



TOTARADALE GOLF CLUB

NEWSLETTER March 2022

PRESIDENTS REPORT -

President's Pen

As we are all aware covid is with us, even a crystal ball will not tell us when we will get back to normal. Please take care of yourself and follow the rules. The sooner we get through this together the better we will be.

The committee is doing its best in running your club. Conveners have tabled their wish lists, but these can be carried out only when finance allows.

Costs are rising, we can't stop that.

There has been a slight increase in bar and shop prices.

John Cullen

Saturday Men's Report

Hi All,

January 22, we started the year with the summer stroke play gross and nett scores on a hard summer's track, then we had the heavy rains at the start of February, transforming the course. Well done to Allan and John and their helpers for having the course in great nick, complete opposite of 3 years ago when we experienced the Pigeon Valley fires. This certainly resulted in some outstanding scores coming through while we played the McEwan mug stableford, then we started into the Woodham cup match play. Sloan trophy the first round in Murchison was a wash out and has been deferred to late in the year, round 2 was played the last weekend of February at Waahi Taakaro well done to captain Eric and the team for a comprehensive win over Nelson.

Cheers Murray



Mid-Week Men's Report

Hi to one and all,

January got off to a flying start with Stan Friend's 90th birthday tournament with 62 attending along with a dozen or so Eagles' members. The first Mixed Vets was held on Thursday the 13th with 15 ladies and 28 men playing. The men's grade was won by Nick McIntyre on 39 points on count back from Ron Hay. The ladies' grade was won by Fay Murray on 44 points.

The programmed work on Dot Golf appears to work well. The attendances on Tuesdays is pretty good, and we can look forward to a good year weather and covid permitting.

That's all from me,

Ron

Ladies' 9 Hole Report

February Report.

A quiet start to the year with many away on holiday. The Alan Lowndes Summer Trophy was completed in February, and I was the lucky enough to win it. Preparation is well on the way for our March Tournament scheduled to be held on Friday the 11th of March.

A very successful tournament, 30 entries, 5 of our ladies won prizes.

Thanks to the 9 hole men for giving us free rein of the course for the morning.

A big 'thank you' to Wendy Pearson from Tall Poppy for sponsorship.

Happy Golfing

Helene Billington



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Ladies 18 Holers

The famous Totaradale Picnic Day was held on 24th February with the theme being "50 Shades of Blue"! The Gin drinkers contributed for the past 6 months with all blue Bombay bottles being recycled and used as vases for decorations. Pat's "Blue" quiz on every tee was as usual very clever and stimulating and all teams participated by dressing up. There was even a spot prize of a Blue Movie, "Free Willy"! Thanks to John for presenting the course magnificently and all the lady helpers with baking, raffles, morning teas etc.

The first round of the Westrupp Cup was played against Motueka on Sunday 27 February at Motueka. The team of Adrienne, Yvonne, Fran, Helen, Robyn and Nichola (plus caddies). They acquitted themselves very well and ended up with an overall score of 6 points. A very pleasing result. Congratulations ladies!

Finally, I would like to sincerely thank Sue Rawson for her wonderful help and guidance to me in this role as Vice-Club Captain.

Moira Gibb

Vice-Club Captain



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MARCH

Mon 14th Vets Nelson

Thurs 17th Totaradale Mixed Vets

Sun 20th Eagles AGM and stfd round

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Thurs 24th Pennants Greenacres

Fri 25th 9 Hole Tournament Nelson

Sat 26th –36 Holes Men..36 Holes Ladies

Sun 27th Regan Tasker Ambrose

UP AND COMING DATES TO REMEMBER.....

COMING UP IN APRIL

Fri 1st Postal stfd begin– Ladies

Thurs 7th Old Hickory Nelson/ Grandmothers Greenacres

Sun 10th Sloan Rd4 Golden Downs

Mon 11th Mixed Vets Nelson

Fri 15th Good Friday

Sat 16th Easter Tournament

Sun 17th Easter Tournament

Wed 20th Mixed Vets Motueka

Sun 24th Stewart Cup –Team of 4

Mon 25th Anzac Day

Thurs 28th Pennants Nelson

Fri 29 th Farmers Tournament Golden Downs

Sat 30th Kina Open

Sun 1st Kina Open

MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE SNIPPETS

- ♦ Please see Megan to update your information in our systems.
- ♦ Saturday Tee-times are back at the normal time of 12.00 noon
- ♦ Could members please remember to report ALL accidents on the course or clubhouse.
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OUR CLUB'S MISSION STATEMENT

The Mission of Totaradale Golf Club is to provide our members, guests and visitors with a quality golfing experience within a friendly and welcoming atmosphere.

This we will do with a team of well trained and highly motivated staff and volunteers, working together to make our Club an enjoyable and affordable place to play golf and socialize.

The Golf Course is always our main priority. We are aware that Golf can be a dangerous game and thus have taken steps to make players aware of specific danger zones which are well sign posted on our 9 hole Golf Course.



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