

Tarras Golf Club News

Golf-at our recent AGM Holger Reinecke resigned from his positions he has held within the Club for many years. Our Club wishes to thank him for all he has done for our Club and wish him all the best for the future. John Templeton is now our Green Keeper.

Holger organised our Mystery 3 day Tour in April to Lumsden, Dipton, Te Anau and Arrowtown enjoyed by 12 members. Joint winners were Gus Chapman-Cohen and Dave Allen, Margaret Sell was 3rd and Holger was 4th. Thank you Holger for a great trip in beautiful weather.

Recent results-our Tarras team of Carmel Hyndman, Avril Templeton, Alison Caughey and Margo Johnston was placed runner up in the National Clubs Team Championships at Alexandra in April. There were 25 teams from throughout Otago competing.

We beat Wanaka in the annual Lethbridge Trophy Interclub on Anzac Day at Tarras.
 Club Tournament-Anniversary Tray- Dave Allen
 Harold Aitken Trophy-Margo Johnston
 Kenny Munro Trophy-Margo Johnston and Margaret Sell,
 runners up-Graeme Rive and Gordon Lucas



Our Tarras team was place 2nd in the 4th round of the C.O. Women's Interclub competition at Wanaka last week. Queenstown beat us on count back. Our team was Margaret Sell, Alison Caughey, Win Priegaard-Peterson, Barb Annan, Annabel Spiers and Avril Templeton.

Coming up-Saturday 29th June-Stewart Jenkins Memorial Trophy, a mixed 18 hole Stableford competition.

Men's Club day is Saturday with 12.30pm report time. Women's Club day is Thursday with 10am report time. New players are most welcome.

MAHJONG

Anyone interested in setting up a Mahjong group, or is there a group in the district who would like a new member?
 Also, wanted a Mahjong set
 Call/Txt Rebecca 027 670 8441

Tarras Recycling - reminder

Remove all cap tops from all bottles
 All coloured bottles go into same bin now!
 Soft plastic can be recycled at Mitre 10
 (also all batteries, garden pots, all light bulbs)

Congratulations!!

Congratulations-Mary and Gerald Goodger on their **Diamond Jubilee anniversary** in April

Cindy Trevathan and Shane Harrex (Alexandra) on their Wedding in Alexandra in January.

Nick Jolly and Nikki Pirihi (Wellington) on their Wedding in Wanaka in March.

Michael Jolly and Fran Loomans (Melbourne) on their Wedding in Wanaka in April.

James McCaughan and Annie Colton Merry on their recent engagement.

Maddie Hayman and Jack Wagstaff on their recent engagement.

Sue Rutherford on her "milestone" birthday.

Tarras Talk

Find us online at www.tarras.org.nz

Tarras Playgroup

This quarter we welcome George Maxwell (and his parents Bella and Ben) to the Tarras Playgroup.

We have seen big changes in the weather which has driven us indoors for our weekly sessions. There have been lots of creative, arts and crafts type activities for the children to enjoy. The children are currently working on decorating their own Fairy House, and look forward to an outing to the Fairy Forest in June.

(Photo taken on the 24th May, Pink Ribbon shared afternoon tea at Playgroup).

Regards,
 Olivia
 on behalf of the Tarras Playgroup.



Pink Ribbon Fundraiser!

Rural Women

PINK RIBBON FUNDRAISER

Tarras Coffee Shop hosted a Pink Ribbon

Morning tea on 15 May

There was delicious array of tasty treats

accompanied by drinks of choice

All proceeds were generously donated to the cause

THANK YOU ANTONIA, PAUL & TEAM

The raffles were won by Sue Trevathan and Debs Pritchard-Jones

Thank you to Perriam for the beautiful scarf and all those who donated

lovely items for the prize basket

\$485 was raised in total



Afterwards we planted daffodil bulbs at the Church
 Remember to visit in the spring to see them in bloom!



Meet: Margo Johnston

Margo is a very sought after person & she hopes its about more that just her having Bar Managers Licence, although she does get to use this qualification a lot. LOLs If you want something doing – ask a busy person & Margo is certainly that!

Margo:

- Grew up in Waikaia in Northern Southland
- Lived in Perth, working in a roadhouse and as a roussie
- Back in NZ worked as Parts Person for motor company

She & Skip moved to Haast, stayed 13yrs. Community is important to Margo & especially on coast. Limited TV, no cell phones, no supermarkets, meant as well as being organised, you worked with, & for your neighbours, in many ways. It was a pleasurable simple life.

Margo worked at local Caltex station. Supporting her community, Margo volunteered for St John Ambulance in Haast, an area covering a few hundred kms of gravel roads.

Helicopter/fishing accidents, injured trampers & holiday makers aplenty. Margo lived some distance from ambulance station, so local policeman used to collect her & take her directly to scene, while the ambulance met them there. Only a small group of volunteers, so call outs were frequent.

Margo & Skip moved to Hawea where Margo (& that Bar Managers licence) got a job at Hawea Hotel. Margo loved bar work as the chat with locals was genuine & enjoyable. Next she worked for Bullock Bar (stayed 10yrs), who owned Luggate Hotel & 1 other. Margo was Administration Officer for all 3 establishments. Bullock Bar had licence to run the bar at the Wanaka A&P show. Margo really enjoyed her time associated with this.

Margo & Skip moved to Tarras & built their home. Daughter, Brenna had horses & the land & serenity of Tarras was important. Brenna is now a school teacher at Te Kura o Take Kārara. Margo is Upper Clutha Rugby Club Secretary. She was involved in many years of planning & fundraising to replace old club rooms - new facility completed 2018. Margo says new club rooms have been built with love with many original items retained, including the oregon beams locally sourced & milled.

Margo enjoys golf & informally heads “social committee”, using her fundraising skills– oh that Bar Managers Licence! Margo is Secretary at Tarras Collie Club Dog Trials after being told its was a simple “one day job”. Yeah right.

Margo enjoys reading & anything social in community. She says “the community is the best thing about Tarras”. I think you’ll agree that Margo is a real asset!

Reporting thanks to the TarrasChick Roving Reporter

**THE TARRAS CHURCH SERVICE IS
THE FIRST SUNDAY OF EVERY
MONTH AT 11AM**

**Upcoming services:
2ND JUNE 2024**

DUTY: MARY ANN MORRIS & REBECCA McELREA 7TH

JULY 2024

DUTY: ANTONIA WILSON & JAYNE RIVE

Services lead by Damon Plimmer – all welcome

TARRAS RECREATION COMMITTEE

General Meeting
Wednesday 12 June 2024
7pm at the Tarras Hall

New members welcome to come along

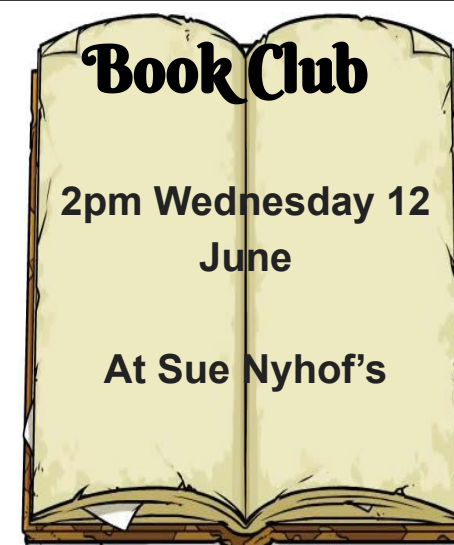
Contact Jonny for info
027 4511981

Security of our Community

Reports of thefts are on the increase in our community

Check security of your outlying buildings, stock, firewood
and our neighbours who may be away

Report anything suspicious to local Police



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Tarras talk by email!

Anyone in the community who would like to receive Tarras Talk via email to send their email address to Tarras Rural Women:
tarrasruralwomen@gmail.com

Have news for Tarras Talk?

Please continue to email tarrastalk@gmail.com by the 30th of the month. If you too would like to be included in the reminder email, send me an email and I will add you to the list.