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# **COURSE RATING AND STROKE HOLE UPDATE**

On Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> March 2025 the Taranaki Golf Course Rating team spent the day at Te Ngutu Golf Club and completed a full and comprehensive review of our course rating.

**Explanation** – A course rating is the evaluation of the playing difficulty of a course for scratch golfers under normal course and weather conditions. It is expressed as strokes taken to one decimal place, and is based on yardage and other obstacles to the extent that they affect the scoring ability of a scratch golfer.

A slope rating evaluates the relative playing difficulty of a course for players who are not scratch golfers. The lowest slope rating is 55 and the highest is 155. A golf course standard playing difficulty has a slope rating of 113.

There were very minor changes to the overall course rating and slope ratings for Te Ngutu Golf Club. These new ratings have come into effect on Wednesday 16<sup>th</sup> April and are below. For your reference in brackets were the previous ratings for some of the tee markers.

	Men		Women	
Tee's	Course Rating	Slope Rating	Course Rating	Slope Rating
Blue	69.2 (69.3)	121 (119)	75.3	122
White	68.5 (68.6)	118 (117)	74.6	121
Yellow	66.1	112	71.7 (71.6)	116 (119)
Purple	57.8 (58.7)	89 (94)	60.1	90

At the same time the club captains have taken the opportunity to review and update the stroke hole allocations for the course, this ensures the stroke allocations are more in line with the actual difficulty of the hole based on actual rounds played. These changes have come into effect on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> April and are set out below for the Mens White and Ladies Yellow Courses.

Hole #->	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Ladies Yellow - Was	8	17	1	12	5	14	4	10	6	11	18	13	9	3	16	15	2	7
Ladies Yellow - Now	12	18	2	14	6	16	4	10	8	11	17	9	7	1	13	15	3	5
Mens White - Was	13	15	1	17	3	5	7	9	11	14	18	2	8	16	6	12	4	10
Mens White - Now	13	17	1	15	3	5	11	9	7	12	18	2	8	16	6	14	4	10

Please note Scorecards are printing with the new strokehole allocations correctly, however the Tee Signs on course remain in correct. New numbers have been ordered to update these, until this is completed please use your scorecard for reference.