



NEW PLYMOUTH
PERFORMING ARTS
COMPETITIONS
SOCIETY INC.

*Affiliated to the
Performing Arts Competitions
Association of New Zealand (Inc)*

72nd
Annual Festival of the Arts

2021

TSB SHOWPLACE, ALEXANDRA ROOM
SPEECH & DRAMA
2-4 July 2021

PRESIDENT'S WELCOME

It is with great pleasure I welcome all competitors, teachers and all supporters to our 2021 festival of performing arts.

This year the New Plymouth Performing Arts Competitions Society again feel very lucky that our 72nd festival is able to proceed in what seems to still be extremely challenging times for all.

I would like to extend a warm welcome to our adjudicator Glenda Pearce who is visiting us from Auckland. Thank you for taking time out of your busy schedule to adjudicate for us, and we hope you enjoy your stay and find time to enjoy what Taranaki has to offer.

Thank you to all our sponsors and supporters of the 2021 festival, your involvement and continued support is key to our success. I would like to acknowledge the dedication of the parents and teachers who assist in the preparation of our young performers.

My sincere thanks go to all our conveners and committee members who have worked tirelessly to bring the 2021 festival to you.

And lastly, to all our young performers, enjoy our festival and I hope you take away many fond memories as you continue to do what you all love.

Rebecca Askin
President



**Dame
Malvina
Major
Foundation**

New Plymouth District

The logo for Creative NZ Communities, featuring a stylized musical note icon to the left of the word "creative" in a bold, lowercase font, with "nz" in a larger, cursive font to the right. Below "creative" is the word "COMMUNITIES" in a smaller, uppercase font.

NEW PLYMOUTH PERFORMING ARTS COMPETITIONS SOCIETY INC.

Patron: Mrs Shirley Murphy QSM
President: Rebecca Askin
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Mrs J Suthon

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T Christiansen
S Forrester
C Grant
L Rangī
B Murray

ADJUDICATOR:

Glenda Pearce, Auckland

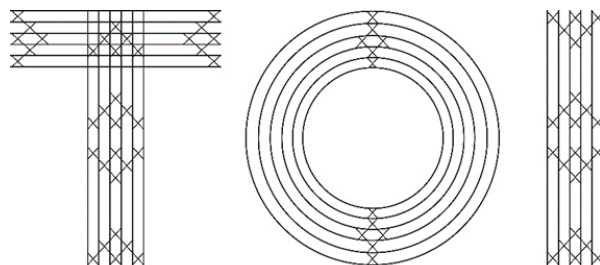
ADMISSION PRICES

Adult Season pass – Door Sales: \$20.00
Adult Session pass: \$ 4.00
Senior Citizen session pass: \$ 3.00
Child session pass: \$ 2.00

COMPETE AT OWN RISK

All competitors participate in these competitions at their own risk.

The New Plymouth Competitions Society accepts no liability for injuries or accidents, or damage to or theft of property.



FOUNDATION

Open – Margi Arthur (Value \$150.00)

Winner \$100.00

Runner-up \$ 50.00

Open Classes 18A, 18B, 18C, 18D & 18E

Chris Buxton Memorial (Value \$40.00)

Winner \$20.00

Runner-up \$20.00

Class 16S

Duncan Murray Painters Scholarship (Value \$30.00)

To the competitor awarded the highest aggregate marks in Classes 18A or 18F

TROPHIES:

Amelia Allen Cup	Winner Class10F - Light verse Under 10 years
Anne Hunter Challenge Cup	Winner Class 18C - Character sketch - Open
Baird Challenge Cup	Highest aggregate marks in Classes 14E and 14F or 16E and 16F
Carla Brown Challenge Cup	Most sincere interpretation of a character from Classes 16C or 18C
Catherine Murphy Challenge Trophy	Winner Class 16C - Character Sketch - Under 16
Coster Challenge Trophy	Winner Class 8A - Poem - Under 8 Years
Dorne Arthur Trophy	Highest aggregate marks over Classes 16A, 16C and 18A, 18C
Duthie Trophy	Highest mark for Improvisation - Classes 10I, 12I or 14I
Firth Industries Challenge Cup	Highest aggregate marks in Classes 18E, 18G and 18N
Gunatunga Trophy	Winner Class 16E - Memorised Prose - Under 16
Healy Challenge Cup	Highest mark in any solo class other than Oratory or Sight Reading
Holyoake cup extract from a play	Winner Class 16M - Play extract (2+ people) Over 14
Janet Coote Cup	Highest aggregate marks in Classes 16A, 16B, 16C, 16D & 16F
Lafferty Challenge Trophy	Winner Class 16K - Scripture reading - Under 16
Lyn Stansfield Cup	Winner Class 14S - Prepared speech Under 14
Michelle Leuthart Cup	Winner Class 16G - Poem by a NZ Author - Under 16 Years

NP Toastmasters Challenge Cup	Winner Class 16S - Prepared Speech over 14 years
Powell Trophy	In recognition of competitive spirit - any age group - not necessarily a winner
Ross Hunter Trophy	Most promising boy - 12 Years & Under 18 Years - Must have entered Poem (A), Prose (E) and Sight Reading (D) in their respective age groups
St Joseph's Choir Challenge Trophy	Winner Class 18K - Scripture Reading - Open
Tasman Dental Laboratory Trophy	Winner Class 18G - Poem NZ Author - Open
Touche Ross Cup	Most promising boy - Must have entered Poem & Light Verse in their respective age groups - Classes 10A and 10F or 12A and 12F
Valentine Challenge Cup	Winner Class 14C - Character Sketch - Under14
Victoria Holyoake Cup	Winner Class 10E - Memorised Prose - Under 10
Wall Challenge Cup	Most sensitive interpretation of a verse work - Adjudicators decision
Wadsworths Book Centre Cup	Winner Class 16L - Lyric Poem - Under 16 Years
Yarrow Family Trophy	Highest mark in a restricted class - Classes
Zoe Holyoake Challenge Cup	Highest Aggregate mark in classes - 10A, 10B,

ALEXANDRA ROOM

FRIDAY 2 JULY 2021 – 6.00PM

CLASS 16K: SCRIPTURE READING - Under 16 yrs

Lafferty Challenge Trophy

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|--------------------|------------------------|
| 1. Hannah Montalla | 3. Anandhi Saravanan |
| 2. Isaac Lamb | 4. Yashitha Murugaiyen |

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 18E: MEMORISED PROSE - Open

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|----------------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Gwynneth Angel Lepasana | 3. Ellesha Taylor |
| 2. Asha Bhakta | 4. Oshini Vanhoff |

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 16F: LIGHT VERSE - Under 16 yrs

1. Yashitha Murugaiyen

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 16B: TEST - Under 16 yrs

1. Yashitha Murugaiyen

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 18D: SIGHT READING OPEN

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|----------------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Gwynneth Angel Lepasana | 3. Asha Bhakta |
| 2. Ellesha Taylor | 4. Oshini Vanhoff |

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 16D: SIGHT READING - Under 16 yrs

1. Yashitha Murugaiyen

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 18F: LIGHT VERSE - Open

1. Ellesha Taylor

2. Oshini Vanhoff

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 16E: MEMORISED PROSE - Under 16 yrs

Gunatunga Trophy

1. Yashitha Murugaiyen

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 16G: POEM NZ AUTHOR - Under 16 yrs

Michelle Leuthard Cup

1. Yashitha Murugaiyen

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

ALEXANDRA ROOM SATURDAY 3 JULY 2021 – 8.30AM

CLASS 12A: POEM - Under 12 yrs

1. Elliott O'Keefe

4. Maheli Medagedara

2. Tom Broadmore

5. Harshania Grewal

3. Rheanna Mack

6. Ruby Cochran

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 10C: CHARACTER SKETCH - Under 10 yrs

1. Venetia Ngeru

5. Anjali Bhaskar

2. Freya Newell

6. Harry Laurenson

3. Milan Bhaskar

7. Sam Cochran

4. Noa Teunissen

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 14A: POEM - Under 14 yrs

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|----------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Marty Small | 5. Jaimee Bloor |
| 2. Oliver Jull | 6. Anandhi Saravanan |
| 3. Georgie Laurenson | 7. Lily Wilson-Page |
| 4. Lucy Forsyth | 8. Zaryab Shah |

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 10E: MEMORISED PROSE - Under 10 yrs

Victoria Holyoake Cup

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|--------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Noa Teunissen | 4. Anjali Bhaskar |
| 2. Freya Newell | 5. Milan Bhaskar |
| 3. Harry Laurenson | |

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 12G: POEM NZ AUTHOR - Under 12 yrs

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|----------------------|-----------------|
| 1. Elliott O'Keefe | 3. Ruby Cochran |
| 2. Maheli Medagedara | |

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

BREAK UNTIL 10.40AM

CLASS 10B: TEST - Under 10 yrs

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|--------------------|------------------|
| 1. Freya Newell | 3. Milan Bhaskar |
| 2. Harry Laurenson | 4. Noa Teunissen |

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 14T: STORY TELLING - Under 14 yrs

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| 1. Lucy Forsyth | 4. Zoufishan Syed |
| 2. Ubed Hameed | 5. Jazib Syed |
| 3. Alisha Hameed | 6. Zunaira Shah |

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 10D: SIGHT READING - Under 10 yrs

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|--------------------|-----------------|
| 1. Harry Laurenson | 4. Freya Newell |
| 2. Milan Bhaskar | 5. Sam Cochran |
| 3. Noa Teunissen | |

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 14G: POEM NZ AUTHOR - Under 14 yrs

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|----------------------|-----------------|
| 1. Anandhi Saravanan | 5. Jaimee Bloor |
| 2. Georgie Laurenson | 6. Lucy Forsyth |
| 3. Oliver Jull | 7. Diya Menon |
| 4. Marty Small | |

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 12I: IMPROVISATION - Under 12 yrs

1. Tom Broadmore

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 14E: MEMORISED PROSE - Under 14 yrs

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|----------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Georgie Laurenson | 5. Anandhi Saravanan |
| 2. Lucy Forsyth | 6. Oliver Jull |
| 3. Jaimee Bloor | 7. Zaryab Shah |
| 4. Marty Small | |

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

BREAK UNTIL 1.40PM

CLASS 10A: POEM - Under 10 yrs

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|--------------------|------------------|
| 1. Harry Laurenson | 5. Milan Bhaskar |
| 2. Venetia Ngeru | 6. Noa Teunissen |
| 3. Freya Newell | 7. Sam Cochran |
| 4. Anjali Bhaskar | |

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 10G: POEM NZ AUTHOR - Under 10 yrs

1. Noa Teunissen

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 14I: IMPROVISATION - Under 14 yrs

1. Georgie Laurenson

3. Lucy Forsyth

2. Anandhi Saravanan

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 12E: MEMORISED PROSE - Under 12 yrs

1. Tom Broadmore

3. Maheli Medagedara

2. Elliott O'Keefe

4. Harshania Grewal

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

BREAK UNTIL 3.10PM

CLASS 14F: LIGHT VERSE - Under 14 yrs

1. Lucy Forsyth

5. Jaimee Bloor

2. Anandhi Saravanan

6. Marty Small

3. Oliver Jull

7. Diya Menon

4. Georgie Laurenson

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 12C: CHARACTER SKETCH - Under 12 yrs

1. Elliott O'Keefe

4. Maheli Medagedara

2. Tom Broadmore

5. Ruby Cochran

3. Rheanna Mack

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 10H: RESTRICTED CLASS POEM - Under 10 yrs

1. Rudra Bhardwaj
2. Zoufishan Syed

3. Alisha Hameed

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 14M: PLAY EXTRACT (2+ PEOPLE) - Under 14 yrs

1. Lucy Forsyth &
2. Zoufishan Syed & Alisha Hameed

3. Maheli Medagedara & Harshania Grewal

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 14H: RESTRICTED CLASS POEM - Under 14 yrs

1. Diya Menon

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 12H: RESTRICTED CLASS POEM - Under 12 yrs

1. Jazib Syed
2. Ubed Hameed

3. Zunaira Shah

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

ALEXANDRA ROOM

SUNDAY 4 JULY, 2021 – 8.00AM

CLASS 14C: CHARACTER SKETCH - Under 14 yrs

Valentine Challenge Cup

1. Georgie Laurenson
2. Oliver Jull
3. Marty Small
4. Jaimee Bloor

5. Lily Wilson-Page
6. Anandhi Saravanan
7. Lucy Forsyth
8. Zaryab Shah

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 12B: TEST - Under 12 yrs

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|--------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Tom Broadmore | 3. Maheli Medagedara |
| 2. Elliott O'Keefe | |

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 8A: POEM - Under 8 yrs

Coster Challenge Trophy

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| 1. Sia Bhardwaj | 2. Jerome Ma |
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1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 12F: LIGHT VERSE - Under 12 yrs

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|--------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Ubed Hameed | 5. Maheli Medagedara |
| 2. Rheanna Mack | 6. Zunaira Shah |
| 3. Elliott O'Keefe | 7. Harshania Grewal |
| 4. Jazib Syed | 8. Ruby Cochran |

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 14B: TEST - Under 14 yrs

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|-----------------|----------------------|
| 1. Jaimee Bloor | 5. Anandhi Saravanan |
| 2. Lucy Forsyth | 6. Georgie Laurenson |
| 3. Marty Small | 7. Zaryab Shah |
| 4. Oliver Jull | |

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

BREAK UNTIL 10.30AM

CLASS 12D: SIGHT READING - Under 12 yrs

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|----------------------|-----------------|
| 1. Elliott O'Keefe | 3. Ruby Cochran |
| 2. Maheli Medagedara | |

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 14D: SIGHT READING - Under 14 yrs

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|---------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Marty Small | 5. Georgie Laurenson |
| 2. Lily Wilson-Page | 6. Oliver Jull |
| 3. Lucy Forsyth | 7. Anandhi Saravanan |
| 4. Jaimee Bloor | 8. Zaryab Shah |

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 18C: CHARACTER SKETCH - Open

Anne Hunter Challenge Cup

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|----------------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Ellesha Taylor | 3. Asha Bhakta |
| 2. Gwynneth Angel Lepasana | 4. Oshini Vanhoff |

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 10F: LIGHT VERSE - Under 10 yrs

Amelia Allen Cup

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|--------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Rudra Bhardwaj | 6. Noa Teunissen |
| 2. Alisha Hameed | 7. Zoufishan Syed |
| 3. Harry Laurenson | 8. Freya Newell |
| 4. Milan Bhaskar | 9. Venetia Ngeru |
| 5. Anjali Bhaskar | 10. Sam Cochran |

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 10I: IMPROVISATION - Under 10 yrs

1. Noa Teunissen

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 8B: POEM IN COSTUME - Under 8 yrs

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| 1. Sia Bhardwaj | 2. Jerome Ma |
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1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

BREAK UNTIL 1.10PM

CLASS 16A: POEM - Under 16 yrs

1. Yashitha Murugaiyen

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 18B: TEST - Open

1. Ellesha Taylor

3. Oshini Vanhoff

2. Asha Bhakta

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 16C: CHARACTER SKETCH - Under 16 yrs

Catherine Murphy Challenge Trophy

1. Yashitha Murugaiyen

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 14J: ORIGINAL POEM - Under 14 yrs

1. Anandhi Saravanan

2. Venetia Ngeru

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 18K: SCRIPTURE READING - Open

St Joseph's Choir Challenge Trophy

1. Oshini Vanhoff

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS NYPA: NATIONAL YOUNG PERFORMER AWARD SPEECH & DRAMA - 14 & under 21 yrs

1. Logan Forsyth

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

BREAK UNTIL 2.45PM

CLASS 18A: POEM - Open

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|----------------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Asha Bhakta | 3. Ellesha Taylor |
| 2. Gwynneth Angel Lepasana | 4. Oshini Vanhoff |

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 18G: POEM NZ AUTHOR - Open

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|-------------------|-------------------|
| 1. Ellesha Taylor | 2. Oshini Vanhoff |
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1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

CLASS 14S: PREPARED SPEECH - Under 14 yrs

Lyn Stansfield Cup

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|----------------------|----------------|
| 1. Lucy Forsyth | 4. Zaid Amjad |
| 2. Siaoosi Uhila | 5. Zaryab Shah |
| 3. Anandhi Saravanan | 6. Diya Menon |

1st _____ 2nd _____ 3rd _____ VHC _____ HC _____ C _____

FINAL AWARDS & PRESENTATIONS