



## Taranaki Airsoft Rangers

### President Report

2022

Welcome to the 2022 Taranaki Airsoft Rangers annual general meeting it is great to see you all here.

This year has been a very interesting year for myself and my involvement with in the airsoft club. Many of you may know I have gone through a marriage separation which ultimately led me to draw my focus toward my two young boys and rebuilding my life. Sadly, this meant I had to put airsoft on the back burner for a while and get things back on track.

Even though I have not been able to play many games I have been working in the back ground alongside the committee to keep the club running.

The club has seen a few changes over the course of the year one is being club growth, the club is now averaging 118 members strong and does not look like slowing down. This is amazing to see and shows that airsoft is alive and well in NZ and the future of airsoft is in strong hands.

New committee members have jumped on board adding fresh ideas and a positive attitude with the club members best interests in mind. The help and interest of other club members wanting to step up is also amazing to see, some younger members are now transitioning into being veterans and its great to see your attitude towards what it takes to run a large club grow with time.

The club is financially in a great place which means we can keep current and future field projects pumping forward and create an even greater field which will make for an even greater airsoft experience for all club members.

A lot of you will be aware I have decided to stand down from the roll as president this year so I want to use the rest of my report to thank you all.

Thankyou first of all for giving me the opportunity to take the helm all those years ago, I have definitely had some highs and lows in my time as president but one thing never changed, I got to lead the greatest airsoft club in the country.

Thankyou for believing in me and my fellow committee members, to make decisions we felt were best for the club members is a daunting task, so to have your guys trust in us to do our

job definitely helped things flow in a great direction and I think the clubs current position proves that.

Thank you to the John's family for all your help over the years and your continued support, you are amazing people and It was great to work with you over the past few years.

I will for ever be humbled that I got to lead this great club and I wish the future president and the new committee all the best for what ever this crazy sport throws at you.

I now plan to be another face in the crowd and get out and enjoy the sport of airsoft as a player, but knowing me I will always be there to help whenever I can.

It has truly been an honour to lead you and I hope I have done the roll justice so now this is good bye from me as Mr Pres.

Stay safe,

Keep flinging plastic

And keep on being the best club ever.

You pal

Jono Kirkby

Club president

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