

Website: www.lakecity.co.nz Email: info@lakecity.co.nz Clubrooms: Neil Hunt Park off Tarawera Road Lynmore – Rotorua

GUFF SHEET 16 April 2016

The past week:

Another quiet week on the local scene.

Be safe be seen:

Now that daylight saving has left us care is needed when out running



or walking on the footpaths and crossing roads. If you don't own a Hi Vis vest please purchase one. Don't wear dark clothing: don't run or walk all over the roads - face traffic: Just be sensible and responsible.

Renewal of club membership:

By now most of you should have received your instructions on how to make yourself financial online for the next year. Hopefully the small number of gremlins in the system has been sorted.

Some will <u>not</u> have received their individual email which has been caused by more than one person having the same email address. To overcome this problem a second email was been sent out on 4 April to all members who were financial for the year ending 31 March 2016. If you have not received the email please either email the clubinfo@lakecity.co.nz or call John on 029 348 2849.

Provision has been made for those that do not have access to the online registration system. Refer to the clubs website www.lakecity.co.nz for the "manual form" or uplift one from the clubrooms.

Please note those of you that have joined the Club in January/February as a new member via the Running Clinic no action is required to be taken by you. You have paid your membership as a Social Member for the forthcoming financial year.

John Marten – Club secretary/treasurer

Forth coming events:

In the City

<u>This Saturday 16 April</u>— the first of the clubs winter season events. See Saturday below for details

Distance events

Saturday 30 April - The 52nd Rotorua Marathon around Lake Rotorua Visit www.rotoruamarathon.co.nz Entry forms available at the clubrooms. You are now on the late entry fee.

SATURDAYS

The winter season programme kicks off this Saturday 16 April. Meet at 1.45pm at the Neil Hunt Park club rooms.



- The event will be a free Trout Fly event with afternoon tea provided by the Club.
- The winter season events cater for everyone youngsters older generations the fast-slow runners walkers joggers.
- Events are over varied terrain and distances some short (1km) some up to 10km some on farm paddocks some in park like areas some in the Forest some on footpaths.
- A new event has been included in the programme this winter. This is the Mokopuna Dash in the Forest between Tarawera a Long Mile Roads. Distance is around 2km for the youngsters and longer for adults if they want.
- The full seasons programme is at the clubrooms are can be downloaded from the club's website.

As can see there's something for everyone. Come along and check out the Club's winter activities.

SUNDAYS

Distance athletes

Groups including the running clinic members leave from the Neil Hunt Park clubrooms Sunday mornings at 7.00am. . The 10km clinic group met at the clubrooms 7.30is unless advised otherwise.

Those that walk — Meet at the Neil Hunt Park clubrooms just prior to 7.00am. Contacts are Pat Smyth 027 334 1425 — Marieke Wass 07 347 9885 ah or 027 462 8572 - Sarah Wiwarena — Ph: 346 3289 (evenings) Mobile 027 347 8115

MONDAYS

<u>Yoga for runners and walkers</u> – These classes for club members run from 7.30pm to 9.00pm on a Monday evening at the Neil Hunt Park clubrooms. Contact person is Sarah Lei 349 3558 or 027 228 5496

TUESDAYS

Walkers

<u>Am</u> - Meet at 8.00am at the Neil Hunt Park clubrooms

<u>Pm</u> - Meet 5.30pm at the Neil Hunt Park clubrooms.

Distance athletes

Groups including running clinic members leave from the Neil Hunt Park clubrooms at 5.30pm.

WEDNESDAYS

<u>Am</u> - For those over 15 years is a speed work and core strength session, 6.15am, at Smallbone Park, Devon Street Rotorua. Sessions led by Sarah Lei – 349 3558 (evenings) or 027 228 5496

THURSDAYS

Walkers

Am – Meet at 8.00am at Planet Bike, Waipa Mill By Pass Road

Pm – Meet 5.30pm at the Neil Hunt Park clubrooms.

Distance athletes

Groups including running clinic members leave from the Neil Hunt Park clubrooms at 5.30pm.

Tree felling in Whaka Forest:

Tree felling is happening along Hill and Pipeline Roads. Road closures week days include Hill, Pipeline, Reservoir, Nice, Chestnut and Moerangi Roads. Please adhere to safety notices, road closures and directions of the security people that maybe on site.



It is understood that there has been sign vandalism and security persons subjected to abuse. Remember we have access to a working Forest. Some Forests get closed all together when milling is happening. How lucky we are that it's not the one we use.

Marathon Volunteers:

Volunteers are being sought for the **52nd Rotorua Marathon** - pre marathon weekend as well as on the day — Saturday 30 May.There are a number of areas that club members, their family or friends can be involved with at this special event. Those pounding the pavement can be involved pre event.

Goodie Bag filling

Goodie bags have to be filled – one for each entrant – something like 3000 bags. This will be on the evening of Wednesday 27 April from 5.00pm at the Energy Events Centre, Government Gardens. Just rock up from 5.00pm

Friday 29 April

Saturday 30 May

Friday, even if you are taking part you can help. Volunteers are wanted for things like registration, being a general goffer etc. Registration starts 1.30pm on Friday and goes through to 9.00pm but you are not expected to be there all that time. Shifts can be worked. Place your name on the list at the clubrooms.

Saturday is the day where friends and family can help. Marshalls (adults) are required from 6.00am through to around 5.30pm on this day. Most of the areas to be marshalled are out on the early or the latter part of the course (2 to 3 km from the Government Gardens). This is a great job, as you can see all your mates, friends etc taking part. Like Friday shifts can be worked. Again place your name on the list at the clubrooms.

Club uniforms:

If you have not purchased a club singlet to wear on the 30 April don't leave it too much longer. It is recommended that it is washed before wearing, and that you wear it a couple of times before the big day. See below for purchase details.

By being in the club colours you will get more cheers and encouragement from the local public than those not.

Club uniforms

If you wish to purchase an item from the club's wardrobe (Singlet, tee shirt, hoodie, beanie etc) please contact one of the following to arrange a time to make the purchase

Payment to be made at time of purchase - please bring along the correct change

Costs: Adults running singlets: \$35.00 Adults short sleeve walker's tees: \$35.00 Junior (children) singlets (size 4 to 14) - \$15.00

There are other items such as adult and children's track suits, adult hoodies and beanies – cost of these on request

Contacts are:

Denise Caudwell - Ph 346 8431 (evenings) **Nikki Mitchell** - Ph: 349 2920 (evenings): Mobile 027 464 8546 **Sarah Wiwarena** – Ph: 346 3289 (evenings): Mobile 027 347 8115

Please call one of the above to arrange a suitable day/time to meet at the clubrooms to check what you want to purchase