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# Welcome...



Hello, and welcome to the 59th edition of the Hilton Petone Tournament, proudly sponsored once again by Caltex Railway Avenue. I extend a warm welcome to all players, team officials and supporters. Thank you for your continued support, and all the best for your pre-season efforts.

The format this year will be 12 teams in a two-group division 1, and a 17 team division 2 with one group that has 5 teams. We have reintroduced Monday night games to ensure the referee resources are managed carefully, as this is also their pre-season event. The Division 1 group winners will go straight into the final and Division 2 will have the top two from each group progress to a quarterfinal stage. (Please remember that there is no extra time - if a game results in a draw, the teams go straight to a penalty shootout.) Artificial turfs will again be utilised at Memorial Park (along with the #4 grass pitch) and both Maidstone and Wakefield Parks, and we have earlier kick-off times when games clash with a Phoenix home match.

Our sincere thanks to the following for making this tournament happen: Barry Pickering (Tournament organiser); Jamie Cross and Capital Football; our Petone FC Management Committee and all other club volunteers; Barry Tasker and the Capital Football Referees; Radio Sport for their continuing coverage; Pete Thomas and the Upper Hutt Football Club for managing games at Maidstone Park; all the clubs that continue to support the event each year, and of course our fantastic sponsor Caltex Railway Avenue. Without your support we couldn't continue to host the region's top pre-season football event!

Good luck to all teams. Play hard but play fair, and please remember to support our local sponsor, Caltex Railway Avenue - just around the corner from Memorial Park.

Craig Deadman,  
Chairman,  
Petone Football Club



# Tournament Divisions

## Division 1

### Group 1

Miramar Rangers  
Lower Hutt City A  
Upper Hutt City A  
Stop Out A  
Waterside Karori  
Marist A

### Group 2

Olympic A  
Petone A  
Tawa A  
Island Bay A  
Victoria University A  
Seatoun

## Division 2

### Group 1

Petone B  
North Wellington  
Naenae  
Stokes Valley

### Group 2

Olympic B  
Kapiti Coast United  
Island Bay B  
Marist B

### Group 3

Lower Hutt City B  
Victoria University B  
Tawa B  
Wainuiomata B

### Group 4

Wainuiomata A  
Brooklyn Northern United  
Upper Hutt City B  
Stop Out B  
Porirua Leste

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# Tournament Draw - Division 1

## Group 1

### Round 1

1.00 pm	Wak1	Miramar Rangers	v	Marist A
1.00 pm	Mem1	Lower Hutt City A	v	Waterside Karori
3.00 pm	Maid	Upper Hutt City A	v	Stop Out A

### Round 2

#### Sun 02 March

3.00 pm	Wak1	Miramar Rangers	v	Waterside Karori
1.00 pm	Maid	Lower Hutt City A	v	Stop Out A
3.00 pm	Maid	Upper Hutt City A	v	Marist A

### Round 3

#### Sun 09 March

2.00 pm	Wak2	Miramar Rangers	v	Stop Out A
2.00 pm	Maid	Lower Hutt City A	v	Upper Hutt City A
12.00 pm	Wak2	Waterside Karori	v	Marist A

### Round 4

#### Sun 16 March

3.00 pm	Maid	Miramar Rangers	v	Upper Hutt City A
1.00 pm	Maid	Lower Hutt City A	v	Marist A
1.00 pm	Wak2	Stop Out A	v	Waterside Karori

### Round 5

#### Sun 23 March

1.00 pm	Wak1	Miramar Rangers	v	Lower Hutt City A
3.00 pm	Maid	Upper Hutt City A	v	Waterside Karori
1.00 pm	Mem1	Stop Out A	v	Marist A

## Group 2

### Round 1

#### Sun 23 February

3.00 pm	Wak2	Olympic A	v	Seatoun
3.00 pm	Mem1	Petone A	v	Victoria University A
3.00 pm	Wak1	Tawa A	v	Island Bay A

### Round 2

#### Sun 02 March

3.00 pm	Wak2	Olympic A	v	Victoria University A
3.00 pm	Mem1	Petone A	v	Island Bay A
1.00 pm	Wak2	Tawa A	v	Seatoun

### Round 3

#### Sun 09 March

2.00 pm	Wak1	Olympic A	v	Island Bay A
2.00 pm	Mem1	Petone A	v	Tawa A
12.00 pm	Mem1	Victoria University A	v	Seatoun

### Round 4

#### Sun 16 March

3.00 pm	Wak1	Olympic A	v	Tawa A
3.00 pm	Mem1	Petone A	v	Seatoun
3.00 pm	Wak2	Island Bay A	v	Victoria University A

### Round 5

#### Sun 23 March

3.00 pm	Mem1	Olympic A	v	Petone A
1.00 pm	Wak2	Tawa A	v	Victoria University A
3.00 pm	Wak1	Island Bay A	v	Seatoun

# Tournament Draw - Division 2

## Group 1

Round 1	Mon 24 February			
6.15 pm	Mem1	Petone B	v	Stokes Valley
6.15 pm	Mem4	North Wellington	v	Naenae
Round 2	Mon 03 February			
6.15 pm	Mem1	Petone B	v	Naenae
8.00 pm	Mem1	North Wellington	v	Stokes Valley
Round 3	Mon 10 March			
6.15 pm	Mem1	Petone B	v	North Wellington
6.15 pm	Mem4	Naenae	v	Stokes Valley

## Group 2

Round 1	Sun 23 February			
1.00 pm	Wak2	Olympic B	v	Marist B
1.00 pm	Mem4	Kapiti Coast United	v	Island Bay B
Round 2	Sun 02 March			
1.00 pm	Mem4	Olympic B	v	Island Bay B
1.00 pm	Mem1	Kapiti Coast United	v	Marist B
Round 3	Sun 09 March			
2.00 pm	Mem4	Olympic B	v	Kapiti Coast United
12.00 pm	Wak1	Island Bay B	v	Marist B

## Friendly

	Sun 16 March			
TBC	3rd Group 1	v		3rd Group 2
TBC	3rd Group 3	v		4th Group 1
TBC	4th Group 2	v		4th Group 3





## Group 3

<b>Round 1</b>	<b>Sun 23 February</b>				
3.00 pm	Mem4	Lower Hutt City B	v	Wainuiomata B	
1.00 pm	Maid	Victoria Univerity B	v	Tawa B	
<b>Round 2</b>	<b>Sun 02 March</b>				
1.00 pm	Wak1	Lower Hutt City B	v	Tawa B	
3.00 pm	Mem4	Victoria Univerity B	v	Wainuiomata B	
<b>Round 3</b>	<b>Sun 09 March</b>				
12.00 pm	Mem4	Lower Hutt City B	v	Victoria Univerity B	
12.00 pm	Maid	Tawa B	v	Wainuiomata B	

## Group 4

<b>Round 1</b>	<b>Sun 16 February</b>				
1.00 pm	Mem1	Brooklyn Northern Utd	v	Porirua Leste	
1.00 pm	Maid	Upper Hutt City B	v	Stop Out B	
<b>Round 2</b>	<b>Mon 24 February</b>				
8.00 pm	Mem1	Wainuiomata A	v	Stop Out B	
7.00 pm	Maid	Upper Hutt City B	v	Porirua Leste	
<b>Round 3</b>	<b>Mon 03 February</b>				
6.15 pm	Mem4	Wainuiomata A	v	Porirua Leste	
7.00 pm	Maid	Brooklyn Northern Utd	v	Upper Hutt City B	
<b>Round 4</b>	<b>Mon 10 March</b>				
7.00 pm	Maid	Wainuiomata A	v	Upper Hutt City B	
8.00 pm	Mem1	Brooklyn Northern Utd	v	Stop Out B	
<b>Round 5</b>	<b>Mon 17 March</b>				
8.00 pm	Mem1	Wainuiomata A	v	Brooklyn Northern Utd	
6.15 pm	Mem4	Stop Out B	v	Porirua Leste	

# Knockout Rounds

Quarter Finals  
Sunday 16/17 March

Semi Finals  
Sunday 23 March

## Division 2





Finals  
Sunday 30 March

## Division 1

Winners - Group 1

2014 Div 1 Winner

Winners - Group 2

2014 Div 2 Winner

# A Personal Perspective

The Caltex Railway Avenue Tournament for the Hilton-Petone Cup once again signals the start of the club football season for the Wellington region. But it wasn't always that way. The Tournament had its origins in 1955 when the Petone AFC's Committee introduced the Hilton-Petone Friendly End of Season Tournament as a means of lengthening a club season which in those days sometimes ended as early as July.

The Tournament was the initiative of Jack Evans, the father of Tony Evans, who was to become the first Petone junior to play for New Zealand. Jack was a Club committee member and he put forward the proposal that a tournament among all local clubs be organised for junior teams at the end of the season. The then Chairman, Otto Hilton, seized on the idea for clubs' first teams and after winning the support of the clubs and then the Wellington FA, he purchased the trophy we still use today and hence the name of the tournament incorporating his name. When Jack Evans died in 1961, the club presented the Jack Evans Memorial Trophy in recognition of his contribution and this is awarded to the tournament runners-up.

The Committee then got stuck in and put together a very popular knock-out tournament with a great picnic atmosphere off the field and a good spirit on the field. That Committee included Bill Bradbury, my father, as Club secretary; Arthur Hilton – father of the late Tony and grandfather of Phil and Steve; Bob Reid – one of our then junior coaches and an outstanding fullback of the Settlers' Chatham Cup team; and Andy Leslie – coach of the Settlers and our most prolific goal-scorer, and father of Petone's former All Black captain of the same name. There was great and much-appreciated back-up provided by Mrs Leslie and her lady friends in the refreshments and sandwiches department. And the venue for all of this, with just the top 11 local teams in the knock-out draw, was down at McEwen Park at the eastern end of Petone Beach.

Well, that of course was all 59 years ago and being the progressive club that we are, we have changed the organisation and make-up of the tournament several times since. Fundamentally, the most major change was heralded initially by the formation of the Central League from 1968. With 18 league games to be played each season, and inevitably catch-up games for those which proceeded to later Chatham Cup rounds, an end of season tournament became difficult to schedule. In particular, teams who had previously entered from out of Wellington dropped out from 1969.

What made change essential however was the formation of the National League in 1970. The top four Central League teams at the end of the 1969 season were promoted into the new eight-team National League, including Western Suburbs, Stop Out, and Hungaria. Pre-season competition was needed to prepare them and our response was to follow up the 1971 end of season tournament just a few months later with the inaugural pre-season tournament of 1972. And to provide for more competitive games we introduced group-based and seeded



championship rounds, guaranteeing each entrant at least 3 games to prepare for the season ahead.

The new format of the tournament, won by Wellington City, was a success and led into the third season of the National League. The by then two remaining Wellington teams in the League – Stop Out and Wellington City (Hungaria merged for national league purposes only with Miramar Rangers) finished 6th and 7th in what was then a 10-team National League, after both teams had finished towards the bottom of the table in the previous two seasons.

Perhaps the next most major change was in 1987 when we introduced the second division of the tournament in direct response to the impact that seeding of the groups was having in the form of large losses for lower grade entrants and valueless walkovers for the higher seeded teams. The second division has its own Hilton-Petone Cup mark II and involves very good competition for its entrants.

Throughout the tournament's existence there have been many changes in the venues we have been able to offer, from pristine parks to various school grounds. We have had floodlit semi-finals and finals at the Hutt Rec and the Basin Reserve. But mostly we were able to use Memorial Park on Sundays, and for mid-week floodlit knock-out rounds once we had our own floodlit pitch from 1979. And now the unavailability of grounds pre-season sees us use the newly built artificial surfaces at Upper Hutt, Wakefield and now also at Memorial Park. So many competition games are now played on such surfaces that it makes sense to use these them anyway – but of course with any new development there is a cost! We no longer have the gate-takings of yesteryear to help meet costs, but we are indebted to Pam and Campbell Sutherland who, through Caltex Railway Avenue, help substantially to make up for that deficit.

We continue to review what is needed to sustain the tournament and we make changes as we go along. A number of us miss the atmosphere of four grounds with eight games each Sunday on the one park, but there are so many contributing factors to preclude this being possible today. Catering for clubs' preferences of when to schedule games and let's not forget that the referees also have other demands on their time – these factors all throw curved balls at our efforts to deliver a tournament that meets everyone's needs. And we always schedule to avoid clashes with the Phoenix games.

For one that has been involved very much in the tournament, especially over its first 40 years, I'm looking forward to witnessing the ultimate change over the next several weeks. From an unserviced ground at Petone foreshore 59 years ago to a state of the art artificial surface this year – a surface that has most players lauding its quality. It remains for us then to contemplate what we will deliver next year in the way of something special to celebrate the Diamond Jubilee of this longest operating tournament in New Zealand football outside the Chatham Cup.

John Bradbury

# Previous Hilton-Petone Finalists

## Division 1 Finalists

Year	Winner		Runner-Up	
1987	Wellington United	2	Hutt Valley United	1
1988	Wellington United	2	Manawatu United	1
1989	Wellington United	3	Miramar Rangers	1
1990	Miramar Rangers	1	Waterside Karori	1
1991	Miramar Rangers	4	Hutt Valley United	0
1992	Hutt Valley United	2	Miramar Rangers	1
1993	Miramar Rangers	1	Lower Hutt City	1
1994	Wellington Olympic	5	North Wellington	0
1995	Tararua United	3	Miramar Rangers	2
1996	Miramar Rangers	2	Tararua	0
1997	Lower Hutt City	1	Western Suburbs	0
1998	Island Bay United	2	Waterside Karori	1
1999	Western Suburbs	5	Miramar Rangers	1
2000	Petone A	3	Miramar Rangers	2
2001	Lower Hutt City A	3	Tawa A	0
2002	Lower Hutt City A	3	Tawa A	1
2003	Petone A	1	Lower Hutt City A	0
2004	Olympic A	3	Lower Hutt City A	2
2005	Lower Hutt City A	4	Olympic A	0
2006	Miramar Rangers	2	Lower Hutt City A	0
2007	Petone A	4	Island Bay United A	1
2008	Wairarapa	3	Wellington United A	2
2009	Tawa	2	Olympic	1
2010	Petone	3	Island Bay United	1
2011	Lower Hutt City A	1	Tawa A	0
2012	Tawa A	2	Olympic A	0
2013	Petone A	3	Olympic A	1

For information on finalists and winners prior to 1987, before the tournament competition was split, please visit [www.petonefootball.org.nz](http://www.petonefootball.org.nz) or take a look at our club honours board upstairs in our clubrooms.



## Division 2 Finalists

Year	Winner	Goals	Runner-Up	Goals
1987	Newlands United	4	Lower Hutt City B	0
1988	Wainuiomata B	4	Stokes Valley	2
1989	Waterside Karori	2	Newlands United	0
1990	Victoria University	1	North Wellington B	0
1991	Seatoun	2	Raumatī Hearts	0
1992	Victoria University	2	Stokes Valley	1
1993	Brooklyn Nthn. Utd.	1	Tararua United	1
1994	Tararua United	5	Island Bay A	2
1995	Petone B	1	Naenae	0
1996	Wainuiomata B	2	Upper Hutt	1
1997	Marist A	3	Wainuiomata B	1
1998	Waterside Karori B	5	Miramar Rangers B	2
1999	Upper Hutt City B	5	Waterside Karori B	0
2000	Petone B	3	Upper Hutt City B	2
2001	Olympic B	3	Upper Hutt City B	2
2002	Petone B	2	Upper Hutt City B	1
2003	Wellington United B	4	Stop Out	2
2004	Wellington United B	5	Miramar Rangers B	0
2005	Waterside Karori B	1	Lower Hutt City B	0
2006	Lower Hutt City B	3	Waterside Karori B	2
2007	Waterside Karori B	2	Upper Hutt City B	0
2008	Wellington College	3 (4)	Island Bay United B	3 (3)
2009	Lower Hutt City B	1	Wellington College	0
2010	Federation U17s	6	Wellington College	0
2011	Olympic B	5	Lower Hutt City B	1
2012	North Wellington A	1(5)	Petone B	1(4)
2013	Olympic B	0(5)	University	0(3)

## Women's Football At Petone

Ladies, if you are over 15 years of age and are looking for some fun, physical and social activity then we have just the thing for you.

Petone Football Club welcomes players of all ages and abilities. We have teams at all levels, from highly competitive to socially competitive. We offer qualified and experienced coaches, great facilities, and a welcoming, family-orientated club that fully supports the development of women's football.

If you're new to football and keen to give it a go, or a player returning to the game, please contact Nadine Bowen on 021 214 7828 for more details or find us on Facebook - Petone FC Women's Football.

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# Tournament Rules



1. The cups shall be the Hilton Petone Cup(s) (winners Division 1, winners Division 2) and the Jack Evans Memorial Trophy (runner-up Division 1). The cups are the property of the Petone Football Club Inc.
2. The entire control and management of the Tournament shall be vested in the Petone Football Club except for judicial action arising from cautions/dismissals received by players during the matches.
3. The preliminary rounds shall be played on a championship basis with three points for a win and one point for a draw.
4. Group winners and runners-up will progress to the Knockout rounds e.g. quarter finals (this may vary depending on the number of entries). In both divisions, criteria for placings will be firstly: points, then goal difference, then goals for, then the winner of the round robin game between the two sides.
5. During the Knockout rounds, the duration of play and the taking of penalty kicks at the completion of extra time shall follow FIFA rules (as applied to the Chatham Cup Competition) except that there will be no extra time played in quarter final and semi final matches. In these games, if there is a draw at the end of normal time, teams will go into a penalty shoot-out.
- 6a. Guest players may participate on the condition that they play only with the written consent of the Club with which they are registered, such consent to be on that club's letterhead or in an email from that club's official contact and made available to the Tournament organiser on request.
- 6b. No player may play for more than one club during the Tournament. No more than two players may move from a club's A team to its B team, and vice versa, for each round of games during the Tournament, provided that no player may play (take the field) for two teams in any one round of the Tournament.
7. In the event of a clash of colours, the second named team in the draw shall be the "away" team and shall be required to change.
8. Teams are allowed to use five substitutes during a game.
9. Team Wellington players can participate in the Tournament for their registered Club providing they are released to do so by the Team Wellington coach.

# Disciplinary Action

1. Division 1: A player receiving three yellow cards in the group play will be suspended for the next Tournament match, including the final.
2. Division 2: A player receiving two yellow cards in the Tournament will be suspended for the next Tournament match. At the end of group play all yellow cards will be wiped.
3. A player who is sent off will be suspended as ruled by the Tournament Judicial Committee. New Zealand Football Regulation 7 – Penalties for misconduct by players – shall apply in this case.

The Tournament Judicial Committee will include the Capital Football Federation General Manager. Clubs will be advised of any suspensions and cautions. Suspensions and/or cautions imposed shall be confined to the Hilton Petone Tournament and NOT carry over into the season proper.

# Rules for Artificial Turf

Please note the guidelines once again and make sure your players and spectators know these:

**NO SMOKING, ALCOHOL or DOGS.**

**NO FOOD or DRINK (only bottled water)**

**ALL RUBBISH, including tape, MUST BE REMOVED AFTER EACH GAME**

# Changing Rooms at Memorial Park

The HCC are upgrading the Memorial Park changing rooms in readiness for the winter season. There is likely to be some minor disruption during the tournament, which may include the availability of showers, so please follow any instructions displayed on temporary signage.

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