



ZONTA NEW ZEALAND 50 WOMEN OF ACHIEVEMENT

Fifty years ago, the Zonta Club of Auckland was established as the first Zonta Club in New Zealand and Australia. Since that time (November 1965), Zonta in New Zealand has grown. Today there are 28 Clubs located from Whangarei to Dunedin, all working together to empower women locally, nationally and internationally through service and advocacy.

Zonta wishes to acknowledge 50 years of Zonta in New Zealand by identifying and celebrating:

- the contribution of 50 Women of Achievement. These are New Zealand women who have empowered women and girls within New Zealand and/or globally; and
- the contribution and potential of 50 Young Women of Potential. These are young New Zealand women (16-24 years) who are committed to empowering women and girls within New Zealand and/or globally.

This nomination form is for 50 Women of Achievement.

Your nominee may be well known within your local area, a household name or a quiet achiever.

The Zonta New Zealand 50 Women of Achievement will be announced on International Women's Day, 8 March 2016.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA

- Women eligible to be nominated are those who:
 1. are living, and
 2. are a New Zealand citizen or resident, and
 3. demonstrate:
 - active commitment to volunteerism
 - leadership
 - a significant contribution to empowering women and girls in New Zealand and/or globally.
- Women who are deceased (and who passed away in the last 50 years – i.e. after 1 January 1966) are also eligible for nomination if during their lifetime, they:
 1. were a New Zealand citizen or resident, and
 2. demonstrated the attributes in 3. above.
- Members of Zonta and members of the general public may be nominated.
- A nominating organisation may nominate one or more nominees.
- Each nomination must be on a separate nomination form and all requested information must be provided. Failure to provide the requested information may invalidate the nomination.
- A photograph of the nominee must be attached.
- Nominations must be received by the Chair, District 16 Centennial and Semi-Centennial Committee by midnight 11 December 2015 either by email to zonta50awards@clear.net.nz or by post to Zonta 50 Awards, 21/3 Byron Street, Miramar, Wellington 6022.
- Awards are subject to the nominee consenting to publication of their name, photo and achievements in connection with the 50 Women of Achievement awards and any celebrations for Zonta International's centennial in 2019. This consent requirement does not apply if the nominee is deceased.

SELECTION PROCESS

- A District 16 evaluating committee will review the nominations and select 50 Women of Achievement.
- The recipients are subject to confirmation by the Zonta District 16 Board and the selection decision of the Zonta District 16 Board is final.
- The 50 recipients will be advised of their selection and a certificate will be provided. The recipients will receive no financial award.



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SECTION 1 NOMINEE DETAILS

Family Name:

First Names:

Email:

Contact Phone:

Address:

(If the nominee is deceased, please only include the nominee's name and if known, date of death).

Please briefly describe the nominee's achievements *(attach an additional page if needed)*:

Volunteerism:

Leadership:

Contribution to empowering women and girls in New Zealand and/or globally:

Other significant factors in support of this nomination (maximum 500 words):

SECTION 2

Nominated By:

Contact Person's Name:

Contact Person's position:

Email:

Phone:

I confirm the information contained in this nomination form is true and correct.

Signature:

Date:

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