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## BPW CENTRAL HAWKES BAY CELEBRATE THESE WOMEN FOR THEIR SIGNIFICANT CONTRIBUTION THROUGH CLUB AND NATIONAL REPRESENTATION

### Judith Halford

#### BPW Central Hawkes Bay

Membership: 1992 to present  
President: 2002 to 2004  
2005 to 2006  
2006 to 2008  
Immediate Past President: current

#### Employment/Professional Career

Garden Centre Owner.

#### Judith Halford - Her Story:

- As a member of Central Hawkes Bay:
  - ⇒ has extraordinary amount of energy giving exemplary service twice taking the role of President in the space of 5 years
  - ⇒ as past President moved into office for another 2 years
  - ⇒ enthusiasm and ability to work with people along with her knowledge makes Judith a valued member of her club
  - ⇒ encourages all to get involved - attending Regional Meetings, Conference and Leadership Forums
  - ⇒ happy to take on responsibilities while guiding the new President and her committee.



### Fae Davidson

#### BPW Central Hawkes Bay

Membership: 1972 to present  
Committee member: various times up to 1998  
Life Member: 2009

#### Employment/Professional Career

Career - Home executive

Now her family includes her grandchildren and great grandchildren.

#### Fae Davidson - Her Story:

- As a valued member of Central Hawkes Bay for 37 years Fae has:
  - ⇒ been a long standing member of the committee, holding various positions including President and Treasurer
  - ⇒ has attended a number of conferences and been a delegate for CHB
  - ⇒ introduced her three daughters to BPW
    - ◆ Judith Halford a member for 17 years and Past President of CHB club
    - ◆ Sandra Flemming, 19 year member, currently Vice President CHB club
    - ◆ Kerry Smith member of Gisborne club
- Fae is a fantastic cook and is responsible for making about 300 scones each year for her club's fundraisers. She has a beautiful garden which has generously shared for various fundraising activities. Still a very supportive member!!!



### Helen Ross and Margaret McCoskery

#### BPW Central Hawkes Bay

Foundation members: 1967 to present  
Committee members: various times up to 2000  
Life membership: 1990

#### Employment/Professional Career

Helen Ross: retired nurse  
Margaret McCoskery: retired farming partner

#### Helen and Margaret are twin sisters - this is their story:

- Foundation members of BPW Central Hawkes Bay when it was formed 40 years ago in 1969.
- While never accepting the role of President they have both been represented on the committee several times and been influential in many projects over this time.
- Both sisters became life members in 1990.
- Their wonderful sense of humour and knowledge is much appreciated by the club, making a 30km round trip to attend a BPW meeting and are rarely absent.
- Helen and Margaret have attended many conferences in their time and considered the backbone of their club.



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