

FEBRUARY

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OPERATIONS

December was a huge month for the Club and without delving into our financial history, we believe our turnover for the month set a new monthly record by a comfortable margin. Our year to date net profit for the nine months to end December is 400% and turnover 24% ahead of the comparative period last year. This is very pleasing to report and the net profit could have been even better if we had not taken to account some considerable repairs and maintenance, development and promotional costs. Some of the costs are attributable to our enhancing of the Club as a function venue, so could be rightfully deemed an investment for the future. Much of the repairs and maintenance costs are however attributable to the age of our building, plant and equipment. It is comforting that we are now trading sufficiently well, to not only pay our creditors on time and cover all our operating costs but also able to meet repairs and maintenance costs as they occur.

Our ability to host more functions has, as we thought, been boosted greatly by having the Weka Room (previously Bridge Room) available. Between mid October and end December, we have hosted 16 functions in this room. Having the room available has enabled us to more vigorously market the Club as a function venue. This room is proving popular as it is seen as separate to the rest of the Club.

WORD FROM OUR

We need to consolidate on the tremendous gains made this financial year. The 2020/21 Budget will be driven by us doing just that and continuing to provide for further upgrading whilst meeting all essential operating costs and delivering a satisfactory net profit.

SALE OF OLD COURTESY VAN

Your Committee has approved the sale of our old Courtesy Van, to our Operations Manager, on as "as is where is "basis, at market value. Andre has agreed to make the vehicle available as a Club runabout whilst at the Club, for odd tasks where we prefer not to use our new Van. Whilst it stays "alive "it can also be used as an additional courtesy van during busy periods.

CONDOLENCES BOARD

At the suggestion of one of our members (thank you Maria) we now have a Condolences Board, where members names, who have passed away can be shown for a few days. This will enable other members to see who our Flag is flying at half mast in honour of.

This notice-board is located on the inside of the Office glass partition, in the foyer.

It would be a big help if members can advise our Office Manager, Mary, of any members passing, they become aware of, so we can acknowledge these accordingly.

Regards to All

THE MANAGER'S MESSAGE

WELCOME FEBRUARY, WE HAD A VERY
INTERESTING JANUARY AND IT GAVE
SOME STAFF MUCH NEEDED TIME AWAY
AND GAVE US CHANCE TO LOOK AT THE
CLUB AND GIVE THE CLUB A BREAK,
WHICH SHE NEEDED.
WE STARTED OFF FEB WITH A BANG
AND WELCOMING ALL THE CAMPERS FOR
THE CONCERTS AND GIVING THEM A
CHANCE TO ENJOY OUR LITTLE
BEAUTIFUL CLUB AND GREAT
HOSPITALITY.

THIS YEAR WE ARE PLANNING SOME SERIOUSLY COOL THINGS, FROM BEER FESTIVALS TO TRIBUTE BANDS (FIRST ONE BEING STONES), TO GREAT CLUB DAYS, BARBIES ETC ETC ETC AND WE WOULD LIKE YOU ALL TO ATTEND WHEN POSSIBLE. WE WILL ALSO BE REACHING OUR 1-YEAR ANNIVERSARY FOR OUR FOOD AND WINE AND THAT IS GOING TO BE A CRACKER. IF YOU HAVEN'T JOINED US FOR ONE YET, THEN PLEASE BOOK IN AND GET READY FOR AN EXCELLENT NIGHT.

THE MANAGER'S MESSAGE

WE WILL ALSO BE PUTTING UP A CLOCK FOR THE VAN DRIVER, THAT WAY HE/SHE WILL SET CLOCK FOR OUT GOING TRIPS AND HOW LONG THEY WILL BE OUT. PLEASE, AS YOU KNOW THE VAN IS A COURTESY VAN AND WE DON'T CHARGE FOR THE SERVICE, SO PLEASE ALLOW US TO TAKE AS MANY PEOPLE AS POSSIBLE AT ONCE TO SAVE COSTS AND TRAVEL FOR THE CLUB RATHER THAN WANTING A SOLO RIDE.

WE WILL BE LAUNCHING OUR NEW AND IMPROVED RESTAURANT AND RESTAURANT MENU AT THE END OF FEBRUARY AND THIS WILL HOPEFULLY SATISFY EVERYONE'S TASTES. I KNOW WE HAVE HAD SOME HIT AND MISSES WITH THE FOOD AND SERVICE, BUT I WOULD LIKE TO FIRSTLY APOLOGISE FOR THIS AND SAY WE WILL DO BETTER. WE APPRECIATE THE FEEDBACK AND WILL ALWAYS STRIVE TO BE BETTER. THANK YOU ONCE AGAIN FOR BEING ON THIS JOURNEY WITH US AND LET'S MAKE 2020 THE BEST IT CAN BE AND HAVE AS MUCH FUN AS WE CAN.

THINKING OF JOINING ONE OF OUR SUB-CLUBS?

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GREENDALE SERVICES

Greendale Services Association Inc.

Feedback we have received indicates that the general Taradale Club membership does not know who may join us; also what we actually do.

Who are we:

We are a group of both military veterans plus also community minded groups and members.

Traditionally there are a large number of 'forgotten' community groups and services that need to be recognized; we have ensured that our Constitution includes these Groups:



- Ø Returned and Services Membership: NZ Defence Force; plus Commonwealth of Nations; plus persons who has served with the Commonwealth of Nations at the time of their service
- Ø Merchant Navy of New Zealand and Commonwealth countries at time of their service
- Ø Police Force of New Zealand: past & serving members;
- Ø Police Force of other Commonwealth Nations
- Ø Fire & Emergency New Zealand
- Ø New Zealand Customs Service
- Ø St John Ambulance New Zealand
- Ø Corrections Department of New Zealand
- Department of Conservation New Zealand
- Ø New Zealand Customs Service
- Ø New Zealand Cadet Forces
- Patriot Members: For those that do not qualify for the above categories. They have the same rights and privileges of membership as apply to Returned and Services members, and include:
- o The Spouse/partner of a current Returned and Services member or the surviving spouse/partner of a deceased Returned and Services member;
- o Children or grandchildren of a Returned and Services member; or
- o Persons not otherwise entitled as above may be admitted as a Patriot Member where they affirm a commitment to the Spirit of Anzac and are willing to assist the Association in its maintenance and advancement.

Please note, with one exception for persons residing over 25km from the Taradale Club, and do not use the facilities on a regular basis, ALL of our members MUST be a Financial Member of the Taradale Club; the former do not get issued Taradale Club membership whereas the remainder have to be full financial members and go through the same process. Membership: Greendale Services Association \$20 yearly, plus if you are not a Taradale Club member, \$40. Other Taradale Club membership categories such as family are available; please speak to the Taradale Club Office for details. Note that our income is derived purely from Donations, Grants, Bequests, and raffles.

GREENDALE SERVICES

The Taradale Club membership application has to be approved by the Taradale Club Executive, plus also the Greendale Services Association Inc. Committee

What do we do? In additional to maintaining the Spirit of ANZAC, a major role is providing Welfare and Support not only to our members, but incorporates the Taradale Club members as well. Whilst we would prefer you to join the Greendale Services Association, you do not have to do this in order to obtain assistance. This assistance can be: loan of mobility equipment for either a small fee - if financially you are able; assistance with bureaucracy in completing the numerous forms; helping you with direction to other agencies that can assist you; arranging heavily discounted firewood and carpet clearing. We do not receive any money from these and if you are able, a small donation would be gratefully received. These monies are used to fund assistance to all that we can...



Some of you may qualify for having the following services paid for by WINZ or Veteran Affairs:

Podiatry discounted services by a professional – either at your home or at the Taradale Club. Lawns, house windows, house washing, gardening:

Mobility issues? Greendale Services Association has three Mobility Scooters, 1 x walkers, 1 set of crutches & walking sticks available for your use plus some other mobility aids. If you have any sitting at home and not being used, please either donate or loan them to us so that they can be used by people in need.

Fuel Discount Scheme: We have investigated substantial discount on petrol and diesel at a providers that will save you money. The way it will be structured that in addition to your discount, the Greendale Services Association will receive a further 1 c a letter into the Greendale Services Trust Account that will be dedicated purely to welfare support of our members and the community. We are just awaiting the Trust to be established: watch this space...

I have tried to keep this brief but to let you know what the Greendale Services Association is about, this is not possible. If you wish, we can come and address your interest group to fully explain all that we offer.

Greendale Services Association THE
GREENDALE SERVICES ASSOCIATION TRUST
FUND is in the process of being established.
This is completely separate to the Greendale
Services Association. Through this entity,
assistance can be requested. Once established,
the Trust Deed will be available for all who wish
to view it.

Thank you..The Greendale Services Association wishes to thank the Taradale Club Management Committee and staff, plus the Taradale Club membership for their support in us coming to the Taradale Club. We are certainly building our membership and you will see as the months & years progress that we are 'people helping people' which of course means you, the Taradale Club members. If there is anything you need a hand with, simply ask and we will see if we can help.

GREENDALE SERVICES UPDATE

One of the most important events we all share and participate in as a Nation each year is ANZAC Day. This commemoration is not about glorifying war. It is about reminding us of the dreadful cost, of the sacrifices made by too many, for our peace and freedoms. But importantly for us veterans it is also about educating the young people in 'Our Village' in the hope that they will not suffer as previous generations have

As part of this 'education', each year the Services Association hosts The Schools' 'Spirit of Anzac' Speech Competition. Again this year all schools in the wider Taradale District have again been invited to participate. The finals will be held at the Taradale Club on 27 March, timings to be confirmed. There are 4 grades – Years 5/6, Years 7/8, Years 9/10, and Years 11/12/13.

We invite and encourage members of the Taradale Club to attend this event and see the future leaders of our community in action. Without any doubt 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.

And isn't it great to see the War Memorial Building on the Marine Parade restored to its rightful name and place in our community. Members of the Association have been among those fighting for this wrong to be righted, and well done to Mayor Kirsten for ensuring this was fixed. Kirsten and Neil are of course also proud members of the Taradale Club and of our Association. But the work is not finished. We need to see a memorial in place that will provide for remembrance, education, and which honours those whose names it bears.

And next time you visit the Taradale Cemetery note the white crosses and the Totara trees planted next to them. This is NOT the work of the RSA This is a Services Association project with help from Tu Uru Rakau (Forestry) and the NCC. Each of the 47 trees represents one of the WWI fallen from our District, with one for the Unknown Warrior. Our members water and care for the trees almost daily and within 18 months will add trees for our fallen heroes from WW2 and other conflicts.

The Services Association is very much Club and community oriented and you don't have to be ex military to join. If you want to help build your community then we would welcome you as a member.



WOULD YOU LIKE TO THROW SOME DARTS AT THE CLUB EITHER ON A SOCIAL OR COMPETITIVE BASIS IN 2020?

IF SO, WE ARE HAVING A CATCH UP AT THE CLUB ON SUNDAY FEBRUARY 9TH AT 3PM TO TALK ABOUT OUR 2020 PLANS. ALL EXISTING AND PROSPECTIVE PLAYERS, COMPETITIVE, SOCIAL OR OTHERWISE ARE INVITED TO ATTEND AND HEAR ABOUT LEAGUE TEAMS, A WEEKLY DARTS DASH, OUR HOME AND AWAY TRIPS FOR THE YEAR AND THE CLUB CHAMPS EVENTS.

LAST YEAR WE FIELDED 2 TEAMS IN THE SOCIAL TUESDAY NIGHT TARADALE DISTRICTS DARTS LEAGUE AND WE WOULD LIKE TO ADD MORE FOR 2020. WE ARE KEEN TO HEAR FROM ANY INDIVIDUAL OR GROUPS OF PLAYERS THAT WOULD LIKE TO BE PART OF A TEAM WITH THE SEASON KICKING OFF IN LATE MARCH. IF TUESDAY NIGHTS DON'T SUIT THERE MAY BE OTHER SOCIAL OPTIONS AVAILABLE AS WE LOOK TO ENTER IN OTHER COMPETITIONS.

IF YOU HAVE ANY QUERIES THE ADJUNCT CAN BE CONTACTED VIA EMAIL BRIAN@DARTS.NZ OR MOBILE 0272089206 OR LOOK US UP ON OUR FACEBOOK PAGE - TARADALE FLIGHT CLUB.

GOLF 9 HOLE

CLUB DAY JANUARY 25TH SAW A GOOD TURNOUT OF MEMBERS AT AWATOTO FOR 9 HOLES OF STABLEFORD PLAY FOLLOWED BY LUNCH AND PRIZE GIVING. WINNERS WERE: MEN - GARY TAYLOR 27 POINTS, WOMEN - DEBUT MEMBER JUDY JACKSON 22 POINTS.

ON THE ROAD AGAIN: FEB. 29TH WE HEAD OFF TO ONGA ONGA FOR OUR ANNUAL GOLF TRIP WHERE ADJUNCT MEMBERS CAN ENJOY SMOKO, PLAY 9 HOLES OF GOLF, EAT A DELICIOUS LUNCH AND BE A WINNER AT THE PRIZE GIVING AND RAFFLE DRAWS...... ALL FOR \$25!!!!!! WHAT GREAT DAY OUT FOR \$25. IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO JOIN US 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.

ADJUNCT MEMBERS WHO HAVE NOT REGISTERED YET CONTACT LAURIE 8454310 TODAY..... SEATS ARE LIMITED!





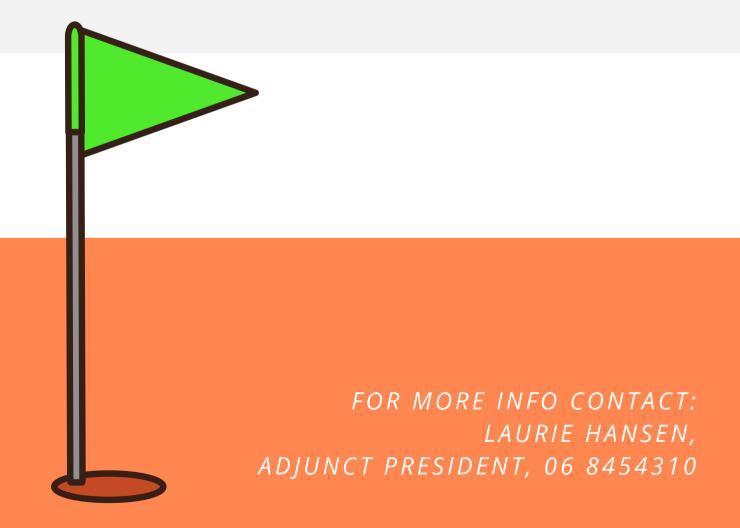
ALL ABOARD THE
'FLASH BUS'
FOR A GREAT DAY AT ONGA ONGA

GOLF 9 HOLE

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. (OR ON OUR ONGA ONGA AND WAIPUKURAU BUS TRIPS).

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.



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CHAMPIONS FOUR HELEN BLICK (LEFT, CARLTON CORNWALL, AUCKLAND), LOUISE FITNESS (BOWLS TARADALE), ALISION RENNIE (CARLTON CORNWALL) AND SKIP REEN STRATFORD (ARAMOHO, WHANGANUI)

TARADALE LINCHPIN LOUISE FITNESS
HELPS CLAIM TAURANGA FOURS
CROWN

KEEN TO PLAY DARTS?



COME FIND OUT WHAT OUR DARTS CLUB
IS ALL ABOUT AND ALL THE EXCITING
COMPETITIONS & PLANS FOR 2020!
EVERYBODY'S WELCOME!

9 FEBRUARY 3PM

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ROCK | CIDER | BEER Over 15 breweries, cider producers & food trucks www.beer-a-palooza.com

WWW.DEET-a-palooza.com
Naked Gun & Pulse Live I Free Supervised Kids
Area for children up to 12 years old

\$25 early bird ticket - available at the bar, office & on Eventfinda

A DAY AT THE RACES

Racing Club

John US Golongership \$10 Membership

CONTACT JEAN WITH ANY QUESTIONS & TO JOIN JEANIE.D@XTRA.CO.NZ

Race Day 27 June 2020



Surfcasters & Boaties

everybody is welcome!

Cash Prizes, Trophies & Meals

\$10 to join

T's & C's apply

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TARADALE CLUB FISHING







WHAT DO YOU CALL
WHAT DO YOU CALL
ARGEST BIRD IN
A GROUP OF
LIAMAS!
THE WORLD?



QUIZ NIGHT 6:30PM WEDNESDAY 27 NOV Tike

ROLLING STONES TRIBUTE BAND



EROMANTAUGAR

7.30 SAT 21ST MARCH TICKETS FROM CLUB OFFICE & BAR

OR ONLINE @ EVENTFINDA

VAN DRIVER'S MOBILE 021 0231 5991



PHONE OR TEXT TO BOOK PICKUPS
THU 4 - CLOSE
FRI 4 - CLOSE
SAT 4 - CLOSE

OUTSIDE THESE HOURS OR FOR ANY OTHER QUERIES, PLEASE PHONE 8442088