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January

I trust you and your loved ones all had a most enjoyable Christmas and are looking forward to continued good health and happiness in 2019. The New Year could be a really exciting year for our Club. The real prospect of amalgamating our resources with those of the Taradale RSA has the potential to develop a great new Club for our Community. Whilst realising this vision is still some way from becoming reality clearly our members are supportive and I believe there is growing acceptance of the idea among the RSA members. We understand they are planning further EGM's early in the New Year to further discuss this opportunity and I encourage all of our members who are also RSA members to attend. The first meeting I understand is called for 13 January.

Operations.

Our Club has continued the strong November operational performance into December, hosting a large number of function bookings and member attendance and support growing. Our marketing and publicity via social media and radio advertising is delivering. Michelle, our Marketing Creator reports growing contact from people from throughout the Country booking and making enquiries as to our function facilities. Our Management team and Staff have been working greatly together as a team delivering great service and working very hard.



A WORD FROM OUR CHAIRMAN



I would also like to thank the kitchen for their hard work and long hours during the Christmas season. We have received great feedback. On behalf of the Committee and Members I again thank the whole team for their efforts.

Committee Resignation

I regret to advise Nikki Middleton resigned from our Committee at our December meeting and take this opportunity to thank her for her contribution since our last AGM. Nikki has rejoined our casual Bar Staff team and our Rules do not permit any paid staff member to be on our Committee of Management. Nikki was a member of our Health and Safety Sub-Committee and will remain on that team as a Staff representative.

EGM.

On behalf of our Committee I reiterate our sincere thanks to those close to 200 members who attended our EGM on 16 December to hear of and discuss our plans to amalgamate with the Taradale RSA.

The strong turnout of members together with your absolutely unanimous support of our Motion was and is greatly appreciated. Your Committee is equally unanimous in their support of us working towards developing a Memorandum of Understand with the RSA. We will keep you all informed as to progress.

Regards
Lloyd

A WORD FROM OUR CHAIRMAN





The Manager's Message

Happy new year everyone.

What a wonderful year has come to an end, we have had some great successes and some minor misses, but most of all, we have turned the club into a happy place.

The team has worked incredibly hard to see my vision and we have come out on top. We are unfortunately losing a few team members, but we have also gained a few.

Donna has reached her 30 years and guaranteed me that she will do another 30 before she retires. To all the members and people that has been on the crazy ride with us, I would personally like to thank you for all the support, shouts and chats over the past few months. I do appreciate all the ideas that you bring to me and we try and make things happen and make things better each day to suit our club.



The Manager's Message

Last year was the year of "Change" and this year will be the year of "Opportunity" for the club, I believe if we have something to work for then we can get everyone onboard and we are also looking at what opportunities lies ahead for us. If anyone knows of any opportunities that will benefit the club then please let me know and we can work on it. Have a beautiful January and hopefully the summer stays for a while now.

I look forward to seeing you all in the club.

Happy dayz
Andre

**We would love to thank all
our members, adjuncts
and everyone else who
supported us over
Christmas. It was a
privilege to share such
special occasions with
you.**

**After a beautiful & exciting
2018, we are looking
forward to an
extraordinary 2019!**

Thinking of joining an adjunct? Here's our adjunct contact list:

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Committee Gerald McCarthy gk@advisory.co.nz

Golf 18 Hole

Spring showers were late and fell in the Summer of 2018, causing a degree of angst amongst the Committee when heavy rain preceded our Christmas Cheer celebrations held on Sunday 2nd December. However, nerves of steel and a fair degree of good luck saw the heavens clear and we were able to have a great round of golf in fine and clear weather at Maraenui Golf Club.

The wind blew the cobwebs away and worked up quite a thirst for our return to the Taradale Club for our after match function. The Bowlers Nook function room was a very happy place and a delicious smorgasbord meal curbed and cured our hunger!

Everyone won a prize at the prize-giving and President Denwise publicly thanked the Secretary/Treasurer Gerald McCarthy and Committee Walter Blatchford, Clint Hansen, Charlie Christie and Dennis Smith for their sterling contributions during the year. Our first Club Day for 2019 takes place at 10.00am on Sunday 10th February at Maraenui Golf Club. Our AGM date and the programme for the rest of the season will be announced shortly.

Have a happy and safe holiday break and everyone's New Year Resolution for 2019 could possibly be to hit the ball straighter than last year and a lot less times than they did in 2018!!

Cheers,
Denwise

Outdoor Bowls

WOMEN'S CHAMPIONSHIP SINGLES Five women qualified for post section play. Semi finals - Cheryl Le Claire beat Sue Brock 21 to 18 and Sheryl Viggers beat Ruth Spittle Final - Sheryl Viggers beat Cheryl Le Claire



MEN'S CHAMPIONSHIP
PAIRS Final on 9/12/18.
John Calnan & Allen
Boardman beat Jack Philip
& Ross Hamilton 20/17

A notice will be posted when one-on-one coaching will resume. Remember coaches are always available – just give them a call. They volunteered to help so you are not putting them out in any way. If they can come they will.

TARADALE
CLUB

FAMILY SOCIAL CLUB

SUMMERSET COMMUNITY BOWLS TRIPLES COMPETITION

THURSDAY 17TH JAN - 7TH MARCH
5:30PM-7PM

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\$15
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ENTRY
PER WEEK

GREAT FUN
MUSIC

DRINKS AVAILABLE
SAUSAGE SIZZLE \$1
WEEKLY LUCK TEAM
PRIZES

EACH TEAM CAN HAVE 1 REGISTERED BOWLER ON THE TEAM! BOWLS TARADALE WILL SUPPLY BOWLS & BOWLERS IF REQUIRED



CALL PETER TOWNROW ON 8448086 OR 0212255321
TO ENTER YOUR TEAM

9 Hole Golf Adjunct

The next 9 Hole Club Day is January 26th with a 9.45 - 10am tee off at Awatoto Golf Course. Format is 9 hole stableford tournament followed by a free lunch and prize giving at Awatoto Club House. 35 members played in our Christmas Cheer 3 club tournament in December at Awatoto course and enjoyed Christmas Lunch and prize giving at the Taradale Club. 'Santa Sherman' was a highlight of the day and handed out 'goodie bags' to all players from his decorated 'sleigh'..

2019 programme is complete and includes 2 away bus trips, 3 meals and prize givings at Taradale Club plus a mid winter Christmas dinner..... and 4 free lunches on selected Club Days!

All Taradale Club members who enjoy the occasional walk with some golf clubs can join us for a fun time once a month at Awatoto Golf Course. Subs are only \$5 per year, green fees are \$10 per round so come join us for some fun and fellowship. You do not have to be a member of a golf club to join.

For more info contact Laurie Hansen, Adjunct President, 06 8454310.



'Santa Sherman'
handing out the
'goodie' bags.

THE TEAM

A FOND FAREWELL

Trish has decided that it is time to retire and focus on playing more bridge

Mata is off on her OE in the UK

We wish them both happiness in their shiny new futures

A HEARTY WELCOME

We have some new faces in our front of house – Roydon and Nikki are in the bar and Tyler in the restaurant

Welcome to the team!

And Donna deserves a special mention for reaching her 30 YEAR anniversary at Taradale Club in December

You're a legend Donna, and we're lucky to have you



Membership Points

There has been some confusion over how the members' points work and we want to try to clarify it so everyone can be sure of what to do.

Points accumulated in a month will expire 1 year later, at the end of said month, if they have not been used. For example, points accumulated in February 2018 will expire at the end of February 2019 if it has not been used by then.

So if I accumulated a number of points in December 2017, but I didn't use it, it would have expired by now.

Points that I accumulated in January 2018 however, will still be available until the end of the month.

Most of our memberships expired at the end of the year. If you do not renew your membership around the time of your membership expiry, you may lose your accumulated points as they cannot be transferred if you wait too long to renew. We have a 30 day grace period after our membership has expired to renew our membership and the accumulated points will be carried over then.

If you have any questions or if you would like to chat about your points or membership renewal, please give us a call on 06 844 2088.

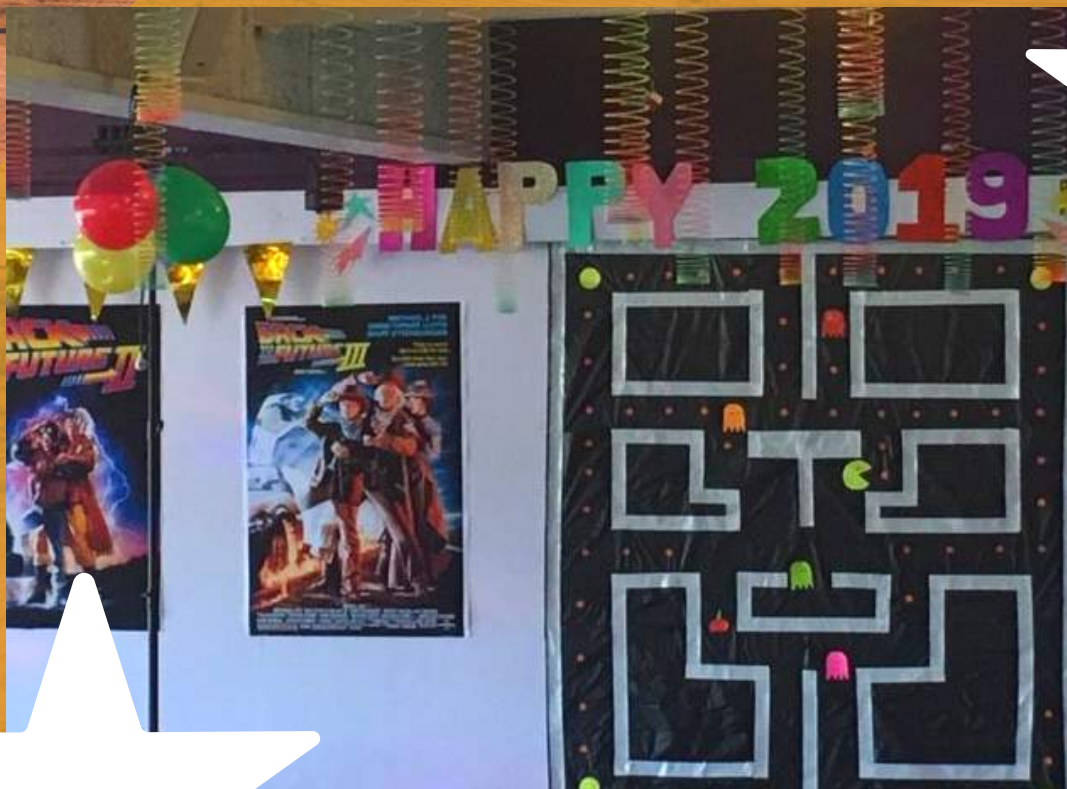
Our First Annual Gala Day



**It was great
fun in the sun**



NEW YEAR'S EVE



Back to the Future 80s





LUNCH
SHOUT!



9 Hole Golf

Awatoto Golf Course

SATURDAY
26 JANUARY

9:45 tee off



Contact Laurie Hansen
06 845 4310



**FIRST 2019
CLUB DAY!**

GOLF 18 HOLE

**SUNDAY 10 FEBRUARY
10AM TEE OFF
MARAENUI GOLF CLUB**

**CONTACT DENYS
CARPENTER
ON 0274439783
OR AT
DENWISE@XTRA.CO.NZ**

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DONNA SAUNDERS



DENNIS AUGUST



Joy Adams



PAT HYNES



ROBERTA CAMPBELL



LANCE PENE



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- short black \$3
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- cappuccino \$3.50
- macchiato \$3.50
- hot chocolate \$3.50





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TUESDAY 5 FEBRUARY FROM 7PM

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