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APRIL 3
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V NEW PLYMOUTH RANGERS
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SUNDAY
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NEW PLYMOUTH RANGERS FOOTBALL CLUB

CHAIRMAN: Monty Ammundsen **SECRETARY/TREASURER:** Graeme Cooper

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Well a new season is upon us, that snuck up almost as quickly as Easter. Whilst most of us will be eating and drinking poorly, our top two teams will be representing us out on the field for the opening fixtures of the Central Federation men's and women's leagues.

We welcome Massey University Men's team here on Saturday and then the Massey University Women's team here on Sunday to take on our new look Rangers teams to kick off the 2021 season.

2020 was a big year for New Plymouth Rangers, winning the Central Federation League on the final day after a season where they only lost once. They went onto the playoffs for Central League but lost out to Wainuiomata. From this winning squad however there are only a handful that are returning for the new season and they have taken on key leadership roles within the team.

The list of those not available in 2021 are Dom Squatriti (long term injury), Mark McGrath (returned to Ireland), Ben Moore (moved cities), Scott Casey-Wooldridge (gone to University), Alfie Luque (gone to University), Brandon Sumpter (gone to University), Matt Hastings (moved into the Head Coach role), Owen Smith (moved back to the USA), Eoin Murphy (returned to Ireland), Izaak Ryan (work commitments) with Sam Jiggins and Luke Snellgrove having to juggle family commitments and football which means they will only be available for the social leagues to start with.

The coaching team have done an amazing job however pulling together a very young squad to prepare them for this game and as a supporter of football in Taranaki this is a very exciting time.

I need to thank everyone that has contributed to the club so far this year, whether that is the coaches down on the grass 3 or 4 times a week, to Stephen Lett down Body Logic or the same old volunteers that put in more than 10 hours a week. I would also like to welcome James Malthus officially to our club as our Director of Football as he has made a big impact already. Enjoy the games this weekend and come on Rangers



JOHN SIGURDSSON
CLUB CAPTAIN



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MESSAGE FROM OUR CLUB CHAIRPERSON

This weekend marks a very special occasion for our club as we have entered the Central Federation Women's League for the first time in recent history. Our club has been consistently improving in the women's premier league over the past seasons and the most obvious step was to test ourselves in the higher leagues.

Our new squad is made up of a handful of players from last year combined with some very promising young players from around Taranaki. It's great to see ambition from these young players to develop their game and create a culture of high performance. Travelling football isn't easy but there are so many benefits to it on top of it being great fun.

Coaches Andrew Moore, Richard Hales and Tony Kleinsman will be aiming for a solid first year at this level but at this early stage we won't know where our team sits compared to the clubs. A pre season game away to Melville ended up 7-5 in our favour which will be a confidence boost for the team whilst still providing plenty of room for improvement.

We also have to give a big congratulations and good luck to Zara Erol-Watt and Holly Kleinsman who have been selected to attend the NZ U17 camp later in April in Auckland. They are the only two from the Central Federation to be invited and we wish them the best.

We welcome the Massey University women's team here today for the first time to Merrilands. Massey has provided many a good battle with our men's team over the years and we can hope that today that is replicated with our women's team.

Have a great Easter Sunday and enjoy our clubrooms afterwards. Thanks to all of our club sponsors for their continued support, you will see their logos in this programme and in our clubrooms so please support them when you can.



MONTY AMMUNDSEN
CHAIRPERSON



Jeff Yates has been a long time volunteer and player at Rangers and this year has also come on as a sponsor of the club along with his partner in construction Scotty Pringle. Your support and ongoing commitment is very much appreciated around the club. Support them if you can.

UPDATE FROM OUR DIRECTOR OF FOOTBALL

We are now about four weeks away from the start of the junior season and we're seeing a lot of junior registrations coming in. We encourage everyone who hasn't registered to do so as soon as possible to help us organise teams and find coaches well ahead of time.

We also still have space in the Academy programme for players born between 2006 and 2011. Please contact me for more information.

You can register for Junior and Senior Football here: <https://www.nprangers.co.nz/registration>

Important Note About Registrations

This year we have moved to a platform called Friendly Manager, which links with Comet but is more user-friendly. Some people have had issues, particularly when registering on a phone, where it looks like the screen hasn't loaded. If this happens, just scroll to the top. If you have registered successfully you will receive an email with an invoice right away. If you believe you have registered but have not received an invoice, please re-register.

Girls-Only Sessions

The club will be running girls-only training sessions at Merrilands Domain from 3.45-4.45pm on Tuesdays, starting on March 30. These sessions are for girls born between 2008 and 2012 and will be coached by myself and members of the Women's Federation League team. Please contact me to register.

If you have any questions please get in touch with James@nprangers.co.nz or our Junior Coordinator, Tony Bennett (tony_bennett@yahoo.com)



JAMES MALTHUS
DIRECTOR OF FOOTBALL





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We sent a team away to the New Zealand Masters Tournament again in 2021 to Whanganui in February. A strong squad of 20 players who have all represented New Plymouth Rangers over the years pulled on the black and white strip and headed down to Wembley. A loss to Olympic and two draws to Tawa and then Olympic meant that we narrowly missed out on the semi finals. In hindsight a team consisting of midfielders and defenders wasn't going to be capable of scoring enough goals to win all the games in the shortened format.

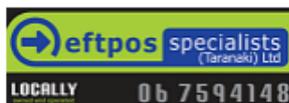


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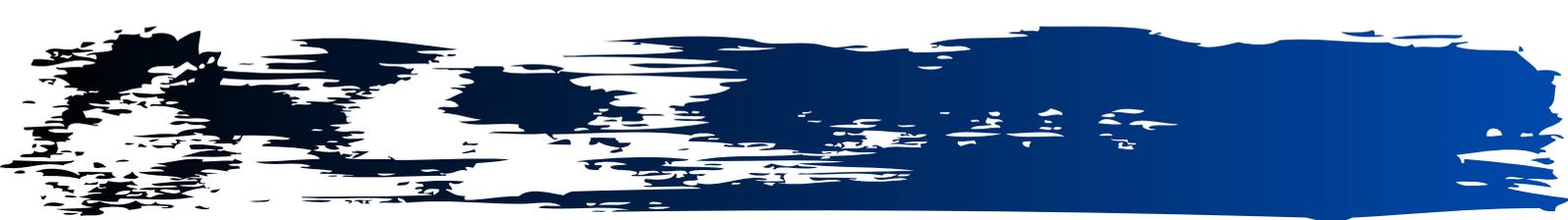
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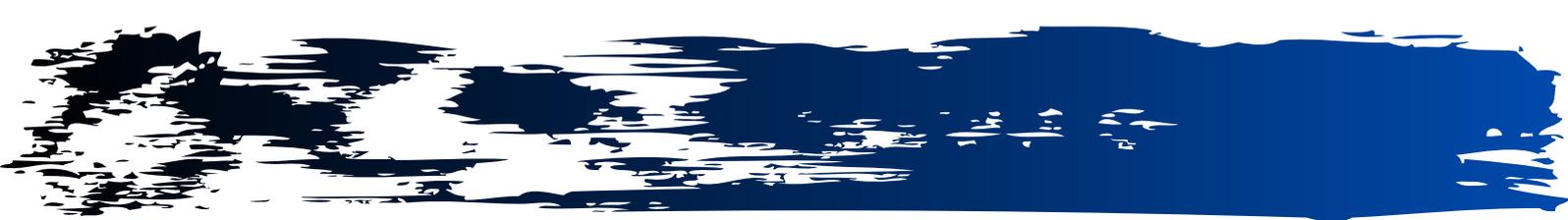
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CENTRAL FEDERATION LEAGUE ROUND 1

NP RANGERS

1	Riley Peters
21	Ryan Bain
22	Jaidyn Jurd
2	Niall Leggett
3	Devan Leggett
4	Toby Stratton
5	Reuben Warburton
6	Oisin Ammundsen
7	Isaac Burroughs
8	Gregor Forrest
9	Jack Thomas
10	David Garner
11	Nathan Morath
12	William Van Kerssen
13	Jesse Brooks
14	Tre DeJohn
15	Tyler Snow
16	Taku Warren
17	Oskar Wano
18	Hamish Pittams



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Thomas Johnston	1
George Andrew	3
Caleb Young (C)	4
Lachie Preston	5
Jaxon Bron	6
Michael Hilson	7
Joseph Freeman	9
Rhys Galyer	11
Ben Meyer	13
Jacob Riley	14
Dominic Rankin	15
Fletcher Murrell	2
Liam Hall	10
Elisha Masoe Sam	12
Zachary Farmer	16

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NP RANGERS

- 1 Sophie Campbell (GK)
- 2 Tsehai Viliamu (GK)
- 3 Lizzie Ingram
- 4 Jess Browne
- 5 Kendal Moore
- 6 Aimee Wisnewski
- 7 Caitlin Bowles
- 8 Lilly Dowsing
- 9 Zara Erol-Watt
- 10 Ruby Hales
- 11 Magda Herlihy
- 12 Heidi Johns
- 13 Holly Kleinsman
- 14 Emma MacArthur
- 15 Tiaan Neatherway
- 16 Saskia Pelham
- 17 Mya Watkins

Coach: Andrew Moore
Asst: Richard Hales
Asst: Tony Kleinsman

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- 1 N Hyland
- 2 S Powell
- 3 M Petersen
- 4 Z Murrihy
- 5 S Hewetson
- 6 K Mori
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- 8 M McKenna
- 9 J Frank
- 10 S Gurnick
- 11 L Dombroski
- 12 C Infield
- 13 S Coleman
- 14 A Hayes
- 15 J Gooding
- 16 M Findlay

Coach: Terry Wood



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