are very important to the running of the club, so they need to be filled thanks. Sheets are up so please if you're interested, put your name up thanks.

Lofty and SOS C/Cs



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Ladies Club Captains Report

Saturday Ladies played the Bridge Cup, with Nicole winning.

Tuesday Ladies played Gross Stableford. A close game with Fay winning and winning the drawn 2s, a good day for Fay!

Ladies 9 Hole Members

Hidden Partners Stableford

These golf games after competition golf has finished are fun and relaxing. Bit of a laugh as our group were going around edging each other on to have a good score in case they were our hidden partner lol.

But that's the thing when competition is over - it doesn't really matter and we just enjoy each other's game and company.

Winners were Pauline and Sharmaine with a combined Stableford score of 40

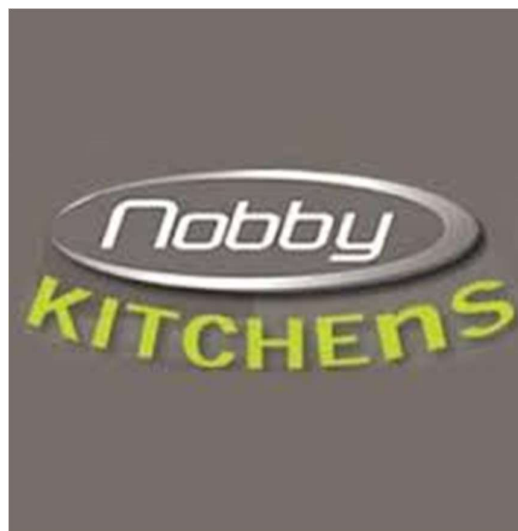
Close 2nd was Barbara and Rhonda F & Joy and Rhonda M with 39

Last golf day next Tuesday to bring a raffle for our 9 Hole open day please.

Cheers Teresa T



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Wednesday Club Report

A great turnout of 37 players that enjoy the very well-presented course, thanks to our team of volunteers and course staff.

Division one winner with 40 points was Martyn Rollo, Kerry Edgcombe 37, Robert Middleton and Ken Leonard both 36.

Division two winner was Robin Broadmore with 42 points, Lee Mather 40, Kevin O'Donnell and Carl Beale 39, Phillip Cleaver 38, and Tahu White 37 points by lot.

Mike Burkhart and Kevin O'Donnell had a 2 at the 3rd, Kelly Brown the 11th and Greg Earp on the 15th.

Some raffle winners as well.

There are a few guys away next week on the boy's golf trip, Peter will need a few helpers please.

Cheers.

Wednesday Club.

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Bar Roster

Huge thanks to the volunteers that have put their hand up to help, much appreciated.
Please organise your tee time to be available for your time slot.

Date	Time 12.30 to 2.30	2.30 -4.30
10 Oct	John V	Bronny
17 Oct	Terry	Kerry
24 Oct	John V	Shane
31 Oct	Kevin	Rochelle
7 th Nov	Stacy Bound with helpers, please	
14 th Nov	Terry	Nicole
21 st Nov	Shane	Bronny
28 th Nov	Kerry	Martin N

Please remember that if your duty date does not suit, please swap with someone or contact John 027 480 4210

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.**



Clubhouse Copies Printed courtesy of Revital Fertilizer

Manukorihi Golf Club Newsletter

Editor: Stuart Skene Email: manukorihnewsletter@gmail.com

John Garner's golf tips

To go **PAST the HOLE** is possibly the most logical shot to play but how incredibly difficult to do consistently. WHY??? Pressure & lack of the correct **Practice Routine!!!**

To go past the pin on the approach shots is to know your distances with each club. Most of you see the shot as the best shot that you can hit & then not hitting it 100%, you fall short!!! So know your distances & then take 1 more club!!!

On your chipping & putting, my old boss used to say, **“if you don’t go past the hole when you are practising, you’ll never go past the hole under pressure !!”** Another big tip!!!

Good Luck & Happy Golfing.
Professional John Garner.

Club Programme

OCTOBER

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
27	28	29	30	1	2	3 Barry Brown Mass Start 9.30 Nett
4	5	6 Purple Tees	7 Wednesday Sweepstake 9:30 Mass start	8	9 Mid Monthly 8 - 11 am	10 Captains Choice (L) Hidden Holes - Stableford
11	12	13 White Tees	14 Wednesday Sweepstake 9:30 Mass start	15	16	17 Bridge Cup - stableford Men & Ladies
18	19 Main Committee Meeting 7pm	20 Gross Stableford	21 Wednesday Sweepstake 9:30 Mass start	22	23	24 LF Trueman Stableford (L) Gross Stableford
25	26 Labour Day	27 Mid week Shootout	28 Wednesday Sweepstake 9:30 Mass start	29	30	31 Nett (L) stableford
1	2	NOTES: Mens Golf Trip 27th October - 1st November				

NOVEMBER

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2	3 Melbourne Cup Putting	4 Wednesday Sweepstake 9:30 Mass start	5 Twilight Starts 4pm to 6pm Safari TBC	6 Ladies Open Christmas Hamper @ Manukorihi	7 \$100 Club Mass Start 9.30
8	9 9 hole Champion of Champions @ Manukorihi Ladies Annual Meeting Clubrooms 6pm	10 Par	11 Wednesday Sweepstake 9:30 Mass start	12 Twilight 4pm to 6pm Golf Safari TBC	13 Mid Monthly 8 - 11 am	14 Stableford Champion of Champions Men TBA Ladies @ Westown
15	16 Reserve Day 9 Hole Champion of Champions Main Committee Meeting 7pm	17 Secretaries Choice	18 Wednesday Sweepstake 9:30 Mass start	19 Twilight 4pm to 6pm	20	21 Qualifying round Purdie Summer Cup Nett (L) Nett
22 Kiwi Butchery Open Xmas @ Manukorihi	23	24 Ladies Closing Day. 9 holes Course 1 Mixed 9&18 Secret Santa	25 Wednesday Sweepstake 9:30 Mass start	26 Twilight 4pm to 6pm	27	28 Mini Hamper & Club Prize giving Mass Start 9am
29	30	1	2	3	4	5

MANUKORIHI



JUNIOR GOLF

Starting Friday 9th October
@ 4 pm

≡ Runs fortnightly ≡

Come along and enjoy
the game of golf



This is a
FREE
programme



and clubs
available



Any enquiries contact

Terry 021515229





SAVE THE DATE

New Plymouth Golf Club

Ladies Spring Fling.

 **Date:** Thursday 22 October 2026

 **Location:** New Plymouth Golf Club

 **Format:** Stableford, Gross

18 & 9 Hole Divisions

 **FASHION PARADE**

 **PRIZES**

 **LOTS OF FUN**

Enquiries and Bookings to:

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 Vandjmac@xtra.co.nz

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The Eagles Golfing Society of Taranaki (Inc.)

Proudly presents the

Halberg Foundation

Charity Golf Tournament

Friday 23rd October 2026 at Westown Golf Club

The funds raised go to assisting physically disabled young people in the Taranaki Region to achieve their sporting endeavors.

Please make up your own four - mixed if you wish and enter or we will arrange a four with you, come and enjoy a great day at the Westown course.



Stableford competition 2 x Men's divisions and 1 x Ladies division to be played over 18 holes - Two Tee Start from 10:00am.

Carts are available and must be booked at the Westown club ph 06 7586933

Entry Fee: \$40.00 per person. Pay your entry fee or a donation if you wish online into our Eagles account number -15-3947-0347596-000 or pay with cash on the day. Use your name and initials as the reference.

Entries to: Rod Pattison – rod.pattison@xtra.co.nz or 027-543-9972

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FORMAT

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TEAMS OF MEN/WOMEN
OR MIXED

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(SEE FULL RULES)



ENTRY FEE

\$150 PER TEAM
MAXIMUM OF 50 TEAMS
FOR THE EVENT



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OCTOBER 24TH 2026

SUNDAY
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Open day

**9 Hole affiliated players only
Stableford & Nett
Div 1 and 2.**



\$15 incl 2's plus \$5 raffles.



10.00AM



FRIDAY 30 OCT, 2026

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jenkins11@slingshot.co.nz

Text 027 771 9684

Entries close 23rd Oct 2026



Fun Day! Bring a group

SAVE THE DATE

KAITAKE WOMENS

OPEN 54 HOLE FOURSOMES 2026



 Date: Thursday 29th & Friday 30th October 2026

 Venue: Kaitake Golf Club

 Location: Kaitake Golf Club is 15 minutes south of New Plymouth on Surf Highway 45 just past the seaside village of Oakura

 Canadian & General Foursomes / Mixed Draw Stableford

- Similar format as previous years but with a 2026 twist
- Enjoy sumptuous cuisine at our many café's and restaurants
- Explore the gorgeous gardens in the [2026 Taranaki Fringe Garden Festival](#) : 30 October to 8 November
- Accommodation – check out Airbnb, Bookabach & [Oakura Beach Holiday Park](#) for lovely modern well appointed cabins

Full details and registration information coming soon

Enquires & to sign up for notification when registrations open
email ladiessecretary@kaitakegolf.co.nz

Patea Golf Club

Invites entries for our

18 Hole Open Xmas Hamper

Saturday 31st October 2026

1 Best gross for men and ladies

Plus Nett stableford and accuracy prizes

Tee off times from 8am to 1 pm

Entry Fee \$40 Includes twos and a steak
meal

Good Tournament Accuracy and raffle
prizes

Entries close Sunday 25th October 2026

Entries to

Ray Finlay 0272707542

Mike Taikato 0272896697

Clubhouse 06 2738102

Come along and enjoy a day out on the Patea Links

MANUKORIHI LADIES GOLF PRESENTS:-

CHRISTMAS HAMPER GOLF

6 NOV 2026

09 :30 AM

\$25 + Two's \$2

10.00 *MASS
Start*

Manukorihi GC, Wills Road, Waitara

Register Now

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Affiliated 18 hole Ladies

*NETT &
Stableford*

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KAITAKE GOLF CLUB
SUNDAY 15TH NOVEMBER 2026**

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3 Mens & 1 Ladies Divisions

Gross, Net and Stableford Prizes

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HAMPER

SUNDAY
15TH NOVEMBER 2026

18 HOLE
\$45
PER PLAYER

9 HOLE
\$30
PER PLAYER

 Gross, Net and Stableford prizes

 Nearest the Pin (CTP's)

 Two's

 Includes a light meal after the round



ENTRIES TO:

 **Robert**
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OR

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A great day of golf to kick off the festive season!



The poster features a festive theme with holly leaves in the corners. At the top, the Eltham Golf Club logo is centered. Below it, the word 'OPEN' is in large green letters with yellow starburst effects, and 'XMAS HAMPER' is in large red letters with a red underline. On the left, a vertical list of six prizes is shown on wooden signposts, each with an icon: a calendar for the date, a dollar sign for the entry fee, a trophy for the overall gross, a clipboard for the stableford, a golf ball for 2's included, and a crossed fork and knife for the best meal. The background illustration shows a golfer in mid-swing on a green, with three other men in Santa hats sitting in chairs around a blue cooler filled with beer bottles, laughing and drinking. A golf cart is parked nearby. In the distance, there are snow-capped mountains and a lake. At the bottom, a green banner with white text says 'Xmas Cheers to All', and a white banner with red starburst ends says 'Entries to Jas 027 6056015'.

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BBQ on course

Mass Start 10.00am

Sunday December 13, 2026

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