



## NOMINATION OF NETBALL NEW ZEALAND PRESIDENT

NOTE: One nomination received for this position – no election required

### SUBMITTED BY

- AMI Auckland Netball Centre
- Netball North Harbour Inc

### NOMINATED

Sheryl Lady Wells CNZM

### DETAIL

Since 1955 when I first stepped onto a court... I was hooked.

My passion and enthusiasm continues in a sport that has given me many varied opportunities.

- Playing club and representative netball, coaching and managing club and representative teams.
- Managing the Silver Ferns for 12 years and setting in place structures, some that endure to this day.
- Managing the Silver Ferns at Commonwealth Games in Kuala Lumpur and Manchester.
- Managing the Silver Ferns at World Championships in Birmingham, Christchurch and Kingston, Jamaica.
- I was able to develop my creative and organisational abilities in coordinating trans-Tasman events and the then Milo Series.
- 1975 Convenor, World Championships Auckland, Transport and Hostesses
- 2007 World Championship Auckland VIP Hosting
- Coordinating the 1<sup>st</sup> farewell dinner for the Silver Ferns in 1987, repeating it in 1991
- Sole Netball New Zealand uniform co-ordinator playing and travel. 1991/2001
- Serving many positions on the Auckland Netball Executive 1963-1993
- Currently President Auckland Netball

I have been invited to outline personal attributes I would bring to the position.

A sound knowledge of the game of Netball and its administration at all levels from Club to High Performance gained from 55 continuous years either as a player, coach, manager and administrator.

My leadership style is inclusive. I enjoy working in a team environment, have a strong sense of responsibility, and am perceived to be a good listener. My communication skills are effective and I have an ability to add humour to situations. I enjoy working and socialising with people of all ages and cultures and in all situations.

For services to Netball; I have been honoured with:

- 2004 Companion of the New Zealand Order of Merit
- 2006 Life Membership of Netball New Zealand
- 2003 Life Membership of Auckland Netball
- 2005 Life Membership of College Rifles Netball Club
- 1992 Netball New Zealand Service award
- 1995 Alwyn Moon Memorial, Sports Personality of the Year
- 1980 Auckland Netball Service Award

It would be a privilege to continue to contribute to our sport as President of Netball New Zealand, and I consider it an honour to be nominated.