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# The 32<sup>nd</sup> Aotearoa Māori Sports Awards

Hosted at Turangawaewae Marae,  
Ngaruawahia.

Saturday 26 November 2022





# HM Kiingi Tuheitia Potatau Te Wherowhero VII

*Patron, Te Tohu Taakaro o Aotearoa Charitable Trust*



*Tuia te kawa, tairanga te kawa. Ko te kawa o te aroha, ko te kawa o te rangimaarie.*

In ancient times our people became experts in a number of traditional sports. Right through the ages, we have been keen sportspeople. Our traditions have held us in good stead to face the modern world of sport and rise to the challenge of competition.

The dedication of our sports icons has seen yet another rise in the way Maaori across the codes are leading the way in the spiritual and physical success of our people.

Our tikanga and values have seen another dimension of sporting success. From the young ones to the not so young, our people are flourishing to great heights.

Not only for the athletes, for the guidance of coaches is paramount, the whaanau support is ultra important and the general tautoko is absolutely needed. Congratulations to everyone involved in the wonderful achievements.

This awesome event is supported by excellent sponsors. A huge mihi to the organizers, long may the celebration continue.

I leave you with a personal tongikura '*haapaingia ngaa whakatupuranga*'. This saying offers a chance to look back into our magnificent history of sporting greats, it sends a signal for our wonderful sports men and women to simply continue to be excellent and it shows our aspiring sportspeople that with effort and hard work, the achievements will come.

*Haapaingia ngaa whakatupuranga.*

Paimaarire





# Hon Willie Jackson

*Minister for Māori Development*



E ngā toa taki o te ao hākinakina, o te ao Māori, tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou katoa.

This year's 32nd Māori Sports Awards acknowledges our outstanding Māori sports women and men for their exceptional achievements made over the past year.

Our Māori sports women are dominating across all open categories this year being 11 of the 14 named finalists. This includes all of our umpire/referee finalists, and three of the four Māori Sports Team finalists.

Our Black Ferns Sevens result at the Tokyo Olympics is a standout example, as well as the accomplishments of Dame Lisa Carrington. Sixty-seven Māori sports women, men and officials represented Aotearoa New Zealand at the 2022 Birmingham Commonwealth Games, who were instrumental in attaining our second highest medal haul. The Waka Ama Worlds held in the United Kingdom and the Women's Rugby World Cup were two most recent world events that showcased the talents of our Māori sportspeople.

The 2022 finalists have attained great achievements as a result of many hours, months, and years of disciplined dedication to their chosen sport, and due to the help, knowledge and skills provided by those who support them.

Ehara taku toa i te toa takitahi engari he toa takitini.



It's therefore fitting that we acknowledge the coaches, managers, and administrators who, through their devotion and passion behind the scenes, contribute to the successes of our sportspeople and to Aotearoa New Zealand's presence on various world sporting stages.

Heoi anō, ngā mihi ki a tātou toa hākinakina katoa.

Po mārire



# Sir Tamati Muturangi Reedy KNZM

*Kaumatuā, Te Tohu Taakaro o Aotearoa Charitable Trust*

## *E Nga Mana Tiketike!*

*Nau mai ra tatou ki te whakanui i Nga Toa o Te Ao  
Hakinakina o Aotearoa, 2022.  
Ko ratou tenei e hiki nei i te mana, te ihi, te wehi o te  
Ao Maori ki te Ao Whanui.*

*Ka puta te Tihei Mauriora ki te Ao Marama!  
Ta Tamati Reedy*

Greetings to this esteemed assembly!  
Welcome to the celebration of the Māori sports  
champions of Aotearoa, 2022.  
They uphold the prestige, the power and mana of  
Māori here in New Zealand and the World.

We breathe the gift of life into this World of Light!

*Tamati Reedy*





## **Storm Uru | Hyundai Pinnacle Programme Graduate - 2004**

Storm was part of the Hyundai Pinnacle Programme's first intake back in 2004. Hailing from Invercargill, Storm competed for the NZ Rowing team at two Olympic Games and achieved a bronze medal at the 2012 London Olympics in the men's lightweight double.

The three-time world champion retired from rowing in 2012 and attended Oxford University in 2013 before gaining a job in finance in London. Storm now works for Liontrust Asset Management as Co-head of the Global Innovation team and manages over \$1bn in assets.

2006 Recipient of the Senior Māori Sportsman of the Year

2007 Recipient of the Senior Māori Sportsman of the Year

2007 Albie Pryor Memorial Māori Sportsman of the Year

2008 Finalist in the Senior Māori Sportsman of the Year

2009 Māori World Champions Award

2012 Recipient of the Senior Māori Sportsman of the Year



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## **DINNER MENU**

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### **ENTREE**

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Leaf Dressing

Marinated Snapper with Coconut Cream  
Pickled Mussels  
Kina  
Prawns with Wasabi Mayo

### **MAINS**

Seared Beef Fillet with Watercress  
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Steamed Asparagus

### **DESSERT**

Trifle with Lemon Cream, Strawberries  
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Māori athletes  
made up **21%**  
of Aotearoa's  
Commonwealth  
games team

Māori athletes won

**24%**

of NZ's total medals

Joelle King's five gold medals equals the New Zealand Commonwealth Games record of athlete Val Young

## MĀORI SUCCESS AT BIRMINGHAM COMMONWEALTH GAMES

Māori athletes made up **21.45%** of the total Aotearoa Commonwealth Games team.

Māori athletes won **24.48%** of Aotearoa's total medals.

Joelle King has won eight Commonwealth Games medals in all, the most of any New Zealand woman.

King's five gold medals equals the New Zealand Commonwealth Games record of athlete Val Young.

Māori were represented by 16x Coaches & Officials.



### GOLD INDIVIDUAL (3)

Lewis Clareburt (*Waikato, Tainui*)  
400m individual medley  
200m Butterfly  
Samuel Gaze (*Te Atiawa*)  
Cross Country Mountain Bike



### GOLD TEAMS (3)

Joelle King (*Ngāti Porou*)  
Squash - Mixed Doubles  
Squash - Womens Doubles  
Amanda Landers-Murphy (*Taranaki, Te Ati Awa, Ngāti Ruanui*)  
Squash - Womens doubles



### BRONZE INDIVIDUAL (2)

Lewis Clareburt (*Waikato, Tainui*)  
200m individual medley  
Tayla Ford (*Tainui, Ngāti Tamatera, Ngāti Porou*)  
Wrestling 68kg freestyle



### BRONZE TEAMS (4)

#### Cricket – White Ferns (4)

Suzie Bates (*Ngāi Tahu*)  
Eden Carson (*Ngāti Porou*)  
Lea Tahuhu (*Ngāi Tahu*)  
Jessica McFadyen (*Ngāi Tahu*)

#### Netball – Silver Ferns (5)

Kayla Johnson (*Ngāpuhi*)  
Kelly Jury (*Ngāti Kahungunu*)  
Maia Wilson (*Te Ākitai Waiohua, Te Rarawa*)  
Phoenix Karaka (*Tainui*)  
Te Paea Selby-Rickit (*Ngāti Raukawa, Ngāti Tūwharetoa, Ngāti Porou*)

#### Black Ferns Sevens (7)

Sarah Hirini (*Ngāti Kahungunu Ki te Wairoa*)  
Stacey Fluhler (*Ngāi Tūhoe, Te Arawa*)  
Portia Woodman (*Ngāpuhi*)  
Risaleaana Pouri-Lane (*Ngāti Kuia, Ngāi Tahu, Ngāti Kōata*)  
Shiray Kaka (*Ngāti Maniapoto*)  
Tyla Nathan-Wong (*Ngāpuhi*)  
Tenika Willison (*Waikato, Tainui*)

#### ALL Black Sevens (4)

Joe Webber (*Ngāti Ranginui*)  
Ngarohi McGarvey-Black (*Ngāi Tūhoe*)  
Dylan Collier (*Whakatōhea*)  
Regan Ware (*Ngāti Porou, Waikato, Tainui*)





# Te Puni Kōkiri

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**Ka rere atu aku mihi ki o tātou toa hākinakina i te pō nei, ka tuku mihi ki a koutou kātoa e tautoko ana i a rātou. Tena koutou, tena koutou, tena koutou katoa.**

I congratulate the finalists being recognised at this year's Māori Sports Awards. Your passion and dedication have led you to achieve greatness. Whether you are a player, coach, umpire, or administrator, tonight we acknowledge your commitment and excellence in your chosen sport.

Te Puni Kōkiri is the Government's principal policy advisor on Māori wellbeing and development and a supporter of thriving whānau. We are proud to sponsor the Māori Sports Administrator award tonight.

Sports Administrators are a vital member of a sporting whānau. They work tirelessly behind the scenes and their natural ability to tautoko and ruruku the sporting whānau enables them to keep everyone working together to achieve success – mahi tahi te whānau kia eke angitu.

The achievements of you all contribute to the wellbeing of your sporting whānau, whānau Māori and your community here in Aotearoa New Zealand. I congratulate you all.

**Ko te pae tawhiti, whāia kia tata  
Ko te pae tata, whakamaua kia tina.**

**Seek out the distant horizons, while  
cherishing those achievements to hand.**



**For more information  
on Te Puni Kōkiri, go  
to [www.tpk.govt.nz](http://www.tpk.govt.nz)**

Mauria te pono, nā

Dave Samuels

Secretary for Māori Development | Te Tumu Whakarae mō Te Puni Kōkiri





# Te Puni Kōkiri Māori Sports Administrator

Presented by

Recipient

*Tonight's recipient is selected from the following nominees;*

Bailey MACKEY

RUGBY

Kohine GRAHAM

RUGBY LEAGUE

Amiria MITA

WAKA AMA

## Māui Tikitiki-ā-Taranga

Kaiwhakahaere Tākaro Māori

It is appropriate therefore that the trophy of Maui is awarded to the Sports Administrator since the administrator has to do battle on all fronts, requires a repertoire of talent and devices in order to be successful.



*Nō reira ko te taonga ā Māui me haere ki te Kaiwhakahaere Hākinakina e kaha nei ki te pakanga I mua, ki te tū mārō I ngā wā katoa.*

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# Four Winds Māori Umpire/Referee

Presented by Noeline Walsh & Robyn Tataurangi

Recipient

*Tonight's recipient is selected from the following nominees;*

Amber CHURCH

HOCKEY

Desrae GARRATT

TENNIS

Selica WINIATA

RUGBY

Angela ARMSTRONG-LUSH

NETBALL

Paki PARKINSON

RUGBY LEAGUE

## Te Aratiatia

Kaiwawao/Rewheri Tākaro Māori

Therefore Te Aratiatia denotes the extremely unique battles that Umpires and referees have to tolerate with players in a chosen sport. They have to be vigilant within the decisions they make and passionate in the way they deliver those decisions.



*Nō reira ko Te Aratiatia te tohu nui mō ngā Kaiwawao me ngā Rewheri e nanao arearetia nei e ngā kai-tākaro o ia hākinakina. Kia pūmau tonu rātou ki ā rātou ture me te whakatakoto i aua ture.*

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## Māori Para Athlete

Recipient

**Peter COWAN**

ICF VL3 200 Para Men's VL3 200m World Final

### Te Toi Huarewa

Kai-tākaro Hauā Māori

The name Te Toi Huarewa has been chosen for the award to a sports person with a disability. In order to achieve success Te Toi Huarewa signifies whānau support, diligence and dedication. Furthermore, the prize at the end of this pathway is knowledge, understanding and great achievement.



*I tohua te ingoa o Te Toi Huarewa ki te Kai-tākaro Hauā. Ki te whakawhiwhia ki tēnei taonga e waitohua ki te tautoko o te whānau, he puku mahi, he ngākau nui. Inā hoki, ko te taonga I te mutunga mai ko te mātauranga, ko te ngākau mōhio me te whakatutukitanga nui.*

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# Māori Sports Coach

Recipient

*Tonight's recipient is selected from the following nominees;*

Glen WILSON

Kiwi CAMPBELL

Dame Noeline TAURUA

Sara McGLASHAN

Clayton McMILLAN

Diamond EDMONDS

SQUASH

WAKA AMA

NETBALL

CRICKET

RUGBY

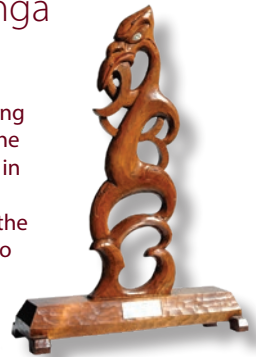
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## Te Maru ō Tūmatauenga

**Kaiako Tākaro Māori**

It is the coach who is in the direct firing line in all sports; the coach decides the tactics, prepares the team and trains in the arm of combat. The coach is the general and accordingly acts within the authority of Tūmatauenga. (Te Maru o Tūmatauenga)

*Ko te kaiako te mea kei mua i te tira tangata o ia hākinakina, koia whakaaro ai mō ngā tātaitanga, whakareri i ngā tīma ka tereina i ā rātou. Ko te kaiako te tangata whakarite i ā ia ki Te Maru o Tūmatauenga.*





# Māori Sports Awards Scholarships

*Ngā Karahipi o Te Tohu Tākaro Māori o Aotearoa*

**From 1994 - 2022, 400 Māori Sports Awards Scholarships have been awarded, with a value of \$800,000**

*Many of the past recipients have gone on to become New Zealand, International and World champions, competing in Commonwealth and Olympic Games.*

*Some of those outstanding recipients include:*

Renee FLAVELL	Badminton (Commonwealth & Olympics)
Shelly KITCHEN	Squash (World Champion)
Rewa HUDSON	Tennis (Fed Cup & pro circuit)
Leanne BAKER	Tennis (Fed Cup & pro circuit)
Shelley STEPHENS	Tennis (Fed Cup & pro circuit)
Tracey O'CONNOR	Tennis (Fed Cup)
Lydia LIPSCOMBE	Swimming (Olympics)
Kane RADFORD	Swimming (Oceania, NZ Open Water & Olympian)
Rawea GREENWOOD	Cycling (NZ Champion)
Verina WIHONGI	Tae Kwon Do (Olympics)
Dr Farah PALMER ONZM	Rugby (World Champion & Captain)
Amiria MARSH	Rugby (Black Ferns)
Kiri DEMANT	Rugby (Black Ferns)
Luke McALISTER	Rugby (All blacks, Māori All Blacks)
Tyla NATHAN-WONG	Rugby (All Black Rugby sevens)
Portia WOODMAN	Rugby (All Black Rugby sevens)
Nathan NUKUNUKU	Softball (World Champion Black Sox)
Jenny-May COFFIN	Netball (Silver Ferns) TV Presenter
Jodi TE HUNA	Netball (Silver Ferns)
Daneka WIPIITI	Netball (Silver Ferns)
Jolene HENRY	Netball (Silver Ferns)
Marnie GRANT	Volleyball (World Circuit)
Paul HENARE	Basketball (Tall Blacks & NZ Breakers)

Jarrold KENNY	Basketball (Tall Blacks)
Jeremy CHRISTIE	Soccer (All Whites)
Lisa HURUNUI	Surfing (NZ Champion)
Stacey JONES	Rugby League (Kiwis, Māori, NZ Warriors)
Wairangi KOOPU	Rugby League (Kiwis, Māori, NZ Warriors)
Amber KANI	Kiwi Ferns, NRL Nines, NZ Maori, NZ Tag
Kiwi TAKAO	Waka Ama (World Champion)
Piki HAMAHONA	Hockey (Black Sticks)
Lindsay TAIT	Basketball (NZ Breakers)
Jarrold KENNY	Basketball (NZ Tall Blacks)
Charlotte HARRISON	Hockey (Black Sticks, Commonwealth & Olympics)
Samantha HARRISON	Hockey (Black Sticks, Commonwealth & Olympics)
Michael WALKER	Horse Racing (NZ Champion Jockey)
Sara WINTHER	Yachting (2012 Olympics, World Junior Silver medalist)
Ivor THOMAS	Woodchopping (World Champion)
Daniella SMITH	Boxing (NZ Champion & World champion)
Kahukura BENTSON	Boxing (NZ & Oceania champion)
Bradley ISLES	Golf (USA Nation Wide Pro Tour)
Maiora BARTON	Paralympics (Basketball & Wheel Blacks)
Ramona BELMONT	Snooker (Bronze World Snooker champs)
Tama TOKI	Athletics (Auckland & NZ Athletics)
Tumanawa TAWHAI	Touch Football (NZ Touch Team)
Kayla IMRIE	Canoe Racing (World & Olympic)
Kate BURLEY	Netball (NZ U/19, Maori U/20, NZ U21 squad)
Ivana ROWLAND	Netball (Silver Ferns Dev. Squad)
Katene CLARKE	Cricket (NZ U19)
Jay-Jay WILSON	(MMA)
Patrick HERBERT	Rugby League
Shimiah McNICHOLL	Martial Arts
Kaydin BUDD	Rugby
Kerry-Anne TOMLINSON	Cricket
Ngawari PIO	Iron Māori
Sam HIHA	Hockey
Tegan MURAAHI	Hockey
Raiha ENSOR	Surfing



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# Skills Active Māori Sports Awards Scholarship

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Recipient

## Gisele Ngahina HOWARD

*Ngāti Tūwharetoa, Ngāti Kauwhata, Te Atihaunui a Pāpārangi*

**ATHLETICS**



- » Waikato BOP Athletic representative in field and relay.
- » NZ U20 ranked 1st in long jump & 3rd in triple jump.
- » Senior Girls School athletics Trophy winning 9 events.
- » Selected to attend iSport foundation leadership days by Richie McCaw and Dan Carter.
- » I have recently being offered and accepted a Fast track into Auckland and Otago University for Bachelor of Health Science (Bio med degree) my dream is to become a Doctor as I have compassion and awareness for Hauora Māori.



# Māori Sports Awards Scholarships

## HEREWINI WHĀNAU HOCKEY SCHOLARSHIP

*Presented at the NZ Māori Hockey Tournament*



James **PATRICK HICKSON**  
*Ngāti Toarangatira*

Jayda **PAWHAU**  
*Ngāpuhi*



## MĀORI SPORTS AWARDS RWC RUGBY SCHOLARSHIP

*Te hutupōro karahi nō Te Tohu Taakaro o Aotearoa  
Presented at the Peter Johnstone Memorial Bowls Tournament*



Bailey **CARMICHAEL**  
*Ngāi Te Rangi*





Former undefeated All Black captain and  
Māori Sports Hall of Fame member  
**Sir Wayne 'Buck' Shelford KNZM MBE**  
named RSA's new National President



Sir Wayne was presented (above pic) with the Kākahu Maumahara, the traditional cloak worn by RNZRSA National Presidents in an elections ceremony during the 106th National Council held at the Swanson RSA on Wednesday 17 October 2022.

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## Tau Ai Te Hā o Te Waka Kotahi

Make manifest the presence of Waka Kotahi. Empower and to increase the visibility of our Māori teams, volunteers and coaches to strengthen roles to support balance, wellbeing and excellence.

## Hāpaitia Te Hā o Te Waka Tere

Take hold of the presence of Waka Tere. Kaihautū and kaihoe align and connect well to accelerate aspirations to enhance taha tinana, taha hinengaro, taha wairua and taha whānau for outstanding achievement.

Sport NZ Ihi Aotearoa aims to ensure that all Māori teams, in all areas are visible, supported to achieve outstanding excellence at community, national and international levels of play, sport and recreation.

**Tū mai e te Hawaiki hou o te Waka Hourua, ko koutou kei mua. E whakaihihi ana mātou o Ihi Aotearoa ki tāu i whakaoti ai.**





# Sport NZ Māori Sports Team

Presented by Trevor S. Himona - Kāhui Rautaki Māori, Ihi Aotearoa

Recipient

*Tonight's recipient is selected from the following nominees;*

Joelle KING & Amanda LANDERS-MURPHY

SQUASH

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WAKA AMA

Māori All Blacks

RUGBY

NZ Māori Hockey

SENIOR TĀNE TEAM

## Ngā Ika a Whiro

**Tima Tākaro Māori**

The team that displays the determination and audacity within their sports code should receive the honour and admiration of this award.

*Ko te tira kei I ā rātou  
wēnei pūkenga  
whakanungu,  
whakaparahako I  
roto I ā rātou ake  
hākinakina, e riro  
ai tēnei taonga  
kia rātou.*



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**AOTEAROA JUNIOR MEN J19 V6 500**

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**AOTEAROA JUNIOR MEN J19 V6 1000**

WAKA AMA



# He ringa nā Rongo, he ringa nā te aroha.

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Chaemeka **JOHNSON**

IBF World Superweight  
Boxing Champion

Samuel **GAZE**

UCI World Champion  
Mountain Bike Cross-Country  
Short Track  
Mountain Bike Cross-Country  
Marathon

Kacey **NGATAKI**

Elite Open Men's V1 500m  
World Champion WAKA AMA

Akayshia **WILLIAMS**

V1 500m Open Women World  
Champion WAKA AMA

Maia **CAMPBELL**

V1 500m J16 Mens World  
Champion WAKA AMA

Ngatuire **HAPI**

V1 500m J19 Womens World  
Champion WAKA AMA

Taylynn **MORETE**

V1 500m J16 Womens World  
Champion WAKA AMA

Jason **RETI**

Master 40 Men V1 500m  
World Champion

Turi **HODGES**

Master 50 Men V1 500m  
World Champion

Jo **BEVERLAND**

Para Women VL3 V1 250m  
World Champion

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Te Wānanga  
o Aotearoa





# Te Wānanga o Aotearoa Junior Māori Sportswoman

*Presented by Jade Edwards, Acting Tumukahutaupua*

Recipient

*Tonight's recipient is selected from the following nominees;*

Erica FAIRWEATHER

Paris MASON

Ngatuire HAPI

Kelsey TENETI

Taylynn MORETE

Mila TONGALEA

Gisele HOWARD

Manaia NUKU

Kaipo BAKER

SWIMMING

NETBALL

WAKA AMA

RUGBY

WAKA AMA

SWIMMING

ATHLETICS

RUGBY

RUGBY

## Te Tamāhine-ā- Papatūānuku

**Taina Wahine-tākaro Māori**

It is appropriate that the junior sportswomen should carry the strengths of Papatūānuku. Even today Papatūānuku is acknowledged on all occasions when Māori gather. They are the seeds from which men and women grow.



*Nō reira ko te tāina kai-tākaro wahine, ka taea e ia ki te kawae  
I te mana o Papatūānuku. I ēnei rā tonu kei te manakotia ā  
Papatūānuku mō ngā mahi katoa ā te Māori. Koia te kākano e  
tipu ai te tāne me te wahine.*

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# Mercury Junior Māori Sportsman

*Presented by Vince Hawkswork, Chief Executive of Mercury NZ*

Recipient

*Tonight's recipient is selected from the following nominees;*

Maia CAMPBELL

David MOTU

Nixon SUDDENS

Tahlor CAHILL

WAKA AMA

LAWN BOWLS

WRESTLING

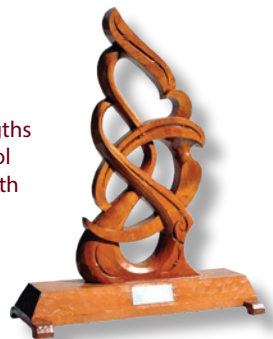
RUGBY

## Te Tama-ā-Ranginui

**Taina Tama-tākaro Māori**

It is appropriate that the junior sportsman should carry the strengths of Ranginui. He is the Māori symbol for the beginning and together with Papatūānuku they are the Māori genesis. They are the seeds from which men and women grow.

*Nō reira ko te tāina kai-tākaro ka taea e ia ki te kawē i te mana o Ranginui. Ko ia me Papatūānuku te orokohanga mai o te whakapapa Māori. Ko rāua ngā kākano e tipu ai te tāne me te wahine.*



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**Tonight we honour outstanding  
elite Māori Sportswomen who  
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Congratulations to all of tonight's  
Senior Māori Women finalists

**Dame Lisa Carrington** DNZM (canoe racing)

**Joelle King** (squash)

**Suzie Bates** (cricket)

**Kelly Jury** (netball)

**Sarah Hirini** (rugby)



# Fletcher Building Senior Māori Sportswoman

Presented by Val Panui - Kaitohutohu Ahurea Matua - Senior Cultural Advisor Fletchers

Recipient

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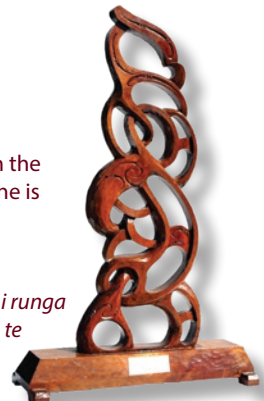
Dame Lisa CARRINGTON DNZM	CANOE RACING
Joelle KING	SQUASH
Suzie BATES	CRICKET
Kelly JURY	NETBALL
Sarah HIRINI	RUGBY
Raecene McGREGOR	RUGBY LEAGUE
Amanda LANDERS-MURPHY	SQUASH
Akayshia WILLIAMS	WAKA AMA
Portia WOODMAN	RUGBY
Ruahei DEMANT	RUGBY

## Hineahuone

Matua Wahine-tākaro Māori

It is for this reason that the Māori Sportswoman should be named in the spirit of an illustrious beginning, she is truly ultimate.

*Nā runga I tēnei take ka tika me whakaingotia te Wahine-toa Māori i runga I te wairua hau o te timatanga, koia te mutunga mai.*



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Presented by Sir Paul Adams

Recipient

*Tonight's recipient is selected from the following nominees;*

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MOUNTAIN BIKE

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CRICKET

James FISHER-HARRIS

RUGBY LEAGUE

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RUGBY

Tyrell LOMAX

RUGBY

Kacey NGATAKI

WAKA AMA

## Te Tama-ā-Tanenuiārangi


Matua Tama-tākaro Māori

The greatest sportsman has to be called the Son of Tāne, it is that person who manifests excellence in the male being.

*He tika tonu kia ingoatia te toa o ngā tāne ki te Tama-ā-Tanenuiārangi, koia hoki kei te whakaniko i te toa o te Ira-tāne.*



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*“For the first half-dozen years after he emerged in major rugby as an 18 year-old old not long out of Whakatane High School, Pryor was a fiery loose forward, of exceptional speed and skill and very often the centre of controversy.”*



*“In the Bay of Plenty self-preservation tradition of the time he soon knew what fists were for, and that the best tackle was made at great speed with whatever part of his sprung-steel body arrived first.”*

*The Pryor tales will go on and on, especially taking in his staunch work for Māori sport through his establishing of the annual Māori Sports Awards. Pryor was the mixture of the gruff and kindly parent to so many of these sportspeople, and there will be many thus who were steered away from danger and to success by Pryor's firm, and, humorous attitude.*



**Albie Pryor**  
1958 - 62 Māori All Blacks



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# Albie Pryor

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## Māori Sportsperson of the Year

Presented by Dame Noeline Taurua DNZM

Recipient

All recipients and world champions are in contention for the supreme award in honour of the late Albie Pryor, founder of Te Tohu Taakaro o Aotearoa Charitable Trust.

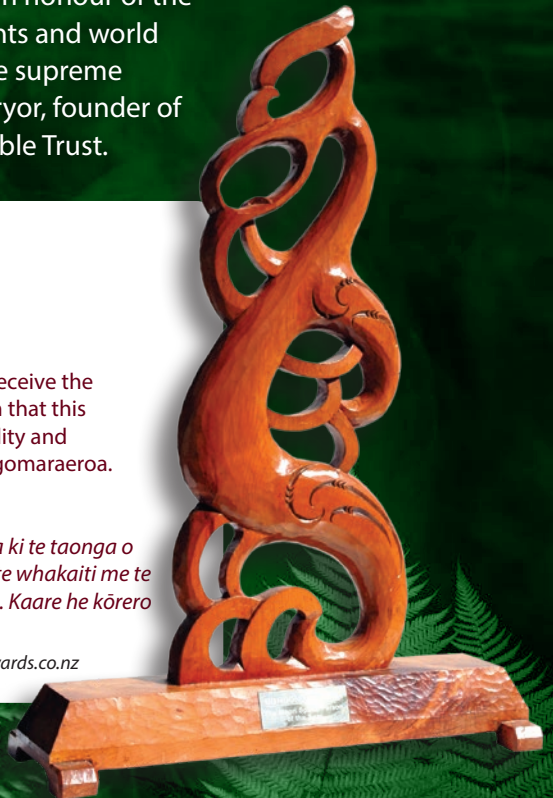
### Rongomaraeroa

Te Toa Tākaro Māori o te Tau

That the ultimate sportsperson should receive the Trophy of Rongomaraeroa is recognition that this achievement is like the goals of tranquillity and contentment which are the gifts of Rongomaraeroa. There are no greater gifts.

*Ko te tino toa o ngā toa ka whakawhiwhia ki te taonga o Rongomaraeroa nā runga i te taumata o te whakaiti me te hūmārietanga o Te Ara o Rongomaraeroa. Kaare he kōrero i tua atu.*

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Michael CAMPBELL



Jason WYNYARD



Lisa CARRINGTON

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1991 Waimarama TAUMAUNU

1992 Eric RUSH

1993 Cathy MILLEN

1994 Dean BELL

1995 Michael CAMPBELL

1996 Zinzan BROOKE

1997 Leilani JOYCE

1998 Farah PALMER

1999 Leilani JOYCE

2000 Michael CAMPBELL

2001 Michael-John WALKER

2002 Pero CAMERON

2003 Temepara CLARK

2004 Peter MARTIN

2005 Michael CAMPBELL

2006 Farah PALMER

2007 Storm URU

2008 Jason WYNYARD

2009 Benji MARSHALL

2010 Hosea GEAR

2011 Piri WEEPU

2012 Lisa CARRINGTON

2013 Lisa CARRINGTON

2014 Jason WYNYARD &

Tai Hikuroa WYNYARD

2015 Lisa CARRINGTON

2016 Lisa CARRINGTON

2017 Rieko IOANE &

Portia WOODMAN

2018 Lisa CARRINGTON

2019 Lisa CARRINGTON MNZM &

Noeline TAURUA

2020 Lisa CARRINGTON MNZM

2021 Dame Lisa CARRINGTON MNZM

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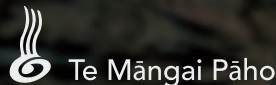
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