



Wellington have great 2010 in National Events

Wow – what a way to finish the year!

The Wellington team did us all proud by their stunning win in the Men's Interprovincial played at Paraparaumu Beach. After a stuttering 3-2 loss against Hawke's Bay in the first round the team gained a number of great results which culminated in a 5-0 win against Canterbury in the final round. Wellington remained unbeaten in the rest of the round robin series to win their section and head to the semifinals for the fourth year in a row.

In the semifinal against Otago the team proved just too strong although Peter Spearman-Burn lost to Duncan Croudis who with Wellington's Tom Brockelsby retained his perfect unbeaten record for the week. In the final the team started well to take the lead after 9 holes with at that stage 4 players leading their North Harbour opponents. When Tom Brockelsby won his match on the 16th to keep his unbeaten tournament record Wellington were on the way to a fine win. James Betts lost out to an eagle on the last before both Adam Church and Peter Spearman-Burn both won the last hole to record 2 up wins and confirm the team victory before Ben Campbell put the icing on the celebratory cake with his win. An additional highlight of the week was Tom Brockelsby deservedly winning the player of the tournament.

Men's Interprovincial Paraparaumu Beach Golf Club

	<i>v H Bay</i>	<i>v Aorangi</i>	<i>V Pov Bay</i>	<i>v N Harb</i>	<i>v Southld</i>	<i>v Cant'y</i>	<i>SemiFinal v Otago</i>	<i>Final v N Harb</i>
Ben Campbell	L 3/2	W 2/1	W 3/1	L 3/2	W 3/2	W 5/4	A/S	W 2/1
Peter S-Burn	W 7/6	L 3/2	W 4/3	W6/5	L 1dn	W 2/1	L 2/1	W 2up
Adam Church	L 5/4	W 3/2	W 4/3	W 2/1	L 3/2	W 5/3	W 5/4	W 2up
Tom Brockelsby	W 5/3	W 2/1	W 5/4	W 2/1	W 3/1	W 2/1	W 3/2	W 4/2
James Betts	L 3/1	L 2/1	W 1up	L 2/1	W 1up	W 4/3	W 2up	L 1dn
	L 2 : 3	W 3 : 2	W 5 : 0	W 3 : 2	W 3 : 2	W 5 : 0	W 3.5 : 1.5	W 4 : 1

So close but great progress for young team

A wonderful year for the Wellington Women's team was capped off by a fine tournament at the Interprovincials. From a steady beginning to the week Wellington remained unbeaten in Section play which included a great win over the tournament favourites Auckland in the final round robin match. In the semifinal Wellington although looking in good

position after 12 holes finally lost out to the highly talented North Harbour team. It was a great effort by the team and continued a remarkable effort for the 2010 season where this loss in the Interprovincial was the only team loss for the young team. Te Rongopai Clay was the best performer for the team at Miramar and just like the team she had her only loss of the week in the semifinal. Watch out for this team in 2011!

Women's Interprovincial Miramar Golf Club

	v H Bay	v Cant'y	V Southld	v B of P	v Auck	v Aorangi	SemiFinal N Harb
Lucy Davis	W 4/2	W 3/2	L 3/1	W 3/2	L 5/4	L 3/1	L 5/4
Julianne Alvarez	W2/1	L 4/3	W 4/3	W 2up	W 1up	W 1up	L 4/3
Barbara Parreno	L 4/3	L 4/3	L 3/1	L 5/4	W 3/2	W 3/2	W 2/1
Alanah Bryabrook	L 1dn	W 1up	A/S	L 2/1	A/S	W 2up	L 2dn
Te Rong'ai Clay	W 2/1	W 2/1	W 5/4	A/S	W 2/1	W 2/1	L 3/1
	W 3 : 2	W 3 : 2	2.5 : 2.5	2.5 : 2.5	W 3.5 : 1.5	W 4 : 1	L 4 : 1

Disappointing finish for Women's Masters team

The team showed what could be done with consistent scoring in the second round of the tournament but could not maintain that form in the last 2 rounds to finish out the tournament 7th of the 14 teams. Once again Fiona McBride and Kay Wall were consistent and showed the benefit of their experience at this level. Newcomers to the tournament Marilyn Pierson and Judy Randell both from Manor Park will gain from the experience.

Women's Masters Maraenui Golf Club

	Rd 1	Rd 2	Rd 3	Rd 4	Total
Fiona McBride	25	34	32	26	117
Kay Wall	30	31	26	28	115
Marilyn Pierson	22	26	23	26	97
Judy Randell	25	32	26	23	106

So near for Men's Masters team

Trying for their third win in a row for this tournament Wellington just missed out to their long rivals North Harbour in the closely fought final at the Otatara course in Invercargill. Former Southlander Peter Brinsdon joined up with his four new colleagues to take on the course and their opponents in the annual Freyberg Masters tournament. Beaten just the once in Section play Wellington once more made the semifinals where they beat Waikato with 4 of the 5 matches going to the last

two holes. It was just as tight in the final and the match was only decided as the games at number 1 and number 2 played the 18th green – so it was close but on this occasion a case of this year so close and yet so far for Wellington. A bright spot was obtained by Malcolm Gullery who staged some remarkable recoveries to remain unbeaten for the week and win the Player of the Tournament award.

Men's Masters **Invercargill Golf Club**

	v M-Wang	v Otago	V Tasman	v Auck	v Southld	v H Bay	SemiFinal v Waik	Final v N Harb
Jeff Sims	W 1up	L 2/1	W 2up	L 3/2	A/S	W 1up	W 5/4	A/S
Peter Brinsdon	W 8/7	L 3/2	W 5/4	A/S	W 4/2	W 6/4	L 1dn	A/S
Malcolm Gullery	A/S	W 1up	A/S	A/S	W 7/6	A/S	W 2/1	W 3/2
Tam Slaven	L 4/3	W 2up	L 3/2	L 1dn	W 2/1	W 3/2	W 1up	L 3/2
Rodney Barltrop	A/S	W 3/2	W 4/3	A/S	L 3/2	W 2/1	W 1up	L 5/4
	W 3 : 2	W 3 : 2	W 3.5 : 1.5	L 1.5 : 3.5	W 3.5 : 1.5	W 4.5 : 0.5	W 4 : 1	L 2 : 3