









TE NGUTU GOLF CLUB 246 Katene Road, Normanby Phone 06 272 8039 "The best kept secret in golf" www.tengutugolf.co.nz office@tengutugolf.co.nz

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PRESIDENT'S PEN

The weather has been superb and there has been a noticeable increase in the number of members and visitors using the course, its great to see. If you have not already noticed but the honours boards inside the clubrooms are now up to date. It's great to have the history back on display. Every day the greens continue to recover from coring, remembering that coring is a necessary task and really is all about short term pain for long term gain. The field tomorrow looks pretty full from 9:30am and after, looks like we are all going to be taking in the first All Blacks Rugby World Cup match. Good luck to the All Blacks and good luck to everyone teeing off over the weekend.

Clive Porter

ALL BLACKS VS FRANCE LIVE IN THE CLUB ROOMS

Anyone wanting to watch the game tomorrow morning, the club rooms will be open from 7am to do so. If you need to pop down at half time, finish watching the game and make your tee time then feel free!

THANKYOU - DTS

It goes without saying that the support of sponsors is invaluable and without them supporting us the costs to operate the club at this level would need to be passed on to members. The Executive Members of Te Ngutu Golf Club would like to acknowledge and thank DTS for their ongoing support and sponsorship. Be sure to give Ben a call to chat about your needs.





59ERS RESULTS

Another stunner day after some heavy overnight rain greeted 44 golfers that teed off Thursday. The scoring remained hot with S Robinson on 41 points claiming the round of the day. But that was only by 1 over T Jones (40) and R Hall a further 1 behind on 39. D Watt, F Bunker and A Griffin all had solid days coming in with 38 points. D Rowe, G McGregor, C Hughes and M Jones all had 37. Matt Cleaver's bright spot for the day came on the 6th with a two which went with his wooden spoon win as well. M Armstrong and F Bunker on 11 picked up twos as well. D Rowe (2nd), R Hansen (4th) and F Bunker (11th) had the accuracy shots and A Griffin, D Beaven and G Bloor picked up raffle wins.

CLUB TROPHIES

If you have a club trophy at home, can you please return it. We are in the process of auditing our trophies and making sure they are all accounted for and have engraving up to date.

THE GREAT NEW ZEALAND TEE OFF

Te Ngutu Golf Club has joined 180 golf clubs across New Zealand to help raise funds for three great charities - The CatWalk Spinal Cord Injury Trust, Hope Without Fear & Movember. The club has donated two tee times (to see tee times visit www.greatnzteeoff.co.nz). Members, general public and corporates will be able to bid for each of the tee times via the online fundraising platform GalaBid with all money raised going to the three charities. The auction begins on September 1 & runs till 8pm 27th September. To register your interest or learn more about The Great New Zealand Tee Off visit www.greatnzteeoff.co.nz or follow on instagram @thegreatnzteeoff

MENS CLUB CAPTAIN UPDATE

The 2nd round of the men's strokeplay championship is planned for tomorrow. Remember this is best 3 of 4 to count, so if you missed the 1st week you need to play the next 3 rounds. The standings after round 1 can be found on the website. Speaking of the website did you know the playing calendar can be found online from our website, if you didn't know then check out the website to see what information you can find.

LADIES CLUB CAPTAIN UPDATE

The recent coring of the greens made us think about our putting as the balls wobbled their way to the hole. Rodger was seen out and about doing his normal scratching on the fairways. There have been some gardeners out, making the gardens look really good. Not to mention a few little ash piles here and there. On top of all the work from many volunteers noticed around the course some spring is evident with magnolias, cherry trees and rhodo's showing their splendour with a multitude of colour appearing. So if anyone says they had a bad day at golf don't you believe them with all that is to be seen around the course. 18 Hole Ladies – Winter Trophy Play: Lorraine beat Marie on the 18th. Trudy beat Kay Maree on the 17th. And Barclay Round 1, Deirde was out on top with 37 stableford points. Accuracy went to Judy T and Drawn twos - Neryda and Lorraine. 9Hole Ladies - Stroke Play 1 Manu in with Gross 49 and Net 35 and Adrienne had the longest putt on the 9th. Congratulations to all the winners.

Lynne Newell

GOLF SHOP UPDATE WITH THE GOLFZONE

Last week for something different we held a alternate shot foursomes event in which 11 teams took part. Robinstrong took out the win with Shit Shots coming in a close 2^{nd} . Full results can be found below. This week is back to normal with a net haggle running, jackpot and the 8^{th} week of the eclectic.





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