Clubs New Zealand North Island Ladies Outdoor Bowls Tournament
Delegates Meeting
Hamilton Working Mens Clubs
Tuesday 10th November 2026

## Present

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| Petone | Sandy Booth | Lynda Stevens |
| South Taranki | Megan Peters | Alethea Rowlands |
| HWMC | Judi Bishop | Noeline Hancock |
| Upper Hutt | Renee Bullen | Margaret McKenzie |
| Johnsonville | Janet Nehemia | Paula Meredith |
| Levin | Irene Poletti | Ralda Adams |
| Raglan | Eileen Stevens | |
| Waitara | Gloria Wolfe | Tina Quilter |
| Waitomo | Michelle Tapara | Pania Reed |
| Tokoroa | Kath Nepe | |

Meeting opened by Teryy Ray, President, South Waikato/Bay of Plenty

## Apologies

No apologies received

## Minutes of Silence

A moment of silence was held for those members who had passed away.

**Previous minutes were tabled and accepted as true and correct.**

Moved: South Taranaki; seconded: Waitomo; carried

## No Matters Arising

## Application for Future Tournaments

Only one formal application was received, from Manuwera Club. As South Taranaki had put their name forward at last year's meeting but had not submitted a formal application, Terry Ray asked Manuwera if they would consider holding the tournament in 2028 instead of 2027. After discussion between Manuwera and South Taranaki delegates, they agreed to this plan. South Taranaki 2027; Manuwera 2028. Carried

Terry Ray advised all that the process for hosting was to be submitted with a written application 2 weeks before the delegates' meeting. Note for future hosting.

## General Business

Paula Meredith from Johnsonville asked why there were only 4 rounds in qualifying when it's always been 6; Judi Bishop from HWMC explained that originally 6 rounds were planned but were changed due to bad weather and unavailability of greens; if that had not occurred, section play may have only consisted of 1-2 games. Renee Bukken Upper Hutt commented that the pre-tournament communications had not been great re lunches, and entries had been received by Clubs NZ, to be implemented in the future if possible.

Meeting Closed @ 7.25pm