



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 Commemoration

Wednesday, 29 September 2021



Video hosted on the Police website:

www.police.govt.nz/about-us/history/memorial/remembrance-day

### Commemoration

Instead of a national service, Remembrance Day on 29 September 2021 is being marked by a virtual commemoration.

### Background to Remembrance Day

The 1989 Conference of Commissioners of Police of Australasia and the South West Pacific Region decided that an annual Remembrance Day service should be held for police staff who died in office during the previous 12 months. The conference agreed that the services should be held on 29 September each year, which is the Feast Day of the Archangel Michael, the Patron Saint of Police.

#### Memorial Wall and flags

The Memorial Wall is located at The Royal New Zealand Police College in Porirua. It honours the 33 police and traffic officers slain on duty since the beginning of New Zealand Police in 1886.

During this year's wreath laying the New Zealand flag and the Police flag are displayed on either side of the Memorial Wall. 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.

#### Mihi and Karakia

Senior Sergeant John Tangaere Practice Leader: Māori, Pacific and Ethnic Services The Royal New Zealand Police College

#### Hymn - Himene

Waiata Group

The Royal New Zealand Police College

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

#### National Anthem

Words by Thomas Bracken (1841 – 1898)

E Ihowā Atua,
O ngā iwi mātou rā
Āta 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!

#### Laying of the Wreaths

Each year wreaths are laid at the Memorial Wall on Remembrance Day. The wreaths are laid in memory of New Zealand Police employees who were slain on duty or died as a result of their Police duties, serving employees who died during the past 12 months, 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.

#### Piper

A New Zealand Police Pipe Band member plays 'The Dark Island' lament while the wreaths are laid.

#### Prayer - Karakia

Padre David Dell, Police Chaplain, closes the commemoration with a prayer.

#### Haka

Recruit Wing 346 performs the haka to the Memorial Wall to honour all who have served before them.

The haka was written for New Zealand Police by Rahui Papa from Ngāti Korokī-Kahukura, Waikato-Tainui, an advisor and speaker for King Tūheitia and a member of the Police Commissioner's Māori Focus Forum.

## Message from Commissioner Andrew Coster

Tēnā koutou katoa.

The 29th of September is an important day for us in the New Zealand Police. Police Remembrance Day is our opportunity to pause, reflect and remember, and to be thankful for those who have gone before us and made this organisation what it is today.

This is a day of remembrance not just in New Zealand – today our colleagues in Australia and the South Pacific region will also be taking some time to remember their colleagues and loved ones.

In New Zealand Police on this day we remember the 33 New Zealand police and traffic officers who have been slain on duty and the 65 staff who died as a result of performing their duties since our organisation was formed in 1886. We remember their bravery, dedication to their duty and the ultimate sacrifice they made.

We also remember all serving, retired and former staff who have passed away in the previous 12 months, and we look further afield to honour the police officers from Australia and the South Pacific who lost their lives on duty.

This year I particularly acknowledge the 100th anniversary a month ago of Constable James Dorgan, whose life was tragically taken while on duty in Timaru, and the sad first anniversary in June of Constable Matthew Hunt's death.

I also acknowledge the decade anniversaries of other officers slain on duty: Sergeant William Cooper and Constables Edward Best, Frederick Jordan and Percy Tulloch in 1941; and Sergeant William Hughes in 1951.

No matter how much time has passed, we remain firm in our resolve to remember our fallen officers.

This is also a day for families and colleagues to remember their special people. I give my aroha and sincere condolences to those of you who are grieving.

New Zealand Police is held in high regard because of such people, whether it's through their courage, compassion, or dedication to their roles, or all of those elements.

I thank the families for sharing their loved ones with the New Zealand Police and for the love and support given to help them carry out their police roles.

Even though we are not holding the usual National Remembrance Service this year at the Royal New Zealand Police College, wreaths will still be laid at the Memorial Wall and the Police Haka, performed by recruits, will still ring out.

This year, as we do every year, we will remember. Ka maumahara tonu tātou ki a rātou.

#### **Andrew Coster**

Commissioner of Police

## Message from Minister of Police the Honourable Poto Williams

To the Police whānau,

My deepest condolences to you on this day of remembrance.

It is an honour to participate in Police Remembrance Day, although from afar, as we remember members of Police who are no longer with us.

With the social distancing requirements, this year's commemoration is different, but still as important as ever.

Remembrance Day is also a day of significance for the community, because of the role that police play in the community.

I have the privilege of regularly seeing wonderful feedback from the public across New Zealand about our police service. This shows me the huge respect that New Zealanders have for the work our members of police do to help and protect them.

I believe the New Zealand Police provides the ultimate public service by making our communities safer and having a meaningful impact on people's lives every single day and night.

With that service unfortunately does come risk, and the Roll of Honour is a painful reminder of the dangers our officers face while they work hard to make New Zealand a better place in which to live.

To the families of those we're remembering, thank you for all the support you gave your loved ones through the ups and downs that invariably arise in any job. Their success in their work was your success too.

Therefore on Remembrance Day I honour you also, and share with you your pride in your loved ones' service to the New Zealand Police.

On behalf of the Government and the people of New Zealand, I thank all members of Police for their commitment and service, and for making our communities safer, better places – as I've said, the ultimate public service.

Ngā mihi,

#### **Honourable Poto Williams**

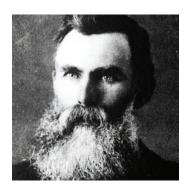
Minister of Police

### New Zealand Police Roll of Honour

1886 - 2021

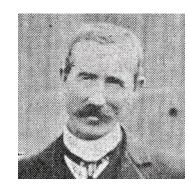
The New Zealand Police Roll of Honour bears the names of Police and Traffic Officers who have been slain on duty.

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



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

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 2699 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

Attacked and beaten while trying to control two offenders and later died from his injuries.



Detective Sergeant Neville Wilson Power, QPM

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

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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

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.



Stewart Graeme
Guthrie, GC
Sergeant No 5024
Died: 13 November 1990

Age: 41

Sergeant

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 1417 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.



Constable Matthew Dennis Hunt

Constable No MHIH84 Died: 19 June 2020 Age: 28 Stationed: Auckland Harbour Bridge

Shot dead in Massey, Auckland, during a traffic stop.

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

1886 - 2021

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.



#### 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: Waihī

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.

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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 Henry Herbert Hancox

Constable No 974 Died: 21 June 1910

Age: 31

Stationed: Ōkārito

Drowned on duty when unseated from his horse while crossing the Karangarua River.



#### 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 Sergeant 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.

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#### 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.



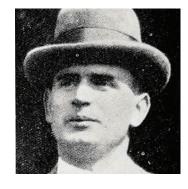
#### Traffic Inspector William Henry Cross

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 while on duty.



#### 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 while on duty.



#### 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.

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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

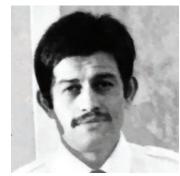
Stationed: Wellington

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

Died on duty from injuries

Maritime Unit

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.



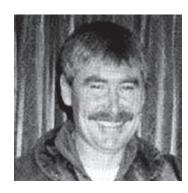
Detective Anthony Raymond Harrod

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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## 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.

#### **Australia**

Western Australia Police Force
Detective Senior Constable Michael James Cursiter

New South Wales Police Force Senior Constable Kelly Foster

Queensland Police Service Senior Constable David Masters

#### Papua New Guinea

Royal Papua New Guinea Constabulary Constable Philip Presley

# 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.



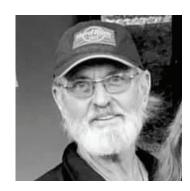
Sergeant Okeli Enoka Afa Otahuhu Years of Service: 1998 - 2020



**Elizabeth Riutoto Baker** Taupo Years of Service: 1989 - 2021



Inspector
Anthony William John
Bernards
The Royal New Zealand
Police College
Years of Service:
1983 - 2021



Peter Laurie Buckley
Auckland Central
Years of Service:
2014 - 2021



**Katherine Gabriel** Hamilton Years of Service: 2001 - 2021



Sergeant Greg Ryan Hemingway Whanganui Years of Service: 2004 - 2021



Detective Inspector
Gary Raymond Lendrum,
MNZM
Counties Manukau
Years of Service:
1977 - 2020



Constable
Diana Penny Patterson
Nelson
Years of Service:
1974 - 1976 Constabulary
1991 - 2020 Non-constabulary



**Peter Laurie Roberts**Christchurch
Years of Service:
1990 - 2020



Senior Constable
Michael Craig Southon
Police National
Headquarters
Years of Service:
2005 - 2021



Inspector Kevin John Taylor Whakatane Years of Service: 1983 - 2020



Authorised Officer Romney Moefili Tui Auckland District Court Years of Service: 2015 - 2021



Reverend Andrea Joan Williamson Counties Manukau Years of Service: 2011 - 2020



# 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

#### Sergeant Frank John Albertsma

Auckland Wharf Years of Service: 1970 - 1979

#### **Matthew MacGroy Alexander**

Auckland DHQ Years of Service: 2007 - 2014

#### Louise Therese Mazie Bancilhon

Wellington Central Years of Service: 1969 - 1981

#### Senior Constable Denis Bergman formerly Ken McGroucutt

Westport Years of Service: 1989 - 2012

#### **Constable Richard Andrew Bird**

The Royal New Zealand Police College Years of Service: 1988 - 2001

#### **Phyllis Margaret Blockwell**

Palmerston North Years of Service: 1975 - 1981

#### **Constable Barry Oliver Bonnington**

Rotorua Years of Service: 1959 - 1985

#### **Constable Michael Paddon Bourke**

New Plymouth Years of Service: 1971 - 1991

#### Sergeant Robbert Siegfried Brickmann

Christchurch Years of Service: 1966 - 1990

#### Constable Michael Francis Brotherson

Wellington Central Years of Service: 1975 - 1978

#### Constable Craig Alexander Elliott Brown, MNZN

Whangarei Years of Service: 1970 - 1978

#### Senior Constable Kenneth Weir Brown

Palmerston Years of Service: 1971 - 2000

#### Sergeant Ralph Brook Buchanan

Invercargill Years of Service: 1951 - 1985

#### **Walter Bruce Cameron**

Police National Headquarters Years of Service: 1982 - 1999

#### **Heather Louie Charleston**

Newmarket Years of Service: 1988 - 1999

#### Sergeant John Claridge

Christchurch Years of Service: 1960 - 1985

#### **Constable Archibald Howie Clark**

Kaitaia Years of Service: 1968 - 1993 <sup>Constabulary</sup> 1994 - 2015 <sup>Non-Constabulary</sup>

#### Superintendent Graham Allan Clewer

Christchurch Years of Service: 1961 - 1997

#### Authorised Officer Murray Steven Coffey

Palmerston North Years of Service: 1998 - 2016

#### **Inspector Rex Henry Collard**

Police National Headquarters Years of Service: 1970 - 1990

#### Senior Sergeant Eric Kay Davy

Tasman DHQ Years of Service: 1970 - 2012

#### Constable Stephan Anthony Dowrick

Napier Years of Service: 1981 - 1999

#### Detective Sergeant Graham Henry Ernest Evans

Levin Years of Service: 1954 - 1986

#### **Chief Inspector Brian Kearn Fahey**

Police National Headquarters Years of Service: 1959 - 1989

#### Senior Constable Bryan Bennett Farguharson

Hastings Years of Service: 1999 - 2020

#### Superintendent Peter McElwain Faulkner, MBE, ED

Otahuhu Years of Service: 1957 - 1988

#### Detective Senior Sergeant James McPherson Fleming

Wellington Years of Service: 1954 - 1967

#### Senior Constable Neil John Fleming

Tauranga Years of Service: 1959 - 1989

#### Senior Sergeant Alan Edward Fletcher

Newtown Years of Service: 1970 - 1990 <sup>Constabulary</sup> 1990 - 1996 <sup>Non-Constabulary</sup>

#### **Constable Peter Adrian Gannaway**

Gisborne Years of Service: 1975 - 1997

#### **Sergeant Roger George Gargett**

Christchurch Years of Service: 1949 - 1985

#### Deputy Commissioner Bryan William Gibson, OBE

Police National Headquarters Years of Service: 1950 - 1987

#### Senior Constable Robert Bonar Gibson

Invercargill Years of Service: 1956 - 1989

#### Senior Constable Pirihi Ewan Charles Gillies

Wairarapa CVIU Years of Service: 1968 - 2009

#### Detective Senior Sergeant William James Gilmour

Christchurch Central Years of Service: 1958 - 1976

#### Detective Sergeant Richard Paul Rennie Graham, QSM

Hastings Years of Service: 1964 - 2000

#### Senior Sergeant Lloyd James Hanna

Waikato DHQ Years of Service: 1969 - 2014

#### **Detective Graeme Hathaway**

Christchurch Years of Service: 1972 - 1980

#### Sergeant Douglas Edward Henderson

Auckland Years of Service: 1958 - 1985

#### Sergeant Stephen Paul Ihaka

Kaitaia Years of Service: 1985 - 1999

#### Constable Ian Keith Ingham

Christchurch Years of Service: 1971 - 1986

#### Temepara Isaacs

Gisborne Years of Service: 1989 - 2020

#### **Detective Graeme Hugh Jacobsen**

Hamilton Years of Service: 1969 - 1987

#### Senior Sergeant Evan James Jennings

Palmerston North Years of Service: 1970 - 2004

#### Constable Paul Thomas Patrick Jones

Palmerston North Years of Service: 1994 - 1997

#### Senior Sergeant Dennis Ragan Jones-Sexton

Dunedin Years of Service: 1953 - 1985

#### **Edward Waclaw Juchnowicz**

Police National Headquarters Years of Service: 1995 - 2008

#### Sergeant Mervyn Edward Kenny

Police National Headquarters Years of Service: 1963 - 1991 <sup>Constabulary</sup> 2004 - 2012 <sup>Non-Constabulary</sup>

#### Senior Sergeant Barry Ian Stanley Kimber

Lower Hutt Years of Service: 1958 - 1974

#### Senior Sergeant Graham Reginald Colin King

Henderson Years of Service: 1965 - 2006

#### Bernadette Marguerite Lane

Police National Headquarters Years of Service: 2006 - 2014

#### Sergeant Tere John Lawson

Auckland District Court Years of Service: 1986 - 2004

#### John Edward Le Comte

Christchurch Central Years of Service: 1976 - 1980

#### Constable Murray Albert Le Fevre, BEM

Sydenham Years of Service: 1955 - 1991

#### **Constable Gary Neville Linkhorn**

Auckland Central Years of Service: 1966 - 1979

#### Senior Constable David Arthur Lobb

Wiri Years of Service: 1961 - 1982

#### **Robert George Andrew Maitland**

Auckland Central Years of Service: 1978 - 2000

#### Constable John James Mcardle

Levin Years of Service: 1969 - 1998

#### Senior Constable Karen Lee McClatchy-Fisher

Te Anau Years of Service: 2002 - 2017

#### Detective Senior Sergeant James Robin McLaughlan

Porirua Years of Service: 1969 - 1997

#### **Detective Peter Raymond Meaclem**

Paraparaumu Years of Service: 1985 - 1997

#### Lynette Mary Meinung

Waikato District DHQ Years of Service: 1985 - 2012

#### Kiwi Metuariki

The Royal New Zealand Police College Years of Service: 1996 - 2018

#### **Senior Constable Trevor Mickell**

Hornby Years of Service: 1950 - 1984

#### Assistant Commissioner Ian Lindsay Mills, LVO, OBE

Palmerston North Years of Service: 1955 - 1990

#### Assistant Commissioner Emmett Thomas Mitten, OBE

Southern Region DHQ (Christchurch) Years of Service: 1956 - 1992

#### Senior Constable Donald Molyneaux

Timaru Years of Service: 1953 - 1988

#### Sergeant Timothy Morgan Moroney

Waiheke Island Years of Service: 1974 - 2000

#### **Douglas John Napier**

Avondale Years of Service: 1989 - 2012

#### Sergeant Evan John Niven

Timaru Years of Service: 1959 - 1976

#### Sergeant Trevor John Owen

New Plymouth Years of Service: 1948 - 1985

#### Senior Sergeant David Bryan John Painter, QSM, BEM (Gall)

Dog Training Centre Years of Service: 1963 - 1997

#### Jane Palmer

Porirua Years of Service: 1988 - 2006

#### Monica Tira Wahine Parai-Urech

The Royal New Zealand Police College Years of Service: 1984 - 2015

#### Constable John Rawiri Paterson

Napier Years of Service: 1956 - 1963

#### **Senior Constable Jack Pike**

Nelson Years of Service: 1963 - 1986 <sup>Constabulary</sup> 2003 - 2017 <sup>Non-Constabulary</sup>

#### **Anne Teresa Seymour Poulton**

Takapuna Years of Service: 1969 - 1993

#### Constable Matthew Stewart Rennie Ratana

Counties Manukau Years of Service: 2003 - 2008

#### **Constable Stephen Junior Rorani**

Hamilton Years of Service: 1972 - 1990

#### **Sergeant John Charles Rowe**

Christchurch Central Years of Service: 1958 - 1990

#### **Constable Samuel Rundle**

Cromwell Years of Service: 2008 - 2019

#### Sergeant Wilhelm Peter Schuck

Invercargill Years of Service: 1960 - 1986

#### Senior Constable Errol Patrick Shearman

Levin Years of Service: 1957 - 1988

#### Sergeant Jack Shepherd

Henderson Years of Service: 1962 - 1989

#### Detective Constable Peter John Simmonds

Christchurch Years of Service: 1963 - 1967

#### **Constable Norman Douglas Sloan**

Sydenham Years of Service: 1974 - 1992

#### Detective Senior Sergeant Timothy Gerard Smith

Papakura Years of Service: 1972 - 1998 <sup>Constabulary</sup> 1999 - 2016 <sup>Non-Constabulary</sup>

#### Sergeant Benjamin Lefore Snee

Taradale Community Policing Centre Years of Service: 1969 - 1999

#### Constable Harley Andrew Stephens

Henderson Years of Service: 1999 - 2002

#### Assistant Commissioner Lionel Martin Stevens

Police National Headquarters Years of Service: 1956 - 1993

#### Senior Constable Paul Stewart Stevenson

Dunedin Years of Service: 1951 - 1987

#### **Constable James Ward Stewart**

Manurewa Years of Service: 1973 - 1989

#### Sergeant Gregory Paul Sutherland

Timaru Years of Service: 1991 - 2018

#### Senior Constable Murray Ralph Swanson

Wellington Dog Section Years of Service: 1973 - 2000

#### Sergeant Denis John Tatere

Waipukurau Years of Service: 1971 - 2013

#### Richard Matu Te Pou

Whakatane Years of Service: 1986 - 2006

#### **Laurence John Terry**

Auckland Central Years of Service: 1956 - 1988

#### Inspector Barry Douglas Thackwell

Canterbury Prosecutions Years of Service: 1965 - 2003

#### **Malcolm Bernard Thomas**

Central District DHQ Years of Service: 1988 - 2012

#### **Neville Thomas Tiller**

Christchurch Years of Service: 1974 - 1977

#### Senior Constable John Desmond Tootill

Hamilton Years of Service: 1950 - 1985

#### **Denise Rhoda Tuuta**

Bay of Plenty DHQ Years of Service: 1988 - 2019

#### Superintendent Rana Donald Waitai

Midland Region HQ Years of Service: 1971 - 1996

#### **Darren Christopher Walker**

The Royal New Zealand Police College Years of Service: 1997 - 2015

#### Inspector John Henry Walker

Counties Manukau Years of Service: 1966 - 1999

#### **Detective Robert Leslie Ware**

Kaikohe Years of Service: 1965 - 1972

#### **Constable Sylvia Fay Jane Ware**

Whangarei Years of Service: 1967 - 1971

#### **Jennifer Margaret Williams**

Timaru Years of Service: 1977 - 1984

#### Senior Constable Rodney Keith Williams

Timaru Years of Service: 1972 - 1998

#### **Stanley Williams**

Te Awamutu Years of Service: 1960 - 1988

#### **Constable Rex Stanley Windelborn**

Rotorua Years of Service: 1963 - 1994

#### Senior Constable Steven Neil Winsloe

Invercargill Years of Service: 2003 - 2020

#### Constable Garth Hamilton Woodward

Takapuna Years of Service: 1972 - 1976

#### Senior Constable Raymond George Wright

Dunedin Years of Service: 1974 - 1999

The Commissioner of New Zealand Police wishes to thank all who participated in and helped to commemorate Remembrance Day 2021.

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