



The Tee Times

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Newsletter of the Northland Golf Club - Monday 13 July, 2026

MATARIKI - NIGHT GOLF

Our only night golf event was played on Matariki on Friday night 10 July. It was a super fun night enjoyed by 28 golfers who braced the chilly evening. The competition played 6 holes.

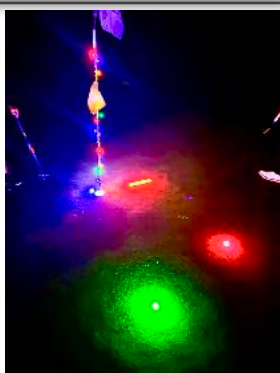
Gross Winners: Brad Pitman and Carolyn Saunders.

Runners-Up: Brad Johnson and Kerrod Lewis.

Net winners: Baz Harvey and Jason Erueta.

Runners-Up: Kerry and Kevin Mitchell.

Best costume: Kevin and Kerry Mitchell.

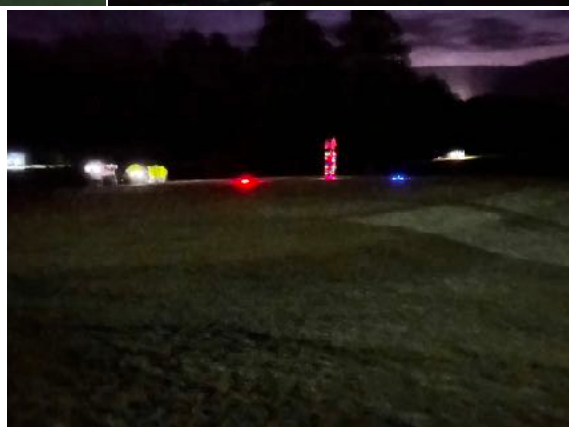


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Thanks a bunch to the Kamo Village Florist for their support of the golf club. Located in the heart of Kamo they offer a great selection of flowers and gifts.

The friendly staff, who are qualified members of Interflora, are always willing to offer advice and guidance.

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RESULTS

9 Holers - Putting - F9 - 15 Players

14 P Walker
15 P Clemmett

Twos: L Furey, K Mitchell (6)

Tuesday Mixed Hagggle - No Play

Thursday School - 26 Players

Gross 75 N Walker
Net 41 J Gibson
Stableford 38 G Saunders
36 G Rossouw

Twos: M Sandilands, T Ward, G Saunders,
N Henderson, N Walker

Sunday Club Day Men's Hagggle - 27 Players

Best Gross: 73 - P Gurnick (\$45)
Best Net: 67 - Wihongi-Henare Kieron (\$45)
Best Stableford: 38 - S Stanners (\$45)
Runners-Up: 36 - T Palmer (\$30),
36 - A Gibbs (\$25),
34 - W Noa (\$25),
34 - P Priestley (\$20),
33 - J Anderson (\$20).

Twos: There were 27 entries and two winners:
3rd and 16th - A Gibbs,

Winner gets 12 golf balls.

Prizes

Sunday Hagggle prizes are Club vouchers and golf balls are premium balls. The prizes will be available for uplift at the Shop on Monday afternoon.
Congratulations to all winners.

**CAN A PLAYING PARTNER
SHIELD YOU FROM THE
RAIN WITH AN UMBRELLA
WHILE YOU PUTT?**



You are standing over a short putt on a miserable day, rain hammering down, and your playing partner moves alongside you and helpfully holds an umbrella over your head so you can see clearly without water dripping into your eyes.

But it is a penalty under the Rules of Golf.

Rule 10.2b(5) covers physical help and protection from the elements, and it is fairly clear on the matter.

A player must not make a stroke while their caddie or any other person is giving them protection from sunlight, rain, wind or other elements.

The key phrase is “any other person,” which includes a well-meaning playing partner with a golf umbrella.

If someone else holds that brolly over your head as you make your stroke, in stroke play you incur the general penalty of two shots.

In match play, it is loss of hole. The exception worth knowing is that you are fully entitled to hold an umbrella over your own head while you putt.

Nothing in the rules prevents a player from taking their own actions to protect themselves from the elements.

So if you want to grab a brolly, run up to the hole, and putt one-handed while keeping yourself dry with the other hand, that is entirely within the rules.

Awkward, arguably, but legal.

COMING UP IN THE CLUB

Course Closures and Restrictions

There are some events that require the course to be closed or restrictions imposed. Players are strongly advised to check the online bookings page to establish when play is allowed.

This week's programme - Monday 13 July to Monday 20 July	
MON 13 JUL	Open
TUE 14 JUL	Tuesday Women - LGU Round 6 - 9.00am tee off Tuesday Men's School - 9.30am for 10.00am start
WED 15 JUL	9 Hole - Net - B9 - 9.00 am for 9.30 am start
THU 16 JUL	Thursday Women - 9.00am tee off Thursday Men's School - 9.30am for 10.00am start
FRI 17 JUL	Speedgolf 7.00 am
SAT 18 JUL	Saturday Women - LGU Round 6 - 8.30am tee off
SUN 19 JUL	Sunday Men's Haggie King of the Mountain Round 7
MON 20 JUL	Open

Events of Significance	
SUN 26 JUL	Kamo Club Qualifying Round 5
28 JUL-1 AUG	Women - LGU Round 7
SUN 2 AUG	Men's Monthly Medal
SUN 9 AUG	Club Men's Match Play Championship - Final
SUN 30 AUG	Top Dog Qualifying Round
SAT 5 SEP	Kensington Dental Haggie Haggie Pairs (Mixed or Men or Women)
SUN 6 SEP	Men's Monthly Medal
SAT 12 SEP	Women's Stroke Play Championship (postponement date 19 Sep)

Readers can also look into the online Northland Golf Club Calendar for other routine and major internal and external events. Don't forget to check the notice boards for other Clubs upcoming tournaments.