

ROLL OF HONOUR 2022

Youth Hostels Association of New Zealand Inc.



YHA New Zealand is a membership based organisation and many of its members have made an outstanding voluntary contribution to YHA over numerous years.

Many of these members were involved with YHA when it was purely volunteer based and they often volunteered their time to support the hostels and their activities.

This Roll of Honour provides a lasting reference to these members' contributions and provides a valuable link to YHA's history.

Patron

1938–1960	Miss Cora Wilding MBE
<i>The Governors-General of New Zealand</i>	
1961–1962	Viscount Cobham, GCMG, TD
1963–1967	Brigadier Sir Bernard Fergusson, GCMG, GCVO, DSO, OBE
1968–1971	Sir Arthur Porritt, Bt., GCMG, GCVO, CBE
1972–1976	Sir (Edward) Denis Blundell, GCMG, GCVO, KBE, QSO
1977–1979	The Rt Hon Sir Keith Holyoake, KG, GCMG, CH, QSO
1980–1984	The Hon Sir David Beattie, GCMG, GCVO, QSO, QC
1985–1990	The Rt Rev & The Hon Sir Paul Reeves, GCMG, GCVO, QSO
1991–1995	The Hon Dame Catherine Tizard, GCMG, GCVO, DBE, QSO
1996–2000	The Rt Hon Sir Michael Hardie Boys, GNZM, GCMG, QSO
2001–2005	The Hon Dame Silvia Cartwright, PCNZM, DBE, QSO
2006–2010	The Rt Hon Sir Anand Satyanand, GCZM, QSO
2011–2016	Lieutenant General, the Right Honourable Sir Jerry Mateparae, GNZM, QSO
2017	Vacant

National Chairs

1959–1964	Alan Parker
1965–1968	Orrie Wilson
1969–1973	Donald Paterson
1974–1976	Gilbert (Gil) Whalley
1977–1979	Donald Paterson
1980–1984	Rodney Metcalfe
1985	Gary Sturgess
1986–1995	Malcolm Wade
1996–1997	Margaret Abbott
1998–2001	Michael Northmore
2002–2003	Janice Fredric
2004–2006	Clive Croy
2006–2009	Ross Butler
2009–2010	Ben Mitchell
2010–2014	Coral Laughton
2014–2017	John Hammond
2017–2019	Ray Salter
2019–2020	Ross Butler
2020-2020	Jaya Prasannan
2020-2021	Nancy Ward
2021-	Ian Lothian



*Ian Lothian,
National Chair from
March 2021*

Honorary Presidents

1932—1934	Sir Arthur Dudley Dobson
1934—1935	Professor Robert Speight
1935—1936	Dr Fredrick Hilgendorf
1936—1946	Dr George Jobberns
1946—1948	Mr EW Hullett
1951—1952	Norman Wright
1952—1954	Bert Cocks
1954—1955	Mr C Rhodes
1955—1965	Dudley Wills
1965—1968	Jim McKie
1968—1971	Sir AH (Alfred) Reed
1971—1978	Dr John Robson
1978—1982	Bill Boyes
1982—1986	Sir Michael Fowler
1986—1997	Bing Lucas
1997—2000	Malcolm Wade
2000—2002	Sir Ross Jansen

Honorary Vice-Presidents

Mrs J Cracroft-Wilson	1932-1941	
Mrs Tripp	1932-1933	
Miss EM Jacobson	1932-1941	
Sir R Heaton Rhodes	1932-1934	1935-1943
Prof Arnold Wall	1932-1933	1933-1934
Mr RM Laing	1932-1933	
Mr HMD Vincent	1932-1940	
Frank Milner Esq	1932-1935	1936-1940
Bishop West-Watson	1933-1938	
Bishop Brodie	1933-1934	
Dr J Hight	1933-1940	
Prof J Macmillan Brown	1933-1935	
Mr CJ Thornton	1933-1936	
Dr F Bevan-Brown	1934-1935	
Mrs F Wilding	1934-1937	
Mr WA Croft	1935-1936	
Prof Speight	1935-1936	
Mr JC Anderson	1935-1941	
Dr Ebe Teichelmann	1935-1939	
Hon Danny Sullivan	1936-1940	
Dr FW Hilgendorf	1936-1940	
Mr S Mears	1936-1944	
Mr JH Hall	1936-1939	
Dr Jack Lovelock	1937-1940	
Bill Kennedy	1937-1938	
Dr Campbell West-Watson	1938-1941	
Mr EW Hullett	1939-1946	
Mr SC Anderson	1941-1944	
Dr DE Currie	1941-1944	
Dr AL Haslam	1942-1944	
George Guy	1944-1946	

Honorary Vice-Presidents

Bert Cocks	1944-1948		
Dr Brian Mason	1944-1946		
Prof George Jobberns	1946-1947		
Mr J Deans	1946-1948		
Stan Muirson	1946-1948		
Vic Readman	1947-1948		
Mr JP Fox	1951-1952		
Mr D Downs	1951-1952		
Mr R Cowley	1951-1952		
Mr R Matthews	1951-1955		
Jim McKie	1951-1952	1963-1964	1970-1980
Geoff Harrow	1951-1952		
Mr DS Stevens	1951-1952		
Mr W Hannah	1952-1953		
Keith Johnston	1952-1955		
Mr JL Taylor	1952-1954		
Mr E Hullett	1952-1953	1966-1967	
Patrick Boyle	1953-1954		
Noel Tweedie	1953-1954		
Tom Wingham	1954-1955		
Dudley Wills	1954-1955		
Mr Terry Cutler	1954-1955		
Alan Parker	1965-1967		
Orrie Wilson	1966-1967		
Gordon Solloway	1966-1967		
Arthur Thomas	1967-1969	1971-1975	
Dr McIlroy	1967-1968		
Mr GP Walsh	1967-1969		
Hon Lance Adams-Schneider	1967-1972		
Sir Walter Nash	1967-1969		
Mr Mark Wallace	1967-1969		

Honorary Vice-Presidents

Mr AR Guthrey	1967-1972			
Bill Boyes	1967-1978			
Dr RG McElroy	1968-1969			
Hon Duncan McIntyre	1968-1973			
Mr JG Barnes	1969-1971			
Sir Edmund Hillary	1969-1971	1976-1978	1981-1982	1990-1992
Sir Francis Kitts	1969-1972	1973-1974		
Hon Brian Talboys	1970-1971			
Hon Sir Basil Arthur	1971-1984			
Sir Noel Cole	1971-1973			
Mr HEL Pickering	1972-1973			
Hon Bert Walker	1972-1978			
Mr GA Walsh	1972-1974			
Mr D Ewart	1973-1974			
Hon Tom McGuigan	1973-1974			
Hon Tirikatene-Sullivan	1973-1976			
Hon Joe Walding	1973-1976			
Hon Noel Blanchfield	1974-1976			
Mr R McLennan	1974-1980			
Mr H Skidmore	1974-1976			
Sir Hamish Hay	1975-1990			
Mr M Linton	1975-1977			
Mr RJ McLaughlan	1975-1976			
Hon HR Lapwood	1976-1979			
Mr DV Sutherland	1976-1979	1980-1981		
Sir James Henare	1978-1980			
Mr JW Thompson	1978-1979			
Mr EL Faulkner	1979-1981			
Dr Hon Ian Shearer	1979-1980	1981-1984		
Hon Jonathon Elworthy	1983-1984			
Hon Mike Moore	1984-1987	1991-1994	1997-2000	

Honorary Vice-Presidents

Hon Margaret Shields	1984-1991		
Tim Shadbolt	1985-1988		
Jolyon Manning	1985-1995		
Rt Hon Sir John Marshall	1986-1988		
Hon Phil Goff	1987-1989		
Hon Dame Catherine Tizard	1988-1990		
Hon Fran Wilde	1989-1990		
Hon Simon Upton	1989-1997		
Sir Wallace Rowling	1990-1996		
Grahame Hall	1994-2003		
Jean Nelson	1995-2008		
Hon Philip Woollaston	1996-1998		
Hon Nick Smith	1998-1999		
Gwyn Rogers	1999-2007		
Hon Lianne Dalziel	2000-2004		
Elizabeth Beer	2003-2012		
Moirra Smart	2004-2008		
Hamish Allardice	2007-2016		
Erin Ryan	2008-2009		
Dave Berry	2008-2013	2014-2018	2019-2022
Amanda Gower	2009-2016		
Donald Paterson	2012-2014		
Harry Guitry	2013-2017		
Bruce Ward	2016-2018	2019-2022	

Honorary Life Members

Honorary Life Membership is YHA's highest Award. It is awarded to persons (who need not be members of YHA) who have made an exceptional voluntary contribution to YHA. This contribution has generally been at a national level, for the benefit of YHA as a whole, and usually over an extended period of time.

1967	Dudley Wills		Mike Northmore
	Alan Parker		Gilbert (Gil) Whalley
	Gordon Solloway	2007	Bruce Bertram
1968	Jim McKie		Moira Lipyeat
	Cora Wilding	2008	Elizabeth Beer
1978	Jean Nelson	2009	Charlie Smith
	Dr John Robson	2010	Ross Butler
1979	Netta Lyons		Lance Kiddey
1982	Bill Boyes		Ben Mitchell
	Peggy Jack (nee Lawless)	2012	John Wilson
	Donald Paterson		Harry Guitry
1986	Rodney Metcalfe	2013	Rex Smart
1989	Gwyn Rogers		Dr Karen Lewis
	Ruth Wildish	2014	Bruce Ward
1990	Roy Pyle		Amanda Gower
1994	Moira Smart	2015	David Berry
1996	Peter Bugler		Coral Laughton
1997	Bing Lucas	2018	Clive Croy
2001	Herbert (Bill) Morris	2019	John Hammond
	Malcolm Wade	2020	Kevin Brewer
2006	Margaret Abbott		Ray Salter

Distinguished Service Award

The Distinguished Service Award is YHA's second highest award and may be awarded to Senior Financial Members who have made an exceptional voluntary contribution particularly at a Branch or Member Group level.

2003	Rex Smart Tauranga Branch	2012	Oscar Nordstrand Auckland Branch
2004	Elizabeth Beer Southland Branch	2012	Barry Pulford YHA Friends of Hawke's Bay
2005	Eddie Day Rotorua Branch	2013	Michael Dempsey Auckland Branch
2008	Gordon Roberts Tauranga Branch	2013	William (Bill) Leadbetter Southland Branch
2008	Amanda Gower Rotorua Branch	2013	Colin Hamilton Wellington Branch
2009	David Daniel Rotorua Branch	2014	Nola Daniel Rotorua Branch
2009	Ted Nielsen Hawke's Bay Branch	2014	Audrey Jones Auckland Branch
2010	Ken Geoghegan Wellington Branch	2014	Christine Kiddey Southland Branch
2011	Cath Grant Dunedin Branch	2015	George Murray Canterbury Branch
2011	Margaret Harding Dunedin Branch	2016	Erin Ryan Canterbury Branch
2011	John McCarthy Auckland Branch	2017	Avis Robertson Wellington Branch
2012	John Blair Christchurch Branch		

Certificate of Merit

The Certificate of Merit Award may be awarded to persons (who need not be members of YHA) who have made a significant voluntary contribution to YHA at a local level.

- 1971 Sir A H Reed
- 1972 Mrs A Collinson, Mrs F Cooper, George Cooper, Murray Hanan, Mr G Hellyer, Keith Henderson, Noel Jackson, Peter Koostra, Norman Mitchell, Erena McGilvary, John McIntosh, Mr N McLeod, Ellen Nelson, Jean Nelson, Arthur Norgrove, Ian Park, Jean Park, Joy Park, Donald Paterson, Jim Quinlan, Mrs K Riddell, Mrs A Robertson, George Thomson, Cora Wilding
- 1973 Ivy Gilmour, Mr A Griffis-Jones, Iris Hambleton, Helen Heywood, Netta Lyons, Mr F Nicholls, Gwyn Rogers, Alex Wylie
- 1974 Mrs V Hall, Mr W Walsh, Miss D Waugh
- 1975 Mrs B McDougall, Mr C McDougall, Arthur Thompson
- 1976 Bernie Bullock, Mrs Judith Bullock, Max Joines, Elaine McKay, Mrs L McNaughton
- 1977 Edith Casserly
- 1978 Moira Smart, Rex Smart
- 1979 Ruth Duncan, Ruby Riddell
- 1982 Elizabeth Beer, Brian Burrell, Colin Campbell, James Carruthers, Norman Clark, Alan Cuthbert, Phillip Phelan, Graham Richards, Brian Yates
- 1983 Derek Griffis, Angus MacDonald
- 1984 Albert Lupi (posthumously), Bill Morris
- 1985 Christine Kiddey, Lance Kiddey, Trevor Luders, Roger Nixon, Joe Rodrigues
- 1986 John Cottle, John Logan, Margaret Logan, Ivy Mossop, Barbara Murray, Fraser Niederer
- 1987 Barbara Field, Keith Field, Mrs D J Robson, Mr L O Robson
- 1988 Mr J Askew, Mr G Body, Mrs J Brackstone, Mrs R Davey, Mr D & Mrs H Young
- 1989 Colin Bate, Tim Brosnahan, M G Crane, Michael Dempsey, George Elder, Keith Elliott, Russell Fawcett, Howard Fowler, Lynette Fowler,
- 1990 Mr B McDonald, Bob McVie, Mrs B McVie, Michael Rodwell, Gordon Roberts, Charles Sime, Mary Sime, Charles Smith, Mr J Woodward, and Mrs E Woodward
- 1990 Gordon Rex Andrewes, Cathy Arrow, Selwyn Arrow, Morton Baker, Bruce Bertram, Peter Grenfell, William Leigh-McKenzie, Bob Smith, Ian Sutherland, Roy Williams, Betty Wright

- 1991 James Anderson, David Berry, Peter Bugler, Audrey Campbell-Lash, Edwin Day, Ken Griffin, Nigel Henderson, Moira Lipyeat, Barbara Murray, Ann Price, Barry Pryce, Louis Toorenburg
- 1992 Daphne Ireland, Edythe Kerr, Martin Lydster, Tony McMaster, Edna Way, Michael Reeves, Frank Woods
- 1993 Clarrie Behm, Cath Grant, Morrie Lark, Vernon Telfer
- 1994 Nita Fox
- 1995 Douglas (Doug) Abbott, Elaine Aimers, Bill Forsyth, Ivan Hibberd, Karl Krill, Michael Ryan, Mary Parr
- 1996 Sally Going, Vicky Heslop
- 1997 Grant Davey
- 1998 Peter Arscott, Ken Cackett, Dianne Gullery, Alice Robinson, Pat Wright, Gilbert (Gil) Whalley
- 1999 Edward Hayward-Smith, Allan Mollison
- 2000 Derek Baker, Dave Cradock, Sue Moetara
- 2001 Brian Amner, Lyn Robb
- 2002 Des Torrance
- 2003 Arthur Bluck
- 2004 Mervyn Cranefield, Christine Eales, Harry Guitry, Margaret Harding, James Pirie
- 2005 William (Bill) Leadbetter, Erin Ryan, John Wilson
- 2006 Margaret Hunter, Jill Kerr, John Unitt
- 2007 Bruce Thompson, Jeanne Thompson
- 2008 John Blair
- 2009 Rose Gray, Julie Hooper, Beverley Kirby, Richard Kirby, Florence Shroff
- 2010 Gary Gower
- 2011 Ann Blair
- 2013 Cynthia Ducrot, Herman Ducrot
- 2015 Jan Veronese, Isla Lewis, Rex Morgan, Alan Hanson
- 2016 Barbara Pollard

Certificate of Appreciation

The Certificate of Appreciation may be awarded to organisations in recognition of special voluntary assistance to YHA.

1983	Hamilton City Council	1989	Murchison Lions Club
	Fitzroy Rotary Club (New Plymouth)	1990	The Arnold Williams and Heathcote Beale Memorial Trust
	New Plymouth Rotary Club		
1984	Ohinemutu Maori Cultural Group (Rotorua)	1991	Alliance Textiles - Oamaru
1987	Invercargill Rotary Club	2001	Smiths Furnishing

International Awards

Richard Schirrmann Medal

HI Germany's highest award is the Richard Schirrmann Medal, named after the founder of youth hostelling. It has been presented to two New Zealanders:



Cora Wilding 1976

In recognition of her overseas work for YHA New Zealand.

This award particularly relates to her overseas efforts in the establishment of the Association in New Zealand in the 1930s.



Jim McKie 1976

In recognition for his service promoting YHA in New Zealand and the youth hostelling movement in general.

Hostelling International Certificate of Merit

The Certificate of Merit is awarded to people who have worked effectively and faithfully in international, national, regional or local Associations and meet the minimum requirements as follows:

1. *Must have been working in (or associated with) some activities connected with international affairs during their youth hostel work over the years.*
2. *A minimum of 20 years' service and, usually, a person no longer active or engaged in full active service with their Member Associations.*
3. *Recommended by their Member Association as a person who contributed greatly to the development of hostelling beyond the normal call of duty. The person must have contributed exceptionally to the development of the movement as a whole.*



Donald Paterson 1986



Jim McKie 1984