

MANUKORIHI GOLF CLUB  
INC.



## **Club Captain Report** – Gary Crawford

**HI Dee Hi Golfers!!**

Saturday men's golf played on a beautiful sunny day.

### **Stableford Results**

0-15 Division	16+ Division
1 <sup>st</sup> Kevin Mancer 40	1 <sup>st</sup> Cliff Oxenford 40
2 <sup>nd</sup> Ken Leonard 37	2 <sup>nd</sup> Bill Wadsworth 36
3 <sup>rd</sup> Steve Voyle 35	3 <sup>rd</sup> Clayton Riddle 34
4 <sup>th</sup> Rob Fraser 35	4 <sup>th</sup> Peter Lopusiewicz 34
5 <sup>th</sup> Robbie Busing 35	5 <sup>th</sup> Marty Crafer 34
6 <sup>th</sup> Trevor Wood 35	6 <sup>th</sup> Asoese See 33
	7 <sup>th</sup> Barry Burns 33

Well done to all of those players.

Vouchers will be available to pick up .

6 people scored twos.

14 raffles drawn. Congratulations to all winners.

### **Club champs matches played...**

Paul Rauputu bt Reece Vesty

Kingston Taylor-Voyle bt Daryl Baird in the seniors

Elliot Gunn bt Aaron Peters in the intermediates.

Our course is really starting to look in great condition. Men's pennant quarterfinals were played on Sunday and the feedback from the players about our greens was very pleasing to hear.

So to Stratty and his team of helpers keep up the good work. You're making us very proud and other clubs very jealous.

*Cheers Kev Mancer (filling in for Gary )*

## **Covid Policy Update – moving to Orange Level**

*please follow the orange traffic light requirements and please stay away if you are feeling unwell at all.*

## **9 Hole Ladies Pennant Day**

The 9 hole ladies would like to thank Frances, Helen J, Joy East, and Marie for all their help running our Pennant day they did a great job. Also to the course staff and volunteers, the course was enjoyed by all, to our Caterers our lunch was lovely .Our team is coming second with 2 games to go, so thanks again for a very well organised day.

*Regards Rhonda McFarlane*



## Greenkeeper Stratty Report



Another busy week at Manu, 25 mm of rain last week was great and some more this week would be most welcomed!

The greens have been lightly top dressed this week (*sand*) the tees have been top dressed with soil and the wet spot beside 15th green drained (*novaflo / stones*) thanks Jim the human crane , the usual Autumn stuff.

The course is showing more colour as the autumn weather kicks in, many thanks to the usual suspects Jim , JR, Robin, Pooch, Peter P ,Richard H, Ivan and Trevor your efforts are truly appreciated!

Also a **huge thanks to JR and Marie** who have donated 15 cubic metres (*approx.*) of quality topsoil 🍷🎵

Cheers Stratty

**KARL STRATTON**

Stratton Livestock M 027 316 5572

## Saturday Ladies Golf Report

**Last weekend was the final round of Nancy McCormack** - This was **won by Lesley and Jude** with a total of 147, closely followed by Rachelle and Jo B with 147.5. Just goes to show that this competition is over 2 rounds and any team can come back in the 2nd round and take the win.

The sweepstake was won by Marie with 37 points and Fiona had the only 2 on the 5th.

**Competition for this weekend is Hidden Bunnies and is the normal 9.30am start.**

Have an awesome Easter and good golfing.

*Jude*



## Tuesday Ladies Golf Report - Jo Foreman

A very pleasant day for golf with the 9 holers nearly outnumbering the 18 holers.

**The 9 holers** played hidden holes and **Julie was the winner.**

Putting results: Merryn & Marion 3 pts, Rhonda & Sally 2 pts, Julie & Teresa 1 pt.

Your Chemist voucher was won by Colleen.

**The 18 holers** played Stableford + Putts and the **winner of division 1 was Marie with 69 pts and Joy A won division 2 with 69 pts.**

Christine had a 2 on 11th and collects \$10.

**Next week** we are playing extra LGU and the *starter is Marie.*

*Jo*



**NEW WORLD**

## Wednesday New World Golf Day

With a field of **26 players**, the morning started off quite windy, turning to strong and blustery by the end of play.

Leading the Wednesday Strokeplay at present after 2 rounds is **Peter Lopusiewicz.**

The winners on the day for the haggie playing nett were:

Gary Fulton 72, \$20;

Phil Daley 73, Robert Fraser 73, \$15 each;

Peter Lopusiewicz 75, Albert Hodgkinson 75, John Rayner 76, \$10 each;

John Davey 77, Les Wildman 77, Ted Danych 77, \$5 each.

There were no 2s on the day and this will jackpot to the next round of play.

We had 5 lucky raffle winners.

The **final round of the Strokeplay Champs is next Wednesday**, and remember, your 2 best rounds of the 3 count to get you into qualifying for the Matchplay.

*Cheers ... Phil Wilson*

## Volunteers Corner

"More of our great team of volunteers at work around our course, this time beautifying our entrance yesterday with some trimming maintenance on the camellia and kauri trees and agapanthus at our entrance.

From left, Robin Broadmore, Trevor Hughes and Murray Peterson" *Thanks Richard*



### Volunteer of the week

Mr. John Rayner & Mrs. Marie Rayner



I don't think anyone who is a member of Manukorihi Golf Club, wouldn't know about this wonderful couple and all the many hours of volunteer work that they both put into our club.

This has benefited the club enormously over the years from their hard work.

Just letting you both know that you are very much appreciated and loved.

Thank you for all your time and commitment to Manukorihi. Xxxxxxx

**Nominated by Joy East**



**CORSON TYRES**  
*New Plymouth*

### April Bar Roster

*Again a huge thanks to the volunteers that serve us all on a Saturday, very much appreciated.*

*At the end of the day if anyone wants to help fill the fridge up that would be a great help to our volunteers. Many hands make like work.*

Date	Time to 2pm	Time 2pm to 5pm
16 <sup>th</sup>	Vandels	Nicole
23rd	Greg F	Jody & Stacey
30th	Vandels	John R

## Tee Booking Trial

We now know that the interval between tee times was too short so it has been changed from 6 minutes to 8 minutes. This will not start until Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> April as bookings had already been made for the 2<sup>nd</sup> April and making a change to that too difficult.

### NOTE

- The booked tee time is the time you and your fellow players should be on the tee hitting the ball.
- You need arrange to arrive at the club early enough to get organised and walk down to the 1<sup>st</sup> Tee and be ready to go when it's your turn.
- Any problems give me a ring on 0278788771.

*Cheers Ian & Martin*





## FUNNIES

How to burn thousands of calories in just a few minutes



### WARM WELCOME to OUR NEWEST MEMBERS

#### April 2022

Paul Douglas

Rob Carruthers

#### March 2022

Adam Jane

Malcolm Elder

Daryl Warburton

Jo-Ann Downie

Jay Deuart

#### February 2022

Devan Leggett

Mike Walmsley

Beverley O'Donnell

Neville Jans

Tipene Simpson

## Greg Norman Golfing Tips

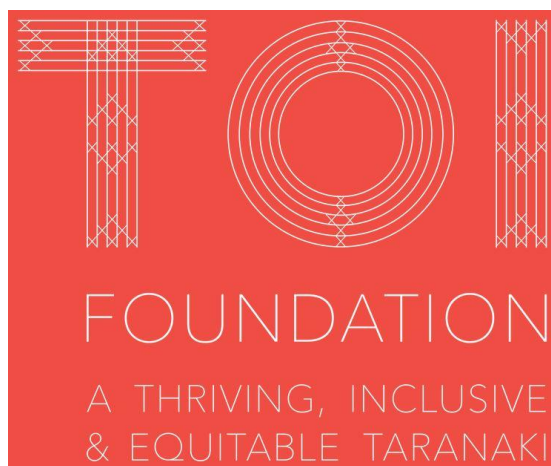
### Clap Hands For The Grip

I'm not an advocate of any one style of grip. Basically, I think you should hold the club in a way that's comfortable for you. However, I do believe in one rule, and the best way to test it is by clapping your hands.

Take your stance without a club, allowing your arms to hang naturally. Then bring your hands together, palms flat. In this position, note that your palms are parallel. This is the one 'must' of a sound grip -- a palms-parallel position -- as it allows the hands to work as one unit instead of fighting each other.

Now assume your usual grip on the club, and then open your hands, straightening out your fingers while continuing to hold the club between your palms. Are your palms parallel? If not, you should work them back into the clap-hands position and reassume your grip.

In an ideal neutral grip, the back of your left hand and the palm of your right will be facing your target. With a slightly weak grip the alignment will be a bit toward the ground, and with a slightly strong grip the hands will tilt a bit toward the sky. Neither of these is necessarily bad, as long as the palms are parallel.





### Futures Taranaki Event Series Te Ngutu

LOCATION - Te Ngutu Golf Club  
DATE - Wednesday 20th April  
TIME - From 9am - 11am  
COST - 18 hole and 9 hole long \$10  
- 9 hole short \$5

Futures 18  
Tackle the full course in a social 18 hole competition. A great chance to make new golf friends from around Taranaki.

Futures 9  
Get stuck into 9 holes and choose whether to compete, or play the It's OK rules just for fun.

The draw will be emailed and posted on Monday 18th April to 'Futures Taranaki' Facebook.

To register please complete the registration form at [www.facebook.com/futurestaranaki](http://www.facebook.com/futurestaranaki) or contact Robert Larsen 027 271 2099



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### Futures Team Golf Event

Inglewood Golf Club  
Sunday 1st May  
9am  
\$5 per person - all prizes drawn

Can't wait to get on the golf course?  
Team Golf is a great opportunity for young beginner golfers to get out on the course and play with friends. Play 3 or 6 shortened purple holes or challenge your team to 6 holes from the yellow tees.

The It's OK relaxed rules ensure it's all about the kids having fun, and mum and dad can come along and caddy. Enter on your own or with a friend.

To register please visit our Facebook page 'Futures Taranaki' or at <https://forms.gle/e88Pg7vwaQShvMM9>  
For any other information please contact Lucinda at [futures@taranakigolf.co.nz](mailto:futures@taranakigolf.co.nz)

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## Pungarehu Golf Club "Pork Tournament"

**Monday 25<sup>th</sup> April 2022  
Anzac Day**

**\$40 Entry Fee,**  
includes Burger Lunch,  
2's and Sausage sizzle  
Non golfers welcome  
Mass Start at 10am  
Enter now and contact  
Alan Crowley  
027 964 6587

## TGA Ambrose Tournament

**Friday 29th April  
New Plymouth Golf Club  
11:30am for 12 noon start**

**5 Person Teams \$200**

Includes Food Platters after golf

On course food & drinks also available.

A chance to meet and play with the Taranaki Men's  
Interprovincial Champions

**Kindly Sponsored by Balanced  
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Great Prize Table and Auction  
Funds raised for TGA Representative Golf

Book your team in now Contact Nick 027 4126 103  
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