

#### **OPERATIONS**

Trading for the month of January, traditionally a very quiet month for us, was pleasing, with turnover and profit in all trading sectors, ahead of the comparative month last year. This maintains our very healthy year to date position.

Of particular note our Restaurant sector is continuing to show much improved financial results. Turnover is steadily increasing, improved control of costs through more astute purchasing and staff roster management, is realising a much improved profit result. Congratulations to Blair and his team.

We have recently launched our new menu and feedback to date on both the menu and quality of food has been very pleasing. If you have not yet had the chance to try our new and improved offerings, I recommend you do so.

With our Restaurant now Licensed to be open to the public, we will be ramping up our advertising of this fact. It would be great if our Members can make it known to their non-member friends, family and associates, that our Restaurant is open to the public in general. It is important to note non-members can only purchase and consume alcoholic beverages in the Restaurant.

We now operate a fully serviced Restaurant, with orders taken at your table and meals delivered to your table, in both the Restaurant and Bar areas. and Michelle are going to focus their efforts on attracting and hosting events that best suit our club. They have learnt a lot from the last year and are aiming to turn in an even better result for next year. Given the excellent results we expect to be able to announce for this year, this will be a challenge, but I have every confidence, their expertise, hard work and commitment will deliver.

#### ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

At our February Committee meeting we set the date of Sunday 31 May for this year's AGM. Setting the date now gives members a "heads-up "and enables us to establish our planning timetable for 2020/21 Budget Preparation, Annual Accounts Preparation and Auditing and having key documents available to members.

Members wanting to put Notices of Motion (Remits) to the AGM will need to have these moved and seconded and advised to our Secretary, no later than Monday 4 May 2020, to enable us to include in our Meeting papers to you, which we are required to have available by 17 May.

Kind Regards Lloyd

### THE MANAGER'S MESSAGE

So, as Autumn officially sets in, it was nice to see some rain come through.

February was a good month for the club and March will see us end of the financial year, this year will end in a bang and it will be one that the club will forever remember (financially that is). March has some exciting things happening, like we have the Stones tribute band on the 21st of March, we also have Church road doing our fabulous Food and Wine on St Paddies day. The 14th we will celebrate our St Paddies and we have secured a real Irish band (o'Flynt) to take us into some Irish songs and get the club buzzing.

We have almost completed our revamp of the restaurant, but the launch of the new menu has been really good and very well received. I would like to ask that anyone that has had a bad experience in our restaurant, to come and give it a try again and judge it by its new look and food. We will also be doing full table service and once the new bar gets installed, we will even be doing drinks to the table. So a lot of things to be excited about and enjoy while we still have daylight savings and some warm weather, come quench your thirst and appetite at the club, because we would love to see you down here.

Happy Dayz

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## Golf 9

CLUB DAY FEBRUARY 29TH HAD 32 MEMBERS CLIMB
ABOARD OUR 'FLASH' BUS FOR THE ANNUAL ONGA ONGA
GOLF TRIP. WEATHER WAS FINE AND HOT AND GOOD
SCORES WERE RECORDED IN ALL 3 DIVISIONS. WINNERS
WERE SENIOR MEN JOHN THIRKELL, JUNIOR MEN CRAIG
GEYER AND WOMEN'S WINNER JULIE INWOOD.A
DELICIOUS LUNCH WAS PROVIDED BY THE ONGA LADIES
AND AFTER A LARGE NUMBER OF PRIZES WERE HANDED
OUT THE DAY'S LAST STOP WAS AT THE TIKOKINO PUB
FOR REFRESHMENTS.

MARCH 21ST CLUB DAY IS THE ANNUAL NORM BEATON MEMORIAL CHALLENGE BETWEEN THE 9 HOLE ADJUNCT AND THE 18 HOLE ADJUNCTS AT AWATOTO COURSE WITH A 10.30 SHOTGUN START FOLLOWED BY LUNCH AND PRIZE GIVING AT TARADALE CLUB.

IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO JOIN THE 9 HOLE ADJUNCT ALL YOU NEED IS YOUR CLUBS AND TRUNDLER AND \$5 FOR YOUR ADJUNCT MEMBERSHIP FEE - YOU MUST BE A TARADALE CLUB MEMBER - CONTACT LAURIE 8454310 FOR FULL DETAILS.

IF YOU DON'T PLAY 18 HOLES ANY MORE BUT STILL ENJOY PLAYING 9 HOLES COME AND GIVE IT A GO ON THE SHORT AWATOTO COURSE - YOU DON'T HAVE TO BE A GOLF CLUB MEMBER TO PLAY.

SUBS ARE ONLY \$5 PER YEAR, GREEN FEES ARE \$10 PER ROUND AND WE HAVE TWO AWAY BUS TRIPS, SEVERAL FREE LUNCH SHOUTS PLUS PRIZE GIVING AND CHRISTMAS CHEER MEALS AT THE TARADALE CLUB EVERY YEAR.

FOR MORE INFO CONTACT:
LAURIE HANSEN,
ADJUNCT PRESIDENT, 06 8454310

# Golf 9









'WINNERS ARE GRINNERS' SENIOR MEN'S WINNER: JOHN THIRKELL, WOMEN'S WINNER: JULIE INWOOD, JUNIOR MEN'S WINNER: CRAIG GEYER

## GREENDALE SERVICES

GREENDALE SERVICES ASSOCIATION
UPDATE
MARCH 2020

AS A GROUP IT COULD OFTEN BE SAID THAT MEMBERS OF CLUBS ARE GENERALLY SLOW TO RECOGNISE WHEN THEIR COMMITTEE AND STAFF DESERVE PRAISE.

IT IS WITH THIS AWARENESS THAT THE MEMBERS OF THE SERVICES ASSN PASS OUR CONGRATULATIONS TO THE COMMITTEE AND STAFF OF OUR CLUB FOR HAVING THE VISION AND COURAGE TO UPGRADED OUR RESTAURANT AND MENU IN THE CLUB. HAVING A HIGH QUALITY 'Á LA CARTE' RESTAURANT IS ONE OF THE THINGS THAT HAS BEEN LACKING IN THE TAMATEA/GREENMEADOWS/PORAITE AREA. SO WELL DONE TO THE CLUB FOR LOOKING TO FILL THIS GAP, AND HAVING THE RESTAURANT ON ITS OWN LICENSE WHICH NOW ALLOWS FOR NON-MEMBERS TO USE THE RESTAURANT AND DRINK IN THAT PART OF THE CLUB WITHOUT SIGNING IN IS ALSO A VERY ASTUTE MOVE.

WITHOUT ANY DOUBT WE HAVE THE STAFF WITH THE SKILLS TO PROVIDE THE RIGHT CALIBRE OF MEALS AND SERVICE EXPECTED IN GOOD QUALITY RESTAURANT, AND FOR SURE THIS WILL ATTRACT NEW MEMBERS AND FUNCTIONS TO THE CLUB. BEING ABLE TO IDENTIFY AN OPPORTUNITY, ASSESS THE RISKS, AND THEN GRAB IT IN BOTH HANDS SHOWS THAT THE CLUB IS ABLE TO ADAPT AND TO CATER FOR ALL MEMBERS AND LOCAL RESIDENT'S NEEDS.

NOW IT IS UP TO THE MEMBERS TO SUPPORT OUR CLUB BY USING THIS FACILITY, AND ENCOURAGING YOUR FRIENDS AND NEIGHBOURS TO DO THE SAME. THE MENU IS GREAT, THE FOOD AND THE SERVICE OF A HIGH STANDARD, AND THE ONLY ASPECT THAT SEEMS TO BE BELOW WHAT WE MIGHT EXPECT ARE THE PRICES. SO, WE ARE AGAIN THE WINNERS.

GREAT JOB TEAM.

THE SCHOOLS' 'SPIRIT OF ANZAC' SPEECH COMPETITION. JUST A REMINDER ABOUT THE SCHOOLS' SPEECH COMPETITION. AS NOTED IN LAST MONTH'S NEWSLETTER THE FINALS WILL BE HELD AT THE TARADALE CLUB ON 27 MARCH, AND THE DETAILS ARE HIGHLIGHTED IN THE 'FLYER' IN THIS NEWSLETTER. YOU WILL BE AMAZED BY HOW OUR YOUNG PEOPLE RESEARCH, DEVELOP, AND THEN PRESENT THEIR SPEECHES. BE WARNED THOUGH - BRING TISSUES AS YOU WILL NEED THEM.

THIS COMPETITION IS NOT TO GLORIFY WAR. IT IS ABOUT REMINDING US AND TEACHING OUR YOUNG PEOPLE OF THE FOLLY, OF THE DREADFUL COST, OF THE SACRIFICES MADE BY TOO MANY, FOR OUR PEACE AND FREEDOMS. BUT IMPORTANTLY FOR US VETERANS, THIS IS DONE IN THE HOPE THAT THE YOUNG PEOPLE OF 'OUR VILLAGE' WILL NOT HAVE TO SUFFER AS PREVIOUS GENERATIONS HAVE.

YOUR SUPPORT FOR OUR YOUNG PEOPLE IS IMPORTANT AND FOR SURE THEY WILL APPRECIATE YOU BEING THERE.

GREENDALE SERVICES

WELCOME TO THE 5TH ANNUAL TARADALE AND DISTRICT

## Spirit of Anzac Speech Competition

We invite entries from Primary, Intermediate and High School speakers to participate in this annual competition.

#### **EVENT INFORMATION**

Where; Taradale Club, Wharerangi Rd,

Greenmeadows

When; March 27th 2020

Year 5/6- 9am-10.30am Year 7/8- 11am-12.30am Year 9-10- 1.30pm-2.30pm

See the next page for speech topic details and register teams by emailing; cbevis@bledisloe.school.nz before Monday 9th March

#### Speech Topic and Information for each Age Group

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Over the years that the speech competition has been running we have covered a variety of topics. Of particular importance was the commemoration of 100 Years of the Anzac tradition. This year our topics are more open, as we have seen that students love to speak about their own whângu connections. So, to reflect this, we are asking for speakers to use the topic "ANZAC and My Whānau" or "ANZAC and Me". This will allow our speakers to look into their own whakapapa and whanaungatanga, or that of someone they admire such as a national hero or fallen hero, and telling their story. For senior students this topic could be adapted to reflect a more sophisticated understanding. Perhaps a reflection on Patriotism and its meaning in a 21st Century world, or Patriotism in a bicultural society such as Actearca NZ. These topic choices are deliberately broad to allow speakers to explore their interests and passions.

Year 5/6-3 Minutes with cue cards (not notes)

Year 7/8- 4 minutes with cue cards

Year 9/10- 5 minutes with cue cards

# Indoor Bowls

LOOKING FOR SOMETHING TO DO ON THESE COMING WINTER NIGHTS?

HAVE YOU THOUGHT ABOUT INDOOR BOWLS?

#### THURSDAY NIGHTS

Starting date for 2020 season 5th March 7pm
If you are interested in coming along, we have an
Open Night on Thursday 19th March 7pm at the Taradale
Club

Get to know us and find out, all about what a great game this is.

Its suitable for all ages and abilities and lots of fun.
WHY INDOOR BOWLS

The game of Indoor Bowls provides opportunity for learning and reinforcement of life skills essential to become a responsible member of society.

To be able to win and lose gracefully and display sportsmanship are attributes to gain and use a myriad of situations, along with the skills for life learnt makes Indoor Bowls a valued game for all.

JOINING THE CLUB IS EASY

Affordable fee

Not affected by weather
Caters for all levels of fitness
Meeting new people

Membership advantages include the supply of equipment, established venue and coaching support.

Held every Thursday night from March 5th till end of September at 7pm in the Function room at the club.

For more information, call Nigel Parker 027 6883085

Debbie Viggers 021 1188471

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# Our Club's Team enjoyed the Summerset Outdoor Bowls Tournament

## RACING CLUB

Welcome to your Racing Adjunct.

The Adjunct was formed to cater for the TC members who enjoy the sport of Horse Racing. As we are now an official Adjunct we are eligible to sell raffles at the TC and raise funds for our events.

We have a working committee comprising: Jo Schinkel President, Jean Donnelly Sec/Treas. Peter Browne, Stu Nesbit, Tony Wall, Shirley MacLean.

Our first objective is to raise funds to subsidise all financial members to a race meeting in Hastings on June 27th 2020. The day includes transport to and from the racetrack, sumptuous lunch, 2 complimentary drinks, race book and entry fee to the member's stand plus other goodies and give a ways.

Depending on the success of this event the committee will be planning future events that could include Waipukurau Race Day Trip, special Melbourne Cup Day events at the TC and a Christmas Cheers Dinner.

We currently have 96 financial members and are looking for more...... our subs are \$10 per year..... contact one of the committee or ring Jean 8446213 or 0276750279.





ON SUNDAY 2ND FEBRUARY, A "HOT" ROUND OF GOLF MATCHED THE WEATHER ON THE DAY. DEN-WISE SIZZLED HOME WITH 47 STABLEFORD POINTS TO WIN THE JUNIOR DIVISION FROM DENNIS SMITH AND CLARK NICOL. IN THE SENIOR MEN'S DIVISION IAN GRAY DEFEATED KEVIN JUPP AND ROBERT LEAK AND DI DIXON WON THE WOMEN'S SECTION AHEAD OF JULIE INWOOD AND KATHY MOHI.

AT THE AGM ON THE 26TH FEBRUARY, KATHY MOHI WAS ELECTED ON TO THE COMMITTEE TO JOIN PRESIDENT DENYS CARPENTER, SECRETARY/TREASURER GERALD MCCARTHY AND COMMITTEE MEMBERS CLINT HANSEN, CHARLES CHRISTIE, WALTER BLATCHFORD AND DENNIS SMITH. SUBS REMAIN AT \$20 PER ANNUM FOR THIS SECTION.

NEXT GAME OF GOLF IS AN AWAY TRIP TO WAIPUKURAU 8AM SUNDAY 8TH MARCH THEN WE CHALLENGE THE 9-HOLERS TO A GAME ON SATURDAY 21ST MARCH AT AWATOTO PUBLIC COURSE AT 11AM TO CONTEST THE NORM BEATON MEMORIAL TROPHY.

NAPIER GOLF CLUB WILL HOST OUR GROUP ON SUNDAY 12TH
APRIL (EASTER SUNDAY) TEEING OFF AT 11AM.
SO WE ARE UNDERWAY IN FINE FASHION - ANYONE WHO
WANTS TO JOIN US OR WANTS MORE INFORMATION PLEASE
CONTACT DENYS CARPENTER BY EMAIL AT
DENWISE@XTRA.CO.NZ OR BY PHONE ON 027 443 9783



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