

## USEFUL CONTACTS

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### Bar Hours

Normally:  
Mon 5pm - 9pm  
Tue 5pm - 10pm\*  
Wed 5pm - 10pm\*  
Thu 5pm - 10pm  
Fri 5pm - 8pm  
Weekends As required

### Pro Shop Hours

Normally:  
Mon 5pm - 9pm  
Tue 5pm - 10pm\*  
Wed 5pm - 10pm\*  
Thu 5pm - 10pm  
Fri 5pm - 8pm  
Weekends By appointment  
During Tournaments  
\*During competitions



## Happy New Year and Welcome Back to Squash

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Welcome to Tawa Squash for 2019, a year that promises to be a busy and progressive year for the club as we gear up to give the construction of an additional court some serious attention, we host the National E Grade Superchamps finals, and we hold our first ever regional doubles tournament. And that is all on the back of our normal events for the year.

### Summer Fun 2019 starts 29/30 January (Tuesdays and Wednesdays)

Entries are open for the first 2019 "Summer Fun" competition. Players of five different levels of ability (from extremely competent to novices) are arranged into teams and play a round robin over 5 weeks playing other players of a similar level. This is open to all senior members including social and pay to play, (or juniors who play senior interclub), but most importantly it is an ideal event for new members to get to know others and to experience our fantastic club culture. Choose either Tuesday or Wednesday evening and enter on the sheet provided on the club notice board or emailing [info@tawasquash.co.nz](mailto:info@tawasquash.co.nz)

This is a team event which begins at 7pm sharp and concludes after supper, served at approx. 9:45pm.

**PLEASE NOTE:** there is no play Waitangi week (Waitangi day falls on Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup>)

**STRICTLY LIMITED to the first 30 entries for Tuesday and the first 30 entries for Wednesday.**

### Get to play more club members in 2019 via Leagues and the Ladder

The league and ladder competition are both great ways to get more squash against other club members, some of whom you may not have played before.

The league pits you against 3 or 4 other club members with the player who gains the most competition points in each league going up a division the following month (except the top division) and the one who comes at the tail of the group going down a division (except for the bottom division).

The ladder allows you to challenge someone up to three levels above you on the ladder (on the downstairs noticeboard) with the winner (if lower on the ladder) taking the winner's spot while the winner, and others who may have been between the players on the ladder going down a spot.

### Women's Skills Evening

The Tawa Women's Group is hosting their second skills session **this Thursday night (17<sup>th</sup>)** from 6:20 – 7:40 pm. This session is an opportunity to meet some of the other women members at Tawa Squash, and you are especially welcome if you are a new member. Come squash ready.

### Juniors Coaching Programme

The highly acclaimed Tawa-Mana junior coaching programme run by Nick Mita is back again for 2019. The programme runs each school term, predominantly on a Monday afternoon/evening, with sessions shared between courts at Tawa and Mana. This is a fantastic programme which has seen some outstanding successes. If you have a child who may be interested, or know of one, contact Nikki at [annika.c.farmer@gmail.com](mailto:annika.c.farmer@gmail.com) to secure a spot. The cost per term is \$85. This is strictly limited to 48 children (ideally 12 groups of 4) and begins on Monday 11<sup>th</sup> February.

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