



# MANUKORIHI GOLF CLUB INC.



## Manukorihi Golf Club Committee Meeting 16.12.24

### Report

- We had a full turn out of the committee members new and returning for our productive meeting.
- As previously reported the Taranaki Golf Association membership fees have gone up which in turn effects the costs of membership to our club. We endeavour to keep these costs down as much as possible for our members and when our members have a full 2025 membership paid for, they will receive a small thank you gift from the club for their continued support.
- There has been reported fuel theft so please if in the area keep an eye out for any unusual behaviour or cars and report to the police. Our new Green Keeper Wardens - Robin & Teddy have been keeping an eye out for any bad behaviour or non-paying of fees and following up on this as needed, so let them know if you have any concerns with conduct on the course.
- Marie has organized the 2024 calendar program books for members who would like a hard copy of this for their use. They should be here by opening day.
- Our new Bar Convenor Martin Nobbs is organizing our bar area with a Fly Zapper for the bar area to keep those pesky insects out of there. If you would like to volunteer behind the bar, please chat with Martin. Volunteers lower the cost to our club so a big thank you to all our wonderful volunteers very much appreciated.
- Our membership is stable now and with the great work the Green Keeper and his helpers, along with positive feedback from visitors will entice new members to the club. If you see someone new at the clubhouse or the golf course, please make them feel welcome as we are well known as a friendly club, so let's keep that tradition up.
- There is ongoing discussion around the need to update and purchase equipment to keep our golf course up to scratch and this is being investigated for the best results to aid this endeavour.
- The Kiwi Butcher tournament was a very productive event for the club both in entry fees, over the bar sales and raffles. Thank you to all the great helpers on the day to make this another successful event.

- A few new developments with key positions on the committee with John Chandler assisting Robert Butler with the Handicapper position. John Raynor will be assisting Ian Titters in the Treasurers Role. Rachele Quin is now going to assist Peter Pearce with the membership position and will also undertake being the Grant Officer and applying for grants to enable us to update as needed projects around the club and grounds.
- We are still looking to complete the update of the ladies' toilets and are looking for a builder to help take on this project for us. If you know of anyone that would be willing to assist the club in this endeavour, please contact the committee.
- The committee has also agreed to the Ladies 12th & 18th holes tee blocks to be incorporated into the white tee blocks. This will exceed the rating requirements for our club, but keep it updated to NZ golf requirements.
- Have a wonderful, happy and safe time over the holiday period and to great golfing in 2025.

Manukorihi Golf Club Committee.

## Club Captain's Report

What a big week has just past first with the AGM and the new Club Captain been named John Skellern, Congratulations John and we are sure you will do a great job going by your maiden speech last Sunday at the Pop Up Open. Hope all members will support John for the next 12 months.

Last Saturday was the haggle and Purdie Cup Qualifying round for match play over the Summer with the final to be played before opening day at end of January.

Good luck to all the players with the title holder Shane Weir in hot form at the moment.

On Sunday we held our last big tournament for 2024. Kiwi Butcher & Smoking Comrades Pop Up Open. A super fine day and the course looking in Tip Top Condition, Cater and Bar staff in full form as well. We also had a couple of the wives going around the course during the day to make sure everyone was happy. Prizes given out for the day was gross, nett and Stableford across all divisions. A bucket load of twos scored, closest to pins on all par 3s and to top the round off longest drives which there were some beauties.

1 Ace Se'e	8
16 Paul Fairhurst	8
9 Richie Parosfield	8
8 Paul Rauputu	8
5 Kerry Rawlinson	5
12 John Edgar	5
13 Teddy Danych	4
4 Izac White	4
3 Clayton Riddle	3
14 Bill Wadsworth	3
11 Nathan Russ	6
6 Marty Crafer	6
7 Kelly Brown	7
10 Ken Leonard	7
15 Mathew Lima	2
2 Shane Weir	2

All the raffles throughout the day were well supported which is a great bonus for the club.

The only real disappointing part of the day was 19 players failed to turn up after booking their names in the field, there needs to be an improvement there as before the day we were turning others down because of the field been full.

This weekend the haggle will be amongst your four that you are playing with no limit on the side bets.

For this Saturday 21st and the following Saturday 28th we are asking you to book your snack with Mere before going out to play as she is only making to order Thank You

Good Golfing everyone and for those playing in other comps in the next few week go well you got this.

All have a safe Xmas and New Year

MMC

## Twilight Golf



On Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> December, once again the weather was dodgy but we decided to continue. 23 competitors came along and most got around with only a sprinkling of rain.

Our winners on the night were:

Division 1 Dean Rawlinson, Marsh McLeod and Taine Rona.

Division 2 Jason Brown, Dion Nuku and Martin Nobbs

Ladies Division Marion Coleman and Amanda White,

Two's Dean Rawlinson and Kerry Rawlinson

Meat Raffles Paul Rauputu, Marion Coleman, Martin Nobbs, Kerry Rawlinson and Marie Rayner

Chase the Ace: Barbara Hunt was drawn but unsuccessful so the \$136.00 will jackpot to next week.

Thanks for the helpers on the night Marie Rayner and David Butler

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

On Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> December, we had 48 competitors who came out in fine conditions with only a bit of wind to help them along the way.

Our winners on the night were:

Division 1 Nathan Russ, Helmuth Adams, Kerry Rawlinson, Bryan Bellamy, Chosen Farquher and Kelly Brown

Division 2 Martin Nobbs, Stuart Skene, Pat McDonald, Dean Clement, John Van Der Leeden and Glen Gooch

Ladies Division Barbara Hunt, Sue Nobbs, Meryn Morrison and Delphine Petrowski

Two's Sue Nobbs

Meat Raffles Glen Gooch x2, Phil Cleaver, Jo Broadmore, Helmuth Adams, Trish Crawford, Cliff Oxenham, Raewyn Carley and John Langslow

Chase the Ace: Since it was Christmas we had 3 draws. Ivan Rangitonga, Matiu Adams and Dean Clement. The Jackpot of \$184.00 was not struck so will carry through until next year

Grateful as always for the helpers on the night Helen Watt, Marie Rayner and David Butler

Thanks to Maree our caterer for a lovely meal.

Very special thanks to our sponsors: **The Kiwi Butcher Shop, Tasman Toyota and RaD Car Hire**

Twilight is having a break over the Xmas holiday period but we will be back on the **16<sup>th</sup> January 2025**, hope to see you all then.

Happy Golfing

Mary

## **Waitara new World Wednesday Club.**

Waitara New World Wednesday Mini Hamper.

A great day for the last Wednesday of the year, many thanks to all that have helped over the last 12 Months We have had great numbers every week, with Stroke play, Match Play Traffic lights and top dog.

We had 30 players that played today it was a bit windy, and the course looking great.

Division one winners were Jim Ropitini and Gary Pigott to win 2 boxes of chocolates for their 36 points. All other winners in division one picked up a box of chocolates.

Division two winner was David Butler 38 points, Amanda White, and Jim New Love 37 all three taking home 2 boxes of chocolates, and all other one box chocolates from Waitara New World.

Robin Broadmore had the only 2 he won a Xmas pudding. 12 raffle winners as well.

Next Wednesday will 8<sup>th</sup> January 2025.9am for a 9 30 mass start. All have a merry Xmas and happy new year.

Cheers, Wednesday Club.



## Bar Roster



Hi all, I have taken over as the Bar Convener, so if you are able to help out behind the bar, please let me know. Also, if there are anything you would like behind the bar then please also let me know.

Thanks

Martin

<b>January Bar Roster (<i>Volunteers needed please see Martin Nobbs</i>)</b>		
Coming Soon		

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



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# Welcome to Our New Members

**KELLY HAMBLYN**

**CHRIS HAMBLYN**

## Club Programme

2025

JANUARY

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
29	30	31	1	2	3	4 (L) Summer Trophys
5	6	7 Summer Trophys	8	9	10 Mid Monthly 8am - 11 am	11 (L) Summer Trophys
12	13	14 Summer Trophys	15	16 Twilight 4pm to 6pm	17	18 (L) Summer Trophys
19	20	21 Summer Trophys	22	23 Twilight 4pm to 6pm	24	25 Club Opening Day- 3 man ambrose Mass Start 9:30
26	27 Midweek Pennant @ Opunake Main Committee Meeting 7pm	28 Ladies Opening Day 9 am 9 holes - nett Course 3	29	30 Twilight 4pm to 6pm	31	1
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## 9-Hole Programme

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# Manukorihi Golf Club presents **Twilight Golf**

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From 7th November - 19th December 2024  
Post New Year 16th January - 6th March 2025

**Thursday evenings 4pm to 6pm**

**\$10 entry includes:**

**9 Hole competition**

**Chase the ACE entry**

**Kiwi Butcher vouchers prizes and raffles**

**Dinner available after your game \$10 to \$15**

### **Chase the Ace competition**

Players will be drawn from the score cards placed on the table.

Draw the ace of Hearts to win 100% of the pool.

Draw the ace of Diamonds to win 50% of the pool.

Either of the Black aces win 25% of the pool.

If there is more than one winner there will be a count back of the last four holes.

The draw will only commence once the last player has handed their card in.

Players drawn must be in the club house to claim a pick of the prizes.

If no aces are drawn it will jackpot through to the following week.

\$1.00 from the entry fee goes towards the weekly draw.

Finally, on the last TWILIGHT NIGHT - qualifying players must have played at least 5 rounds





# KAITAKE GOLF CLUB

## Beachcombers Open 2025



**Saturday 4th January 2025**

\$ 35.00 Entry Fee (incs two's & Lunch)

2 Men's Division/1 Ladies and Non Golfers

*Non-golfers welcome*

Straightest Drive



Two's and nearest the pins

**Tee times available: 8.00AM – 11.00AM**

Prize giving: 4.00PM

Phone office 06 7527665 for Tee time

Or email [kaitakegolf@xtra.co.nz](mailto:kaitakegolf@xtra.co.nz)



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# **STRATFORD LADIES PICNIC DAY**

**WEDNESDAY  
22ND JANUARY 2025**

**18 HOLES  
ASSEMBLE 9.00AM  
START TIME 9.30AM  
ENTRY \$25**

**9 HOLES  
START TIME 10.30AM  
YELLOW TEES  
ENTRY \$15**

**2's included  
Raffles extra  
Please bring your lunch**

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Entries to:  
Jennifer Patterson  
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Ph: 027 481 4690  
By 18th January 2025



# TARANAKI DISTRICT WOMEN'S GOLF

## STROKEPLAY CHAMPIONSHIP

36 HOLE & 18 HOLE

TE NGUTU GOLF CLUB ON *SUNDAY 26<sup>th</sup> JANUARY 2025*

SILVER DIVISION PLAY 36 HOLES (0 -18.4)

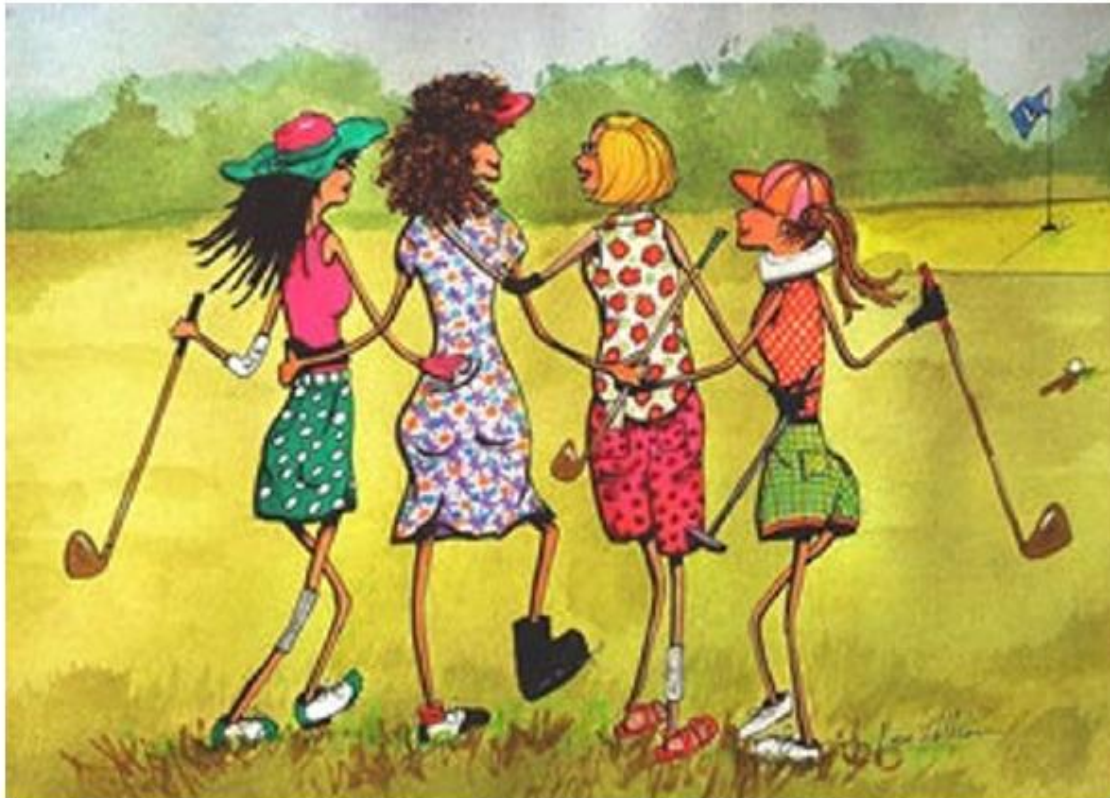
ENTRY \$40 per player

BRONZE DIVISION PLAY 18 HOLES (18.5 +)

ENTRY \$30 per player

**GROSS AND NETT PRIZES**

TWO's **Included**



TO ENTER AND FOR FURTHER INFORMATION PLEASE CONTACT:

Jill Evans Phone or Text 027 565 0961 (Include name, club and golf ID number)

**ENTRIES CLOSE : WEDNESDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> JANUARY 2025**