

# **TABLE TALK**

# 25 May 2018

### **Coming Events**

26 May	FMS, Stableford, BCHP Qualifying (Nett)
28 May	MWM – Stableford
29 May	MWL – FMS Stableford 3 <sup>rd</sup> Rnd
30 May	9 Hole Ladies – Stableford
31 May	MWL – Hidden Holes Stroke, MWM - Stroke
2 Jun	Stableford, MIXED MULTI-TEE START 11:30am
4 Jun	Queens Birthday

#### **Members News**

#### **Bereavement – George Walker**

It is with great sadness that we advise of the passing on Wednesday of George who was a true stalwart of the Club, Canterbury and NZ Golf over many years. More tributes will follow. The Funeral will be held at Lamb & Hayward's Westpark Chapel in Wairakei Road at 10:00am Monday May 28<sup>th</sup>.

# Queens Birthday Weekend June 2<sup>nd</sup> - Mixed-Multi Tee Start 11:30am

We will be having a big day on June 2<sup>nd</sup> with the multi-tee shotgun (note earlier start of 11:30am) followed by the usual prizegiving and a visit by the good folks at Jennian Homes explaining the national Jennian Homes offer to members or contacts of members who build a home with Jennian. There will also be some giveaways so make sure you are present post-game. We have also worked with the caterers on a special menu and encourage members to stay on and enjoy a meal (which means you can drink a bit more) and also catch the Super Rugby games with **Blues vs Rebels at 5:15pm** followed by the **Chiefs vs Crusaders at 7:35pm**. The menu options will be attached to Woodlands Word this week and be available to view in the Clubhouse and on the website. Please ring the kitchen to make a booking so caterers know numbers who will be dining – 03 359 8843 option 2.

#### **Matt McLean Update**

You may have seen on our Facebook page that Matt has made the National Academy Squad for 2018/19 as a tier 2 player. Only former Harewood Open winner Daniel Hillier is in Tier one. Tier two is the gateway to the National Academy which is for players who have shown great potential but may still have some way to go before

representing New Zealand at senior level or turning professional. They have been identified as emerging talent but they will still have developmental gaps that need to be addressed while they strive to improve their on-course performance's. The Academy also provides funding for equipment, coaching and additional support for travel. Matt has also been away in Malaysia playing in the MPI Generali Amateur Championships playing alongside Asia's leading amateur players. In a field of 120 Matt finished the top Kiwi in 12<sup>th</sup> spot despite the very humid conditions where players not used to 35+ temps typically dropped shots late in their rounds as the heat took its toll. Next on Matt's golfing journey is the Mexican International Amateur Championships at the Club Golf De Mexico in Mexico City from June 7<sup>th</sup> to 10<sup>th</sup>. The trip is fully-funded by NZ Golf where Matt will be joined by Kerry Mountcastle. Keep up the great progress Matt and "Buena Suerte en México"!

# **Entertainment Book Fundraiser - 2018/19**

You can now purchase your 2018 | 2019 Entertainment Membership! Not only will you receive 25 to 50% off and 2-for-1 offers many of the best restaurants, hotels and attractions in your area but you'll be raising funds for Harewood Golf. With the 2017/18 Entertainment Memberships about to expire on June 1<sup>st</sup>, now is the perfect time renew your membership and help us to raise funds for the Club while saving big on dining, shopping and travel! There are also a heap of local Nelson and Blenheim restaurants and activities available, including some special bonus offers coming in July such as No. 186 & Paris for the weekend!

Find out more at https://www.entertainmentbook.co.nz/orderbooks/13z4463

# **Clubhouse & Catering – Winter Opening Hours**

The following are details of the catering hours now we are moving to Winter tee times:

Monday – to Friday (except Wednesday) = 11:00am to 4:30pm

Wednesday = 11:00am to 6:00pm

Saturday = 10:00am to 6:00pm

and Sunday = 10:30am to 5:00pm

(or later as weekend demand requires)

#### **Sunday Member Competition 2018**

A reminder the monthly comp is on this Sunday May 27<sup>th</sup> and will be held on the last Sunday of every month for the remainder of the year. Arrive 10:00am for a 10:30am start.

#### **Retirement – Dave Stead**

"Steady" will have his last official day on staff at Harewood today, May 25<sup>th</sup>. Dave has been with us for 6 years or so and has been a great contributor on-course and off. The banter won't quite be the same without him! We hope to see more of Dave around Harewood in a playing-only capacity, but rumour has it he may help out now and again so the hi-vis may yet make another appearance (in Summer though). All the best Dave and thanks for your contribution to Harewood.