



Waikato Table Tennis Association

NEWSLETTER

March 2026

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SUCCESSFUL WAIKATO AUTUMN OPEN

We had a very successful Waikato Autumn Open over the weekend of 21st and 22nd March. There were 82 people that participated in the event. This was good revenue for our Association and a lot of fun for the players.

O30 Womens Doubles (Annie, Heather, Sandra and Yumin)





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The full results were as follows:

O60 Mens Singles	1	Neil Hoolihan
	2	David George Scott
O30 Womens Doubles	1	Yumin Lin+Sandra Piper
	2	Annie Liu+Heather Stringer
O30 Mens Doubles	1	Jimmy Caunter+Ben Jung
	2	Xiao Feng Fu+Xander Huang
O30 Womens Singles	1	Yumin Lin
	2	Annie Liu
O30 Mens Singles	1	Barry Griffiths
	2	Jimmy Caunter
U19 Girls Doubles	1	Angel Han+Yelena Yi
	2	Anya Chen+Ayumi Emilie Moriyama Picard
U19 Boys Doubles	1	Oscar Du+Rex Zhou
	2	Haotian Xu+Jiming Yang
U19 Girls Singles	1	Angel Han
	2	Yelena Yi
U19 Boys Singles	1	Eli Ho
	2	Oscar Jiang
U15 Boys Doubles	1	Akhil Arjun+Matome Mongalo
	2	Logan Lin+Haoran Xing
U15 Girls Singles	1	Karen Looi
	2	Abigail Tao
U15 Boys Singles	1	George Dong
	2	Sebastian Bohan Ye
U13 Girls Singles	1	Karen Looi
	2	Bessie Li
U13 Boys Singles	1	Matome Mongalo
	2	Logan Lin
U11 Girls Singles	1	Ahana Gupta
	2	Mia Xue
U11 Boys Singles	1	Lu-Dong Fu
	2	Keshav Venugopalan
Open Mens Doubles	1	Jack Chen+Jiming Yang
	2	Max Henderson+Ben Jung
Open Womens Singles	1	Jocelyn Zuyan Lam
	2	Ayumi Emilie Moriyama Picard
Open Mens Singles	1	Jet Lin
	2	Tushan Engineer



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SUCCESSFUL WOMEN & GIRLS HAVE-A-GO

The Women & Girls Have-A-Go sessions on the 7th and 8th of March went well. These sessions were promoted by TTNZ in support of International Womens Day.





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URINAL

Here is some good news for the men. We are in the process of replacing the old trough urinal with some modern wall hung urinals.



And you will all be pleased to know that we got to the bottom of the problem that was causing the smell. The pipe directly underneath the urinal had corroded, causing all of the waste to go directly down into the ground underneath the urinal.





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HOLIDAY PROGRAM 7TH TO 10TH OF APRIL

Tom Liu is holding a holiday program next week. This is open to members and non-members. You can book a place here → <http://wktta.helloclub.com/public/calendar/month/all>

Get in quick because places are filling up fast.

BITS & PIECES

The New Zealand Veterans Open Championships are being held this Easter Weekend. We have quite a few players representing Waikato. Good luck to them, hopefully they will get a lot of nets & edges 😊

We are grateful for the support we receive from our sponsors and we ask members to support them in return whenever possible.

**Tū Manawa
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