

# MANUKORIHI GOLF CLUB INC.



## Club Captain Report

*Hello to all...hope all is well.*

Well this week was a self-haggle at home, and I bit of hit and giggle I hear the greens played ok .So that’s good as they will only get better.

**SO, THE BIG NEWS OF THE WEEK.** Well there were 6 mates who were made up of all ages, shapes and sizes. All wearing their blue shirts they molded into a team of champions. **Not ONLY** did They come up against a very strong Inglewood team, but they had to give 40 plus shots as well....so no easy task. This was a real fight and it went all the way down to the last putt of the day...Yip the **LAST** putt of the day. The weather played its part with a Very windy and wet day to add to the drama .So here’s what happened THE SHORT VERSION. On the 18<sup>th</sup> The waiting finished players had done all they could ...and the status of the match was all square with one team to come. Earlier Inglewood sunk a big putt to Steal the 4ball Match from **SUNSTRIKE and CHOPCHOP ON THE 18<sup>TH</sup>** to end their match W-L-L. Then **SAUSAGE and LOFTY** squeezed out a very hard-fought W-1/2-W with giving 21 shots between them it was a great result. So **PEEWEE and BOOBOO** were coming up the 18th with **PEEWEE all square and BOOBOO 1UP** having lost the 4 ball it was all tied up at the current status. **BOOBOO** needed to half the last for a win and we were 1 UP. So, **Nathan BOOBOO Lopy** two putted the 18<sup>th</sup> to clinch his match...we are 1up. Then **PEEWEE** Needed the half. He had a tricky downhill putt but as always **PEEWEE** put his putt an inch off the cup and it was given for the par. Everyone was watching as the Inglewood #1 had 15teen footer to make a par and take the win and then it would have been a playoff...HOLE. So if he sinks it we are all square .... Our #1 **IVOR PEEWEE SARTEN** looked ten years older (90) AS THE PUTT WAS GETTING LINED UP. The bank had 30 odd players and supporters from both sides

*(thanks to all who came out in the weather and gave us their support) ...*And the tension was clear to see.. All the shots played before on the day were getting replayed in our minds ...and the IF I ONLYs...came into our minds... for example ...Lofty sat his 15teen foot putt an inch off the cup on the 18<sup>th</sup>. *(IF I HAD ONLY HAD GIVEN IT A BIT MORE)* ..But AT THE TIME during discussions with **SAUSAGE and LOFTY** over the putt. Comments were made. MAKE SURE OF THE TWO putt mate we can’t lose this one BRO ...NO PRESSUER WAS MENTIONED AT THE TIME ...so, it’s down to the last putt of the Match and the stroke was made and it’s a good one heading right for the center of the cup .... And then ...it just drops low ...and...\*%#@^&%)(.....was shouted from the bank .....and as they say

**THE REST IS HISTORY ....**



## READ THE PAPER .....HOW EVER YOU WANT TO SAY IT

WE KNOCKED THE BASTARDS OFF (SORRY INGELWOOD NOT A PERSONAL COMMENT) AND IT FEELS SO GOOD .....

Great game played in good spirt and well-done to the Inglewood club for making their 4<sup>th</sup> or 5<sup>th</sup> final in a row as a club that's a pretty good effort....

**Well done lads a 5/4 win** .... Again, thanks to all the caddy's and supporter's THAT HELPED US DURING A VERY TENSE DAY. This is how it should, and the buzz of the last hole victory was a cool and felt by all .You ALL done the club Proud.... WHAT A FINE BUNCH OF CHOPPERS .....

*Thanks, Your Club Captain Lofty.*



**WARM WELCOME to  
OUR NEWEST  
MEMBERS**

**April 2021**

Frank Bunker  
Shona Guthrie

**March 2021**

Efren Montalla

### Saturday Ladies Report

*Kia Ora from Weekend Ladies*

Just a small group of ladies headed out on Saturday to trial the cored greens **Marie Rayner found them to be good with a winning score of the day 38 points. Joy East also found the greens puttable with a two on the 15th** - You are on a roll Joy with 3 two's in the space of 2 games. Well done

**This weekend we have 1st round Nancy McCormack Foursomes-** good luck to those competing, all other ladies playing a Stableford competition will be available.

**On Sunday the weekend ladies are hosting the weekend pennant competition.** Tee off is from 9.30am and they will be using 3 tees, so please be advised that if members are wanting to get on the course there may be a delay. The pennant teams will have the right of way on the course. The competition is tight this year and on Sunday we have the bye, we are needing for Kaitake to have a loss to keep us in contention.

**Our congratulations goes to the Men's pennant team for a great win in the weekend.** I bet a few sore heads were heading off to work on Monday.

Good Golfing everyone *Andrea*



### Tuesday Ladies Report.

A very overcast and damp looking day but no rain and quite warm. Pleasant conditions.

The course was pretty good after all the rain but the greens were very challenging and leave a bit to be desired. I'm told they will improve!!! Soon I hope.

**The 9 holers had a mini Tournament** with 15 Fitzroy Ladies and everyone went home with a prize, so lots of happy faces. Many thanks to the ladies who donated raffles.

**The 18 holers had 2 competitors going,** 6 ladies played the **1st Round of Nancy McCormack** and 6 played Stableford. **Joy E won the voucher with 34 Stableford** and she also had a **2 on the 15th** so collects \$10 for that.

**Next week** we are playing the **2nd Round of Nancy McCormack** and the *starter is Helen W.*

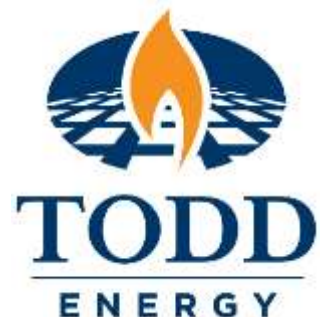
*Jo*



**NEW WORLD**

**Waitara New World Wednesday Club.**

*No Report this week.*





## Golfing Tips

**THE PITCHING WEDGE** is the most flexible club in the bag as it could be used from 1 metre off the green up to 120 metres according to your own power. **Chipping** is from about 30 metres & then your shots become pitches. 30 metres, 40 metres, 50 metres & upwards has to be learn't & the way to do that is to play 20 balls to an umbrella stuck into the ground. The shorter the shot the shorter the swing e.g. full swing 4th gear - ½ swing = 2nd gear & whatever the distance you achieve is your own power.

*Good Luck & Happy Golfing. Your Personal Pro John*

## FUNNIES

Home schooling science lesson went really well this week.

Next week - marketing and distribution.



**NEW WORLD**



### Stratford Winter Open Tournament Nett Comp

Saturday 22nd of May 2021

Sponsored by Five Star Liquor Stratford

Minimum \$1500 prize pool  
3 mens divisions, 1 ladies division

**Entry Fee \$25**

1 x Best Gross

Long drive 18th hole Men

Long Drive 9th hole Woman

Closest to the pin par 3's Men & Woman

Two's

Stratford Golf Club ; Tee Times 9am-12.30pm  
CONTACT Murray Cook 021936082 or  
murray@cookshonda.co.nz

## GOLFZONE GET IN THE ZONE

### Taranaki 2 Ball Best Ball

36 Holes over 2 days

### Kaitake Golf Club

Saturday & Sunday

22nd & 23rd May 2021

Entry Fee: \$ 50.00 per player  
(includes lunch both days)

Format:

- Overall Gross Men's Pairings
- Overall Gross Ladies Pairings
- Net Men's and Ladies Divisions
- Two's and Nearest the pins

Tee times available 9.00am to 10.30 am

First 50 pairs only

Off two tees

Seeded 2nd day tee times

Prize Giving 5.00pm

\$500 to beat course record (Conditions apply)

**HOLE IN ONE PRIZE**

To Enter Phone Denise at Kaitake Golf Club 06 7527665  
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