

Volunteer of the Month

Sponsored by The Gateway Precinct & Rob Lowry

Due to unforeseen circumstances this month's Volunteer of the Month will be held next month.

Speights Ale House

The Club wishes to express our gratitude to the Speights Ale House for the donation of 50 golf towels. These towels were sold to our Thursday Green Jacket group and the proceeds totaling \$1,020 go towards Junior Golf.

Tim Adlam is a great supporter, especially for the Green Jackets, and we send him a huge thank you.



35 players from the Golfing Safari Group played at Feilding on Wednesday 6th March, teeing off around 8.30. The group had a lot of fun and relaxed on the practice fairway after their meeting the night before. Unbeknown to them, they were surprised by the automatic sprinklers going off, resulting in a lot of hilarity, red wine splashing down the front of one, and water in the face of another! Hope to have more on this group in next month's issue!

Golfing Safari Group



He He of the Month!

A certain Lady golfer had a very bad 'day at the office' last Wednesday...on arriving at the golf club she realised she had left her golf trundler battery behind, so she drove home to get it.

Next was..no disc! She had forgotten to hand it in!

Standing on the Tee, she realised she had no hat...and alas! No card either!

Things only got worse!

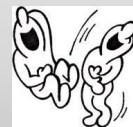
While on the 17th green, she realised her trundler was gone!! Luckily for her, a tree on the right side on the top of the hill on the 18th stopped the trundler in full flight!

Things continued to get worse again!

On the 18th green, she realised she had left her putter leaning against the tree on the 18th fairway!

Needless to say, the woman golfer went home to put her feet up and pour a well deserved drink!

Last I heard, she was talking to Don about getting a remote control trundler!



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Tee Sponsor

Aon Insurance
Landmark Homes

New Members

18 Holes

Kerry Metcalfe

Rejoin:

18 Holes

Gareth Eckersley

9 Holes

John Dermer

Restricted:

Ricky Kinane

Aitziber Polo-Gomez

Feilding Golf Club Office
Hours

MON & TUES

9.30am - 4.00pm

WED 1pm - 4.30pm

THURS & FRI

9.30am - 1pm

Phone 06 3234553

1487 Waughs Road, Feilding

P.O. Box 267, Feilding 4740

March 2019

Wed 13th - Twilight Golf Final - Teeing off from 4.30 pm - 5.45 pm

Thur 14th - Business House Golf Final - Shotgun start - 5.45pm

Fri 15th - Central District Master Builders - Teeing off 11.30am - course closed

Sun 17th - Men - A Grade Pennants at Feilding

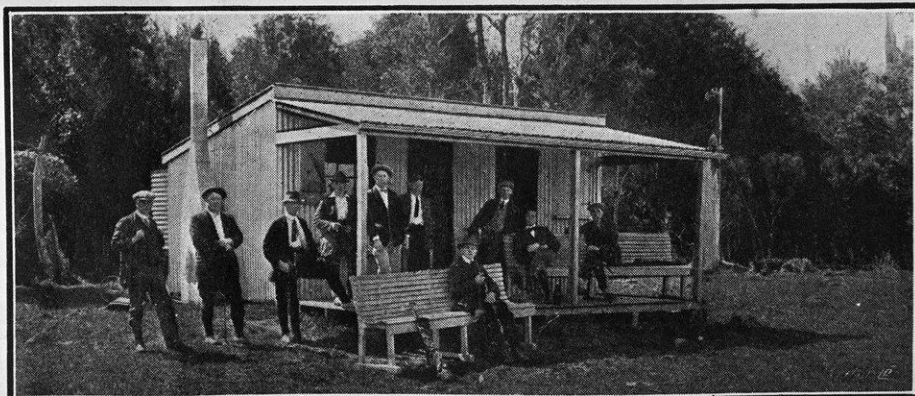
Sun 24th - TG Match play - Men & Women

Thur 28th - Premier Challenge Dinner at Feilding Clubroom 6pm.

Fri 29th - Premier Challenge at Feilding - Women - Course closed all day

Sun 31 - 36 Hole Nancy McCormick Memorial Foursomes - Teeing off at 8.30am - Women

From the Archives!



OLD GOLF HOUSE.



Hole in One

Congratulations once more to Jenny McKelvie...her second hole in one in a month!!

Jenny scored her Ace on the 4th, on Ladies Opening Day on Wednesday 20th February. Well done Jenny, so exciting for you!

Members are reminded that Membership cards are required to be carried when the bar is open, and that all visitors who are not reciprocal golf club members are required to be signed in by a club member.

Adele's on the Green

Club Catering -
Wednesday to Sunday.
Functions - by
arrangement.
Phone Adele at the club
3237214, or at home
3235536 to discuss your
needs

Email:

secretary@feildinggolfclub.co.nz

Website:

http://www.feildinggolfclub.co.nz

Waitangi Day Seymour Salvors Winners



The Waitangi Day Tournament was played on Wednesday 6th February and the Seymour Salvors this year were won jointly by Bruce Gibson & Trevor Gardner, Men's Division, and Dale Bain, Women's Division. At the time of the photo shoot, Trevor was unable to be there.

The Salvors were presented by Mr L M & Mrs F J Seymour in 1974. Well done Gibby, Trevor and Dale!



Junior Golf News

Junior Golf has started again for the year, we have gone back to Volunteer run Tuesdays from 4 -5pm with Rebecca Ward and Helen Dickins; Ethan and Ryan are also helping when needed. Don is doing professional lessons on Fridays from 4 -5pm for handicapped players and Sundays from 9.30am for non handicapped players. So the practice fairway may be unavailable to members at these times.

In March Rebecca Helen Ethan and Ryan will be attending a Junior Coaching course to help us to help our Juniors.

Laura has also set up a Feilding Golf Junior Facebook page for info for our Junior Community so hop on Facebook and follow us, we will post about upcoming junior tournaments, results and photos etc. Well done guys, good on you!

NZ Masters 9 Hole Golf



Well done Russell Parker for retaining his title of 60 - 70 year Age Group Winner!

Russell has won this 2 years in a row!

Competition Trophy



Terry Bird with his Cup, presented by Don Finlayson

Zila Walker Salver



Kerryn Greaves, winner of the Zila Walker Summer Salver presented on Opening Day by Tony Boxall. This Salver is presented for the winner of the best 5 Aggregate rounds from Closing day to Opening day.

Junior Shield



Ethan Ward, winner of the Junior Shield, presented by Don Finlayson

Honorary Treasurer



Gordon Piets

With the resignation of Geoff Shannon, the Board is pleased to welcome Gordon to the Honorary Treasurer position.

Gordon has been a Chartered accountant all his professional life, qualifying in London, then spending 35 years in Australia before coming to Feilding 4 ½ years ago to be near his daughter in Halcombe. His career was in various businesses as chief accountant, financial controller or finance director, including a four year stint as group chief accountant for the late Kerry Packer's empire...."not the easiest man to work for". He hopes to be able to improve the cash flow forecasting for the club.

As a sportsman, he wanted to become a professional cricket player but his father insisted he do a "proper job". But he played A grade cricket in England, and represented that country in hockey as an under 19. He was still playing hockey and cricket into his 60s, playing for the state of Tasmania in the over 60s. He only gave tennis away three years ago when his knees decided they had had enough. He took up golf when he was 59, and returned to croquet three years ago. He is treasurer for the Feilding Croquet Club.

Reciprocal \$15 Green Fees

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Clubs locally who have a signed agreement with Feilding are listed with the appropriate amount to pay.

Rangitikei have advised that some members are paying the incorrect amount or not at all. You can expect an account if money is owing.

A poster for a Quiz Night Fundraiser. The background is red with white diagonal stripes radiating from a central lightbulb icon. The lightbulb has a yellow brain inside. Text on the poster includes: "MSS Odderbots Present", "Quiz Night Fundraiser", "To send the Odderbots to the VEX IQ World Championship", "March 22 2019", "Doors open at 7:00pm. Quiz starts at 7:30pm. \$60 per team - Teams of up to 6", "Bar 18+ | Platters available to order | Raffles and Auctions", "20 teams only. Live auctions with amazing items up for grabs. For tickets, contact Lissa Petterson on 021 268 7423, message us on Facebook @MSSOdderbots or email odderbots@gmail.com", and "Feilding Golf Course, Waughs Road".

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Feilding Golf Course, Waughs Road

Quiz Night Fundraiser

There are still tables available for this night, please advise the Office to put your team in a.s.a.p. As table numbers are limited. Funds are being raised to send 4 x Manchester Street School students and a teacher/parents to the World Robotic champs in the USA later in April 2019.