



# **Police Remembrance Day 2020**

*With Roll of Honour  
1886-2020*



THE ROYAL NEW ZEALAND  
POLICE COLLEGE  
29 SEPTEMBER 2020



NEW ZEALAND  
**POLICE**  
Ngā Pirihimana o Aotearoa



Huia e!

Huia tangata kotahi.

He tōtara kua hinga.



The feather of the huia,  
for someone special.  
One dearly departed.





### ***The story behind the Police Remembrance Day Pin***

The Police Remembrance Day Pin was developed by the Police Association and New Zealand Police, who have been working together to raise the profile of Police Remembrance Day in the hearts and minds of police staff and the general public nationwide.

Now lost to us, the Huia bird's tail plumage is something rare and special. To wear it is considered by Māori to be a great honour. By incorporating the Police chevron into the Huia tail feather, the design of the pin symbolises the honouring of someone special, now lost to Police.

Police staff throughout New Zealand take part in Police Remembrance Day by wearing the pin to honour the memory of those police officers slain while carrying out their police duties.

Money raised through sales of the pin will go to the Police Families Charitable Trust for the families of New Zealand police officers who have been slain while carrying out their police duties.

THE NEW ZEALAND, AUSTRALIAN AND SOUTH PACIFIC REGION

# ***Police Remembrance Day Service***

Held at The Royal New Zealand Police College on  
Tuesday, 29 September 2020

## **OFFICIATING**

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***Wallace Haumaha***

Deputy Commissioner: Māori, Pacific & Ethnic Services

## **ADDRESS 1**

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***Andrew Coster***

Commissioner: New Zealand Police

## **ADDRESS 2**

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***Hon Stuart Nash***

Minister of Police

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# Order of Service

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## Official party enters

Commissioner Andrew Coster accompanied by the Governor-General Her Excellency The Rt Hon Dame Patsy Reddy and the Minister of Police The Hon Stuart Nash, together with today's officiator Deputy Commissioner Wallace Haumaha.

*Please remain standing for the Regal Salute.*

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## Please be seated

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## Mihi and Karakia

Senior Sergeant Rob Rutene  
Māori Responsiveness Practice Leader  
The Royal New Zealand Police College

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## Hymn

Choir

Ka Waiata  
Kia Maria  
Hine i Whakaae  
Whakameatia mai  
Te whare tangata  
Hine Pūrotu  
Hine Ngākau  
Hine Rangimārie  
Ko te whaea  
Ko te whaea  
O te Ao  
O te Ao

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## Welcome

Wallace Haumaha  
Deputy Commissioner  
Māori, Pacific & Ethnic Services

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## Police flag explained

Wallace Haumaha  
Deputy Commissioner  
Māori, Pacific & Ethnic Services

Shortly the Police flag will be paraded into the gymnasium by the colour party. The Police flag is accorded the same recognition that the colours are accorded in the armed forces. These recognise those who have laid down their lives in the course of their duties.

*Please stand as the Police flag is marched on.*

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## National Anthem

Words by Thomas Bracken  
(1841 – 1898)

E Ihowā Atua,  
O ngā iwi mātou rā  
ta whakarangona;  
Me aroha noa  
Kia hua ko te pai;  
Kia tau tō atawhai;  
Manaakitia mai  
Aotearoa

God of Nations, at Thy feet,  
in the bonds of love we meet;  
hear our voices we entreat,  
God defend our free land!  
Guard Pacific's triple star  
from the shafts of strife and war,  
make her praises heard afar;  
God defend New Zealand!

# New Zealand Police Roll of Honour

1886 – 2020

The New Zealand Police Roll of Honour bears the names of Police and Traffic Officers who have been slain on duty.

These officers' names are at the centre of Remembrance Day as we remember and acknowledge their ultimate sacrifice.

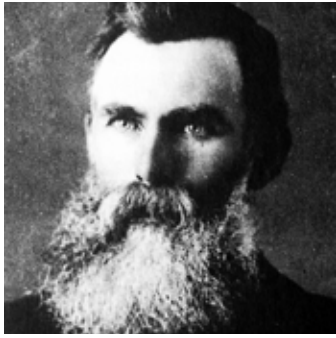
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Reading the names on the New Zealand Police Roll of Honour:

Angela Brazier  
Acting Deputy Chief Executive  
Strategy and Partnerships

Mark Evans  
Deputy Chief Executive  
Service Delivery





**Constable  
Neil McLeod**

Constable No 91  
Died: 30 July 1890  
Age: 44  
Stationed: Dargaville

*Shot dead while aboard the steamer 'Minnie Casey' at Mangawhare Wharf.*



**Sergeant  
John Patrick  
Hackett McGuire**

Sergeant No 674  
Died: 14 April 1910  
Age: 42  
Stationed: Wellington

*Shot at Palmerston North on 10 April 1910 and later died in Palmerston North Hospital.*



**Constable  
John Doyle**

Constable No 963  
Died: 5 February 1913  
Age: 35  
Stationed: Shannon

*Assaulted at Shannon on 1 February 1913 and later died in Palmerston North Hospital.*



**Constable  
Vivian Dudding**

Constable No 2030  
Died: 6 October 1919  
Age: 32  
Stationed: Wellington

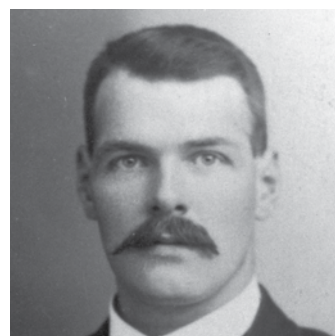
*Shot while attending a family harm incident, and later died in Wellington Hospital.*



**Constable  
James Dorgan**

Constable No 1764  
Died: 27 August 1921  
Age: 37  
Stationed: Timaru

*Shot dead while attending a shop burglary.*



**Constable  
Thomas Heeps**

Constable No 1582  
Died: 21 October 1934  
Age: 50  
Stationed: Matamata

*Shot near Morrinsville on 20 October 1934 and later died in Waikato Hospital.*



**Constable  
James Butler**

Constable No 3204  
Died: 2 January 1938  
Age: 29  
Stationed: Dunedin

*Attacked and beaten while trying to control an offender in the Dunedin Police cells and died in hospital eight days later.*



**Constable  
Frederick William Jordan**

Constable No 3526  
Died: 8 October 1941  
Age: 26  
Stationed: Hokitika

*Shot dead at Koiterangi while attempting to seize firearms.*



**Constable  
Percy Campbell Tulloch**

Constable No 3039  
Died: 8 October 1941  
Age: 35  
Stationed: Hokitika

*Shot dead at Koiterangi while attempting to seize firearms.*



**Sergeant  
William Cooper**

Sergeant No 2209  
Died: 8 October 1941  
Age: 43  
Stationed: Hokitika

*Shot dead at Koiterangi while attempting to seize firearms.*



**Constable  
Edward Mark Best**

Constable No 2364  
Died: 11 October 1941  
Age: 42  
Stationed: Kaniere

*Shot at Koiterangi while attempting to seize firearms and later died in Westland Hospital.*



**Traffic Officer  
John Kehoe**

Traffic Officer No 36  
Died: 31 January 1949  
Age: 24  
Stationed: Whakatāne

*Shot dead after stopping a speeding vehicle.*



**Sergeant  
William Shore Hughes**

Sergeant No 2691  
Died: 27 May 1951  
Age: 48  
Stationed: Ōtaki

*Shot dead while attending an armed incident.*



**Constable  
Louis Hekenui Bidois**

Constable No 4633  
Died: 24 May 1955  
Age: 56  
Stationed: Te Whaiti

*Beaten while trying to control two offenders.*



**Detective Sergeant  
Neville Wilson Power, QPM**

Detective Sergeant No 2839  
Died: 6 January 1963  
Age: 25  
Stationed: Auckland

*Shot dead at Bethell's Road, Waitakere, while attending an armed incident.*



**Detective Inspector  
Wallace Chalmers, QPM**

Detective Inspector No 3664  
Died: 6 January 1963  
Age: 46  
Stationed: Auckland

*Shot dead at Bethell's Road, Waitakere, while attending an armed incident.*



**Constable  
James Thomas  
Richardson**  
Constable No 4321  
Died: 3 February 1963  
Age: 24  
Stationed: Lower Hutt  
*Shot dead while attending a  
family harm incident.*



**Constable  
Bryan Leslie Schultz**  
Constable No 3809  
Died: 3 February 1963  
Age: 21  
Stationed: Lower Hutt  
*Shot dead while attending  
a family harm incident.*



**Constable  
Donald Richard Stokes**  
Constable No 4699  
Died: 15 August 1966  
Age: 23  
Stationed: Dunedin  
*Injured in the cells at Dunedin  
Central Police Station and later  
died in Dunedin Hospital.*



**Detective Constable  
Ronald Bernard Hill**  
Constable No 5260  
Died: 25 May 1969  
Age: 22  
Stationed: Palmerston North  
*Killed by a drunk, unlicensed  
driver in an unwarranted and  
unregistered car.*



**Sergeant Gilbert  
Peter Arcus**  
Sergeant No 2950  
Died: 4 February 1970  
Age: 44  
Stationed: Tauranga  
*Assaulted while attempting to  
take a person into custody and  
later died in Tauranga Hospital.*



**Constable Peter  
William Murphy**  
Constable No 5052  
Died: 25 September 1976  
Age: 21  
Stationed: Invercargill  
*Shot while attending a burglary  
and later died in Southland  
Hospital.*



**Traffic Officer  
Barry Yorston Gibson**  
Traffic Officer No 1395  
Died: 13 June 1977  
Age: 32  
Stationed: New Plymouth  
*Assaulted on 6 June 1977  
and later died in Taranaki  
Base Hospital.*



**Traffic Officer  
Robin Jamieson  
Dudding, GM**  
Traffic Officer No 1351  
Died: 7 April 1986  
Age: 44  
Stationed: Rotorua  
*Kidnapped at Lake Rotoiti and  
later shot dead.*





**Senior Constable  
Peter Morris Umbers, GM**  
Senior Constable No 4601  
Died: 27 May 1990  
Age: 35  
Stationed: Ranfurly

*Beaten to death after stopping  
a robbery suspect.*



**Sergeant  
Stewart Graeme  
Guthrie, GC**  
Sergeant No 5024  
Died: 13 November 1990  
Age: 41  
Stationed: Port Chalmers

*Shot dead at Aramoana, near  
Dunedin, during an attempt to  
arrest a multiple murderer.*



**Constable  
Glenn Arthur McKibbin**  
Constable No D717  
Died: 21 April 1996  
Age: 25  
Stationed: Hastings

*Shot during a routine traffic  
stop in Flaxmere and died on  
the way to hospital.*



**Constable  
Lester Murray Stretch**  
Constable No G083  
Died: 26 May 1999  
Age: 38  
Stationed: Mangakino

*Beaten to death while attempting  
to arrest a suspected burglar.*



**Detective Constable  
Duncan John Taylor, NZBM**  
Detective Constable No F272  
Died: 5 July 2002  
Age: 39  
Stationed: Palmerston North

*Shot dead at Rongotea, near  
Feilding, while attempting to  
stop a person regarding a  
property offence.*



**Sergeant  
Derek Michael Wootton**  
Sergeant No G092  
Died: 11 July 2008  
Age: 52  
Stationed: Porirua

*Struck by a fleeing vehicle and  
fatally injured while deploying  
road spikes.*



**Sergeant  
Don Wilkinson**  
Sergeant No I417  
Died: 11 September 2008  
Age: 46  
Stationed: Auckland

*Shot dead at Mangere, near  
Auckland, while undertaking a  
covert operation.*



**Senior Constable  
Leonard Snee**  
Senior Constable No 5766  
Died: 7 May 2009  
Age: 53  
Stationed: Napier

*Shot dead while carrying out a  
search warrant.*



***With sadness, this year we acknowledge the death of Constable Matthew Hunt, slain on duty.***

**Constable  
Matthew Dennis Hunt**

Constable No MHIH84

Years with Police: 2

Born: 30 July 1991

Died: 19 June 2020

Age: 28

Stationed: Auckland Harbour Bridge

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Matt was raised on the Hibiscus Coast by his mother Diane, with his sister Eleanor. He attended Orewa College and it was his life-long dream to be a police officer.

Before joining the New Zealand Police, he completed a Bachelor of Arts in Criminology and worked at Auckland Prison as a case manager. He also spent time living in the United Kingdom before he returned to New Zealand to join Police.

Matt was a person of great integrity. He was passionate about sport and his physical fitness. He had a group of very close friends who he considered his brothers and sisters.

On 30 October 2017 Matt started with Police as a member of the Sir Mark Solomon Wing 312, Section One. His first day of duty was 19 March 2018. He spent the majority of his career working frontline at Orewa and Helensville Stations before moving to work in Team Two of the Waitemātā Road Policing Team based at Auckland Harbour Bridge Station.

On Friday 19 June at 10.37am, Matt was shot dead and his partner severely wounded during a traffic stop in Massey, Auckland.

# New Zealand Police employees who have died as a result of their police duties

1886 – 2020

Each year on Remembrance Day we remember employees who have died as a result of their duties. Their service and commitment to New Zealand Police is remembered and honoured.

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Reading the names of those who have died as a result of their police duties:

Jane Archibald  
Deputy Chief Executive  
Media and Communications

Tusha Penny  
Assistant Commissioner  
Response and Operations





**Constable  
Henry Porter**

Constable No 183  
Died: 21 June 1887  
Age: 41  
Stationed: Port Chalmers

*Drowned performing his duty  
while doing night rounds.*



**Constable  
Cornelius O'Shea**

Constable No 249  
Died: 16 November 1887  
Age: 32  
Stationed: Auckland

*Died from an illness contracted  
on duty.*



**Constable  
John Cotter**

Constable No 302  
Died: 4 July 1890  
Age: 34  
Stationed: Newmarket,  
Auckland

*Died from an illness  
contracted on duty.*



**Constable  
James Robinson**

Constable No 407  
Died: 13 November 1891  
Age: 33  
Stationed: Westport

*Died from a head injury  
sustained on duty.*



**Constable  
George Harrison Brooking**

Constable No 500  
Died: 20 May 1896  
Age: 40  
Stationed: Waihi

*Died from an illness  
contracted on duty.*



**Constable  
Thomas Ward**

Constable No 430  
Died: 21 August 1896  
Age: 54  
Stationed: Wellington

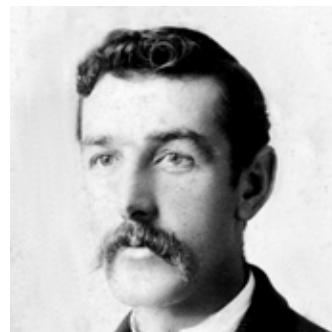
*Died from an injury sustained  
on duty in Lyttelton.*



**Sergeant  
Florence O'Donovan**

Constable No 293  
Died: 16 April 1897  
Age: Unknown  
Stationed: Napier

*Drowned on duty while rescuing  
citizens during flooding.*



**Constable  
Alfred John Stephenson**

Constable No 543  
Died: 16 April 1897  
Age: 33  
Stationed: Napier

*Drowned on duty while rescuing  
citizens during flooding.*



**Constable  
Michael James Mitchell**

Constable No 819  
Died: 31 January 1898  
Age: 26  
Stationed: Auckland

*Died from an illness  
contracted on duty.*



**Constable  
Luke Brewer McDonnell**

Constable No 208  
Died: 29 June 1901  
Age: 47  
Stationed: Auckland

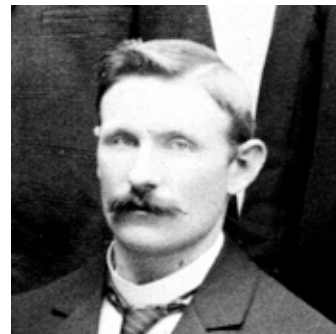
*Died from an illness  
contracted on duty.*



**Sergeant  
Archibald McPhee**

Sergeant No 625  
Died: 20 January 1910  
Age: 43  
Stationed: Newmarket,  
Auckland

*Died from an illness  
contracted on duty.*



**Constable  
Denis Mahoney**

Constable No 916  
Died: 29 March 1914  
Age: 41  
Stationed: Upper Hutt

*Died on duty while attending  
a property fire.*



**Constable  
Hubert Edgar Hicks**

Constable No 1933  
Died: 5 November 1918  
Age: 29  
Stationed: Auckland

*Contracted influenza while  
performing his duty.*



**Constable  
James Smyth**

Constable No 2061  
Died: 5 November 1918  
Age: 30  
Stationed: Auckland

*Contracted influenza while  
performing his duty.*



**Constable  
John Joseph O'Gorman**

Constable No 2002  
Died: 13 November 1918  
Age: 32  
Stationed: Auckland

*Contracted influenza while  
performing his duty.*



**Constable  
John Garvey**

Constable No 1889  
Died: 14 November 1918  
Age: 26  
Stationed: Taumaranui

*Contracted influenza while  
performing his duty.*



**Constable  
Dan Hasselberg**  
Constable No 1996  
Died: 14 November 1918  
Age: 27  
Stationed: Timaru

*Contracted influenza while  
performing his duty.*



**Constable  
John Nash**  
Constable No 1063  
Died: 16 November 1918  
Age: 39  
Stationed: Greymouth

*Contracted influenza while  
performing his duty.*



**Constable  
Wilfred Gilmore  
McRoberts**  
Constable No 1661  
Died: 17 November 1918  
Age: 38  
Stationed: Greymouth

*Contracted influenza while  
performing his duty.*



**Constable  
George Arthur Gordine**  
Constable No 1775  
Died: 18 November 1918  
Age: 34  
Stationed: Auckland

*Contracted influenza while  
performing his duty.*



**Constable  
Ronald Frederick Thomas**  
Constable No 1820  
Died: 18 November 1918  
Age: 27  
Stationed: Christchurch

*Contracted influenza while  
performing his duty.*



**Senior Sergeant  
John Burrows**  
Senior Seargeant No 472A  
Died: 19 November 1918  
Age: 42  
Stationed: Invercargill

*Contracted influenza  
while performing his duty.*



**Constable  
John William Robinson**  
Constable No 1273  
Died: 21 November 1918  
Age: 40  
Stationed: Otorohanga

*Contracted influenza while  
performing his duty.*



**Constable  
John Lachlan McKenzie**  
Constable No 1814  
Died: 26 November 1918  
Age: 35  
Stationed: Invercargill

*Contracted influenza while  
performing his duty.*



**Constable  
Ralph Wakefield Pettit**

Constable No 1791  
Died: 28 November 1918  
Age: 28  
Stationed: Levin

*Contracted influenza while  
performing his duty.*



**Constable  
John Samuel Doak**

Constable No 1787  
Died: 30 November 1918  
Age: 36  
Stationed: Invercargill

*Contracted influenza while  
performing his duty.*



**Constable  
Hercules Spence**

Constable No 2107  
Died: 18 July 1919  
Age: 25  
Stationed: Auckland

*Died on duty from heart failure  
during a violent struggle with  
an offender.*



**Traffic Inspector  
William Henry Cross**

Died: 29 April 1924  
Age: 46  
Stationed: Wellington

*Died on duty from injuries  
sustained from a hit and run  
crash.*



**Constable  
Adam George Begg**

Constable No 2766  
Died: 23 February 1926  
Age: 27  
Stationed: Auckland

*Died on duty after being struck  
by a train while searching for an  
escaped prisoner.*



**Constable  
Henry Henderson**

Constable No 980  
Died: 1 July 1932  
Age: 56  
Stationed: Linwood,  
Christchurch

*Died from injuries sustained  
when struck by a vehicle.*



**Constable  
James Shields**

Constable No 2461  
Died: 25 October 1933  
Age: 36  
Stationed: Huntly

*Died from injuries sustained when  
his car was struck by a train.*



**Constable  
Patrick Joseph O'Gorman**

Constable No 2198  
Died: 21 May 1935  
Age: 38  
Stationed: Avondale,  
Auckland

*Died on duty from injuries  
sustained when struck by  
a vehicle.*



**Constable**  
**Charles Hayward Williams**  
Constable No 3167  
Died: 13 August 1935  
Age: 31  
Stationed: Hamilton

*Drowned on duty while attempting to rescue a woman from the Waikato River.*



**Constable**  
**John Albert Elstone**  
Constable No 2149  
Died: 3 March 1936  
Age: 45  
Stationed: Kawakawa

*Died while on duty from injuries sustained in a motorcycle crash.*



**Main Highways**  
**Board Inspector**  
**Thomas Arthur Allcock**  
Died: 24 December 1938  
Age: 25  
Stationed: Rotorua

*Died from injuries sustained when struck by a truck.*



**Constable**  
**William John Watt**  
Constable No 3151  
Died: 10 August 1939  
Age: 40  
Stationed: Waimate

*Died on duty from injuries sustained in a motor vehicle crash.*



**Constable**  
**Norman Trerise Davis**  
Constable No 3290  
Died: 26 August 1939  
Age: 32  
Stationed: Newton, Auckland

*Died on duty from injuries sustained when he fell from a moving tramcar.*



**Constable**  
**Richard Byrne**  
Constable No 3234  
Died: 2 April 1940  
Age: 27  
Stationed: Hastings

*Died on duty from injuries sustained in a motor vehicle crash.*



**Constable**  
**Neils Godley French Berntsen**  
Constable No 3478  
Died: 9 February 1941  
Age: 25  
Stationed: Whanganui

*Drowned on duty while guarding a shipwreck.*



**Constable**  
**Cecil Edgar Orr**  
Constable No 2894  
Died: 24 February 1942  
Age: 38  
Stationed: Auckland

*Died from injuries sustained on duty when struck by a train.*





**Constable  
Andrew James Cummings**  
Constable No 3263  
Died: 26 April 1946  
Age: 34  
Stationed: Auckland

*Died on duty from injuries  
sustained in a motor vehicle  
crash.*



**Traffic Inspector  
Ivan Eugene Joel Pearson**  
Died: 23 September 1953  
Age: 28  
Stationed: Wellington

*Died on duty from injuries  
sustained in a motorcycle crash.*



**Transport Department  
Inspector Edmund  
Lawrence Fox**  
Died: 6 December 1954  
Age: 34  
Stationed: Gore

*Died on duty from injuries  
sustained in a motor vehicle crash.*



**Transport Department  
Inspector George Henry  
Jenner**  
Died: 15 May 1955  
Age: 58  
Stationed: Christchurch

*Died on duty from injuries  
sustained in a motor vehicle crash.*



**Traffic Officer  
Richard Henry Cecil  
Dench**  
Died: 23 November 1970  
Age: 31  
Stationed: Christchurch

*Died on duty from injuries  
sustained in a motorcycle crash.*



**Traffic Officer  
Martin Ross Miller**  
Died: 14 March 1973  
Age: 21  
Stationed: Porirua

*Died on duty from injuries  
sustained in a motorcycle crash.*



**Detective Sergeant  
Robin Pittman Thompson**  
Detective Sergeant No 3798  
Died: 4 May 1973  
Age: 32  
Stationed: Wellington

*Died on duty from injuries  
sustained in a motor vehicle  
crash.*



**Constable  
Peter Alan Hart**  
Constable No 5881 & 7448P  
Died: 9 March 1974  
Age: 34  
Stationed: Wellington

*Died on duty from injuries  
sustained in a motor vehicle  
crash.*





**Traffic Officer**

**George Nelson**

Died: 25 October 1975

Age: 23

Stationed: Wellington

*Died on duty from injuries  
sustained in a motorcycle crash.*



**Constable**

**Alan Robert Liddell**

Constable No 5073

Died: 26 February 1976

Age: 22

Stationed: Greymouth

*Drowned on duty while  
recreating a crime scene.*



**Traffic Officer**

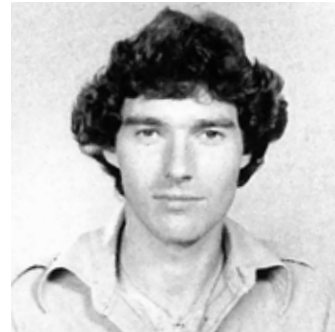
**Robert Clive Bell**

Died: 12 February 1978

Age: 21

Stationed: Wellington

*Died on duty from injuries  
sustained in a motorcycle crash.*



**Constable**

**Gregory Donald Rowe**

Constable No 4284

Died: 1 April 1978

Age: 23

Stationed: Wellington  
Maritime Unit

*Died on duty from injuries  
sustained in heavy seas on the  
Police launch Lady Elizabeth II.  
His body was never recovered.*



**Traffic Officer**

**Steven Alan Perry**

Died: 4 April 1983

Age: 22

Stationed: Lower Hutt

*Died on duty from injuries  
sustained in a motorcycle  
crash.*



**Constable**

**Peter Robert Heritage**

Constable No 3978

Died: 11 May 1983

Age: 30

Stationed: Ashburton

*Died on duty from injuries  
sustained in a motor vehicle  
crash.*



**Constable**

**Graeme Stuart Wackrow**

Constable No 7926

Died: 25 March 1984

Age: 25

Stationed: Dannevirke

*Died on duty from injuries  
sustained in a motor vehicle  
crash.*



**Constable**

**Glenn Andrews Hughes**

Constable No 5724

Died: 2 July 1986

Age: 29

Stationed: Wellington  
Maritime Unit

*Drowned on duty when the  
Police launch Lady Elizabeth II  
sank in heavy seas. His body was  
never recovered.*



**Senior Sergeant  
Philip William Ward**  
Senior Sergeant No 1552  
Died: 2 July 1986  
Age: 39  
Stationed: Wellington

*Drowned on duty when the  
Police launch Lady Elizabeth II  
sank in heavy seas.*



**Detective  
Anthony Raymond  
Harrod**  
Detective No 5757  
Died: 17 December 1990  
Age: 43  
Stationed: Whanganui

*Died from injuries sustained  
falling from a helicopter  
while conducting a cannabis  
recovery operation.*



**Sergeant  
Lindsay Eion Grant**  
Sergeant No 1395  
Died: 26 November 1993  
Age: 40  
Stationed: Auckland

*Died on duty when the Police  
helicopter Eagle crashed with a  
fixed wing aircraft.*



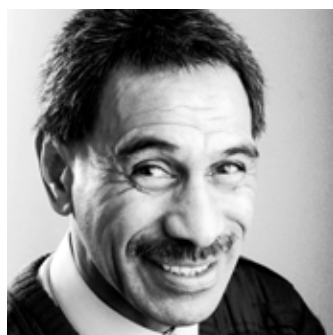
**Constable  
Alastair Alan Sampson**  
Constable No C448  
Died: 26 November 1993  
Age: 27  
Stationed: Auckland

*Died on duty when the Police  
helicopter Eagle crashed with a  
fixed wing aircraft.*



**Glenn William Phillips**  
Employee No GPC546  
Died: 7 March 2000  
Age: 33  
Stationed: Hamilton

*Died on duty in a helicopter  
crash.*



**Senior Constable  
Philip Anthony Wipatene**  
Senior Constable No F097  
Died: 15 July 2004  
Age: 55  
Stationed: New Plymouth

*Died on duty from injuries  
sustained in a motor  
vehicle crash.*



**Detective  
Travis Brent Hughes**  
Detective No D190  
Died: 29 January 2005  
Age: 37  
Stationed: Queenstown

*Died on duty in an aircraft crash.*



**Pamela Maree Brien**  
Employee No PBK030  
Died: 22 February 2011  
Age: 54  
Stationed: Christchurch

*Died on duty in the Canterbury  
Earthquake.*

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## A Tribute

Padre David Dell  
Chaplain

We share together in today's Police Remembrance Day Service as part of the wider community of police throughout New Zealand, Australia and the South Pacific. We remember before God the police and traffic officers who were slain on duty or died as a result of their duties over the past 134 years.

We remember those serving and former police employees who died during the past 12 months and we share with their families, colleagues and friends, a sense of common loss. We remember in prayer the families here, and those family members and friends who cannot be with us today.

May this Police Remembrance Day Service, and the spirit of love, faith and compassion that binds us together, bring comfort and hope to everyone.

May our loneliness be eased, our hurt healed and our hope rekindled, as we remember that death is not the end but rather the completion of our life here on earth.

May the God of peace and hope guide each breath and every step as we continue our journey of life and faith.

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## Bible Reading

Psalm 121

Steve Honiss  
Son of Jennifer Honiss

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## Address

Andrew Coster  
Commissioner  
New Zealand Police

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## Address

Hon Stuart Nash  
Minister of Police

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## Time of Remembrance

Wallace Haumaha  
Deputy Commissioner  
Māori, Pacific & Ethnic Services

We meet near the memorial that reminds us of the New Zealand Police Officers and Traffic Officers whose lives were taken while carrying out their duties. We salute them today and we remember their loved ones who are still living.



# Those who died as a result of their police duties in Australia and the Pacific

Let us remember our colleagues who were members of the Police in Australia and the Pacific Islands who were slain or who died in the past year while performing their duty.

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Reading the names of those who died in the past year as a result of their police duties in Australia and the Pacific:

Michael Johnson  
Acting Assistant Commissioner  
Serious and Organised Crime



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## **Fiji**

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**Constable Siuta Nuimataiwalu**

## **Papua New Guinea**

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**Sergeant David Hale**

**Constable Timot Kavanamur**

**Senior Constable John Patiliu**

**Senior Inspector Andrew Tovere**

## **Victoria, Australia**

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**Constable Glen Humphris**

**Senior Constable Kevin King**

**Constable Josh Prestney**

**Leading Senior Constable Lynette Taylor**

# Serving employees of New Zealand Police who have died in the past year

Let us now remember the employees of New Zealand Police who died in the past year while in service. Their service and commitment to the New Zealand Police is remembered and honoured.

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Reading the names of serving employees of New Zealand Police who have died in the past year:

Sandra Venables  
Assistant Commissioner  
Prevention and Road Policing



**Joshua Patrick Anderson**

Kāpiti Digital Centre

Years of Service:

2018 - 2020



**Senior Constable**

**Patrick Hugh Doak**

Thames

Years of Service:

1985 - 2019



**Carolyn Mary Duncan**

Dunedin

Years of Service:

2002 - 2020



**Senior Constable**

**Lesley Ann Eason**

Waikouaiti

Years of Service:

2002 - 2020



**Lynnaire Heather Jeffs**

Canterbury DHQ

Years of Service:

2006 - 2020



**Martin Wade Landsey**

Counties Manukau

Years of Service:

1980 - 2020



**Constable**

**Naomi Louise McRae**

Counties Manukau

Years of Service:

2014 - 2020



**Joe James Mills**

Auckland Central

Years of Service:

1974 - 2010

2012 - 2020



**Sergeant  
Benjamin Eon O'Connor**  
Tasman  
Years of Service:  
1998 - 2019



**Frederick Jakobus Van  
Eeden**  
Hamilton  
Year of Service:  
2020



**Lisa Monique van Maanen**  
Canterbury DHQ  
Years of Service:  
2004 - 2020



**Constable  
Georgina Rose Weston**  
Kaiapoi  
Years of Service:  
2016 - 2020



**Senior Constable  
Michael Douglas Wilson**  
Takapuna  
Years of Service:  
1981 - 2019



# Former employees of New Zealand Police who have died in the past year

Let us now remember the former employees of New Zealand Police who died in the past year. Their service and commitment to New Zealand Police is remembered and honoured.

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Reading the names of former employees of New Zealand Police who have died in the past year:

Cassandra Anderson  
Executive Director  
People and Capability

Scott Fraser  
Acting Assistant Commissioner  
People and Capability

Kaye Ryan  
Deputy Chief Executive  
People and Capability

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**Detective**  
**Roy Gordon Andrews**  
Hastings  
Years of Service: 1974 - 1986

**Constable**  
**Brian Askew**  
Gisborne  
Years of Service: 2008 - 2014

**Marie Faye Baird**  
Hastings  
Years of Service: 1995 - 2003

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**Senior Constable**  
**Peter George Bennett**  
Ross  
Years of Service: 1973 - 1996

**Constable**  
**Valerie Ann Bennett**  
Auckland  
Years of Service: 1944 - 1958

**Detective**  
**Ernest Allan Bowyer**  
Whanganui  
Years of Service: 1956 - 1989

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**Senior Sergeant**  
**Clifton William Paul Brown**  
Invercargill  
Years of Service: 1964 - 2001

**Myrtle Norma Cairns**  
Wellington  
Years of Service: 1975 - 1981

**Senior Sergeant**  
**Murray James Cannons**  
Waitakere  
Years of Service: 1957 - 1992

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**Constable**  
**William Richard Cash**  
Henderson  
Years of Service: 2006 - 2012

**Robyn Ann Copas**  
Central Communications Centre  
Years of Service: 1984 - 2007

**Constable**  
**Ronald John Crate**  
Whangarei  
Years of Service: 1959 - 2000

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**Senior Constable**  
**Jeremy Syme Cray**  
Stewart Island  
Years of Service: 1974 - 1995

**Senior Constable**  
**Rodney Rutherford Curtis**  
Nelson  
Years of Service:  
1959 - 1991  
1998 - 2008

**Chief Superintendent**  
**Ross Philip Dallow, MNZM, NZSSM**  
Waitakere  
Years of Service: 1956 - 1992

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**Constable**  
**Vincent Cadman Day**  
Manukau  
Years of Service:  
1978 - 1991  
2003 - 2016

**Leslie Denham**  
Royal New Zealand Police College  
Years of Service: 1988 - 1999

**Constable**  
**Graeme Roger Donald**  
Christchurch  
Years of Service: 1967 - 1973

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**Senior Constable**  
**David Bruce Dowsett**  
Turangi CVIU  
Years of Service: 1974 - 2011

**Elizabeth Jean Dunn**  
Palmerston North  
Years of Service: 1992 - 2000

**Sergeant**  
**Ross Thomas Farquhar**  
Waipukurau  
Years of Service: 1958 - 1968

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**Sergeant**  
**Terence Marshall Farrelly**  
Auckland City DHQ  
Years of Service:  
1956 - 1990 Constabulary  
1992 - 2007 Non-Constabulary

**Senior Constable**  
**Christopher Ashley Francis**  
Howick  
Years of Service: 1971 - 1989

**Constable**  
**Richard John Fraser**  
North Dunedin  
Years of Service: 1959 - 1964



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**Constable**  
**Lorraine Ann Gittings**  
Wellington Central  
Years of Service: 1982 - 1991

**Sergeant**  
**Terrance Richard Graham**  
Newmarket  
Years of Service: 1964 - 1996

**Senior Constable**  
**William Aaron Griffiths**  
Otahuhu  
Years of Service: 1960 - 2000

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**Constable**  
**Colin Arthur Hall**  
Te Awamutu  
Years of Service: 1970 - 1995

**Senior Constable**  
**Cyril Henry Harland**  
Masterton  
Years of Service: 1944 - 1984

**Sergeant**  
**Peter Robert Haworth**  
Whangarei  
Years of Service: 1958 - 1979

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**Detective**  
**Paul John Hayden**  
Ashburton  
Years of Service: 1985 - 2005

**Sergeant**  
**Euan James Hildyard**  
Cromwell  
Years of Service: 1973 - 1994

**Margaret Gay Hill**  
Greymouth  
Years of Service:  
1985 - 1997  
2003 - 2012

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**Jennifer Robin Honiss**  
Waikato DHQ  
Years of Service: 1993 - 2012

**Constable**  
**Stephen Brian Hughes**  
Lower Hutt  
Years of Service: 1985 - 1987

**Superintendent**  
**Barry Roger Hunter**  
Tauranga  
Years of Service: 1965 - 1998

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**Senior Sergeant**  
**Evan James Jennings**  
Central District DHQ  
Years of Service: 1970 - 2003

**Senior Constable**  
**Jeffrey Alan Johnson**  
Greenlane  
Years of Service: 1989 - 2005

**Patrick Trevor Kennedy**  
Oamaru  
Years of Service: 1953 - 1988

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**Constable**  
**Thomas Lawrence Edward Kenny**  
Porirua  
Years of Service: 1966 - 1976

**Constable**  
**Shona Anne Lawn**  
Hamilton  
Years of Service: 1989 - 1990

**Detective Sergeant**  
**Gus Hjalmer Lindstrom, BEM**  
Whangarei  
Years of Service: 1959-1988

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**Stuart Blake Lints**  
Royal New Zealand Police College  
Years of Service: 2003 - 2017

**Senior Sergeant**  
**Maurice Edmond Hoult Loveridge**  
Kaikohe  
Years of Service: 1966 - 2001

**Sergeant**  
**Ronald Eric Lynch**  
Tauranga  
Years of Service: 1956 - 1986

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**Detective Constable**  
**Colin George MacKay**  
Blenheim  
Years of Service: 1963 - 2000

**Sergeant**  
**Daniel Ian Magrath**  
Police National Headquarters  
Years of Service: 1973 - 1990

**Upokoina Nena McDonell**  
Avondale  
Years of Service: 1996 - 2013

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**Detective Senior Sergeant  
James Robin McLaughlan**  
Porirua  
Years of Service: 1969 - 1997

**Sergeant  
Kimball Arthur Meredith**  
Tokoroa  
Years of Service: 1972 - 1994

**Senior Constable  
Ivan Graham Morice**  
Karangahape Road Community  
Base  
Years of Service: 1976 - 1994

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**Detective  
Trevor Walter Alexander Morley**  
Wellington Central  
Years of Service: 1962 - 1977

**Detective Constable  
Ross Blackwood Neely**  
Hastings  
Years of Service: 1966 - 1972

**Constable  
Colin Trevor Nieper**  
Auckland Harbour Bridge  
Years of Service: 1971 - 1995

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**Sergeant  
Wayne Olsen**  
Dunedin  
Years of Service: 1966 - 1998

**Inspector  
Ronald Albert Phillips**  
Ngauranga  
Years of Service: 1978 - 2010

**Constable  
Gregory Klee Reid**  
Timaru  
Years of Service: 1999 - 2013

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**Inspector  
Allan Wallace Richards**  
Waitemata DHQ  
Years of Service: 1963 - 2016

**Sergeant  
Malcolm William Herbert Richards**  
Whangarei  
Years of Service: 1958 - 1992

**Detective  
Megan Joy Rusbatch (formerly Sanders)**  
Counties Manukau and Wellington  
Years of Service:  
1988 – 2002 Constabulary  
2013 – 2015 Non-Constabulary

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**Constable  
Philip John Sallis**  
Lower Hutt  
Years of Service: 1968 - 1971

**Delys Caryl Saunders**  
Lower Hutt  
Years of Service: 1995 - 2004

**Sergeant  
Michael Hendrik Schout**  
Canterbury  
Years of Service: 1983 - 2001

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**Shauntelle Maria Schreuder**  
Royal New Zealand Police College  
Years of Service:  
1998 - 2002  
2011 - 2015

**Senior Constable  
Errol Patrick Shearman**  
Levin  
Years of Service: 1956 - 1988

**Senior Constable  
Paul James Sheriff**  
Hamilton  
Years of Service: 1962 - 1990

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**Constable  
George Ian Simpson**  
Katikati  
Years of Service: 1970 - 2001

**Constable  
William Browne Sinclair**  
Police National Headquarters  
Years of Service: 1967 - 1987

**Sergeant  
Colin John Sloan**  
Wellington Central  
Years of Service: 1978 - 1998

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**Senior Sergeant  
Timothy Gerard Smith**  
Auckland Harbour Bridge  
Years of Service: 1972 - 1998

**Constable  
Steven Craig Stairmand**  
Orewa  
Years of Service: 2005 - 2016

**Joan Pearl Stenhouse**  
Wellington Central  
Years of Service: 1966 - 2012

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**Sergeant**  
**Murray Alexander Stevenson**  
Christchurch  
Years of Service: 1962 - 1990

**Constable**  
**Rangi Francis Stirling**  
Kaikoura  
Years of Service: 1985 - 1994

**Constable**  
**James Arnold Sutton**  
Ponsonby  
Years of Service: 1960 - 1965

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**Constable**  
**Caleb Taiala**  
Counties Manukau  
Years of Service: 1998 - 2002

**Sergeant**  
**Denis John Tatere**  
Waipukerau  
Years of Service: 1971 - 2013

**Sergeant**  
**Raymond Thomson**  
Whakatane  
Years of Service: 1959 - 1987

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**Brian Wayne Thurston**  
Auckland Central  
Years of Service: 1978 - 1998

**Senior Constable**  
**George Peter Ulyate**  
Porirua  
Years of Service: 1964 - 1998

**Constable**  
**John Johannes Hermanus Vermeulen**  
Auckland  
Years of Service:  
1964 - 1968  
1970 - 1984

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**Detective**  
**John Herbert Watts**  
Henderson  
Years of Service: 1956 - 1991

**Senior Sergeant**  
**Donald James Wisely**  
Invercargill  
Years of Service: 1960 - 1996

**Traffic Officer**  
**Robert Neil Wolfe**  
Paeroa  
Years of Service: 1960 - 1996

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**Traffic Officer**  
**Anthony John Young**  
Ohakea  
Years of Service: 1966 - 2018

**Senior Constable**  
**Ray Young**  
Balmoral  
Years of Service: 1956 - 1988

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# Prayer

Padre David Dell  
Chaplain

Gracious God, in the midst of life we face the reality of death: open our hearts as we remember those who have gone before us. Remind us of your promise to be with us always, and make us ever grateful for those we remember today as colleagues from the past and present.

We thank you for the men and women who have given their all to maintain law and order in New Zealand, Australia and the South Pacific region, as they have helped keep our communities safe. May God rest their souls.

In the name of Jesus Christ we pray, Amen.

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# Laying of the Wreaths

Wallace Haumaha  
Deputy Commissioner  
Māori, Pacific & Ethnic Services

In a moment, the Official Party will move outside where they will lay wreaths at the Memorial Wall.

Governor-General Her Excellency The Rt Hon Dame Patsy Reddy will lay a wreath on behalf of Her Majesty The Queen, and the people of New Zealand.

The Minister of Police the Hon Stuart Nash will lay a wreath on behalf of the Government of New Zealand in memory of members of Australian and South Pacific Police services who have died on duty and the former employees of the New Zealand Police who died in the past 12 months.

The Commissioner of Police Andrew Coster will lay a wreath in memory of New Zealand Police employees who were slain on duty or died as a result of their Police duties, and serving employees who died during the past 12 months.

**We ask that everyone else remains seated in the gymnasium and views the ceremony on the screen to your left.**

*Pipe Major Scott Giffin, New Zealand Police Pipe Band, will then play 'The Dark Island' lament.*

*We reflect in silence.*

*Recruits perform the New Zealand Police Haka to the Memorial Wall in memory of serving and former members of New Zealand Police.*

In a moment, the Official Party moves back inside.

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## Interfaith Blessing

Michael Scrivener  
Anglican Representative  
Wellington Interfaith Council

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## Hymn

How Great Thou Art / Whakaaria Mai  
English words and music by Stuart Hine © 1941  
© Renewed 1981 Stuart Hine, Mana Music Inc.

O Lord my God! When I in awesome wonder  
consider all the works thy hand has made.  
I see the stars, I hear the mighty thunder,  
thy power throughout the universe displayed.

Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee.  
How great thou art! How great thou art!  
Then sings my soul, my Saviour God, to thee.  
How great thou art! How great thou art!

Whakaaria mai, tō rīpeka ki au;  
tiaho mai, rā roto i te pō.  
Hei kōna au, titiro atu ai;  
ora mate, hei au koe noho ai.

Whakaaria mai, tō rīpeka ki au;  
tiaho mai, rā roto i te pō.  
Hei kōna au, titiro atu ai;  
ora mate, hei au koe noho ai.  
ora mate, hei au koe noho ai. Amine.

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## Benediction

Padre David Dell  
Chaplain

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## Police flag marched off

Please stand while the Police flag is marched off.

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## Official Party leaves

Please remain standing as the Official Party departs.

Following their departure, we ask that you move outside  
so that the venue can be prepared for the training day.

Following the service, a light lunch will be served immediately in the Dining Room.

The Police College Chapel of Peace, the Multifaith Prayer Room, and the Police Museum are open.

The Commissioner and employees of New Zealand Police wish to thank:

Michael Scrivener  
Anglican Representative  
Wellington Interfaith Council

Scott Giffin  
Pipe Major  
New Zealand Police Pipe Band

Choir

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All names, ranks, last stations of duty, years of service and photos in this booklet are as accurate as possible.

We apologise for any errors or omissions.



New Zealand Government

