

NEW HORIZONS FOR WOMEN TRUST: HINE KAHUKURA (NHWT: HK)

SPRING 2019 PANUI

E mihi ana ki a tātou e te whānau. Tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou, tēnā tātou katoa.

Warm greetings to you and your whānau and thank you again for your support of New Horizons for Women Trust: Hine Kahukura. Due to a hitch in sending the Winter edition of the Pānui, only a few people had the good fortune of receiving it, so some articles may look familiar, with some articles updated, and lots of new news for you to enjoy.

Colleen Dryden

Chair, New Horizons for Women Trust: Hine Kahukura.

Obituary: Recognising Dr Jenny Neale

Social scientist, feminist researcher and passionate supporter of New Horizons for Women Trust - Hine Kahukura



towards our deadline.

Dr Jenny Neale, who for many years diligently reviewed applications for NHWT Research Awards, died suddenly in Wellington on 2 July 2019. She brought critical intelligence and commitment to reading, assessing and commenting on research award applications. Over the last three years, whenever I asked her to join the selection panel, she would respond with enthusiasm and make time over weekends or at night to contribute to the work of NHWT. Shirley Gillett, Jenny and I reviewed the 2019 applications in May, connecting across the country via email as we once again dashed

I got to know Jenny Neale way back in the 1970s. Our paths crossed as members of the Society for Research on Women (SROW) and at Women's Studies Association Conferences. In the 1980s, I recommended her wonderful MA (Applied) Social Science Research at Victoria University to students who were interested in research, evaluation and evidence-based policy. Her students benefited incredibly from her mixture of personal connectedness and professional expertise. She was one of the most energetically engaged people I have ever met. Brimming with zest, while at the same time direct, clear and pragmatic, Jenny was an excellent go-between across academia, government agencies and

non-governmental organisations. She supervised many masters and doctoral theses and was a mentor to many.

Jenny's commitment to reviewing applications of the New Horizons for Women Trust Research Awards was related to her involvement with SROW, which in the 1960's, 1970's and 1980's contributed significantly to policy relevant information about women's diverse lives. As more research on the lives of women and girls was done in tertiary institutions and government agencies, SROW wound down in the early 1990's and became a founding member of NHWT, transferring its funds to the Trust to support awards for research as well as second chance education. As a former SROW member, as a policy-focused feminist researcher, and as the author of a book on the complex relationships of sisters, Jenny ensured over many years that best applications for NHWT research awards were funded.

We have lost a great advocate for research of benefit to women and girls, a tireless contributor to NHWT and a lively, energetic and inspiring woman who brought light, energy and critical intelligence to everything in which she was involved. Her family requested that in lieu of flowers at her funeral, donations should be made to the New Horizons for Women Trust.

Rosemary Du Plessis, NHWT Research Awards Officer 2017-2019

Applications and Award Ceremonies

An amazing record number of 529 applications were received in 2019.

Our congratulations go to the 51 successful awardees.

Science Awards	
AWIS STEM Award sponsored by The Association of Women in Sciences x 3	Natasha Bettridge Monique Cooper Kira Pitman
Margaret L Bailey Science Award sponsored by Margaret L Bailey	Dr Carolyn Boulton
Research Awards	
Margaret Shields Research Award	Nimeesha Odedra
Ria McBride Research Award	Amy Giles Mitson
Second Chance Education Awards	
Ted Athy (Degree Studies) sponsored by Edward Kay Charitable Trust	Te'I Poe-Tuiasau
Alma McCrae (Foundation/Diploma) sponsored by Ellen McCrae and Graeme Matheson	Juanita Neli
Graduate Women North Shore Charitable Trust (Degree)	Sammy-Jo Locke
Foundation/Diploma Studies sponsored by Marlene Smith	Lile Manako
Degree Studies Award sponsored by an Anonymous Donor	Chantelle Ruihi-Lewis
Business and Professional Women Auckland (Foundation/Diploma)	Charnelle Weston
Chenery Memorial Trust (Foundation/Diploma)	Catherine Martley
Wahine Ora Award sponsored by Nga Pae o te Maramatanga and New Horizons for Women Trust-Hine Kahukura	Nicola Harrison
FW Trust (Degree)	Tunihia Sekona

Graduate Women Manawatu Charitable Trust (Degree) x 2	Ashley Vose Lily Maxwell
Graduate Women Manawatu Charitable Trust Refugee Study Award	Mahjabin Anwari
Mildred Keir Award sponsored by Graduate Women New Zealand Charitable Trust	Ivone Tavares
Jeanette Scott Award sponsored by Graduate Women Otago	Annalyse Bain
Graduate Women Wellington Charitable Trust (Degree) x 2	Florence McNeill Alison Brooks
Jack Illott Award sponsored by the John Illott Charitable Trust	Elizabeth Grant
Manu Award (Foundation/Diploma)	Tracee Groves
Wellington Pre-Loved Fashion Sale (Degree) sponsored by the Second Chance Group x 2	Jo-Ann Ranga Lisa Marino
Wellington Pre-Loved Fashion Sale Refugee Study Award sponsored by the Second Chance Group	Ramziya Aminudeen
Strathlachlan Fund (Degree) sponsored by Perpetual Guardian	Patricia Tuihi Carre
Second Chance Education Award (Degree) sponsored by Te Ohomai x 4	Patricia Carter Paulette Teatai-Ariki Candice Donner Andrena Clarke
Second Chance Education Award (Foundation/Diploma) sponsored by Te Ohomai x 5	Ruby Kingi Alissha Arahanga Tara Thomas Marcia Jane Haitana Tracy Robinson
Waikato Graduate Women Educational Trust (Foundation/Diploma) x 3	Tui Saunders Crystalee Marino Maggie Katamaki Riino
Waikato Graduate Women Educational Trust (Degree)	Coral Bryant
Hine Taipari Award (Degree) funded by the Alexandra Kilpatrick bequest	Ayla Carroll
Hine Te Ao Award (Degree) funded by the Alexandra Kilpatrick bequest	Lisa Nathan
Dawn and Arthur Ibbotson Award (Degree)	Vanessa Spooner
Dawn and Arthur Ibbotson Award (Foundation/Diploma)	Kayla Maree Owen
Other Awards	
Peg Hutchinson Career Change Award funded from the New Horizons for Women Trust-Hine Kahukura Endowment Fund	Shontel Taylor
Ria McBride Public Service Management Award	Theresse Ioaba
Teupoko Utanga Morgan Memoria Innovation Award funded from the Teupoko 'ina Utanga Morgan Memorial Fund	Fisi Taula
Sonia Davies Peace Award funded from the Sonja Davies Peace Fund	Jacqui Moyes

Outward Bound Classics Course Award sponsored by Outward Bound and the Alexander Kilpatrick Bequest	Emily Johnston
Outward Bound Discovery Course Award sponsored by Outward Bound and the Alexander Kilpatrick Bequest	Caroline McLeod

In each issue of the newsletter we profile a generous contributor, acknowledging the change that these awards have made for many women over the years.

Jeanette Scott

Jeanette was born in 1942 and died 2008. She lived worked and/or taught in Timaru, Clinton, Musselburgh and at Otago Girls High School. She trained as a Radio technician and broadcaster. At Otago University Jeanette did a Bachelor of Arts Degree and then obtained a teaching qualification, followed with a PGDip in educational psychology. As a clinical psychologist she undertook counselling services at the Mornington Health Centre. Jeanette retired in 2014, slowing down with “just” her interests in piano, photography, karate and travel. However, she she found time to volunteer for meals on wheels, involvement with Otago Settlers, Rotary and GWO.

Jeanette Scott Inaugural Award Presentation



Amy Dowdle presents Annalyse Bain with the inaugural Jeanette Scott scholarship

AWIS STEM Award for STEM degree course

Sponsored by the Association of Women in the Sciences (AWIS)

Presented by Colleen Dryden, Chair NHWT: HK. Awarded to Monique Cooper



Being a part of a large family taught Monique the values of manaakitanga and stewardship. Throughout all her experiences, being a catalyst for people to realise their potential, has been at the core of her actions. By envisaging using the vessels of leadership and technology to do this, Monique has undertaken study in a Bachelor of Engineering (Hons) and a Bachelor of Business. Monique is the only female in her extended family in engineering.

Throughout her years studying she has undertaken opportunities in youth development, social justice advocacy, firefighting and socially responsible engineering projects. Monique is passionate about using technology combined with business strategy to elevate people and communities. This STEM award from NHWT gives Monique the elbow room to realise her passion through prototyping projects, studying topics outside of university and studying abroad.

Second Generation Awardee

This year for the first time an NHWT:HK awards event was held and hosted by the Southern Institute of Technology (SIT). This was for the three students who had studied at or were studying there. One of these scholarship recipients, Ayla Carroll received a Hine Taipari Award (Degree) funded by the



Alexandra Kilpatrick bequest Second Chance Education award. Ayla is a Kaitangata local and in her third and final year of a Nursing degree at SIT. She said her close-knit family's support has been pivotal to her success. "It is an honour to receive this award." Unique to this situation is the fact that Ayla is the first "second generation" New Horizon for Womens Trust: Hine Kahukura recipient as her mother had previously won a Second Chance Education award.

Welcome Sarah Cole, new Trust Manager



Tēnā koe. I grew up in Beach Haven in Auckland and have lived in Wellington since 2011. I worked in the Film and Television industry for 12 years, mostly as a video editor. I studied at the University of Auckland, completing a BA in Sociology in 1993 and an MA in Development Studies in 2003, including papers in environmental management and thesis field research which focused on ecotourism as a vehicle for community development. Since 1998 I have worked in various roles in the community sector and local government and enjoy building relationships and networks to create positive change. I care deeply about social justice, the environment and human rights. I love to learn and believe in supporting opportunities for access to life-long education.

Currently I am learning Te Reo and Hebrew. I enjoy writing and other creative projects and relaxing on my houseboat in Seaview, Lower Hutt. I am honoured to be given this opportunity to support the kaupapa of New Horizons for Women Trust: Hine Kahukura.

Thanks to Taone O'Regan

Taone was Trust Manager from November 2017. She proved invaluable introducing more efficient systems including initiating a move from Drop Box to SharePoint and finalised the partnership with Craigs' Investment. Just two achievements of many. Her additional work with the marketing and promotion of the awards had the measurable result of 2019 having the record for the most award applications. Taone, during her tenure, also facilitated the setting up of new awards, providing the description and criteria and liaising between donors.

Taone and members of her family are sponsoring an award in 2020 for a woman studying te reo Maori – Te Reo o te Hākui Award.

Give a Little success

New Horizons would like to thank everyone who contributed to our recent Give A Little fundraiser. We received \$2,175! The money raised will contribute to the costs of the redesign of our website to make it more accessible for people to apply for research grants and study awards. With your help, we can inspire women - now and in the future!

Our next steps are to grow our Inspiring Women Fund. This is a special fund for you to support the mahi of New Horizons – so that we can grow sustainably and reach out to more women who will benefit from scholarships and research grants. New Horizons is a registered charity and our Charities Registration Number is CC23206.

Please visit our website www.newhorizonsforwomen.org.nz to see the different ways in which you can help.

Looking for new trustees for 2020

The trust has some long-serving trustees completing their terms and hence are looking for new trustees for 2020.

To balance things out there is a regional focus on Auckland and the South Island particularly Christchurch and Dunedin.

Particular skills that would add to the current Board are marketing, social media, and finance.

NHWT:HK supports diversity and applications from all are welcomed.

Apply in the first instance to the Trust Chair – Colleen Dryden at colleen@newhorizonsforwomen.org.nz