

# BPW Franklin Inc.

## e-newsletter

Affiliated to the New Zealand Federation of Business & Professional Women Inc.

May 2024

### Message from BPW Franklin President Helen Baucke

Kia ora tatou

You will be pleased to know that all Resolutions put to the BPW NZ AGM Zoom meeting were passed unanimously. Now the work to progress this new policy begins. More on that later.

**AWARDS -\* AWARDS -\* - AND MORE -\* AWARDS !!!**

BPW Franklin received the following Awards at the BPWNZ National AGM Zoom

Award for Most Increased Numbers of Club Members.

The President's Award to Helen Baucke.

Distinguished Service Award to Janice Gammon.

Our treasure of a Treasurer, Hansa Naran officially received her QSM last week at Government House.



Last but no means least, we have created three new Awards to present to Women from our Community at our Op Shop Ball on 24 August. See further on in this Newsletter for more.

Nga mihi  
Helen

### Dinner Meetings (4th Wednesday of the month)

Dinner Meeting costs are **\$35** and needs to be paid in advance. You can pay electronically into the bank account. 02-0404-0100956-00

Please put your "Surname" as the Reference and "Dinner" as the Code.

You can text **DeAnn West** to book in your guest or cancel your dinner reservation on **027 625 9976** or **email her on [catering@bpwfranklin.org.nz](mailto:catering@bpwfranklin.org.nz)** by 8pm on the Sunday prior.

Members If you are bringing a guest, please inform **DeAnn** of their name and any dietary requirements. If you are member attending without having dinner there is a **\$20** meeting fee.

### Dinner Meeting Topics & Tasks

We will continue to notify you of the speaker or topic for each dinner meeting in the Newsletter prior to the Dinner Meeting. Members, If you have organised a guest speaker, please ensure they are aware their dinner is complimentary as a thank you.

**Dinner and Guest Speakers**  
**22 May 2024**

**nourish**  
HOLISTIC NUTRITION

Cosmopolitan Club, Nelson Street Pukekohe  
6.30 for 7pm

### Meeting Tasks:

**Hostesses:** All Members are hostesses!  
**Reg Desk:** Volunteer please?  
**Chair & Collect:** Helen Baucke  
**Introducer:** Janice Gammon  
**Thanker:** Helen Baucke

Gautam and Rama Narayan of Nourish Holistic Nutrition will introduce us to Gautam's dream to create a delicious path to health and vitality through the nutritional power of food, one family at a time."

Members' Birthday  
26 May - Charity Dumburashé



### BPW FRANKLIN AIMS



1. To stimulate and encourage women to realise and accept their responsibilities in the community - locally, nationally and internationally.
2. Work for higher standards of education and training for business and professional women.
3. Work for equal opportunities and status for women in business, trade and the professions and in economic, civil and political life.
4. Work for the removal of discrimination.
5. Collect and present the views of its members to the New Zealand Federation of Business and Professional Women Incorporated (hereinafter called 'the Federation').
6. Ratify, action and support the policies of the Federation.
7. To promote co-operation amongst business and professional women throughout the world.

### **CANDLE LIGHTING CEREMONY AND DINNER**

26 June 2024

at the Pukekohe Cosmopolitan Club

6.30 for 7pm start

**Guest Speaker: Grace Payne**

Special Olympics New Zealand Athlete leader Grace Payne is recognised for her tireless advocacy work for people with intellectual disabilities. We are thrilled Grace is able to join us at our special Candle Lighting Celebration. Make sure you let your friends and guests know to register for this event

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## 40<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Awards

### for Women in the Franklin Community

The Executive Committee have created three new Awards and information is being sent out to all women's groups in our Community to nominate people for the following :

1. SERVICES TO WOMEN - Women who look out for each other in big ways or small. This award will go to someone who has shown how they have furthered the cause of women in the pursuit of equal rights and opportunities. The successful nominee will be able to demonstrate how she has built women's success in our community, our country, or the world.
2. WOMEN IN THE SPOTLIGHT – The winner of this award will be a shining example of what women can achieve. Someone who has blazed a trail that others can follow and proven limiting expectations wrong.
3. UNSUNG HEROES – This award will go to someone who has done the leg work, who is perhaps shy of the limelight, and has done so much of the hard work that goes on behind closed doors whenever women achieve as a team.

Members, if you have friends in any other women's clubs or groups who could nominate their members, please get in touch with the Secretary so information can be sent to them. The Deadline is 1<sup>st</sup> August. The awards will be presented at the Op Shop Ball.

**BOOKINGS OPEN NOW.  
SATURDAY 24 AUGUST 2024**

**BPW FRANKLIN 40<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY  
OP SHOP BALL**

6 pm for 7 pm start till 11 pm

Pukekohe Cosmopolitan Club

Dress: Bling and Dancing Shoes

Award presentations; Spot prizes; Supper, Live Entertainment and Music (lots of Rock & Roll) from the fabulous Two Fat Ladies. Check out their Facebook page "Two Fat Ladies – Entertainers"

We are in for a treat!

Tickets \$65 per person.

Buy a Table for 10 and get 2 free bottles of wine.

**See Poster attached to this email for details  
and booking information**

Members Only - attachments to this E-Newsletter

- Financial Reports
- Op Shop Ball Poster
- Yellow Membership Handbook 2024-5

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