

MANUKORIHI GOLF CLUB

INC.



21 January 2026

Saturday Golf at Manukorihi

The Summer Cup for 2026 is down to final next weekend with Darryl Baird beating Nigel Armstrong on the 17th and Robert Chop Butler beating Skelly also on the 17th.

So good luck to Darryl & Chop for a fun game this Saturday.

Saturdays haggle was well supported by 68 players and some great scores posted. Pick of the bunch were Trevor Wood and Bronny Gower with 43 points with a chasing pack of Chris Williams & John Rayner & Lana Kingi 41 points, Gary Crawford & Ace on 40. Vouchers in the till.

Twos went to Ted Danych, Kelly Brown, John Edgar and Nathan Loppy, 2 balls each. Two raffles run with 5 fresh meat packs from The Kiwi Butcher and another board raffle for another successful day with many visitors from Ngamotu wondering why they wouldn't join out here for the quality of the course, the atmosphere and the price of the 🍺

This Saturday will be another summer haggle alongside the Summer Cup final.

So good luck to all

Good golfing

JR

Ladies Report

No golf this week, the rain won.

The email contact for any ladies correspondence is manukorihigolfladies@gmail.com.

This has changed so please save this address.

9 hole ladies are hosting Pennant on Monday 9th February and would love raffle donations. Please bring on the 2nd February if you can help.

Good luck for the upcoming golf season

Cheers Marie



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Wednesday Golf Report

No message received before emailing the Newsletter, presumably because it was SO WET!!!

New Members

We welcome the following new members. We hope you enjoy your time here and the privileges you get by being part of the Club.

Dane Parker-Bishop, Danielle Whitmore, Brent McNab, Mitchel Smith, also Scott, Neo and Novak Kendall.

Twilight Golf

Last Thursday cancelled because of inclement weather (good call with thunder and lightning like that!)

Unfortunately the forecast isn't too good for this week either, so keep your eye out for cancellations but if its on, come and make the most of it.



Tasman
Toyota



Bar Roster

Huge thanks to the volunteers that have put their hand up to help, much appreciated.

Date	Time 12.30 to 2.30	2.30 -4.30
24 th January	Shane	Nicole
31 st January	Terry	Bronny
7 th February	Kerry	John R
14 th February	Fiona	Kevin
21 st February	Rachelle	Martin
28 th February	Jody	Sue

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**.



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Manukorihi Golf Club Newsletter

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John Garner's golf tips

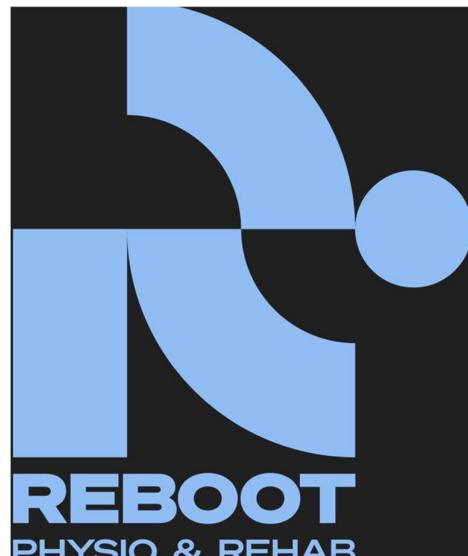
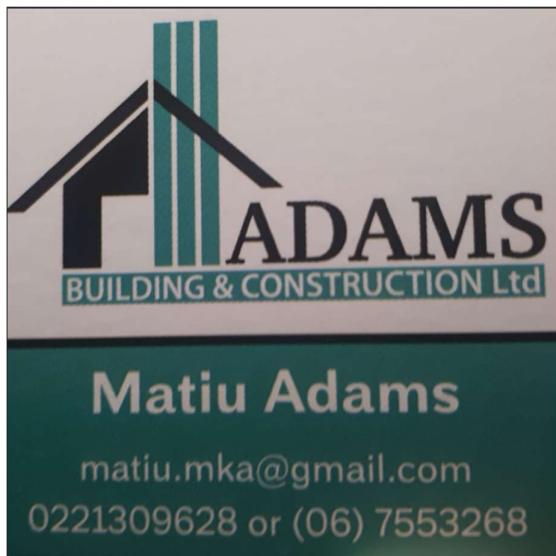
USING TOO MUCH BODY in trying to hit the ball is the single biggest fault in playing the game. When you top the ball, your BODY has COME UP before impact. When you slice you have turned your BODY in FRONT of the ball before hitting it. When you sky the ball from the tee you have moved your BODY FORWARD making the swing path too steep.

The Law of SWINGING is to TURN YOUR BODY on the backswing SLOWLY, then from the start of the DOWNSWING LEARN TO SWING YOUR HANDS & ARMS PAST YOUR BODY.

Watch yourself in front of a mirror to get the FEELING.

Good Luck & Happy Golfing.

Professional John Garner.



New Path at 4th Tee

A huge Monday morning saw the concrete pour of Jansy's Way off the 5th tee completed. This project has yet again been undertaken by the magnificent Greg Jan's single handedly prepping his vision of this great addition to our signature hole, and what a result. A little more earthworks by Ray Gadsby who kindly donated his time and digger (to give Jansy's back a rest), will complete stage one and then straight into stage two taking the path down past the lake edge.

Thanks to Taranaki Mix for a great concrete price.

Thanks to Jansy's better half for fresh scones and vanilla cake for lunch.

Thanks to Mike (Ryan's Father in Law) for answering a last minute call for the finishing work with all his gear and to Ryan, Jim Newlove, Ted Danych, Robin, JR for the pushing barrows & screeds.

Thanks to Terry Butler for coming out in the rain and cutting stress cuts and of course the FINAL THANKS is to Jansy who really needs an Export Citrus for his tireless work. Please show our appreciation and buy that man a CITRUS !!!

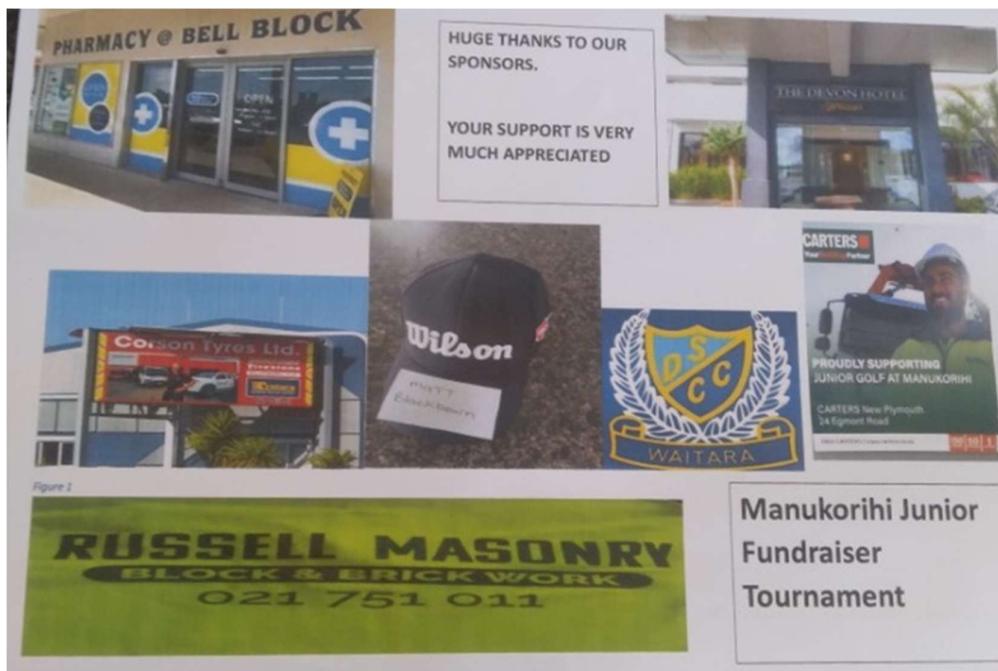
Cheers JR



Manukorihi Junior Golf fundraiser tournament

A great turn out and support from players for this great course. A big thank you to all the sponsors and to the team for running a very successful tournament, raising \$1760. All profit goes into the junior golf program.

Well done to Nixon Gadsby for your first ever 18th holes, and to Payton Rook for achieving your NZ Golf handicap, a great day had by all, thank you all again, from the Manukorihi Junior Golf committee.



A tale of fortitude

There was a tee on a far away course, there was an electric trundler, there was a stream and there was a Manu golfer ...!

These 3 came together in unfortunate circumstance with the trundler taking off, seemingly of its own accord, scuttling across the tee and into the stream, to almost sink out of sight. But fear not, the intrepid owner promptly waded into the waters, retrieving the trundler and bag (but not the GPS – damn!) However, not put off by this inadvertant circumstance, he continued to play the rest of the round, with very soggy equipment!

Well done ...? (notice anyone with a new GPS???)

Club Programme

2026

JANUARY

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
28	29	30	31	1	2 Corson Tyres Open Tournament	3 Corson Tyres Open Tournament
4	5	6 Summer Trophys	7	8	9 Mid Monthly 8am-11 am	10 (L) Summer Trophys
11	12	13 Summer Trophys	14	15 Twilight 4pm to 6pm	16	17 (L) Summer Trophys
18 Invitation Junior Tournament	19 Main Committee Meeting 7pm	20 Summer Trophys	21	22 Twilight 4pm to 6pm	23	24 (L) Summer Trophys
25	26	27	28	29 Twilight 4pm to 6pm	30	31 Club Opening Day- 3 man ambrose Mass Start 9:30

FEBRUARY

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
1	2 Midweek Pennant v Westown @ Urenui	3 Ladies Opening Day 9 am 9 holes - nett Course 3	4 Wednesday Sweepstake 9:30 Mass start	5 Twilight 4pm to 6pm	6 WAITANGI DAY	7 Barbara Sharrock Mass Start 9am Stableford
8	9 9 hole Pennant @ Manukorihi Midweek Pennant v N.P. @ Inglewood	10 Russian Stableford	11 Wednesday Sweepstake 9:30 Mass start	12 Twilight 4pm to 6pm	13 Mid Monthly 8am - 11am	14 Joll Cup Qualyfing (L)Aotearoa & Coronations Cup,Vet @ Gross Trophy Putting & Eclectic starts
15 Handicap Pennant Rnd 1 Weekend Pennant v Fitzroy @ Urenui	16 Main Committee Meeting 7pm	17 Aotearoa Cup, Coronation Cup, Vets Trophy Best Gross Putting & Eclectic starts	18 Wednesday Sweepstake 9:30 Mass start	19 Twilight 4pm to 6pm	20	21 Captain Vs Secretary-Wills Trophy Mass start 9am Nett.
22 Handicap Pennant Rnd 2	23 Midweek Pennant v Manaia@ New Plymouth	24 Sarten Trophy Rnd 1 Lyn Foreman/Bates Bronze 3	25 Wednesday Sweepstake 9:30 Mass start	26 Twilight 4pm to 6pm	27	28 Joll Cup top 16 Rnd 1 (L) Grandmothers & M & K Old Nett



Manukorihi Golf Club presents **Twilight Golf**

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**From 30th October - 18th December 2025
Post New Year 15th January - 12th March 2026**

Thursday evenings 4pm to 6pm

\$10 entry includes:

9 Hole competition

Chase the ACE entry

Kiwi Butcher meat pack prizes and raffles

Dinner available for purchase \$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 night - you must have played at least 5 rounds to qualify for the last night's draw.



STRATFORD MOUNTAIN TOWN FOURSOMES

LADIES HANDICAP MATCH PLAY – 54 HOLE FOURSOMES

THURSDAY 19TH FEBRUARY 2026 – 36 HOLES

FRIDAY 20TH FEBRUARY 2026 – 18 HOLES

ENTRY FEE \$75.00 PER PERSON

MAXIMUM HANDICAP 40.4

FIRST 48 ENTRIES ACCEPTED

PAYMENT TO: TSB ACCOUNT 15 3947 0567214 00

ENTRIES CLOSE 13TH FEBRUARY 2026

START TIME DAY ONE 8.30AM, DAY TWO 9.30AM

CONTACT: JOE MACK

PHONE: 027 256 5091

EMAIL:joemcdagg@gmail.com

POWERED SITES AVAILABLE FOR CARAVANS/CAMPERVANS

LADIES MOUNTAIN TOWN FOURSOMES

THURSDAY 19TH & FRIDAY 20TH FEBRUARY 2026

ENTRY FORM:

PLAYER 1:

CLUB ID: _____ PLAYER ID: _____ H'CAP INDEX: _____

PLAYER 2:

CLUB ID: _____ PLAYER ID: _____ H'CAP INDEX: _____

CONTACT DETAILS:

ADDRESS: _____

EMAIL: _____

PHONE NO: _____

ENTRY FEE PAYABLE TO: TSB ACCOUNT 15 3947 0567214 00 YES/NO

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FRIDAY 6th FEBRUARY 2026

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ENTRY FEE \$35 (including 2s)

Men's and Ladies Divisions

Prizes for Gross, Nett, Stableford

Non Golfers Welcome

Shotgun Start: Assemble 10:00 Start 10:30

Contact Wayne 027 378 6635

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GREAT WESTERN OPEN

 28TH FEBURARY 2026

**36 HOLE MENS-WOMEN GROSS- NETT
ENTRY INCLUDES LUNCH & DINNER
FIRST TEE 7AM PLAYED IN GROUPS OF 3**



ENTRY \$120

ALL ENTRYS TO BE PRE BOOKED AND PRE PAID BY 21ST FEBUARY
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