



Epsom Girls Grammar School Old Girls Association (Inc)

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Honorary Old Girls

The following people (not necessarily Old Girls of the School) have been made Honorary Old Girls of the OGA for Services to the OGA, the School and/or the Community.

If you would like a copy of their Citation, please contact the OGA.

- 2020 **Jeanette DAVIDSON**, EGGs teacher for 40 years (1979-1986 and again 1996 until her retirement end 2019), involved with NZQA.
Kalvir MARTIN, long-serving EGGs teacher and dean (1993 until the present – 27 years).
- 2019 **Chris ILES**, Chair of EGGs Board of Trustees, providing support and expertise to drive value and improve outcomes for the School and community.
Marama O'LOUGHLIN, EGGs teacher and dean for 17 years.
Gay BATES, for longstanding commitment and service to the Old Girls Association.
- 2018 **Heather ASH**, past teacher at EGGs and now a partner at Simpson Grierson specialising in environmental law.
Sarah STENSON, EGGs Deputy Principal, taking up the role of Principal at Kelston Girls College.
Christine BLACK, who retired as EGGs Archivist at the end of Term 1.
- 2017 **Gary COLQUHOUN-PETHERICK**, Centenary Committee, Sports Council and Arts Council.
Pauline FARRA, EGGs teacher and author of *“Educating Women of Integrity: The Centennial History of Epsom Girls Grammar School”* published in 2017 for the Centenary.
Linda McNEIL, over 30 years' service as the Principal's and Board Secretary.
- 2016 **Madeline GUNN**, former Principal of EGGs (2008 – 2015).
Mark RAKICH, former Manager of the EGGs Foundation Office.
Both were recognised for their service to the School and OGA and in helping to achieve the completion of Stage 2 of the Joyce Fisher Sports Centre (opened 2016)
- 2015 **Lynley SHEWEIRY**, co-opted to OGA Committee as BOT Rep and helps the OGA in many ways.
Tric MILNER, Deputy Principal and Staff Rep, provides a strong connection between the Committee and the School.

- 2014 **Carole COWLEY**, Director of Epsom House for 12 years, retired at the end of 2013.
Dr Gerald YOUNG, Chairperson of the Board of Trustees for the past five years.
Peter THOMPSON, Managing Director of Barfoot & Thompson and Chairperson of the Capital Campaign for the Joyce Fisher Sports Centre.
- 2013 **Karen MATTHEWS & Jane FLEMING**, for services on the PTA.
Rebekah MADDOCK, for services to Epsom House.
Peter Verner, Deputy Principal, for services to the School.
- 2012 **Lesley McHARDIE**, Head of Deans on retirement, oversaw reinstatement of and preparations for Graduation Dinners.
Graeme BRYANT, for managing School property and work done for the 2007 Reunion.
- 2011 **Elizabeth AITKEN-ROSE**, Chairperson of the Foundation and member of the Board of Trustees.
Michael ROSE (deceased), Chairman of the Foundation (husband of Elizabeth).
Paul RISHWORTH, member of the Board of Trustees for many years.
Glenda CHOY, served on the Foundation.
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2010 AND PRIOR

Honorary Life Members, including past Headmistresses:

- Ro BELLAMY (deceased)
- Gay ROBERTS
- Mary DUNKLEY
- Patricia MAUD
- Margaret BENDALL - Headmistress
- Verna DOWDLE - Headmistress
- Gaewyn GRIFFITHS - Headmistress

Long-Serving Staff – Honorary Old Girls and/or Honorary Life Members:

- Ro BELLAMY (deceased)
- Joy CARTER (deceased)
- Sally DALZELL
- Alison GLENIE
- Raewyn JOHNSON
- Moira KOPITTKE
- Lyn MacKINLAY
- Erin MARTIN
- Gay ROBERTS
- Diana ROWLEY
- Kathryn WOOD
- plus others, now deceased