



23rd March, 2020

**To all Rotorua Pistol Club members:**

Due to the unprecedented circumstances we all find ourselves in with the worldwide spread of Coronavirus COVID-19 there is a need to make some urgent decisions that will affect all Rotorua Pistol Club members.

As from Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> March 2020 the following will apply:

- All club calendar events planned for the next 3 months up till the end of June are cancelled, this includes working bees and club championships.
- All training of new members is cancelled for the next 3 months up till the end of June.
- The range can remain open and club members are welcome to continue to use the range keeping in mind the acceptable physical distancing of 2 metres.
- Club committee meetings are also cancelled until further notice. With matters that may arise, committee members can contact each other by email or phone (WhatsApp, FaceTime, Viber etc). New membership is suspended until further notice.
- With the AGM also planned for June this will be postponed until it is safe to proceed.
- With the AGM being postponed as a result of COVID-19 it does pose constitutional issues. As the president of the Rotorua Pistol Club I will leave in place the existing committee until it is safe to hold an AGM. Any current committee member(s) who do not wish to continue on the committee can resign at any point.
- If members haven't completed 12 shoots at this point of time, a dispensation will be given by the RPC committee.
- RPC has the IPSC Pistol Nationals planned for late October, a decision will be made at a later date as to the state of this event.
- As the current situation is very fluid and evolving by the hour almost, changes and updates will be forth coming as required to keep all members updated.
- We would like to thank all members for working with us so we can continue to provide a safe shooting environment for all concerned.

Be Safe.

Don Perry

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President  
Rotorua Pistol Club