

The Drift

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Editors Note

The skiing and snowboarding season seemed to just whiz by this year. Hopefully everyone managed to get to the Lodge a few times to enjoy the snow and the friendly atmosphere.

Now that the snow has melted, your ski equipment has been maintained and tucked away for the summer; it is also time to closely inspect the maintenance requirements at both Lodges.

There are many fantastic attractions for the whole family in and around Ohakune during the summer months; the Tongariro Crossing must be one highlight and the opportunity to walk up the mountain to see what you have been skiing over during the winter months would be another.

Why not take advantage of your club membership and visit the Lodge over the summer months, enjoy the many fun attractions and commit to one or more of the tasks identified in the following maintenance schedule. Your assistance now will ensure your Lodges remain safe and updated and your visit in the winter months will be more enjoyable.

All you need to do is book into the Lodge using the website and nominate in your booking what work you would like to undertake. The following weekends have been targeted as 'working bees'

19 – 20 February 2011

12 – 13 March 2011

2 – 3 April 2011

Easter Weekend

Maintenance Tasks

Gas bottle stowage area - to be made compliant:

Fit materials as supplied by ELGAS to building and each side of fence

Clean out storm water sump in car park

Replace main water pipe from the meter box to corner of front lodge

Extend concrete pad to end buildings, curb alongside rear lodge

to waste

Rear Lodge

Prep, undercoat and topcoat (x2) both side walls
Complete installation of bathroom exhaust fans
Gib and paint kitchen/dining room
Complete installation of insulation in the roof
Complete installation of insulation under bathroom floor
Paint drying room: review racks/control panel
Replace sagging spouting over kitchen
Reconfigure heat transfer system
Complete custodians room, fit architraves/paint

Front Lodge

Install Light over Ski Club Sign (front corner of Lodge)
Water blast and paint Roof
Room 8 Gib and paint
Scrap and paint Lounge windows
Review spouting on car port/replace is necessary/check drain
Replace sink arrangement in women's toilet with double vanity
Fit seat outside women's showers to drying room wall
Check/replace exhaust fan in drying room, (extremely noisy)
Heat transfer system: Change vents in room 6 & 7, to push air along the ceiling
Install new stereo
On completion of all of the above: (may be following year)
Consider air lock porch for rear lodge to reduce heat loss
(For review: options to refurbish bathrooms - Hale system)
Paint through bedrooms/halls/(lounge rear lodge)
Replace carpet both lodges (excluding front lodge lounge)

Between Drifts...

Don't forget the latest club information (including some new articles about the club's history) is always available on our website: www.rznasc.org.nz

Until next time – take good care, travel safe and have a wonderful Xmas and New Year.

Kind Regards – Barbara (Editor)