



HIBISCUS COAST COMMUNITY RSA



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OCTOBER 2020 NEWSLETTER

Presidents Report

Well we finally moved to level 2 and now await the next announcement hopefully moving to level 1.

As most of you will know by now we have re-opened the Club on shorter hours. Meantime a few of our facilities, and adjuncts are not operating. We have the QR code available for you to download for contact tracing, or you can sign into our register.

We would like to recommence raffles but so far the numbers on a Wednesday have not been considered sufficient to do this.

The AGM is programmed for 11 October 2020. A disappointingly few nominations for the Committee were received and, therefore, in accordance with Rule 31 of the Constitution further nominations will be called for at the AGM. Notices of Motion/Remits have been received and distributed for all to peruse prior to the AGM. The Onwards magazine is available in the foyer. If anyone has any financial questions it would be appreciated if they were emailed in to: manager@hbcrsa.org.nz by Thursday 8th October 2020.

The Committee have decided that the Club will join Clubs NZ as the RSA National no longer engage in the hospitality side of the Clubs' business. Joining Clubs NZ will also give members reciprocal rights to about 300+ clubs throughout NZ and Australia. There will be more information shared as we progress through the joining process.

The Club has joined the Poppy Foundation of Auckland run by the Ranfurly Trust which will allow ex Service people to claim some reimbursement for medical and other expenses which they may otherwise not be able to get. Further information on this can be obtained from myself or Lynton the Club Welfare Officer.

You will find attached to the e-mail copy of this newsletter a ratified copy of the August minutes of the Executive Committee. Also attached are the ratified minutes from the recent EGM. If you have any questions regarding this attachment please email your query to: manager@hbcrsa.org.nz

Don't forget the Happy Hours on Thursday from 1600 (4.00 p.m.) till 1900 (7.00 p.m.) and Friday 1600 (4.00 p.m.) till 1900 (7.00 p.m.) for bar specials.

Membership fees are now overdue so if they remain unpaid you may find yourself deleted from future mailing lists.

If anyone is after mulch for the section or garden there is a pile at the end of the Campervan park that they are welcome to take some from. You will have to have your own trailer or get someone to get it for you if you don't have one.

Anyone or club e-mailing the Club are requested to copy in the manager's e-mail so that there is visibility to requests or comments that often are sent and have to be forwarded for action. The address to use is: manager@hbcrsa.org.nz

The Committee and Staff are still working hard for the RSA on a number of fronts trying our best to reduce and/or eliminate expenses as we move the Club forward. This includes a lot of voluntary work being carried out by a few members.

We are interested in hearing from anyone who would like to volunteer their assistance to the Club in any capacity that they think they could help with. Please contact the Club or talk to an Executive Committee member if you are interested.

Cheers

David

W. David Dryden

President

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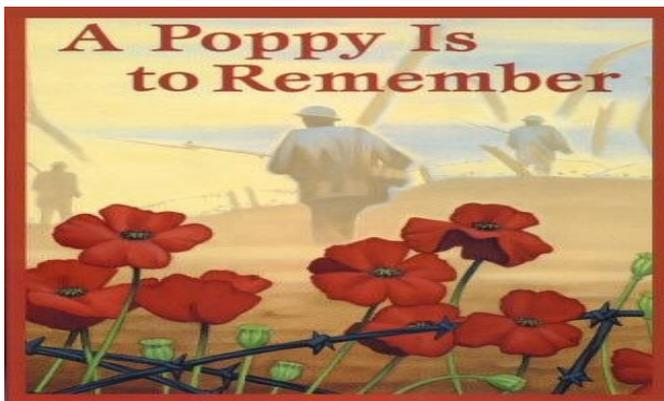
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Members do you know we have a well stocked Library?

You are welcome to come along and borrow a book and return it once read.

We ask that returned books are placed in the boxes on the table.

ENJOY!

CLUB TRADING HOURS

RSA OPENING HOURS

BAR

MONDAY	CLOSED
Tuesday - Thursday	1 p.m. to 8 p.m.
Friday - Saturday	1 p.m. to 8 p.m.
Sunday	3 p.m. to 8 p.m.

HOURS ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE

CLUB ACTIVITIES HOURS & ACTIVITIES ARE CURRENTLY LIMITED

Day	Time	Activity
Tues	12.45pm	Indoor Bowls —names in by 12.30pm please
	5.30pm to 6.30pm	Line Dancing Beginner-Intermediate
	6.50pm	Open Pool Competition
Wed	7.00pm	Darts Club
	12.15pm	Outdoor Bowls Roll up
	1.00pm	Bingo
	5.00pm	Raffles
	6.30pm	Members' Draw
Thurs	7.00pm	Quiz night
	12.45pm	Indoor Bowls—names in by 12.30pm please
	6.30pm	Ballroom/Latin American /R&R lessons
Fri	7.00pm	Snooker Club & Snooker Raffle
	7.00pm	Bingo (<u>2nd & 4th Friday every month</u>)
Sat	1.00pm	8 Ball Club Games
	12.15pm	Outdoor Bowls Roll up
1st Tuesday	12 noon	Women's Section Get together

CONTACT PHONE NUMBERS

DARTS	Mick Aggus	09 424 3421 or 021 900 689
FISHING	John Perris	09 421 1633 or 021 287 3975
GOLF	Art Clarke	027 687 7331
	John Marston	021 116 6461
INDOOR BOWLS	Bob Hill	027 339 9683
ROLL UP BOWLS	Vince Sturmey	09 428 5222
SNOOKER	John Walding	09 426 3742
RNZAFA	Errol Schroder	09 424 3072
	Neil Rennie	09 428 1895
KEV	Frank Townley	09 424 3026
	Mark Harris	09 420 9677
8 BALL	Tina Fatuesi	022 195 5295
WOMEN'S SECTION	Beth Kavanagh	09 426 6026
NAVAL CLUB	Vince Sturmey	09 428 5222

RESTAURANT OPENING HOURS

[HBCCRSA Mink Restaurant](#)

MONDAY	CLOSED
TUESDAY TO SATURDAY	4.30 P.M. TO 8.00 P.M. Evening Meal
SUNDAY	4.30 P.M. TO 8.00 P.M. Evening Meal

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Roll Up Bowls

Last month has seen an excellent attendance from our keen bowlers despite the Covid-19 bug still hanging around.

We bowl twice a week, on a Wednesday and Saturday, so if any member wants to have a fun day out come and join us by contacting one of the committee:

Vince Sturmey 428 5222; Kerry Hamilton 424 8914;

Ash Nicholson 428 0619; or Ian McGovern 027 483 6751.

The effects of Covid-19 have finally seen a couple of regulars acting in a rather strange manner. The photo shows what can happen when the plot is lost, love the socks.

Happy Bowling -

Craig Ireland



Golf

August we played two rounds of golf. The first was on Sunday at South Head and was slotted in as an extra round - 6 weeks between tournaments is just too long for the keen golfers and hackers of HBCRSA!

It was a blustery winter's day with showers threatening, but there was very little actual rain. South Head Golf course was in great shape and the greens were in good condition and very fast. The conditions were definitely challenging and resulted in one of the lowest average golf scores of the season (just over 25 Stablefords). Rick Bardsley guessed 588 (591) so was close to taking the jackpot in addition to the bag of cash. 24 golfers braved the elements (but the Stableford guess was done on 23 as Kevin left his card in his back pocket until the draw was announced!) Only one lady golfer played, who didn't win anything, not even a raffle.

NAGA was closely contested again with many golfers nervously eyeing up their 20's scores, but won by Lionel Lester with a 15! Best Gross score was won by Michael Black with an 87. Good score for the day Blackie! Longest Drive was initially won by Alan (a drive worth mentioning for Mr Holsted!) and then was taken by a guest - Mike Blaine with another great drive; but both were beaten by John Marston who must have hit a massive drive to take the prize. Closest to the pin was won by Arty Clarke, and closest in two was won by our newest member, Simon Mortimer. The second best Stableford prize was won by Paul Askew with a score of 32. Arty Clarke beat him on countback to win the best Stableford (32). The jacket winner, with a net of 74, was Simon Mortimer. Congratulations Simon and welcome to the HBCRSA golf section :0)



September

KIWIS, KIWIS, KIWIS! After 7 years of the trophy being in the custodianship of the Internationals, the Kiwis finally won it back. September 20th RSA golf tournament at Wellsford had 27 golfers attending. The day was a lovely Spring day, with no rain. The course was in great condition and some of the downhill putts were quite fast.

There were three halved matches, and 3 wins to the internationals. The kiwis won convincingly with 8 wins overall! Owen Smith was an outstanding international performer on the day, winning 7 and 6 over Graham Black. Mark Smith beat Atholl Friel 5 and 4 for the kiwis, and Michael Black beat Jock (recent hole in one player) in 5 and 3 for the kiwis, with Troy Sealy having another great game, beating John Gillespie 5 and 3 - also for the kiwis.

Dave Bolton won his match but had a bigger smile on his face, winning both the chicken and a bottle of wine in the raffles.

Our next game is at Warkworth on October 18th at 10.30am. Please have cards into the captain by 10am. The away trip deposit should already have been paid to John Marston.

On November 14th we are playing at Ngaruawahia - 12.40 tee time with a two tee start. Sunday's game is at The Narrows at 10am. The final game for 2020 is booked for Dec 6th at Whangaparaoa.

Please visit the HBC RSA Web page for all the latest news from the club

<http://hbcrsa.org.nz/sections-and-clubs/>

RSA Golf Committee



Thursday to Saturday Lunch Special

from 1 p.m to 3 p.m.



Slow cooked Beef Cheeks with
Herbed mashed potato in red
wine jus

\$16.00 per person



Slow cooked Lamb Shank with
herbed mashed potato

\$16.00 per person

THANK YOU :

To Peter Rosieur for his donation of a printer for the Administration office.

To Polly Kettle for two lovely knitted dolls for future RSA raffles.

WOMEN'S SECTION

Our next meeting is on Tuesday 6th October. We look forward to seeing you all here. The Club currently opens at 1 p.m. however the Restaurant will not be open so our meeting starts at 1.30 p.m.

We have some good entertainment arranged. If you know of ladies who may not have an e-mail address and will not receive this notice please phone and let them know, the more the merrier!

We would like to ensure that your current telephone number and address are recorded correctly in our system as during the Covid 19 lockdowns we tried to contact ladies to assist if needed but found many phone numbers incorrect.

Please either ask at reception or alternatively complete a change of address form and hand it in.

See you on the 6th.

From the Women's Section
Committee.



THANK YOU TO OUR STAFF MEMBER

**JANET SHARROCK - 29 years of
Service with a Smile !!**



DON'T FORGET THURSDAY & FRIDAY

"HAPPY HOUR"

- Thursday from 4pm to 7 pm
- Friday from 4pm to 7 pm

Most of our Tap or Bottled Beer & Wine Selection starts from \$5.00 per glass



WELCOME TO NEW MEMBERS IN THE MONTHS OF AUGUST & SEPTEMBER

Ms Philippa Cannell, Mr Bruce Gorrie, Mr Graham Hughes. Mr Michael Lee, Mr Todd Maihi,
Mr Alvin Reddy, Mr Cyril Holmes, Mr Glen Bright, Mrs Judith Brown, Mr Tony Michl, Mr Zeak Smith,
Mr Sean Wilmot

WE LOOK FORWARD TO SEEING YOU IN THE CLUB

