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2018

A WORD FROM OUR CHAIRMAN



Lloyd

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Club Upgrade

The major stage of our upgrade to make our Club more presentable, marketable as a function venue and the 'Family Friendly Social Hub' we aim it to be is now almost complete. Andre and his Management team are to be congratulated for their vision and drive in this much needed venture. I also reiterate, on behalf of our Committee and Members our most sincere thanks to those Members who have so willingly and generously given so much of their time and expertise in this venture. Your contribution has been huge and made the venture possible in such a short time, we all owe you a great BIG THANK YOU.

We now have a Club we can all be extremely proud of and totally comfortable about bringing our families and friends to for any occasion. I have received many positive comments from members as to how great our Club now looks. We have some more work planned including some furniture upgrading but this will be done over time as finances permit. The work to date is proving beneficial with utilisation of the Club greatly improved, function bookings much stronger than we have seen for many years and profitability moving in the right direction. Your Committee is happy to spend judiciously on further improvements so long as we can see the benefits ahead and we keep our financial position firmly under control.

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Unfortunately it has taken much longer than we envisaged to get the roof leak problem permanently fixed and subsequently the ceiling area between the Raffle selling station and the TAB area repaired. We have received some further roofing specialist advice recently which gives us confidence we can soon get this work completed within our budgeted expenditure for this project so look forward to tidying this area up. Part of our upgrade has included designing a new Club logo which you will see appearing on our signage, letterhead and promotional posters including our signage fronting the premises.

If you have not been to the Club for a while we strongly encourage you to come and have a look at what we have done, see how things have changed for the better and sample our new Restaurant menu. Better still bring some family members or friends, we are confident they will be impressed.

ENTERTAINMENT

In response to many members requests we now have regular entertainment in the Club, mainly on Saturday nights. We are trying to bring in a variety of entertainment to appeal to a wide range of our membership and at the same time trying to attract some younger participants.

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We encourage you all to look closely at our weekly ' What's On At The Club ' which is emailed out to all members we hold email addresses for, or on the promotional posters in the entrance hallway, and join the fun by attending those nights most suited to you.

DIRECTOR OF FINANCE

Our Director of Finance, Gerald McCarthy has signaled his intention to retire from the Committee in the first half of next year. We are trying to encourage Gerald to stay on until the 2019 AGM however he has unfortunately suffered some health setbacks recently and may need to step down earlier. Gerald has done a tremendous job in getting financial systems and procedures brought into the 21st century, financial controls and reporting implemented and our relationship with our lead Banker in better heart than it has been for a long time. We most sincerely thank him for being instrumental in getting our Club on a far more sound financial footing. We are looking for someone with Gerald's accountancy background to replace him in the New Year. The role can be filled without that person being a Committee member as the Committee has the right to appoint a DOF under our Constitution however we would be happy to have whoever is appointed put their name forward as a Committee member at the 2019 AGM if they so desire. If you are interested and want to help or can suggest someone who might have the right credentials please let me or a member of our Committee know. It certainly won't be the arduous task Gerald has had as he has done the hard work and he is also more than happy to offer guidance to his replacement. Kind Regards Lloyd

The Manager's Message

This month was a great month again. The club is looking better than ever, and we are nearing our completion of the club. All our major jobs are finally complete, and we are ready for the silly season.

Through October we have had numerous music nights and its been great to see the members enjoy every moment of it. We had a DL, a band, a singer and a Karaoke night. I would just like to say thank you to all for attending. I do believe now we are finding out exactly what works and what our members want.

The Jokers wild game is doing well, and everyone seems to be understanding it now and enjoying it. The members draw is also accumulating well and it is getting bigger each week. Our TAB area has been doing really well and very close to completion,

The Manager's Messagecontinued

we are just waiting for the roof to be completed, which should be sometime this month and then we can have the ceiling fixed in the TAB and have it completed.

We are gearing up for silly season and we have many new xmas bookings for this year, it is sure to be a good season with several good nights planned for our members. This month will see the first "Thanks giving" that the club will host, and we would like to invite ALL our members to a special night out on the 22 of November. We will also be hosting a Charity breakfast on the 25th to raise funds for a nominated charity and have a get together breakfast for all.

So let's make this a great November with lots of laughs and good times. My door is always open to suggestions and ways to make the club better and more enjoyable or just catch up with me during the week at the club.

Happy Dayz.

Andre

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OUTDOOR BOWLS

We're excited to host a FOLLOW UP SESSION for everyone who joined us for our fantastic Open Days on **Sunday, November 4th at 9am.**

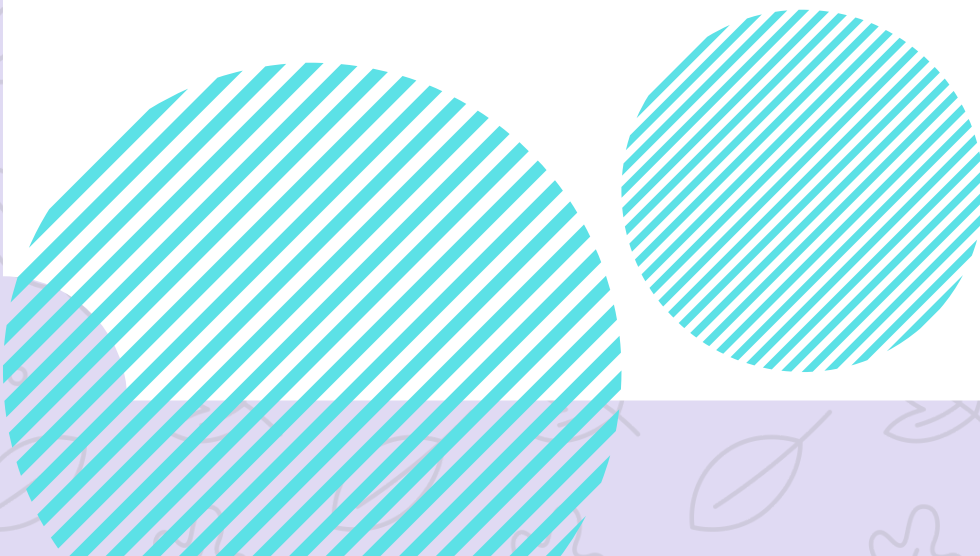
You are welcome to join us on the 4th even if you missed the Open Days.

Lyn Bowcock will be in touch with everyone who left contact details with us to organise practice games to get a feel for how the game is played. It'll be a fun game of pairs. Join us for a cuppa afterwards & we'll be happy to answer any questions you may have or help you join the adjunct. We missed getting details from a small number of attendees, so if anyone else would like to have a go, please ring Lyn on 844 6206, or simply turn up at 8:45 on the day.

OUTDOOR BOWLS

One of our friendly Club bowlers will help each group of four players to get started and answer any questions you have about how the game is played. There will be no coaching – that is available later on if required. Just a fun, friendly way to get the feel of playing our sport – hopefully the weather will be nice too!

Pairing up with a Buddy for future practice and to help you get used to the game will be open to you, and you can come to our regular roll-ups with your Buddy to enjoy the game with us and ease yourself into your new sport & hobby.

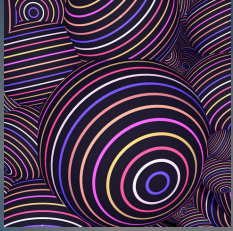


SOME PICTURES FROM OUR FUN OPEN DAYS...



**THANKS TO EVERYONE FOR
JOINING IN THE FUN**





9 HOLE GOLF



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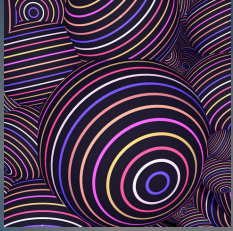
THIS MONTH AT TARADALE CLUB 9 HOLE

The next 9 Hole Club Day is on November 17th with a 9.45am tee off at Awatoto Golf Course.

The weather is good, the company is great so come out and have a hit and a catch up with fellow club members.

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.

We have an annual bus trip to Onga Onga and also a bus trip to Waipukurau in April 2019.



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9 HOLE GOLF

THIS MONTH AT TARADALE CLUB 9 HOLE

If you can'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 several free lunch shouts plus prize giving and Christmas Cheer meals at the Taradale Club every year.

8 BALL

pool news



We held our Club Champs Men's Singles Club Champs on Saturday Sept 29th and this was won by Tony Gempton. **Congratulations Tony.**

On Saturday 6th October our pool club visited the Taradale RSA and managed a victory against their pool team. It was a great day and great hospitality.

On Saturday 13th October we had an 18 member team travel to Tauranga to play the Tauranga Citizens Club 8 ball club. We had a **victory** and a **great day**, very hospitable and a great lunch was put on for us. Looking forward to going back there again.



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*The Team at
Tauranga
Citizens Club*



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*Tony Gempton
Men's Singles
Winner*

18 HOLE GOLF



*Our October
activities*

OUR NEWS THIS MONTH

Our STROKE PLAY CHAMPIONSHIPS for 2018 were held on a beautiful sunny Sunday on the 14th October at Maraenui Golf Course. 26 Section members participated, and we are pleased to report that our Club

Champions for 2018 are ...

SENIOR MENS CHAMPION Ed Geenty, runners up Bob
Hargreaves and Alan Hawes

JUNIOR MENS CHAMPION Clark Nicol, runners up Denys
Carpenter and Les Leathley

LADIES CHAPIONSHIPS Maureen Hansen, runners up Jo
Minchin and Ave Ferguson

Twos were carded by Alan Hawes on the 5th hole and Ed Geenty on the
11th hole.

Nearest To The Pins were recorded by Ian Toynbee on the 2nd green and
Ed Geenty on the 16th.

Ham raffles were won by Clark Nicol and Denwise. Those two members had a wonderful battle for the Junior Championships with the much more experienced and older Clark Nicol winning the bragging-rights on a count back against his much younger and more handsome opponent.

Our November Club Day is being held at Napier Golf Club; it's an easy appointment to remember because it's all the elevens - 11.00am on the 11th day of the 11th Month - see you all there!

Then we are starting to get excited about our Xmas Cheer, which is set for 2nd December. We will be returning to the Taradale Club for our Christmas Celebrations including a meal in our super new Restaurant!!

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The most important shot in golf is the next one

- Ben Hogan



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TUE
6
NOV

Melbourne Cup

\$35pp

Amazing Prizes
Sweepstakes
Racing Games
Prizes for Best Dressed
2 Big Screens
Welcome Drink
Delicious Lunch Spread
Dessert
Snacks

Book now! Limited seats available!



**18 HOLE
CLUB DAY**

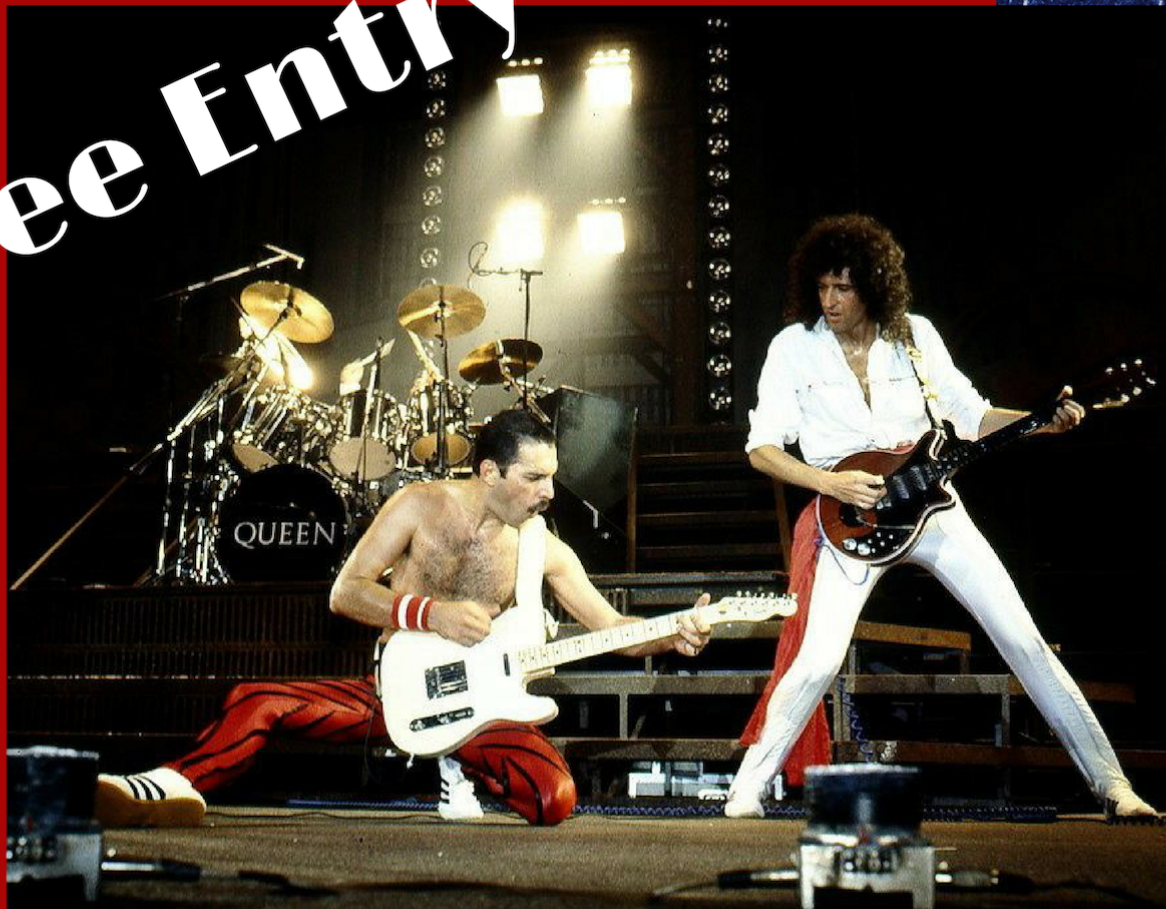
GOLF 18 HOLE

**SUNDAY 11 NOVEMBER
11AM TEE OFF
NAPIER GOLF CLUB**

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

DJ MIKE'S WE WILL ROCK YOU VOLUME 3

Free Entry



saturday 3
november
7pm

BOOK YOUR CHRISTMAS PARTY HERE



*Our Menu is also available
on our Website*

GRAB OUR AMAZING CHRISTMAS MENU FROM THE OFFICE OR THE BAR

9 BALL COMPETITION



Register

6.15pm – 6.45pm on the night

Start time 7pm

Entry Fee \$20

Comp Organiser Dean Garnett

Mobile 0211872036

FRI
9 NOV

CLUB KARAOKE NIGHT



Come show off
your skills and
join in the fun

Saturday 10 Nov



9 Hole Golf

Awatoto Golf Course

SATURDAY
17 NOVEMBER

9:45 tee off

Contact Laurie Hansen
06 845 4310

*Don't miss our last tournament
of the year!*

INDOOR BOWLS

7pm - 10pm

**SATURDAY 22
NOVEMBER**



TARADALE CLUB

BREAKFAST



CLUB

CHARITY EVENT

SUNDAY 25 NOV

9:30am

PLEASE CONTACT ANN FOR ANY ENQUIRIES
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Retro Lunch

\$15

Roast of the Day

- Beef or Pork -

3 Veg

Roasted Potatoes

Dessert

Coffee & Tea station

Tuesday 13 Nov & 27 Nov

What's on in November

- 1 Nov - Guinness Club
- 3 Nov - DJ Mike's We Will Rock You Vol 3
- 4 Nov - Bowls Open Days' Follow Up Day
- 6 Nov - Melbourne Cup Day
- 7 Nov - Cossie Wine Club
- 9 Nov - 9 Ball Competition
- 10 Nov - Club Karaoke Night
- 10 & 11 Nov - Open Pairs Pool Competition
- 11 Nov - 18 Hole Golf @ Napier Golf Club
- 11 Nov - Country Music Sunday
- 13 Nov - \$15 Retro Lunch
- 14 Nov - Friendship Club Morning Tea
- 15 Nov - Napier Wine Club
- 17 Nov - 9 Hole @ Awatoto Golf Club
- 22 Nov - Taradale Club Thanksgiving
- 22 Nov - Indoor Bowls
- 24 Nov - Club Karaoke Night
- 25 Nov - Breakfast Club Charity Breakfast
- 26 Nov - Over 60s Christmas Lunch
- 27 Nov - \$15 Retro Lunch
- 28 Nov - Travel Club Christmas Lunch