

Our People

Patron

Mary Brook (daughter of the late Maurice Paykel, previous Patron of the Centre)

Members of the Board

Gaynor Brown—President

A member since 1994, Gaynor is former Deputy Director of Southern Cross Campus Senior School in Mangere and has been involved in education for many years. She has been on the Board of Ambury Park for a number of years.

Ian John—Vice President

A member since 1998, Ian is an independent film and video producer/director and has directed numerous documentaries, corporate and commercial productions.

Claire Lingman—Treasurer

A member since 1988 and Treasurer since 1996, Claire is a former President and Vice President who is well qualified to handle the Centre's financial affairs.

Caroline Grove—Secretary

Member since 1994 and Secretary for the last six years, Caroline is a long-term volunteer who devotes one day a week to helping at the centre.

Anna Houston—Director

Has worked at all levels in education, including leadership roles, focussing on special needs students. A trained primary school teacher, Anna is currently completing her Post Graduate Diploma in Special Needs Education.

Dianne Glenn—ARC Representative

A member since 2001, Dianne is involved with the NZ Federation of Business and Professional Women, the Franklin Arts and Cultural Trust, Tourism Franklin and Total Mobility Advisory Board.

Tony Oliver—ARC Representative

Janet Hepi—Member since 1992.

Deanne Maule

Chartered accountant with previous voluntary work experience for St. John and South Auckland Income Planning Services.

Wayne Burke

A lifestyle farmer in Pukekohe with involvement in racehorses and dressage.

Chris Futter

An occupational therapist with long-time RDA experience.