

# NEWSLETTER

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Welcome once again to the monthly view.

You may say bi-monthly as I seem to have lost April somewhere. With all the short weeks and long weekends the focus has been firmly on the 'must dos' which has meant some of the 'would like to dos' have missed out.

There have been a number of highlights for the T.E.A.M. in the past month.

The first being the completion and handover of Russell and Lesley's awesome new home in Karaka.

As usual the T.E.A.M. have done a great job and we are all extremely proud of the result. I must thank Russell and Lesley for being great to work with and really adding to the T.E.A.M. atmosphere and culture. Apologies for the poor standard of singing and jokes.

The second highlight of the month comes under the category of the 'must dos'.

Yip, those long weekends and some favourable weather meant that a T.E.A.M. fishing trip was a must, and the trophy was up for grabs.

Cameron, our longest serving T.E.A.M. member was the winner on the day with a 151b snapper. Well done Cameron, and thanks again to Allan and RnR Charters. By the way, if any of you

fishos out there pull up a rather large fish with a Shimano rod and reel in tow, would you please give Ken a call.



On the personal front we have had a couple of impressive sporting results in the past few weeks.

Debbie, competing in her 3<sup>rd</sup> triathlon for the summer finished in the top 10 of the Maraetai event. An outstanding effort and a result that overshadows my own accomplishment of completing the Rotorua to Taupo cycle race in a time of 3 hours 8 mins for the 100 km. And the crash didn't hurt that much.....

In closing, the T.E.A.M. would like to congratulate Blair and Shelley on the recent tying of the knot and we wish you both all the best for a great future together. And please Shelley, would you bring Blair back to work with some energy left.

Cheers and Have Fun.

Pain is temporary, quitting lasts forever.  
Lance Armstrong