



Timaru, Temuka and Geraldine  
Motorcycle Touring Club  
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## PRESIDENTS REPORT

Hello All!

Hope you have all come through these very strange times well. The AGM is coming up soon and this is the time to step up and give a hand. The club does not run itself and will need people to take the next step and become more involved with the goings on in the club. It is only one night out of the month (first Thursday) for committee. Meetings are never more than a couple of hours. This is your club and you will only get out what you put in. I am confident that the club members will rise to the occasion and put their best foot forward.

Shawn

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## The Smoke Filled Room....

Hello to everyone again! Well, that was an interesting couple of months, wasn't it? We are now on the other side, thank goodness, and if you are anything like us... we finally achieved some DIY that had always been put on the back burner, as getting out on the bikes seemed a better use of our time.....

So, what's new and exciting....???

For those that weren't aware, the black club trailer was stolen from the grounds late last year. This has finally been dealt to, and with a return from the insurance claim, we can look for new trailer. We would like to replace it with a single axle, caged one, so if anyone is in the know, please let us know, so we can consider all options.

## AGM AND MIDWINTER PARTY – JUNE 20, 2020

Again, with the ups and downs, of the last couple of months, once the committee was finally able to get together, it was decided that the AGM and

Midwinter will be combined this year. Yes, it is a little unorthodox. This will be held at the Winchester Showgrounds, with the AGM running from 2pm-4pm and the Midwinter continuing on after that with dinner around 7pm. Remember elections of officers are up to you, the club members, so please participate. If there is anything you would like bought up at the AGM please do so. Also if there is anything you want tabled, please let me (Tanya) know so I can add it to the agenda. Please also send me any apologies. Unfortunately, this year we will not have a guest speaker.

Fees are due by the start of the AGM, and paid members will have the vote, however, "penalties" will be waived this year. These can be paid directly into the clubs bank account. The yearly fees remain the same. \$20 per single membership and \$30 per Couple/Family membership.

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## **RALLY**

Planning has started, albeit slightly conservatively. As we watch how gathering will play out over the next few months, we may need to adjust the way we do things slightly, although that remains to be seen. Again, ideas and suggestions always welcome.

We know people will be itching to get out and gather, so lets hope it all goes well.

## **FROM HARRY PARKER**

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### **Hey Team**

Sadly due to the Corona virus our season has been cut short with only doing 3 rounds they have canceled NZSBK for health and safety witch I completely understand.

This year we had a awesome bike we even had some "special öhlins suspension" we were the only ones running these in New Zealand they came from the world SuperSport 300s witch was amazing but sadly we have to return them now.

This year my goal was to become the champion but sadly we did not achieve this since I crash and Hampton downs in Auckland,

I ended up finishing 5th overall but all in all it was a really good year with learning so much and having a awesome team backing me.

A massive massive thank you to you guy at TTAG for your on going support through out this year, let's hope we can turn this around next year and get the number 1NZ on my bike

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Poker Run badges have arrive....for thos who went, please let me know if you want one.

**And finally.....**

**IRONY.....** finally being allowed to get out on the bike.....only to have it not go.....

