

The Lupin Snooper

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WELCOME TO SEASON 2018

The Management Committee wish to extend a warm welcome to new and existing members to the Club for the 2018 season.

The Club has 5 teams competing in Open Grades this season --

Premier	Premier Reserve	Colts Premier
Division 3	Under 19	

As you will see we have lost one of our Division 3 teams this season mainly due to a good number of these players moving to Premier Reserve (Division 2) as this team was very light of players with retirements and other player departures from last season. We are pleased to retain the Under 18 team from last season, who will now play as an Under 19 team in the Colts Reserve grade.

All teams start this Saturday -7 April 2018

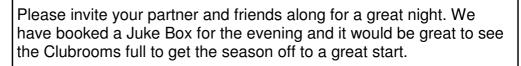
We wish all teams all the best for the coming season.

Wayne Turner, Chairman

OPENING NIGHT SOCIAL EVENT

Let's get the season off to a great start!

We want to fill the Clubrooms and celebrate the opening day of the season this Saturday 7 April 2018.



Finger food will be served around 7.15-7.30pm

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2018 SUBSCRIPTIONS

Playing Members	Senior Division 1 to Under 18	\$150
	Tertiary	\$100
Social	Non playing	\$20

- (a) All subs to be paid by 30 April 2018
- (b) Gear will not be issued before payment is received.
- (c) No pay no play

We are happy to have payment made by direct credit if required (certain parameters will apply). The Club bank account number is

03-0814-0138009-00 (Please show your name as a reference)

Our Club Treasurer will be present on Saturday evenings to accept subscription and Go for Gold payments during April.

Any player who is not financial as at 30 April 2018 will not be permitted to play.

MEMBERSHIP CARDS

Membership cards will be issued again to members on receipt of payment of the annual subscription.

Members are asked to have these cards with them <u>at all times</u> as our Club Bar Licence only allows our staff to serve alcohol to <u>paid financial members</u> and they will ask you for this proof (particular new members).

See further details on Page 4

CAR PARKING

All members are reminded that the car parks closest to the Clubrooms are reserved for Committee members throughout the season (including on training nights).

These car parks together with the entrance and driveway into the Domain off Rawhiti Avenue, which is used by the Ambulance Service, are not to be used by members <u>under any circumstances</u>.

Unauthorised vehicles will be towed away at the owner's expense.

2018 MANAGEMENT COMMITTEE

Patron	Ian Penrose
President	Derek Davidson
Vice-Presidents	Jim Christie Brian Pawson
Chairman	Wayne Turner
Club Captain	Denis Cations
Deputy Club Captain	Kevin Odgers
RDO	Roddy Butt
Treasurer	Wendy Harris
Treasurer Secretary	Wendy Harris Paulie Jorda-Gonzalez
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Secretary	Paulie Jorda-Gonzalez
Secretary Committee	Paulie Jorda-Gonzalez Henare Faithfull, Kevin Lundon, Ben Nelson, Reuben Spicer, Scott Taylor, Michael Woodrow

2018 COACHES

The following coaches are confirmed for the 2018 season -

Premier

Premier Reserve Colts Premier

Senior Division 3 Under 19 Head Coach—Scott Pawson Coaches — Marcel Cummings -Toone, Alisi Tupuailei & Reuben Spicer Denis Cations and Henare Faithfull Head Coach—Tony Hall Coach—Warwick Reid Tess Ah Kuoi and Andrew Littlejohn Josh Pitcher and Chris Boyce

Contact Numbers for these coaches are on the Club website.

SATURDAY NIGHT SPEECHES

This season the Management Committee will be aiming to start the Club Speeches at <u>6.15pm sharp</u> every Saturday evening.

We believe all members/players have a responsibility to support the Club each Saturday at least for a short period including the time speeches are on. We are not asking players/members to stay for hours, but at least make an effort to be present by 6pm. We see this allocated speech time as an important opportunity to further communicate upcoming events to all members.

The speech segment will follow the following structure -

- Only one Player of the Day will speak
- Raffles and Go for Gold will be drawn before speeches with the results announced at 6.15pm

This season, we will also be expecting the courtesy of <u>complete silence</u> while these speeches are conducted. **Other Clubs can do it**— **so can we**. The bar will also close while speeches are on.

We would ask all patrons in the Club at the time to assist us in this process. We look forward to seeing a good representation of each team on Saturday evenings.

SATURDAY NIGHT RAFFLE

Kevin Odgers will be overseeing the selling of raffles this season.

This season we will be selling \$2 meat tray raffles with 3 prizes each week

This season we are reverting to a roster for all teams to take a turn to sell the Club raffle. The Management Committee will do the first two weeks, then the roster will be -

21 April	
5 May	
19 Mav	

Premier Premier Reserve Division Three 28 April 12 May 26 May Junior sub-committee Colts Premier Under 19

We thank all teams in anticipation of their efforts to sell raffles when they are rostered.

Important

Club Bar Licence

The Club continues to welcome all friends, family and visitors to the Club throughout the season. There is nothing more pleasing than seeing the Clubrooms full each week, and at the end of the day the bar turnover supports the operation of the Club.

However all members need to be aware that the conditions of our Bar Licence requires that all <u>non-financial members</u> of the Club sign the <u>Visitors Book</u> at the bar.

Should we get an inspection throughout the season, and we are seen to be serving any person who is un-financial, or alternatively has not signed the Visitors Book, could lead to a fine and closure of the Bar for a period.

We therefore appeal to all members to -

(a) Carry their Membership Card on them at all times (issued on payment of annual subscription)

(b) When bringing visitors to the Club, please ensure they sign the Visitor's Book in the Foyer each time they come along. The alternative is to get them to sign up as a social member for a cost of \$20.

Please don't be offended if Bar Staff ask for your membership card during the season.

The Bar is licenced to 11pm each night, and later on Club event nights, so please don't be offended if Bar staff ask you to leave at our official closing time. It is important we stick to the requirements of our licence.



KITCHEN/BAR

The Management Committee is pleased to report our kitchen and bar will be under control of our Secretary, Paulie Jorda-Gonzalez again this season.

You will continue to see a wider range of well priced beverages have been made available to members. We look forward to good support from members this season.

Paulie is going to trial some new menu options for the month of April to see how they sell. These options are shown in red below.

Orders can be placed with bar staff each Saturday night and the proposed menu will be

Beef Burger & Chips	\$10	Chicken nuggets & Chips	\$8
Chicken Burger & Chips	\$10	Burger & 750ml Beer	\$15
Fisherman's Basket & Fries	\$8	Fish Burger & Chips	\$10
Toasties (various + chips)	\$7	Wedges & Sour Cream	\$8
Fries & Sauce	\$5	Fish Sammie and chips	\$6
Steak & Salad (inc Fries/eggs)	\$15	Chicken Salad	\$12
Chicken, Bacon, Mshrm Pasta	\$12	Steak Casserole on Rice	\$12

We look forward to good support from members again this season.

Smoking Zone

We once again appeal to all smokers to refrain from smoking in and around the front and rear entrances to the Clubrooms.

The congregation of smokers at the entrances is not a good example for any visitors to the Club. This is all the more important as junior teams begin to frequent the Club over the coming weeks.

A designated smokers' area is located at the side of the Clubrooms and provides some shelter from the elements.

UPCOMING EVENTS

- 7 May Senior Club Day (and Sponsors Day)
- 26 May Junior Club Day
- **16 June** Blazer Day

We have a couple of other events planned and the dates will be communicated as soon as they are confirmed.

SPONSORS FOR PREMIER TEAM 2018

David Browne Contractors Ltd.

David Browne Contracting Ltd are a heating and ventilating engineering contracting company in the South Island. They have completed a range of commercial HVAC and mechanical services projects in the South Island and pride themselves on taking on challenging projects. Work undertaken includes air conditioning, pool water services, piped services, heating and cooling services, medical gases, LPG, and general mechanical construction work.



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PREMIER 2018

Here is your team

The 2018 Division One squad is a blend of youth and experience, and we are excited by the prospects for the squad this season.

Missing from last year's squad are Scott Powell (not playing), Ben Rush (not playing), Carisbrook Toomal'atai (Samoa) Henare Faithfull (injured), James Mangin (Lincoln University), Fili Waqainabete (Sumner), Joe Brock (UK), Lisate Huihui (Samoa), Feleti Kaituu (Perth), and Reuben Spicer (injured)

The squad will be captained by Troy Mangin, and Ryan Newman will be Vice-Captain.

Forwards

Skyler Adams (Marist) Nathan Ah Kee Jenkin Alaifea Josh Archer (Colts) Luis Canti Argaya (Spain) Rory Crowhen (Returning) Nikos Cummings-Toone Paul Garner (Marist) Billy Harmon Louis Harmon Lucas Hill Oliver Jager (Crusaders) Rawiri Karena Brent Lamb (Returning) Aaron McCov Troy Mangin (Returning) Ben Nelson Rvan Newman Julian Quintero (Argentina) Connor Pokoati Boris Van Bruchem Nathan Vella Tom Verdonk (Linwood)

MANAGERS

Wayne Turner Ron Vette Hayden Duncan

PHYSIO Will Bowman

TRAINER Logan Surridge

DOCTOR Lee Brown

Backs Scott Allin (Colts) Joeli Baledrtkadroka (Shirley) Matthew Burleigh **Tony Christie** Ryan Crotty (Crusaders) Scott Davidson Mike Delany (Crusaders) Jordan French (Colts) Alex Frew (Marist) Jack Gifford (Otago) Ben Hanham David Havilli (Crusaders) Walter Huata Keleb Hunt-Wheeler (Colts) Fai Lalamilo Kieran Le Beau **Brett Mather** Patrick McCallum (Colts) Stefan Moir Tanu Sauvine (League) John Vili Sid Williams (Colts)

HEAD COACH

Scott Pawson

COACHES

Marcel Cummings-Toone Alisi Tupuailei Reuben Spicer

New Brighton Golden Oldies 2018

We are starting up a new team this year!

Must be over 35 years old. Available to play on Sundays A social team needed to play 4 games this year ... First game in May, 1 game each month.

Contact Michael Woodrow (email— nbrfcgoldenoldies@gmail.com) Limited player numbers available. Kia Kaha



KEY FUNDRAISER—GO FOR GOLD 2018

This has been a wonderful source of fundraising for out club, and we would like to thank everybody who has continued to support the Club in this way.

This yea we have already sold 120 tickets which means there will be four prizes each week. If we could sell another 20+ tickets, we would be in a position to add in another prize draw each week.

To summarise the key elements of the fundraiser, which will apply this season -

- The total ticket price will be \$200.
- The Go for Gold Club will run over 20 weeks.
- Ticket holders will become *Affiliate* members of the Club and will therefore be given a complementary number in our weekly draw at the Club on Saturday Evenings. Ticket holders need to be present to be eligible for the weekly draw.

While this is a relatively expensive ticket price, we welcome weekly \$10 payments to make it easier if required.

If you don't already have a number and would like one, please contact Wayne Turner ASAP.

Email: wayne.turner1@xtra.co.nz

Application forms are also in the upstairs foyer in the Club, or can be downloaded from the club website -

http://www.newbrightonrugby.co.nz/information/go-for-gold/