

Here we go, lots happening and lots to tell you so let's just crack into it.

MESSAGE FROM THE MEN'S AND WOMEN'S CLUB CAPTAINS.

Regarding Club Championships on Saturday and Sunday, and the following Matchplay.

For those playing in the Club Champs, please note changes to the local rules:

'Alternative to stroke & distance for lost ball or out of bounds – IS NOT AVAILABLE TO PLAYERS DURING THE CLUB CHAMPS

Rule 18 – Stroke & Distance Relief – must be played.

TEMPORARY LOCAL RULE:

Bunker construction on Hole no 7, now classified as a 'NO PLAY ZONE' ,
player must take relief as per Rule 17.1 (Drop within one club length of the nearest point of relief)

Jack Lawson will be available by phone for rulings: 02102625386

Good Luck everyone

Management Committee Updates:

The Club Survey results and members comments are now up on the notice board in the club house.

The Management Committee will be posting responses to the survey questions in about 10 days' time, after their next scheduled monthly meeting.

Thank you to everyone who took the time to complete the survey, we had 145 responses, which is outstanding.

We have also started a SWOT (*strengths, weaknesses, opportunities, threats*) and PEST (*political, economic, social, technological*) analysis, to help us prepare a strategic plan for the longer term. This is a very long process which will take several months to complete. We will use feedback from the survey to help us complete the SWOT analysis, but we will also be giving members the opportunity to contribute to our SWOT questions - No not another online survey!

(You will be able to provide answers to our SWOT questions by writing your comments on a sticky note and then place on the notice board, watch out for this coming soon.....)

Congratulations to Miro Cooper who was seconded onto the Management Committee last month.

We are in the last month of our financial year (31st August), and next month we will let you know how we are tracking. The final accounts will be available at the AGM in

November. In other preparations for the AGM we are reviewing our Club Constitution to ensure it is still fit for purpose.

We have started the process of looking for a new club caterer. If you know of any interested person for the catering contract, please talk to Julia Jacobsen.

We are undertaking a review of our green fee special offers, and options for Youth memberships.

The current new to golf deal, (\$350 + levies) will end this month. This will be replaced in September with a revised deal = 50% off Full Membership and 1 free coaching lesson. Thank you to Kris for providing this lesson free to support new players.

A concession card option has just been introduced. These concession cards are \$375 for 10 rounds (18 holes) or 20 rounds (9 holes) and can be purchased from the Pro Shop.

Please talk to anyone on the Management Committee with your ideas, you will find the names of committee members printed in the front of your club programme book, and the phone numbers in the back of the programme book.

Please take note:

Sunday 9th is a scheduled power outage day. It is expected to be off from 9.00am to 2.00pm. Please let your Club Captains know if you are playing in the Champs on Sunday so they can get your cards printed before the power goes off.

On Monday 10th August, we are expecting 136 BOP Veterans playing to course, so will be a busy day. They are teeing off multiple tees from 10.00am, so the course will be very full all day.

Thanks to everyone who responded about their membership preference for next year. Please make sure you check that your repayments will cover the cover of your sub for the following year, as they system is VERY date sensitive, and it doesn't take much for it to say you can't print a card.

I've been busy checking the dates on your details and making sure that it all tallies up so this doesn't happen.

The same will apply once subs invoices have gone out in September. You have 60 days to start payments or pay it off before it deems you 'unfinancial' Bit embarrassing to have this happen when there are folk behind you waiting to print a card.

Let me know how you are organising your payments (eg weekly, fortnightly etc) and I will 'tell' the system.

As agreed at the AGM last year, all subscription rates except Juniors will increase by \$20. Pretty good value for money I reckon.

MILITARY WIVES - MOVIE NIGHT

Monday 10th August - tickets are sold out. If you have one you can't sell or don't need, please let us know as there is a waiting list of people wanting to go.

Remember - doors open at 6.45pm for refreshments, and the movie starts at

7.30pm.

RESULTS FROM THIS WEEK:

SUNDAY 02/08/2020

HELLOWORLD SOCIAL DAY

Men: J Jones 41, C Bluett 37, P Gundersen 36, R Barker 36, A Rhodes 35, J Needham 34, W Aldridge 34, J Dippie 33, D Moore 33, R Corbett 32

Ladies: B Cameron-Wetzell 42, I Hendrickson 38, K Swanson 38, M Johnston 37, S Bendickson 37, R McMullan 37, C Barker 36, S McLaverty 36, J Jacobsen 35, M Aldridge 35

Nearest the Pin: Men - J Spring, R Barker, , Ladies - A Hay

Longest Putt - J Shaw

Two's: C Barker, B Holmes, A Rhodes, J Spring

Lucky Draw entries: B Cameron-Wetzell, B Jones, M Johnston, P Gundersen, S Bendickson, P Hay, W Aldridge, J Bettelheim

TUESDAY 04/08/2020

9H Ladies

Stableford: L May 20, C Gee 20, J Mahoney 20

9H Men:

B Gallacher 22, G Pogan 20, I Bentley 19

Strokeplay Winner: P Patterson

Best Putter: B Gallacher

Longest Drive: I Bentley

Nearest the Pin: B Ogilvy

Longest Putt: B Gallacher

WEDNESDAY 05/08/2020

Sat Ladies - Nett - B Holmes 73, A Volmuller 73, J Shaw 73, P Lawson 75, A Kerekere 75

Wed Ladies - Nett - A Hay 68, K Swanson 68, M Taia 71, T Eilbeck 71, B Anderson 71, M Aldridge 71, C Balderstone 71, B Perkinson 71, C Barker 72, S McLaverty 74, M Hanright 75

Bin Inn Nearest the Pin: J Ingle

McLaverty's Longest Putt: T Eilbeck

Hi-Way Tyres and Mechanical Two's: A Hay, K Swanson, C Balderstone, S Bendickson (2)

Hall & Harper Most Golf: J Carney

THURSDAY 06/08/2020

J Needham 42, M Geor 40, B Bain 39, B Thompson 39, P Williams 39, J Cole 39, L Eilbeck 39, G Geerlings 39, T Jones 38, B Foster 37, I McGougan 37, M Badger 37, J Jones 36, J Ferrier 36, D McEwan 36, T Adamson 36, L Ramsay 36, G Dickey 36

Hobson Wealth Nearest the Pin on 18th: D Gardner

Kope Pharmacy & Post Shop Nearest the Pin on 9: J Jones

Gundersen Best Gross: D McEwan

Ruegg's Most Golf: G Sullivan

Hidden Hole: C Hahipene, P Cook, G Dickey

Two's: H Hudson, D McEwan, M Badger, P Williams, T Ellis, L Eilbeck

COMING UP:

Sat 8 th	MEN	Club Champs Strokeplay 2 nd round
	LADIES	Club Champs Strokeplay 2 nd round, Booth Gin Trophy
Sun 9 th	MEN	Club Champs Strokeplay round 3
	LADIES	Club Champs Strokeplay round 3
Mon 10 th	VETS	BOP Vets at Whakatane
Tues 11 th	9H Ladies	Fun Day

	VETS	Matchplay
	9H Men	Matchplay
Wed 12 th	9H & 18H	
	LADIES	Joyce Mahy Memorial Tournament
Thurs 13 th	MEN	Thursday Men's Day
		Bayley's Men's Teams Day
Sat 15 th	MEN	Matchplay 1 st round
	LADIES	Matchplay 1 st round

Couple of 'niggly' things that keep rearing their ugly heads, so please take note and let's stop these happening.

- * Trundler/cart shed doors being left open - please think about others and their stuff and make sure these doors are closed when you leave.
- * Moving or interfering with some-one else's trundler and gear - THIS IS A NO!
- * Rubbish bins - sort these please - yellow top bins are not for glass, and recycle bins are not for cans or paper. Small things, but saves some-one having to sort through your rubbish.
- * For a smoke free course there sure are a lot of butts lying around.
- * And everyone favorites - pitch marks and divots' We are beginning preparation for a couple of major tournaments and your help with these two would be greatly appreciated.

Speaking of major tournaments:

BAY OF PLENTY MASTERS

This is being held on September 5 & 6, 2020 and is used as a Bay of Plenty Masters team trial. There are two division: 40-54 years, and 55+. It is \$80 for the two days (and this includes food after day one play) Entry forms are in the office, and entries close on 28 August.

NORTH ISLAND STROKEPLAY AND BAY OF PLENTY OPEN: Sept 16-20, 2020

This is actually two tournament in one, the NI Strokeplay is a NZ Golf Tournament that we host, and the Bay Open is our tournament that we have run for over 60 years. (Both these tournament count for NZ Golf Order of Merit rankings)

This is a biggie for the Club and it attracts the top amateur golfers in New Zealand. Last year there were 104 entrants and there was some outstanding golf played over the three days.

The format of the 5 days is as follows:

Wednesday - Practice Day

Thursday - Sponsors Day

Friday and Saturday - one round of golf then a 'cut' is made

Sunday - two rounds of golf before winners announced.

Sponsors Day - local business sponsor a team of three to play with day, and they are allocated one of the tournament players to make up their four, the day starts with a bbq, then it is a best 3 of 4 stableford competition, and prizegiving to follow. It is a great day, and team numbers are limited. We have lots of businesses that play every year, so if you want to get a team in, let me know smartly, so you won't be disappointed.

Volunteers before and during this tournament -

This is a all hands on deck tournament, as the preparation of the course is impressive, and there are lots of little jobs that get done that we look to you do help us with, be it painting out of bounds lines, helping with registration, offering your trundler for use, being a spotter or starter or all of the aforementioned, it is a heap of fun, and you get to see some of the best golfers at the same time. If you know you can help, please let me know and I will pass it on to the appropriate person.

Well, I sat here waiting for the thunderstorm they said we were getting this afternoon, but instead got to watch it pass around us and head to town. We have our own little micro-climate out here, and that's another thing that just makes us special. Have a great weekend folks, good luck with the Club Champs and I'll see some of you on Sunday.

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New Anti-Money Laundering (AML) legislation requires that all real estate operators seek more information
from clients relating to their identity and source of funds. This is to help prevent money from being used to pay