

## Board of Trustees 2016

### **David Gasquoine (Chair)**

David and his wife Cathy have been dairy farming in the Hinuera district for the past 25 years. They have two adult children, Claire and Mark.

David has been involved in Dairy Industry governance and representation for a number of years, most recently as Chair of the Learning & Development Committee for the Fonterra Shareholders' Council. He also sits on the Directors' Remuneration Committee for Livestock Improvement Corporation (LIC), as well as the Directors' Remuneration Committee for the Fonterra Co-op.

David is a past member of the Waikato Anglican College Trust Board which governs the St Paul's Collegiate School campus in Hamilton, as well as the Tihoi Venture School campus on the western side of Lake Taupo. He has been inducted as a fellow of St Paul's.

David is also a member of the Matamata Rotary Club and his other interests include some recreational road cycling as well as tramping.



### **Leonie Tisch (Deputy Chair)**

Leonie is no stranger to health having been appointed:

- trustee on the Waikato Heart Trust in 1995;
- a director of the Waikato District Health Board from 2001-2004 (serving as Chair of the WDH B Disability Services Advisory Committee, a member of the Community & Public Health Advisory Committee (CPHAC) and the Service & Campus Redevelopment Committee);
- a community representative on the Matamata-Piako Community Health Forum.

Leonie is a Matamata Piako District Councillor and Chairperson of the Council's Hearings Commission. She is a member of the Rotary Club of Matamata (President 2009/10) and involved in many other community groups. Her leisure activities include golf and gardening.



### **Garry Stanley**

Garry was formerly Managing Director of Stanley Construction Ltd and was Project Manager for the building of Pohlen Hospital.

He was a member of the Matamata Volunteer Fire Brigade for 26 years, including 15 years as Chief Fire Officer. He was President and is currently Patron of the United Fire Brigades Association of NZ and also the inaugural Chairman of Trustees of the United Fire Brigades Benevolent Fund. From 1993 to 1997, Garry was a member of the NZ Fire Service Commission, governing the NZ Fire Service.

He is currently Chairman of the Matamata Community Health Shuttle Trust, a Matamata Piako District Councillor and a member of the Lions Club of Matamata.



### **Alan Candy (Finance Chair)**

Alan is a Chartered Accountant and a principal of the accountancy firm Candy Gillespie Ltd. Alan now has over 30 years' experience in the Accounting industry.

Alan's wife, Haana is a part time radiographer at Pohlen Hospital.

Since returning to Matamata, Alan has been a member of the Matamata Community Board including Chairman, a member of Matamata Public Relations Association including Chairman and has been involved in the administration of a number of local sports clubs.

While away from work, Alan enjoys working on their small rural property and recreational road cycling and more recently mountain biking.



### **Erica Amon**

Erica Amon, a qualified pharmacist, is Area Manager for Healthcare NZ, the largest provider of community-based health and disability support in New Zealand. Prior to this, Erica, and has spent almost 20 years working within Primary Health Organisations.

Erica has been an active member of the Committee of Waikato Branch of the Institute of Directors since September 2009. She was one of the subcommittee who worked with DairyNZ to establish a Memorandum of Understanding between the two organisations, and continues to work on various initiatives between the two organisations. Erica is a member of a Director Remuneration Committee of a large farming company, and is a board member of Waikato Golf Association.

In her spare time Erica enjoys staying active by playing golf, Crossfit, and running.



### **Peter Thissen**

Along with his wife, Ineke, Peter is a Managing Director of a local engineering supply business, The Boltholder Ltd.

They have been in business for 30 years and currently employ 16 staff.

Peter has been involved in the Rotary Club of Matamata for 29 years. He was President in 2005 and has been Director of a number of the committees.

His other interests include: walking and tramping throughout New Zealand, fishing and golf. He is very passionate about nature and all birdlife.

