



POWERTALK SPEAKWELL

**50TH ANNIVERSARY
CELEBRATION
11 DECEMBER 2020**

CHARTER 2011

11 DECEMBER 1970



Conference 1988 Dunedin

Sally Fergus

Dayle Judson

Peggy Clement



Prepared Speech Contest 1990

Isobel Westcott

Sue Sutherland

Beverley Ruddick

Stephanie Oliver

Pauline Prendergast



Prepared Speech Contest 1990

2nd – Sue Sutherland

1st – Pauline Prendergast



Installation 1990-91

Beverley Ruddick

Glenda Foster

Lesley Sutherland

Pauline Prendergast –
President

Dayle Judson - Installation
Officer

Isobel Westcott

Nobuka Iwasaki

Stephanie Oliver



The 1990-91 team

Right - Beverley Ruddick (secretary), Glenda Foster (IFF), Lesley Sutherland (membership), Pauline Prendergast (president), Dayle Judson (installation officer), Isobel Westcott (delegate), Nobuka Iwasaki (treasurer), Stephanie Oliver (v.p. Education).

Conference 1991 Wellington Council 6

Peggy Clement

Bryan Foster

Sally Fergus

Beverley Ruddick

Glenda Foster



Conference 1991 Wellington Region Officers

Sally Fergus (Back
Row)



Prepared Speech Contest 1991

Joyce Fitzgerald
Stephanie Oliver
Shirley Steele
Carol Maud
Darryl Francis
Bryan Foster



Prepared Speech Contest 1991

Judges

Glenda Foster

Edna Peters

Elaine Ramsay



Conference 1992 Invercargill

Peggy Clement,
Bryan Foster



Installation 1993/94

Pauline Prendergast – President

Sally Fergus

Mary Anne Mills

Lorraine Shorter

Darryl Francis

Heather Miller



Conference 1994 Hamilton

Joyce Fitzgerald,
Peggy Clement,
Stephanie Oliver



Prepared Speech Contest 1994

Keith Newton

Janne Nesbitt

Joyce Fitzgerald

Peter Kennedy

Mary Anne Mills

Pam Cameron

Stephanie Oliver

Pauline Prendergast



Prepared Speech Contest 1994

Judges

Janice Mooney

Francis Hardy

Paul Sinclair



Prepared Speech Contest 1994

3rd – Peter Kennedy

1st – Mary Anne Mills

2nd - Pam Cameron



Installation 1994-95

Keith Newton

Pam Russell

Joyce Fitzgerald

Mary-Anne Mills

Stephanie Oliver



Installation 1994/95

Pam Russell

Joyce Fitzgerald

Lorraine Shorter

Keith Newton

Mary Anne Mills

Darryl Francis -
President



Speakwell 25th Anniversary 1995

Helen Dunford – Newest
Member

Beverley Ruddick – Senior
Member



Speakwell 25th Anniversary 1995

Peggy Clement –
Proposing Toast to ITC



Prepared Speech Contest 1995

3rd Equal – Joyce Fitzgerald

1st – Pam Russell

2nd – Pauline Prendergast

3rd Equal – Peter Kennedy



Council 6 Meeting July 1995

Robyn Ingleton

Darilyn Skilton

Janne Nesbitt

Stephanie Oliver

Sally Fergus

(order unknown)



Installation 1995-96

Carmel Sheehan

Robyn Ingleton

Janne Nesbitt

Stephanie Oliver - President

Pam Russell

Installation Officer – Elaine
Slinn



1995-96

Increase of Membership 21-26



Prepared Speech Contest 1996

3rd – Darilyn Skilton

2nd – Beverley Ruddick

1st – Pam Russell



Prepared Speech Contest 1996

Alice Osborn

Darilyn Skilton

Robyn Ingleton

Pauline Prendergast

Pam Russell

May Stuart

Mary Anne Mills

Beverley Ruddick

Carol Maud



Conference 1996 Auckland

Pam Russell and
Stephanie Oliver



Installation 1996-97

May Stuart

Carmel Sheehan

Helen Dunford

Sally Fergus

Pam Russell - President



Novice Impromptu Speech Contest 1997

Peter Elder

Stephen Warnes

Peter Morgan

Hira Takuiria-Mita

Jenny Walton

Zelma Foo

Joan Farrow

Sue Boaden

Programme Leader –
Beverley Ruddick



Novice Impromptu Speech Contest 1997

1st – J J Pakuira-Mita

2nd - Peter Morgan

3rd Equal – Sue Boaden
& Peter Elder



Council 6 Prepared Speech Contest 1997

1st – Pam Russell



Council 6 Prepared Speech Contest 1997

Judges

Left to Right

John Bishop

Chris Cape

Warren Corston

Gail Powell



Certificate of Recognition

1996/97

Full Membership



Installation 1997/98

Sally Fergus – President

May Stuart

Peter Morgan

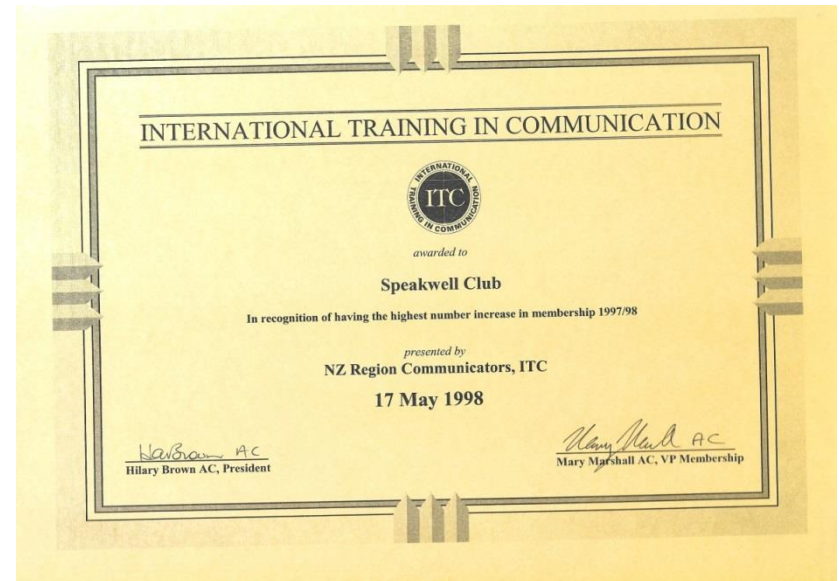
Bev Mumford

Pam Russell

Installation Officer – Dayle
Judson



Recognition of Having Highest Increase in Membership 1997/98



Council 6 Board 1998/99

May Stuart – VP
Education



Impromptu Speech Contest 1998

- 1st - Hira Takirua-Mita
2nd - Stephen Warnes
3rd - Paul Mitchell



Prepared Speech Contest 1998

David Stuart

Peter Morgan

Teresa Tito

Olivia Shen

Jo Rea

Pauline Prendergast



Prepared Speech Contest 1998

1st – Jo Rea

2nd – Pauline Prendergast

3rd – Teresa Tito



Prepared Speech Contest 1998

Judges

Glenise Dreaver

Anne Thewles

Judges' Host

Beverley Ruddick



Council 6 Impromptu Speech Contest 1998

1st – Peter Kennedy



Conference 1998 Wellington

May Stuart
Sally Fergus
Joan Farrow
Beverley Ruddick
Peggy Clement
Keith Newton



Conference 1998 Wellington

Peggy Clement

Keith Newton

May Stuart



Speakwell 1999

Bev Mumford

Peter Kennedy

Peter Thomas

Joan Farrow



Conference 1999 Waitangi

Sally Fergus,
Darryl Francis,
Peggy Clement,
Stephanie Oliver,
Beverley Ruddick



Installation 1999/2000

Colin Rofe

Keith Newton

Paul Mitchell – President

Jenny Walton



Installation 1999-2000

Prize Winners 1999

Teresa Tito

John Storey

Sally Fergus

May Stuart

Peter Thomas



Prepared Speech Contest 2000

Judges

Sally Fergus

Isobel Howcroft

Alison Lawson



Prepared Speech Contest 2000

3rd – Lynley Sinclair

1st – Joan Farrow

2nd – Teresa Tito



Installation 2000-2001

Sue Pardoe

Paul Mitchell

Teresa Tito

Joan Farrow – President

Will Corney



Installation 2000-2001

Outgoing Board

Stephen Warnes

Paul Mitchell

Jenny Walton

Colin Rofe

Keith Newton



Installation 2000-2001

Keith Newton –
Outgoing President and
Joan Farrow – Incoming
President



Installation 2000-2001

Joan Farrow

Foreground – Keith
Newton and Sue
Boardman



Installation 2000-2001

Trophy Winners

Teresa Tito

Joan Farrow

Yinrong Lu

Keith Newton



Speakwell 30th Anniversary 2000

Paul Mitchell

Will Corney

Colin Rofe

Zelma Foo

Sue Pardoe

Joan Farrow – President

Peter Thomas

Jenny Walton

Keith Newton

Teresa Tito



Speakwell 30th Anniversary 2000

Charter Members:

Yvonne Airey

Beth Lafferty

Mary Brito

Alison Lawson



Prepared Speech Contest 2001

Yinrong Lu

John Storey

Keith Newton

Teresa Tito

Zelma Foo



Prepared Speech Contest 2001

Judges

Dayle Judson

Lee Wilkinson

Peter Kennedy



Council 6 & 8 Prepared Speech Contest 2001

1st – Teresa Tito



Convention 2007 Brisbane

Keith Newton -
Compere



Convention 2007 Brisbane

Lisa Yung



Convention 2007 Brisbane

Lynn Judd

Adrienne Payton

Keith Newton

Marilyn Steele

Lisa Yung

Peggy Clement



Convention 2007 Brisbane

Keith Newton -
Compere



Convention 2007 Brisbane

Peggy Clement

Keith Newton

Adrienne Payton



Convention 2007 Brisbane

Lynn Judd



Convention 2007 Brisbane

Adrienne Payton
receiving an Award



Conference 2008 Rotorua

Adrienne Payton

Marilyn Steele

Lynn Judd

Peggy Clement

Lisa Yung

Jean Kearney



Conference 2010 Dunedin

Lynn Judd

Lisa Yung

Margaret Craigie

Jean Kearney

Jane Spain



Conference 2010 Dunedin

Jean Kearney



Conference 2010 Dunedin

Jane Spain



Conference 2010 Dunedin

Keith Newton

Adrienne Payton

Margaret Craigie

Jane Spain

Lynn Judd

Jean Kearney

Lisa Yung

Peggy Clement



Conference 2012 Hamilton

Jean Kearney

Margaret Craigie

Lisa Yung

Kinsa Hayes



Convention 2015 Rotorua

Prepared Speech
Contest

Adrienne Payton (2nd
from Right)



Installation 2015

Adrienne Payton

Jean Kearney

Margaret Craigie

Keith Newton

Lisa Yung

Carolyn Lankow



45th Anniversary 2015

Kevin Dallow



45th Anniversary 2015

Margaret Craigie with
David Payton's "world
famous" muffins



45th Anniversary 2015

Jean Kearny cutting the
cake “supervised” by
Kinsa Hays



45th Anniversary 2015

Lynn Judd

Christine Botardo

Kevin Dallow



45th Anniversary 2015

Margaret Craigie

Carolyn Lankow

Christine Botardo



45th Anniversary 2015

Christine Botardo

Kinsa Hays



Christmas 2015

Veronica Strickland-
Reeve

Jane Spain



New Member Induction 2016

Diane Weatherhead



New Member Induction 2017

Toni White

Elaine Poole



Installation 2018

Carolyn Lankow

Lisa Yung



Evaluation Contest 2018

Jane Spain – 3rd

Carol Speirs – 1st

Keith Newton – 2nd



Region Speech Contest 2018 Nelson

Margaret Craigie
2nd Placegetter



Region Writing Contest 2018 Nelson

Carolyn Lankow

Elaine Poole

(absent Toni White)

Speakwell scooped the
winning entries



Table Topics Award 2018

Carol Speirs

Ellen Li



Table Topics Award June 2018

Carol Speirs

Christine Botardo



Table Topics Award July 2018

Carol Speirs

Jane Spain



Oral Reading Contest 2018

Keith Newton

Carol Speirs

Adrienne Payton

Lisa Yung – 2nd

Christine Botardo

Toni White

Elaine Poole

Jean Kearney – 3rd

Margaret Craigie – 1st



Social Night at the Movies 2018

Movie – “The Guernsey Literary & Potato Peel
Pie Society

Toni White

Jane Spain

Margaret Craigie

Elaine Poole

Carolyn Lankow

Ian Lankow

Jean Kearney

Carol Speirs

Lisa Yung



Christmas Celebration 2018

Carol Speirs

Ellen Li

Christine Botardo

Keith Newton

Jean Kearney

Carolyn Lankow

Elaine Poole

Grace Leigh

Lisa Yung

Jane Spain

Margaret Craigie

Jan Irvine

Absent – Adrienne Payton



Installation 2019

Ellen Li receiving the
Award for Most
Improved Member



Book Launch for Past Member Diane Weatherhead 2019

Margaret Craigie

Toni White

Diane Weatherhead

Carolyn Lankow

Lisa Yung



Region Speech Contest 2019 Sydney

Carolyn Lankow (2nd
from Right)



An Exercise in Team Work 2019

Involved a ball and some
tubing

Keith Newton

Margaret Craigie

Christine Botardo

Ellen Li

Jane Spain

Jean Kearney



Movie Fundraiser 2019

The Lighthouse Cinema
Petone



New Member Induction 2019

Siming Hu

Elaine Poole



Table Topics Award 2019

Carol Speirs

Margaret Craigie



Installation 2020

Keith Newton

Ben Poole

Elaine Poole

Jean Kearney

Carolyn Lankow

Ian Lankow

Christine Botardo

Ray Botardo

Carol Speirs

Brian Speirs

Lisa Yung

Ellen Li

Conrad (Ellen's Partner)

Margaret Craigie

Eric Boamah



Zoom Meeting 2020

This was how we did meetings during Covid-19

Christine Botardo

Lisa Yung

Elaine Poole

Ellen Li

Jane Spain

Mary Marshall

Carol Speirs

Margaret Craigie

Eric Boamah

Jean Kearney

Keith Newton

Kinsa Hays

Adrienne Payton

Siming Hu

Carolyn Lankow

Paul Mitchell



Table Topics Trophy Award 2020

Carol Speirs

Carolyn Lankow

