

TE PUKAPUKA

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Welcome to the B- P Guild: Issue #259 of Te Pukapuka

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Greetings from the Editor

The AGM has been and gone and, as usual, was a great success due to the efforts of Lesley and her team. There are a number of pictures on Facebook, go to NZ Baden-Powell Guild in Groups.

There are also more pictures of the Weka Camp site and Little Johns grave. Funds were raised at the AGM to go towards restoring his grave site at Rissington which is apparently under half a metre of mud.

Carolyn and Gary were presented with long service award for attendance at AGMs. (that's them on the front page)

Peter

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National Guildmaster's Comments

What a great National AGM we all enjoyed, in Tauranga. It was so good to catch up with everyone after an absence of two and a half years. And I'm sure everyone enjoyed the visit to the Macadamia Orchard and Katikati Museum on the Saturday. We even managed to avoid most of the rain, until Saturday afternoon and Sunday morning, but had the van to transport everyone door to door, which helped.

The longest serving members attending the AGM were Gary (226) and Carolyn (227) Froggatt, from Auckland Branch, who joined in 1975 so were presented with the trophy, which Alan Langridge, Central Otago Branch, made for us some years ago.

Census 2023

Papers will be sent out for the 30th June Baden-Powell Guild Census, which is due for before the end of July 2023. The Subs for this year will remain at \$16.00 per member (\$15.00 for ISGF fee & \$1.00 for NZSGF Travel Fund). The National Account will subsidise the shortfall.

AsPac Committee Meeting

A zoom Committee meeting was held on Sunday 23rd May 2023, where numerous topics were discussed and misunderstandings resolved.

The new badge/logo has now been approved by ISGF and this will be used on all correspondence and cloth badges and pins have already been produced, ready for sale.



King Charles III Coronation

Hopefully everyone enjoyed a gathering of some sort for the Coronation; regardless of how 'royal' you are, it is really good to be able to celebrate a really happy and very special occasion over a 24 – 48-hour period, instead of all the terrible news we normally see and hear each day.

Earth Day Sat 22nd April

AsPac enjoyed a zoom gathering to celebrate Earth Day to see how we can all help to protect the planet now and in the future. Rubbish removal from beaches, minimising plastic waste by deleting or recycling, reducing emissions, planting gardens were a few ideas raised. The main theme was that we are all responsible for protecting the earth.

Lesley Bowers, National Guildmaster

BADEN-POWELL GUILD 2023 ANNUAL FEES

The annual fees for 2023 will remain at \$16.00 per member.

The Breakdown is \$15.00 to National Office and \$3.00 for the NZSGF Travel Levy. The National Office will subsidise the shortfall.

This will be reviewed in 2024.

PICTURES FROM THE AGM



Joan, Margaret & Glenys at the AGM discovered that they had been Cadet Guides. These were girls from isolated areas who were too old for Guides but where there were no Ranger Units. They were a rare breed and are getting rarer.



Attendees at the AGM



Half the group enjoying wood oven cooked scones, jam and cream at Katikati Museum.

Helen Mitchell from Timaru being invested. (Helen is the South Island stamp lady)



Welcome

Welcome to the Baden-Powell Guild of NZ; we hope you have a long and happy association in your Branch, as a Town and Country member, and in the wider NZ and World Fellowship of B-P.

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Lilian Capil

Murihiku Branch

BRANCH REPORTS

AUCKLAND B-P GUILD

Our Train Journey

The Auckland B-P Guild's monthly outing for April was a ride on the Glenbrook Vintage railway. 12 of our members came along for a day of fellowship and fun. We boarded this old train and off we went from Glenbrook to Waiuku. On the way the train stopped at the Workshops and most got off and had a look at what you would normally find in a workshop!!!

All the bits and pieces to make an old train work.

It was all aboard then for our return journey where another large crowd was waiting to take their places on the train.

We then drove off to a country tearoom (down a road and in the bush) and had an enjoyable lunch together and quite a few laughs.

Carolyn Froggatt



Little John Branch Report. May 2023

What a year and we are only 5 months into it. We started off with good intentions to have a picnic in January at the Puketapu domain. The weather was against us then and we had to move to plan B lunch at the Puketapu Hotel. This was well attended and we had an enjoyable time. Little did we know a month later the Puketapu bridge would collapse, the picnic area under water and the hotel badly damaged by flood water.

We were unable to meet in February and the AGM had to be cancelled as movement between Napier and Hastings was only available to essential workers. Our Guild master was stranded in Hamilton as the Napier Taupo Road was closed. Margaret eventually made it back taking the long route and spending a night in Fielding before heading back to the Bay.

The AGM was held the 1st April with a full attendance. A BBQ tea followed. On Saturday 22nd April members armed with umbrellas placed poppies on the Soldiers Graves at Wharerangi Cemetery. ANZAC day saw 7 of us attend the ANZAC Service at Rissington. It was heart-breaking to see the destruction caused by the cyclone. The Bailey bridge was opened a couple of days before the Service. A

wreath was placed by the memorial by Ron Mawson and Margaret McKibbin. A lady made herself known to Margaret when she saw Little John name on our uniform. She was the great niece of John Cooksey (Little John) and had lots of memories visiting her uncle as a child. She had come from Wellington.

Three of us attended the National AGM in Tauranga. A big thank you to Lesley and Cheryl. We thoroughly enjoyed ourselves especially meeting up with other members again. The fellowship of scouting was very much alive. Now we are making plans to attend the Triennial Conference next year.

Our May meeting will be a High Afternoon Tea with the Local Scout Guide Fellowship to celebrate the Kings Coronation.



The cemetery at Rissington with the tops of the headstones showing above the silt and at our AGM at Napier 2017



**Petrol Prices
Finally Got To
Me!!!**

AN INTERESTING STORY

This article was provided by Gary last TP but I left out the attachment

When the Salvation Army Life Saving Guards and Scouts merged fully into the movement in the 1950s the sections became known as Salvation Army Red Shield Groups.

The writer started his scouting journey in 1956 when he joined the newly formed scout group at the Newton Salvation Army called the - Newton Red Shield Scout Group, which was then part of the Auckland West District.


All four Froggatt brothers went through the Group with Major Hylton Froggatt and brother Gary both completing their Queen's Scout Awards.

Other family members became involved with Valda Froggatt, (Mother) joining the Group committee and Gordon Clark, (Grandfather) taking out a Leader warrant before becoming Chairman of the Group committee.

Gary Froggatt
New Zealand Scout & Guide Fellowship
Life Member – Scouting New Zealand.

THE LIFE SAVING GUARDS FOR GIRLS

A Salvation Army Youth Movement



The Guard's movement began in New Zealand with Adjutant Charles Walls who was appointed as the Young People's Secretary for the South Island in 1910.

Lord Baden-Powell's Boy Scout movement was established in 1908, having a world-wide impact and the *War Cry* reported in February 1911, that Scout Brigades were to be established in Christchurch.

Baden-Powell gave The Salvation Army his blessing to create its own uniformed movement for boys. The Life Saving Scouts, followed in 1915 with The Life Saving Guards for girls.


Membership grew rapidly and Ensign A. H. Chalker was appointed in February 1918, to be the Territorial Life Saving Scout and Guard Organiser.

Younger children joined "Sunbeams" or "Chums", which corresponded to "Brownies" and "Cubs".


The peak period for this movement was the 1920s -1930s. The *War Cry*s of this era reveal the growth and enthusiasm of these brigades, with images of troops mustered in corps

:: LIFE SAVING GUARDS IN CAMP ::

At the conclusion of the Life Saving Scouts' reconquest at New Brighton, Life Saving Scouts from Lyttelton, Brombyton, St. Albans, Sharnford and Pacific lands participated and spent a most profitable week under canvas.



The British Red Cross





This illustrated page title: "The Sunbeams" (Illustrated Organiser), in 1916, and "The War Cry" (The War Cry 26 January 1924)

throughout New Zealand.

The Second World War inevitably caused a downturn in the ability to run youth programmes.

In the 1950s the Life Saving Guards and Scouts became officially merged with the international Baden-Powell scout and guide movements. Brigades continued to be active in corps and had territorial Salvation Army leadership.



The War Cry 3 April 1926

There is the story of a pastor who got up one Sunday and announced to his congregation: "I have good news and bad news. The good news is, we have enough money to pay for our new gym - fellowship hall building program. The bad news is, it's still out there in your pockets."

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While driving in Pennsylvania, a family caught up to an Amish carriage. The owner of the carriage obviously had a sense of humor, because attached to the back of the carriage was a hand printed sign... "Energy efficient vehicle: Runs on oats and grass. Caution: Do not step in exhaust."

Annual General meeting

THE BADEN-POWELL GUILD OF NEW ZEALAND (Inc.)

72nd National AGM held at the Greerton Hall

Saturday, 29th April 2023

WELCOME

Lesley Bowers and Margaret Blair-Young welcomed everyone to our AGM. The Patron then read the prayer.

New Town and Country member, Helen Mitchell from Timaru, was invested.

PRESENT

Lesley Bowers, National Guildmaster & Auckland Branch; Cheryl Dalzell, National Treasurer/Secretary and Town & Country Branch; Margaret Blair-Young, National Patron & Murihiku Branch.

Auckland Branch: Gary Froggatt (+NZSGF), Carolyn Froggatt, Stephen Evans, Katie Garrett, Steve Hurley, Vicki Hurley.

Little John Branch: Graham Johnson, Glenys Kirby, Margaret McKibbin (+NZSGF).

Murihiku Branch: Erena Weavers, Bob Fairlie, Warwick Bruce, Sally Cole.

Town & Country Branch: Judy Brown, Peter McInnes, Joan McInnes, Helen Mitchell, Scott Tingey, Anoush Tingey.

Kaipara Branch: Margaret Faed

APOLOGIES

Kaipara Branch: Mary Davies, Jan Marsh

Auckland Branch: Graham and Eleanor Gauld, Warren Whyte, Cheryl and Ian Davey, Margaret and Alan Craig, John and Pat Stillwell, Bob Rensen, Bob Appleby, Jan Thompson, Ann Connors, Kathy Corns

Little John Branch: Bet Wilson, Ian McGregor

Wanganui-Manawatu Branch: Glad Carlin, Yvonne Parsons, Allan Giles

Town and Country: Mike Crane, Ray and Joy Johnstone, Robin Carlin

Nelson Branch: Allan Lockyer

Christchurch Branch: Kath Kilgour, Yvonne Hopkins, Andrew Cook, Jean Bell, Tony Inglis, Patricia Dodds, Joy Read and Denise Salisbury.

Central Otago: Trevor Dyke, Viona Dyke, Kay Jopson, **Rodney Jopson**, Jean Mowat

The apologies were accepted by Margaret McKibbin, Carried.

GONE HOME – between 2022-23

Nelson Branch: Linda Lockyer (6 yrs), Peter Toll (10 yrs)

Murihiku Branch: Ewen Muir (10 yrs), Bill Gordon (15 yrs)

Town & Country: Betty Waugh (34 yrs)

Wanganui-Manawatu Branch: Jan Martin (25 yrs), Jim Parnell (7 yrs)

Christchurch Branch: Rosalie Sterritt (16 yrs)

A minute's silence was observed in remembrance.

MINUTES OF THE 2022 AGM

Main points read out by Cheryl Dalzell, Secretary.

Moved Erena Weavers and seconded by Graham Johnson that the Minutes of the 71st National AGM held by Zoom on 8th April 2022 be confirmed. Carried

MATTERS ARISING

- AsPac Gathering went ahead in Penang, Malaysia in November 2022. No representatives attended from NZ.
- Constitution was finalised, signed, lodged with the Incorporated Societies and sent out to all Branches. A copy of the Constitution and Guidelines were given to all attendees at AGM to take back to their Branches

GUILDMASTERS REPORT – as published below

Lesley Bowers read her report which was published in the AGM Booklet. Special mention of Kaye Jopson, Margaret Blair-Young and Cheryl Dalzell for their help and support. Report moved by Lesley and seconded by Gary Froggatt.

NATIONAL PATRON'S REPORT – as published below

Margaret Blair Young read her report in which she thanked Lesley and Cheryl for their efforts in putting on this AGM. She also mentioned that our thoughts are with our Friends in the North Island and upper South Island who have suffered in any way from the unpredictable weather – flooding in the North Island and now severe droughts in the lower South Island.

TE PUKAPUKA REPORT – as published below

Sadly, this is Peter's last year as editor as he will finish at the next AGM in 2024, so need a new editor for next year. It has been a challenge to produce a Te Pukapuka this year as many Branches have not been able to have meetings, due to one thing or another.

Lesley Bowers thanked Peter for his continued efforts and good work.

NZSGF REPORT - As published below

Gary Froggatt, as the NZSGF representative gave his report as published.

Margaret McKibbin, International Secretary for the NZSGF has had problems with ongoing computer issues but is now overcoming this.

ISGF ASIA PACIFIC (AsPac) REGION REPORT - As published below

Lesley pointed out the new logo printed at the end of this report.

FINANCIAL REPORT:

Report given by the National Treasurer. Not a lot going on this year so finances are in good health. ISGF levy for 2022 has not been paid because no information received from Brussels, this has now been requested.

It was moved by Stephen Evans and seconded by Peter McInnes. Carried

BUDGET: Getting very difficult to project. Although the NZSGF Travel Levy has increased from \$1.00 per member to \$3.00 per member (2022) and the ISGF levy has risen from Euro 2.25 to Euro 2.51 (2022), the Baden Powell Guild will continue 2023 with the annual levy of \$16.00 (\$15 plus \$1 NZSGF). Moved Lesley Bowers, seconded Bob Fairlie that the levy remains the same as previous year. Carried

Budget forecast was moved and seconded by Steve Hurley and Carolyn Froggatt. Carried

TRADING POST: The Trading Post was brought to the AGM and a table has been set up for sales. Many of the non-uniform items are on special at the AGM.

Graham and Eleanor Gauld, were thanked for their 11 years managing the Trading Post. This has now been passed to Lesley Bowers, updated details will be in Te Pukapuka.

ACTION PLAN 2022-24:

Same Action Plan as published in the previous year.

Visibility: is the main thing to try to get more members.

Service Project: Kaye Jopson reported to Lesley Bowers that she was disappointed that hardly anyone had responded to her request for ideas for a NZ Project and a project for 2022 was not developed further.

Rissington in Napier needs help since the cyclone and flooding. Robin Cooksey, known to everyone as Little John, who set up the Baden-Powell Guild in NZ, is buried at Rissington. It is suggested that our project for this year will be to donate to the Weka Point Scout Camp and Rissington. A presentation was given by Graham Johnson, Margaret McKibbin and Glenys Kirby after morning tea showing the devastation after the cyclone. Little John delegates were asked to report back to us at a later date about what progress was happening and what work had been carried out further on in the year. It was moved by Warwick that the money raised by the raffle be given to the Little John delegates to be used to help clean up the gravesite of Little John Cooksey. This was seconded by Carolyn Froggatt and carried by the meeting. [A total of \$210.00 was raised by the raffles and a further \$410.00 was also donated by the sale of Scout badges at the suggestion of Gary Froggatt.]

SCOUT YOUTH FOUNDATION REPORT – as published below

Gary Froggatt gave the Report as a SYF Member. The Baden-Powell Guild is a member of the Foundation and will continue to support them.

SCOUT NZ REPORT – as published below

Membership has gone down.

Gary attended the Scout Assn AGM held in Auckland as part of the National Council who was holding a workshop weekend. Three members attended, Gary and Carolyn Froggatt and Lesley Anderson. He took portions of this report from their information given at their AGM. The logical step in Scouts is to advance from Rangers etc. to Baden-Powell Guild. Gary believes we should set up a workshop to look at the future of the B-P Guild and look at combining the three (Trefoil, LSGF and B-P). He raised it again at the AGM.

LOCAL SCOUT AND GUIDE FELLOWSHIP REPORT:

Read by Lesley Bowers on behalf of Mike Crane.

We now have 8 Local Scout and Guide Fellowship groups with our recent addition – Canterbury SGF being our first South Island group.

Membership numbers tend to fluctuate for a variety of reasons. Unfortunately, we have lost members who have “Gone Home” while others simply shift away to other areas. The end result has been a slight drop in numbers to 57 which includes 11 Dual Members - 10 TG and 1 B-P.

A solid core of members remains however. These groups meet regularly and have programmes which cover both social and community activities. The majority of our members are former Trefoil Guild members.

We look forward to the chance of getting together in person at the next Triennial Conference and meeting new colleagues and exchanging and developing ideas. In the meantime, regular Newsletters keep everyone informed.

Mike Crane had been to Te Awamutu to visit the Rosetown Ramblers SGF, on the way to another meeting and had an enjoyable evening Pot Luck tea with a number of their members.

All Reports, including the Branch Reports following the Minutes, were moved by Warwick Bruce and second by Carolyn Froggatt en masse. Carried

GENERAL BUSINESS:

Thanks were given to the two Lions ladies, Maria and Fiona, for helping with the morning tea and lunches. Also, a big thank you to Nancy and Raywyn from Copper Crest who made the biscuits and slices.

NEW BADGE FOR JAMBOREE:

Steve Hurley spoke about badges. A new Jamboree badge is to be created incorporating Trefoil, LSGF and B-P Guild. These will be made in time for the next Jamboree at Mystery Creek, Hamilton 30th Dec 2023 to 7th January 2024 together with application forms to the B-P Guild. Steve is also planning an evening event to encourage growth in membership. It was put to the meeting which was agreed to.

WEBSITE DEVELOPMENT:

We have an option which we are still working on which will hopefully include the NZSGF, Trefoil Guild, Baden-Powell Guild and LSGF. Steve Hurley has offered to design this for us.

CORRESPONDENCE:

A letter was received from the Christchurch Branch B-P Guild with a request to be made to the National Headquarters of Scouting NZ for information re the future for the Scout Museum which used to be at Blue Skies, Kaiapoi.

A reply was received from Chief Executive of the Scouts Aotearoa saying that the Museum currently exists in a Scout Hall in Centaurus Road in Christchurch and has done so since the Scout Assn exited Blue Skies. He went on to say that there is no current intent to relocate the Museum in the short term. As it is a Jamboree year, external funding is primarily being received by the Movement at all levels to support young peoples' attendance to this event.

LONGEST SERVING MEMBER AT THE AGM:

For 2023 it goes to Gary (No 226) and Carolyn Froggatt (No 227) who have been B-P Guild members since February 1975. This was received with acclamation.

WORKING GROUP:

Gary Froggatt moved that a working group be set up to investigate the pros and cons into the NZ Baden-Powell Guild, Trefoil Guild and Local Scout and Guide Fellowship being merged to all become the NZ Scout and Guide Fellowship. Seconded by Steve Hurley. The process has already been started in the Trefoil Guilds as Branches have closed due to Girl Guiding centralising their funds. Some of the Trefoil Groups have changed their names already and become LSGF, e.g. the Te Awamutu Group. The working group will consist of: Gary Froggatt as Convenor, Steve Hurley, Scott Tingey and Helen Mitchell.

Lesley Bowers asked all Branches to think about the next AGM in 2025 and where it will be held. The AGM in 2024 will be held at the NZSGF Triennial Conference in Christchurch.

There being no further business the **meeting closed at 12.10pm**

Lunch was then served before we left for an enjoyable mystery afternoon tour.

Corrections are in red.

BADEN-POWELL GUILD AGM REPORTS - 29TH APRIL 2023

NATIONAL GUILDMASTER ANNUAL REPORT

In a world that is constantly changing and as we get older, it is hard to keep pace with those changes and make sense of them. Over the last three years, in our own world, we have had so many events thrown at us, from an ongoing Pandemic with the civil unrest and misinformation that has developed, to the very real evidence of climate change with fires, floods, cyclones and now tornadoes.

Three years ago, most of us had never heard of: Lockdowns, WHO, Pandemic, Contactless, Daily Stand-ups, Bubbles, BC (Before Covid), PPE, Work from Home, Anti-masker, Anti-vaxxer, Quarantine, Delta, Omicron, Key Worker, Zoom Meetings, Self-isolate, Social Distancing as well as double-vaccinated and fully vaccinated. Now we all know what they are and they are all words that have been added to the dictionary along with Woke, Black Lives Matter, Tik Tok and Wordle (to name a few).

At the beginning of 2022, I attended a zoom ISGF World Conference, which was another very different way of holding a gathering for a large number of people from around the world. Apart from the time difference catching me out, I really enjoyed the experience of holding a Webinar, which means we couldn't see each other but could send messages. Voting was also an unusual way of obtaining a fair result, with Country's only being able to cast 1 vote.

I am ever hopeful that the 30th ISGF World Conference will be able to go ahead from Tue, 17 September 2024 - Sun, 22 September 2024 in Granada, Spain.

Remember the NZ Baden-Powell Facebook page? All members are accepted but it is a private page, so no-one outside ISGF can become members. This limits the possibility of it being infiltrated by hackers. Contact Kaye Jopson, National Deputy Guildmaster, administrator or Lesley Bowers if you are interested in joining? And please share your activities and get-togethers during the year. Thank you to those who have contributed. And also, to Sue Page, UK Baden Powell Guild for your input.

Most of our Branches have been able to hold some successful events and outings throughout 2022, however, as Covid-19 decreases, severe weather events are increasing.

Climate change is occurring faster than anyone expected and we all need to play our part in the future of our surroundings so future generations can enjoy a better world. It is important that we all become more self-sufficient by growing our own, and sharing this with our friends, family and neighbours.

My thanks go to each and every one of you for your continued support of each other and the many Branches of the Baden-Powell Guild throughout New Zealand.

Special mention must go to Kaye Jopson, National Deputy Guildmaster, for always being there and assisting when required, to Margaret Blair-Young as Patron and Cheryl Dalzell as National Secretary/Treasurer for being such amazing support.

Thanks also to Peter McInnes for your ongoing commitment to produce Te Pukapuka, and to Graham and Eleanor Gauld for manning the Trading Post for the past 11 years.
Lesley Bowers, National Guildmaster

NATIONAL PATRON'S REPORT

Greetings Everyone, at last some of us can finally join together for our AGM. Could I start by thanking Lesley and her team for organising this weekend in Tauranga, among the many setbacks, it would not have been an easy task.

To our Friends in the North and upper South Island who have suffered in any way from the unpredictable weather, on behalf of the rest of New Zealand may you know our thoughts and prayers have been with you, your family & friends throughout your terrifying ordeals.

The lower South Island have been traumatised with the opposite problems severe drought has caused many problems especially for farmers, fruit and vegetable growers. I live close to the Invercargill Water Tower & water carriers have been flat out since early November, easing a little now, but some households waited 5 to 7 days for a water delivery.

We were disappointed when Central Otago had to postpone the Fellowship weekend due to covid – hopefully it may happen this year & all their organising will not be wasted.

My deepest sympathy to those family & friends who have lost loved ones in the past year.

Thank you to all who have travelled to Tauranga this weekend. - For those unable to be with us, I thank you in advance Peter, I am sure you will keep them informed. We are all so grateful for the work you put into Te Pukapuka.

Have a successful weekend, good luck with any decision making and enjoy the Fellowship.

Margaret Blair-Young
National Patron

TE PUKAPUKA REPORT:

The year has been an interesting one from my perspective as editor, branches produce reports when they have had meetings which have also been disrupted by weather events so sometimes there are not many. However, they make interesting reading. The search for topical news on Scouting and Guiding can be a challenge but generally items can be found on line or from Lesley and Gary.

The number of copies of Te Pukapuka has reduced in line with membership. The change from magazine format to on- line has been a bit of a challenge, particularly getting up to date email addresses for members. About 100 copies are now sent on line and the arrangement has generally been accepted and those members without email are supplied through their Branches. It is also easier to send copies to overseas Guilds and also those who may just be interested in our activities. Some Town and Country members, (about 12) still get theirs by post but the cost of printing and postage has been reduced considerably.

Thank you for your patience while we have been getting this system up and running. As I indicated in Te Pukapuka, we are looking for a new Editor as I will finish at the next AGM in 2024.

Best Wishes, Peter (Editor Te Pukapuka)

ISGF ASIA PACIFIC (AsPac) REGION REPORT

Covid-19 has caused large disruptions to all member countries with a number of members have been very unwell with the virus or who have succumbed to it and our thoughts go to their families. The Asia-Pacific Region has started to emerge back into some semblance of normality following Covid- 19, with a gathering being held in November 2022, the first face to face meeting since 2019 in Sri Lanka. There were no representatives from New Zealand.

The AsPac Committee, of which I am a member, have held a large number of zoom meetings over the last 3 years, the most recent will be held on 21 st May 2023.

Some of our meetings included celebrating Earth Day, Founders Day/Thinking Day, Fellowship Day and a training day for the United Nations Sustainable Development Goals (SDG) and how we could support these goals.

We have welcomed South Korea to the Region. The AsPac Region now includes Australia, New Zealand, Maldives, Sri Lanka, South Korea, India, Nepal, Pakistan, Malaysia, Bangladesh and Indonesia as members.

The next face to face AsPac Committee meeting will be held 7,8,9 March 2024 in either Philippines or Taiwan. Venue yet to be confirmed.

The logo has been changed from a logo with countries flags to colours.

Lesley Bowers

National B-P Guildmaster & AsPac Committee member

NEW ZEALAND SCOUT & GUIDE FELLOWSHIP (NZSGF) REPORT: NZ BADEN-POWELL REPRESENTATIVES

The two Baden-Powell representatives on the NZSGF National Committee are currently Margaret McKibbin, and Gary Froggatt. Lesley Bowers attends as an ex-officio member being the current National Guildmaster. The Trefoil have two representatives plus their National Organiser. The Local Scout & Guide Fellowships also have two representatives, one currently being Mike Crane.

INTERNATIONAL SCOUT & GUIDE FELLOWSHIP UPDATES

The ISGF annual census forms are in the process of being completed for dispatch to Brussels. The total number of NZ registrations is 573, represented by 145 in 11 B-P Guilds, 371 in 47 Trefoil Guilds and 57 in 8 local SG Guilds.

WORLD CONFERENCE – SPAIN 2024

The next world conference will be held in Granada, Spain from 17 – 22 September 2024.

Further details as they come to hand.

2024 NZSGF TRIENNIAL CONFERENCE

Next year's conference will be held in Christchurch from Friday 15 March to Sunday 17 March 2024. Registration forms will be circulated in due course. Our thanks go to Carol Wallace for being our representative on the organising committee.

ASIA PACIFIC REGION

Lesley Bowers continues to be the New Zealand representative on the Asia Pacific Committee and will report on the region's activities. The NZ Committee does not have the funds to travel to these types of meetings however Lesley has been able to participate via zoom which can be a bit of a mission due the different time zones.

JOINT GUILD ACTIVITIES

We need to continue to explore ways to promote more joint activities with the B-P Guilds and Trefoil Guilds as numbers in both sections continue to decline.

Gary Froggatt, NZSGF Representative

SCOUT YOUTH FOUNDATION REPORT

The Scout Youth Foundation is nearly 30 years old. Due to the current financial crisis the markets, both domestically and globally, trended downwards this year.

As a result, that has led to investment income being down by \$414,507 however, rest assured, that the total of the capital fund continues to be safe. Adjustments to the investment strategy will continue to be made.

The balance of the SYF Capital Fund is currently \$1,820,995.00

The balance of the Tatum Trust is currently \$1,180,335.00

In addition, the SYF trustees also look after a couple of Wellington Sea Scout Trusts.

The Consolidated Funds under investment total just below \$4,000,000.00.
Warwick Bell is standing down as SYF chair but will be taking over as SYF Secretary and the new chairman is David Wallace.

Gary Froggatt
SYF Member

SCOUTS NEW ZEALAND REPORT

The 2021-2022 scout year began with a continuation of the challenges associated with Covid-19, and this continued throughout the 2022 year.

The youth programme continues to support members to have ownership of their Scouting by empowering them to lead their own adventures and to shape their experiences in line with their personal interests and the needs of their communities.

Patron: Dame Cindy Kiro, Governor - General of NZ

Adventure Ambassador: Mark Inglis

Chief Executive: Josh Tabor

Total registered youth members – 11,610

Kea section – 2453, Cub section – 4369, Scout section – 3733,

Venturer section – 1055, Rover section – 150.

Total badges awarded – 91,358

Volunteer Leaders and adults – 6609

Founders Day Awards – Lifetime of service 27, Silver Tui 7, Silver Tiki 32 and Bronze Tiki 125.

Queen Scout Awards – 77, Chief Scouts Awards - 123

Total Registered Groups – 302 (50 Sea) (10 Air) (242 Land)

National Activities – Snow School, Mountaineering School, Flying School, Canoe School, Aviation School,

Caving School, Sailing School, and the Photography School.

Gang Shows – North Shore, Manawatu, Waikato, Nelson, Christchurch.

Major sponsors – Air New Zealand, Ministry of Youth Development, NZ Community Trust, Lottery

Grants Board, Sport New Zealand.

Gary Froggatt - Life Member – NZ Scout Association



The Murihiku Branch enjoy Mount Maunganui before the AGM

FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE 1 Jan 2022 – 31 Dec 2022

BADEN-POWELL GUILD OF NEW ZEALAND (Incorporated)
STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL PERFORMANCE
BANK ACCOUNT No 06-0746-0142101-00

FOR THE YEAR ENDING 31st DECEMBER

INCOME	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
Branch Levy's	1,815.00	1930.00
Town and Country Levy's	285.00	255.00
NZSGF Travel Fund Levy from Branches	140.00	135.00
Interest Received – ANZ Cheque Account	78.94	3.14
Interest Received - ANZ Term Deposit	330.00	169.54
Donations	552.00	11.60
Trading Post sales (inc. postage)	298.10	53.00
Zoom Meeting Contributions	75.00	
	<u>3,574.04</u>	<u>\$2557.28</u>
EXPENDITURE	<u>2022</u>	<u>2021</u>
Postage & Stationery		150.00
NZSGF Travel Fund @ \$1 pp		174.00
ISGF Levy (+ \$20 Bank Fee)		680.34
Te Pukapuka Printing Costs (inc. postage)	677.88	1187.33
Travel & Accommodation		960.65
New Plymouth SGF – ex Taranaki B-P Guild		330.04
Trading Post expenses – Jubilee Badges	320.00	
Zoom Meeting Expenses (2023 pd in advance)	212.86	252.00
	<u>\$1,210.74</u>	<u>\$3,734.36</u>
Income over Expenditure 2022	2,363.30	(1,177.08)
	<u>\$3,574.04</u>	<u>\$2,557.28</u>

STATEMENT OF FINANCIAL POSITION as at 31st December 2022

Equity as at 1st January 2022	25,087.78	26,264.86
Income over Expenditure	2,363.30	(1,177.08)
	<u>\$27,451.08</u>	<u>\$25,087.78</u>
Represented by:-		
ANZ Bank - Cheque Account 31 st December 2022	12,451.08	10,087.78
ANZ Bank - Term Deposit	15,000.00	15,000.00
	<u>\$27,451.08</u>	<u>\$25,087.78</u>

National Guildmaster & Examiner Date:



Lesley Bowers

18/01/23

Treasurer



Cheryl Dalzell

18/01/23

Date:

**Baden-Powell Guild of New Zealand (Inc.)
Trading Post 2022 and Budget 2023**

Trading Post - Stock in hand 31 Dec 2022

Item	Quantity	Sale Price
Finished Scarves with badge	5	\$6.00
Scarf badges	30	\$1.50
Flashes (sold in pairs)	100prs	\$1.50
Embroidered Badges - Shirt	475	\$0.80
Trefoil/B-P Round Swap Badges	193	\$3.00
Metal Badges w/Clips - small round	189	\$3.00
Silver Fern Badges (NZSGF)	54	\$5.70
Woggles	24	\$1.50
Card & Envelope Packs (5 per Pack)	23	\$6.00
B-P Guild Pens	25	\$2.50
NZSGF Pens	4	\$2.50
Leather Bookmarks	14	\$4.00
Queen's Platinum Jubilee cloth badge	78	\$2.00
NZSGF Swap badge - Bali	6	\$3.00
NZSGF Triennial Conf. 2018 Swap	26	\$3.00
FOMM 25 th Anniversary	8	\$3.00
NZSGF Silver fern cloth scarf badge	25	\$2.00
Stock on Hand		<u>\$2687.30</u>

Stock - not listed above

Membership Badges (metal) (no charge)	93
Investment cards (no charge)	115

B-P GUILD FORECAST BUDGET = 145 members

for the year ending 31 December 2023

Income		Expenditure	
Levy 135 branch members @ \$15.00	2025.00	Travel & Accom. Mtg & branch visits	500.00
Levy T&C 10 @ \$15.00	150.00	ISGF Levy (€2.51pp) (approx.\$4.35)	631.00
NZSGF Travel Fund \$3.00	435.00	NZSGF Travel fund \$3.00	435.00
Extra Te Pukapuka Sales	0.00	Te Pukapuka costs	500.00
Trading Post Profit	20.00	Trading Post Expenses	400.00
Bank Acc interest	400.00	Stationery & stamps	30.00
Donations	20.00		
Income over expenditure			<u>554.00</u>
	<u>\$3050.00</u>		<u>\$3050.00</u>

Lily Lewis

National Guildmaster

Date: 16/03/2023

Dalzell

Treasurer

Date: 16/03/2023

B-P GUILD NATIONAL TEAM & BRANCH OFFICERS 2023

National Guildmaster/Deputy/Secretary/Treasurer/Patron: 2023

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TRADING POST – 2023 Prices

B-P Guild Scarf

\$6.00 each



B-P Guild Woggle

\$1.50 each

Shoulder Flashes

\$1.50 pair



Shirt Membership Badge

0.80c each

**Membership Brooches
(replacement only)**

\$5.00 each



B-P Guild Scarf Badge



\$1.50 each



**NZ Scout & Guide Fellowship
Metal Lapel Badge**

\$4.00 each

B-P/Trefoil Swap badge

\$1.00 each



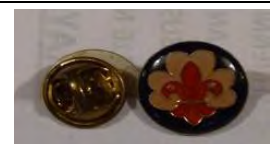
**B-P Guild pen
(Different Colours)**



\$1.50 each

**Round B-P Guild Badge
(with pin)**

\$1.50 each



No Charge



Membership
Application
Forms



Leather Bookmark (diffe
colours)

\$2.00

NZSGF Pen



\$1.50 each



\$3.00 for 5

Letter Cards (with envelopes)

NZSGF Triennial Conference
Cloth Badge 2018

\$2.00



\$2.00



NZSGF Cloth Badge
For scarf, uniform or blanket

Queen's Platinum
Jubilee Cloth Badge

\$2.00



Items on special are in **RED**

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