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Newsletter

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Chairman's Report

PLEASE NOTE: *The content for this newsletter was prepared prior to the Club Chair retiring. Any updates that should be required will be made in the next newsletter.*

2022/23 COMMITTEE OF MANAGEMENT

Following completion of counting of votes and receipt of our Returning Officers report on 27 June, the following were declared elected as our Committee for the 22/23 year.

- Craig Macmillan
- Eddie Slagter
- Gerald McCarthy
- Jean Donnelly
- Lloyd Fitness
- Keith Orange

The first meeting of the new Committee was held on Thursday 30 June where the following appointments were confirmed.

Chairman

- Lloyd Fitness

Sub-Committees

- Human Resources: Lloyd Fitness, Craig Macmillan, Gerald McCarthy
- Audit: Gerald McCarthy, Keith Orange, Karreen Mathers (Club Auditor)
- Finance: Keith Orange, Jean Donnelly
- Adjuncts Liasion: Eddie Slagter, Jean Donnelly
- Emergency Executive Committee: Lloyd Fitness, Craig Macmillan, Keith Orange

The Club Manager also participates in all Sub-Committee meetings, reports to and attends all Committee meetings.

CHEF'S BLACKBOARD SPECIAL

New Weekly Special! A different meal every week... Keep an eye on our FB page [@taradaleclubnapier](https://www.facebook.com/taradaleclubnapier) for this week's meal.

OPERATIONS

We have made a solid start to our 22/23 year, with a busy first quarter. With us having been free of covid restrictions, “ touch wood, “ for a while now, Club activity has really picked up. We have hosted some major functions over the past month or so and forward bookings are very promising. Of note we have received some very complimentary feedback, including written messages saying how impressed attendees had been with the facilities we have to offer, the great service received and the quality of meals coming out of our Kitchen.

We as members, along with our Staff can be really proud of our achievements. As always our Staff have worked particularly hard to manage some of the major events and we must thank them for that.

The functions and events we host, not only drive revenue to support our operations but they market our great facilities to a wider audience. We can be confident and proud to recommend our Club to family, friends and associates, as the place to go for social activities, celebrations, functions, conferences and other gatherings. You, our members can help to promote the Club in these respects so please do so at every opportunity.

At the time of preparing this report, you will be pleased to hear, work has commenced on repairs to our roof. By the time you read the report, we hope work has been completed and we have, at long last, done away with our leaking roof problems.

FINANCIAL

Financial results have been pleasing for the first quarter. Our financial performance, together with the confirmation of additional support from our bankers, TSB, has given us the confidence to get such major expense items, such as the roof repairs and outfitting of our new bar in the Weka Room, back on track. As always, we have had to maintain a prudent and controlled approach to all expenditure.

We are still facing continuing price increases including a recent further increase in excise duty. We can assure members we are doing our very best to keep price increases to you, to a minimum whilst protecting the margins we need to deliver to be able to undertake necessary repairs and maintenance, pay our debts, service our loans and produce a satisfactory profit. It is pleasing to report we are currently on target in these respects, however our focus has to be maintained.

STAFF CHANGES

With our GM, Kim Smith having recently advised us of her decision to resign, we are now advertising for her replacement. We have decided to change the title of this position back to the more appropriate title of Club Manager and are advertising accordingly.

We are fortunate to have such a capable and strong senior management team in Gareth, Lorraine, Robyne and Ron who will guide us through this interim period with some Committee support. Whilst finding appropriate staff in the Hospitality Industry is certainly a challenge in the current environment, we hope to make an appointment as soon as possible.

Kim has kindly offered to work her 4 week notice period out and we sincerely thank her for that. We also reiterate our very best wishes on behalf of all our members, to Kim and her family for their future.

Kind Regards to All
Lloyd



General Manager

I would like to take the opportunity to wish the club all the success and thank you to those who have supported me throughout my time here.

Nga Mihi / Warm Regards,
Kim



QUIZ NIGHT
Wednesday 27 July

COME AND JOIN THE FUN!
PHONE TO BOOK - 06 844 2088

ARE YOU READY?

GRAB YOUR FRIENDS

The graphic features a central blue silhouette of a head with gears inside, surrounded by a pink circular glow. To the left is a purple circle with a white question mark, and to the right is a teal circle with a white lightbulb. The background is a teal gradient.



18-Hole Golf

The Taradale Club 18-Hole Golf Section played their last monthly Club Day at Hawke's Bay Golf Club on Sunday 17 July.

This year we have several "games-within-games" at our monthly get-togethers, and it is always a lot of fun in swinging the club then seeing how good one's game was in comparison the other golfers in our group.

We play for an annual best player competition called the Tarex Cup and the game at HB Golf is a 'major' as far as the Tarex Challenge is concerned. This means that regardless of where anybody is placed now (including those who have not played yet), the double points could have anyone surging up the ladder in the chase to the year's end winner's purse.

We also play for prizes for the best stableford competition points for the day and the Pairs Comp of the day as well as the fun Dollar Holla.

It is only \$10 for Members to play (irrespective of your home club) which includes a delicious snack back at the Taradale Club. What a day - bring along a prospective member if you like, they get a couple of goes with us to see if it's for them!

Contact Denys - denwise@xtra.co.nz or 027 443 9783 if you would like to join us.



Taradale Club needs you!

Are you interested in being a driver for the Club Shuttle Service?

Are you available Friday & Saturday evenings?

Please email lorraine@taradaleclub.co.nz for more information.



Outdoor Bowls

Bowls Taradale had a fantastic 2021 – 2022 Season despite the constraints imposed by Covid 19. We were able to complete our full programme of events and Championships and we had Tiger Turf complete the Cuneen Green in February.



This time of year is always a little quiet due to cold and inclement weather however we continue to have a full programme of activities on our two wonderful greens.

New Committee for Bowls Taradale

Bowls Taradale held their AGM on Saturday 28 May.

The Committee for this year is:

President - Malcolm Abernethy

Vice President - Murray Pilmer

Immediate Past President - Ken Gilligan

Secretary - Alan Dustow

Treasurer - Brian McCarthy

Club Captain - Rex Dunn

Committee - Cheryl Simpson, Darryl Le Claire, Kay Chambers and John Gray

Members at our closing day on Saturday 28 May.



New Bowlers – Training and Coaching

Following on from our very successful Summerset Twilight Community Bowls we have had a large number of new bowlers join Bowls Taradale. These new bowlers are well supported by our Junior Development Coordinators, Les and Sheryl Glock and a team of eight great coaches and mentors.

Training and Coaching Programme

Sundays - 9:30am Junior Ladder

Mondays - 9:30am New Bowler Coaching

Wednesdays - 9:30am New Bowler Coaching

Thursdays - 9:30am New Bowler Coaching and 9:30am Skills Training

If you are wanting to have a go or take up this wonderful sport please contact any of our committee members or Les and Sheryl Glock on 027 353 5054.

Open Tournaments

Tuesdays - 9:30am - **2-4-2**

\$5 entry per bowler, random drawn pairs, raffle and prizes. Names in by 12:00 noon the previous day.

Fridays - 12:00pm - **Friday Triples**

Team entry fee \$24 or \$8 per Bowler, 3 games of 8 ends, raffle and prizes. Game format varies from week to week. Enter before 12:30pm the day before.

For more details contact a committee member or view details on the Bowls Taradale Notice Board alongside the Greens.

Club Roll-Ups

Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays at 1:00pm, names in by 12:45pm. **Just Roll-Up!**



**Steak
Night! \$20**
Wednesday





9-Hole Golf

The 9-hole Golf Adjunct recently held their Club Champs. It was a great day and play was followed by a most enjoyable lunch and prizegiving at the Taradale Club.

The winners on the day were...

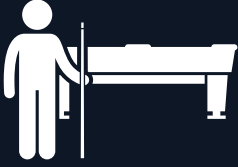
Senior Woman: Julie Inwood
 Intermediate Woman: Dot Bower
 Junior Woman: Jo Schinkel

Senior Man: Laurie Hansen
 Intermediate Man: Brian Bartlett
 Junior Man: Barry McCormick

Our last game day was Saturday 18 June at Awatoto Public Course, followed by our AGM and a light lunch.

New members are always welcome and if you would like to join please contact Jane by email janeandnoel@hotmail.com and she will send you some more information.





8 Ball - Pool

With our new area setup at the club our pool adjunct has taken off and we have attracted 10 new adjunct members just in the last 2 months.

June 11 and 12 we held the Taradale Club 8 Ball open singles competition. This was held in the sports bar area and the new pool area in the lounge bar and it worked a treat with great viewing access in both areas. The 8 ball adjunct and the club hosted 70 players and supporter and the bar staff were just fabulous. I would also like to thank the 8 ball adjunct members for their tireless work behind the scenes to make this event a success.

Won by Brent Wells of City Club 2000 over local Hawke's Bay player Bayden Jackson.



On Saturday 25 June we held our Drawn Pairs Club champs. We had a turn out of 24 people for the day and after a days pool **the winner was Matt Wallace and Richard McDade** over Murray McCoy and Ange Collins.

On Saturday 2 July we visiting the National Services Club and managed to win our afternoon of pool against them. They were fabulous hosts and we look forward to their return visit to us later in the year. Thank you to those that attended, it was a fun day.



On Saturday 9 July we held our Mixed Pairs club champs. We had 10 teams which was a fabulous turn out. The **winners were Kaye Holloway and Jamie Henare** (for the second year running) over Tony Periam and Shey Douglas-Puna.



winter giveaway
WIN A \$100 PIKOPIKO RESTAURANT VOUCHER
Facebook Competition: enter at @taradaleclubnapier

Competition closes 31 July