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PRESIDENT'S PEN

We are nearing the start of winter which traditionally creates it challenges on course for maintaining those usually high standards. It was great to see the 59ers kick off yesterday the use of "Placing through the general area" which is really all about making golf more enjoyable for the individual in what can be wet and muddy conditions. This playing condition is in play for our lady members and is something that will be looked at wider for men after the club championships have been completed. I'm confident that if you have played golf in the last week, you would have noticed some much-improved rough standards, I'm comfortable in that statement as the feedback has been overwhelmingly positive, great work Todd for your diligence in mowing of the rough. Unfortunately, the weather did not allow the front fence to be fully painted last week, a massive thank you in advance to Wayne Jones who has offered to get this finished. We are counting down the days to all finals day which will be a great spectacle, I am inviting our sponsors down for the day for a meal and a drink and to say thank you for their support, if you're not playing a match it would be great to see a good turnout in the clubrooms to really show these sponsors what we are all about.

Clive Porter

LADIES CLUB CAPTAIN UPDATE

It was great to see a return of some missing identities back at golf today. Such a shame it rained for a short period of time, as it came out beautiful and hot again after the rain. Shout out this week to Monica Hughes and Denise McGregor for cutting the agapanthus heads off along the roadside. The gardeners in the club appreciate your help. **18 Holes** - Competition chosen today to win a golf ball was vetts putting- a great low score of 28 went to Denise McGregor. No twos - drawn Janey (our visitor from Rotorua), Debb, Trudy and Sandy S. Accuracy - well done Gwyneth on the 18th. Next week's competition is Barclay 4 and Vetts putting 4. **9 Holes** - Chip in today went to Karen on the 3rd. Awesome Karen. Accuracy went to Manu on the 9th. Competition next week is Robinson 4. Putting. Our weekend pennant team is now sitting 3rd. The finals of the midweek pennant was played on Monday at Te Ngutu - congratulations to Manaia over Inglewood. 9 Hole team are to play at Manukorihi. Good luck to those playing in the Kings and Queens Ambrose on Monday. there are spaces still available if you want to put your name forward. You don't have to put in a team, we can put you into a team. Mass start at 10am Assemble at 930. \$20pp- (60 a team). Good golfing.

Lynne Newell

QUIZ NIGHT UPDATE

As we drive the golf club forward it is vital that as an executive, we look for new ways to provide income for us to carry out these planned works. When we can involve our wider membership base in these events it gives us the best shot at success. Quiz night entries as they stand are low, so low in fact unless we get some more in over the next few hours that it will not go ahead. It is these events that we rely on member support so please if your able to get a team for tonight then let Robert know on 0272712099.

Clive Porter

TEE BOOKING & GOLF NZ APP

Using the Tee Booking app to book your Saturday tee time is a great way to ensure you are not delayed when you turn up. It also allows for better catering planning on Saturdays ensuring those last in are not disappointed. If you need help to login or use the app, please see Robert. Did you know that from within the Golf NZ App you can access your playing handicap for any course in New Zealand. From the "More" menu click on the "WHS Playing Handicap Calculator" button and have a play from there. For any questions or help with the website or the app please just catch up with Robert in the shop.

KINGS & QUEENS AMBROSE TOURNAMENT

Check out the details below for this new tournament on the calendar. It would be great to have a good contingent of Te Ngutu members for this to help make it a success. No team? No problem, just turn up on the day and we can make some teams up. Any questions or to enter please chat to Robert.

59ERS RESULTS

Players yesterday were greeted with 4 seasons in one day. S Caithness and D Cathie both with 40 points took out top spot yesterday. G Kennedy (39), F Kersten and G McGregor (38) and W Jones (37) also had good days. P Tamou, D Bunker, B Inglis, F Bunker and M West all had 36 points. Two's were scored by M West (4th) and P Bayley (16th). A Langton was closest to the pin on the 2nd, M West on the 4th and D Cathie on 11. Raffle money was taken home by M Reynolds, R Hansen and J Hockly with T Jones picking up the wooden spoon for the week.

Kevin Fare

COURSE UPDATE – CART USE

It is really wet in some spots on the course, so I urge all uses of carts to drive with extreme caution and to please avoid driving over tee's, near fringes and bunkers and to be careful around slopes. You would have noticed that there are now barriers in place preventing carts to go down the hill of the 11th and carts can not be taken back to the 12th tee.

Ben Board

MENS CLUB CAPTAIN UPDATE

We have just two planned matches tomorrow and then all our finals day matches will be confirmed. Good luck to those playing matches tomorrow. We have a full house for top dog with 32 teams entered. The draw is complete and will be available in the coming days in the mens change room. I'm looking forward to a exciting all finals day, hope to see many of you there.

Matt Kelbrick

RECIPROCAL RIGHTS -> OTAKI GOLF CLUB

I am pleased to report that reciprocal rights have now been agreed with Otaki Golf Club. This allows financial full playing members to play up to 2 times a week at this course. If you're planning a trip to or past Otaki it would be great to book in a round and let them know you're from Te Ngutu. As always please phone ahead to check tee times.

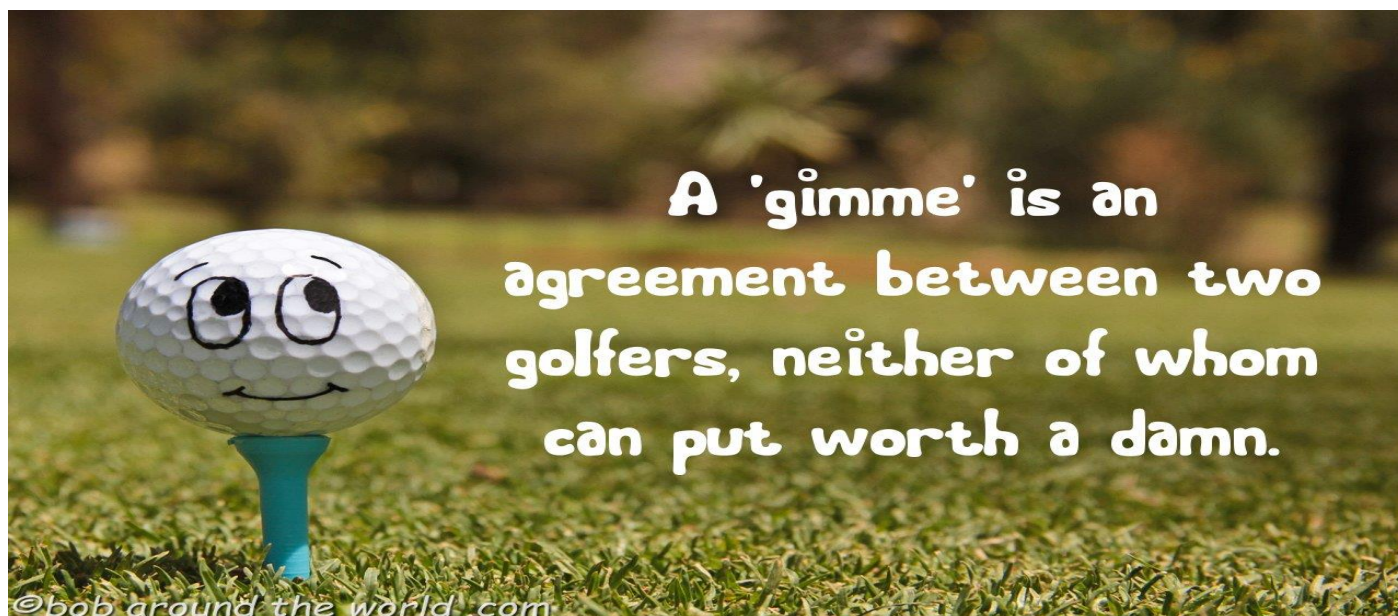
GOLFSHOP UPDATE WITH THE GOLFZONE

Dave Bunker with a net 71 lead the field last week in the net haggle. Colin Hughes and Neil Yeoman were not far behind with a net 72. The rest of the haggle winners are below, Frank Bunker and Matt Kelbrick missing out on countback for a prize. The jackpot was not struck last week so currently sits at \$44. Tomorrow with only a couple of matches taking place will be hidden pairs. The normal \$10 entry fee applies, and your partner will be randomly drawn while your out on the course. You won't know who it is until both players have entered their scores and your results appear on the leaderboard. The competition being played tomorrow is Russian Roulette, in this competition, a team of 2 players have their Stableford scores multiplied together for each hole. For example, Bob and John score a 2 and a 2 on the first; this will make their combined score a 4. However, if Bob had a 0, this would make their combined score 0 even if John played well.

Robert Larsen

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| <p>TNGC Haggle Results – 27th May</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">1. Dave Bunker2. Colin Hughes3. Neil Yeoman4. Graeme McGregor5. Nathan Ropia | <p>TNGC Haggle Results – 27th May</p> <p>Nearest To The Pins</p> <p>4th – Paki Tamou</p> <p>11th – Ethan Arbuckle</p> |
| <p>TNGC Haggle Results – 27th May</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none">6. Graeme Bloor7. Murray Armstrong8. Tony Careswell9. Greg Lloyd10. Kuka Ropiha | <p>TNGC Haggle Results – 27th May</p> <p>Two's</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Glenn Moriarty• Mat Cleaver• Ethan Arbuckle |

GOLF FUNNY FOR THE WEEK





Eagles Golfing Society of Taranaki and Centuria

presents the

South Taranaki Halberg Golf Tournament

Sunday, 18th June, 2023

at the Manaia Golf Club

Individual Stableford Competition.

Two Men's, one Ladies Division.

Entry Fee is \$30 per player including two's

All funds raised on the day go to the Halberg Foundation,
and are used to assist disabled people in Taranaki to
participate in the sport of their choice.

Assemble from 9.20am, Tee times from 10.00am to 12.00pm.

Email your entries to Greg Elliott - phone 021 458 705,
or Stewart Robinson - phone 027 311 9656

You can pay your entry fee online to the
Eagles account number - 15-3947-0347596-000

Use your Initial, Surname and ST Halberg as reference.

Any donations to the same account would be gratefully received.

Entries close Monday 12th June 2023

Your support would be very much appreciated.



KINGS & QUEENS AMBROSE TOURNAMENT

Te Ngutu Golf Club

Monday 5th June 2023

Assemble 9.30

for Shotgun Start @ 10.00am

ENTRY FEE \$60-00

Per Team of Three players

Golfers & Non- Golfers welcome –

TEAMS MUST HAVE AT LEAST

1 Man and 1 Lady in each team)

ENTRIES TO:

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