



75th New Zealand Maori Golf National Championship

Under the control of New Zealand Maori Golf Association (Inc)

Sunday 8th January - to - Friday 13th January 2012

Hosted By

ROTORUA MAORI GOLF ASSOCIATION

Entries Close: Friday 9th December 2011

Practice Sunday 8 January	Must book in prior Must book in prior	Arikikapakapa Golf Club – Ph 07 348 4051 Lake View Golf Club – Ph 07 357 2341
Registrations	All Divisions - 8:00am - 2:00pm	Arikikapakapa Golf Club
Powhiri	4.00pm	Te Pakira Marae
Ladies AGM	7.00pm	Te Pakira Marae
Monday 9 January 6.30am start	Ladies, Senior & Intermediate Men Masters & Golden Girls Junior Men	1 st Qual & Stokeplay Rnd - Arikikapakapa 1 st Round Strokeplay – Lake View 1 st Qual & Strokeplay Rnd – Lake View
Tuesday 10 January 6.30am start Calcutta	Ladies, Senior & Intermediate Men Masters & Golden Girls Junior Men 5pm Arikikapakapa Golf Club	2 nd Qual & Stokeplay Rnd - Arikikapakapa 2 nd Round Strokeplay – Lake View 2 nd Qual & Strokeplay Rnd – Lake View
Wednesday 11 January 6.30am start	Ladies, Senior & Intermediate Men Masters & Golden Girls Junior Men	1 st Round Match Play - Arikikapakapa 3 rd Round Strokeplay - Lake View 1 st Round Match Play – Lake View
AGM	Tangatarua Marae – 5pm	@ Waiariki Polytech
Thursday 12 January 6.30am 2 tee start 36 Holes all Match play rounds	Ladies, Senior & Inter Men - (Championship) Ladies, Senior & Inter Men - (Plate) Masters & Golden Girls Junior Men – (Championship) Junior men – (Plate)	2 nd & 3 rd Round Match Play – Arikikapakapa 1 st & 2 nd Round Match Play – Arikikapakapa Final Round Strokeplay – Lake View 2 nd & 3 rd Round Match Play – Lake View 1 st & 2 nd Round Match Play – Lake View
Friday 13 January 8am Start	FINALS Arikikapakapa & Lake View	CHAMPIONSHIP No 1 tee PLATE No 10 tee
Prize Giving (Awards)	Rotorua Convention Centre Doors open 4.30pm	Tutanekai Street Rotorua



TOURNAMENT CONDITIONS:

1 ELIGIBILITY

A person who is of Maori descent or is married/partner to a person of Maori descent.

2 ENTRIES

Entries will be received from amateurs with handicaps computed in accordance with the handicapping and course rating systems of the National Golf Association of the country they reside in. Entries will only be accepted from financial members (with playing rights) of golf clubs affiliated to their National Golf Association. Entrants must conform to the Rules of Amateur Status of the Royal and Ancient Golf Club of St Andrews. Entry fees accompanied with the official entry form must reach the NZMGA Treasurer, P.O.Box 73 Gisborne 4040 before 5.00pm on Friday 9th December 2011. Entries must be on the official entry form, which must be complete; late or incomplete entries without fees will not be accepted. Entry fees will not be refunded to entrants who withdraw after the closing date.

3 SIZE OF FIELD

The number of entries is limited to the first 150 per course max, who have prepaid and completed the official entry form.

4 DIVISIONS: Men - Divisions by handicap will be announced once all entries have been received

Senior men open (0.0 - 9 -10.?) Intermediate men (9 -10.?- 16.?) Junior men 16.?- 24
Ladies Open (0.0 - 36) Masters (55+ years) Golden Girls (55+ years)

Arikikapakapa - Ladies, Senior & Intermediate men

Lake View - Junior men Masters and Golden Girls.

5 RULES OF PLAY

The rules of play shall be the Rules of Golf as approved by the Royal and Ancient Golf Club of St Andrews and local rules approved by the Tournament Director and Tournament Committee.

6 REGISTRATION

Arikikapakapa Golf Club Sunday 9 January 2011 between the hours of 8am and 2pm.

Late registration will incur a \$100.00 penalty

7 STARTING TIMES, POSTPONEMENTS

Competitors must be prepared to play any round of the event whenever called upon to do so, and any round may be cancelled or postponed by the Committee to such day and hour, as may be thought fit.

8 DISPUTES

The Tournament/Course Directors will decide on all disputes or protests. All protests must be lodged with the Directors within 10 minutes of completing the round. Their decision on all points, disputes or protests shall be final.

9 MOTORISED CARTS

With the exception of Masters and Golden Girls all other players must present a medical certificate to the Tournament Director before commencement of play. Failure to comply will result in DISQUALIFICATION.

10 BALLS

It is a condition of the Tournament that only those brands of ball published in the current Lists of Conforming 1.68 Balls, which have been tested by the R & A or the USGA and found to conform to the Rules, may be used in the Tournament. The penalty for use of a brand not listed is DISQUALIFICATION.

11 DRAW

The draw will be posted at the golf clubs after each day of play.

12 TEE-OFF

Competitors MUST be on the tee, ready to start, 10 minutes before their advertised time. Competitors not ready to start will be dealt with under the Rules of Golf, Rule 6.3a (two strokes on first hole, stroke play only).

13 TIES

Ties for Divisional stroke play championship shall be decided by sudden death play-off. The Tournament/Course Directors will decide all other ties.

14 SLOW PLAY

Marshals will be on the course to monitor slow play and if a warning to a player is not heeded a two stroke penalty will be imposed. A repeated offence will result in the player's disqualification.

15 DRESS

Competitors are requested to maintain a respectable standard of dress as laid down by the clubs on and off the course. Failure to comply, the Tournament/Course Directors reserves the right to ask any player to leave the club(s) or central venue.

16 PROMOTION

The New Zealand Maori Golf Association and Rotorua Maori Golf Association reserve the right to use pictures, references and information collected during the 2012 New Zealand Maori Golf Championship for promotional purposes before, during and after the event.



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TO BE COMPLETED BY ALL ENTRANTS ENTERING THE 75th NEW ZEALAND MAORI GOLF CHAMPIONSHIP

First Name:	Gender M / F		Surname:	
Address:				
Phone Number:	Home Ph:		Mobile:	
Email Address:				
Iwi:		Occupation:		
Home Club:		Club/Membership ID:		
Handicap Index:		Entry Fee Enclosed: \$	D.O.B.	/ /

ENTRY FEE!

Masters - Golden Girls - 55yrs +	\$185.00
Senior, Intermediate, and Junior Men - Ladies	\$220.00
Juniors under the age of Nineteen (19) as at 8 January 2012	\$200.00

To help with planning etc can you please complete below

Attending the Powhiri; please enter in box how many attending with you who are not playing golf		Y	N
I will be attending the Awards Evening; Cost for non golfers \$35.00 - numbers attending?		Y	N
Marae accommodation - Koha - Numbers staying at Marae including you		Y	N
If wanting a polo shirt; please enter size in box provided.	SIZE		

I accept the Tournament Conditions and agree to abide by them.

Signed: _____

Post Entry Fee & Form To:

NZMGA Treasurer
P.O.Box 73
Gisborne 4040

Tournament Enquiries:

Tournament Director: Merv Waiwai
Phone: (04) 5274 082
Mobile: 027-474-0882
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mervwaiwai@gmail.com

Direct Credit payment to BNZ – 02-0470-0032998-000 (Ref & code - Surname & Golf Membership no.
Please email rose.taiapa@xtra.co.nz of this transaction.

Office Use Only:	Received:	Receipt No:	Cash / Cheque / Money order
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