

**ALL MATERIAL PRESENTED TO BOARD BY PERI TE WAO
ON BEHALF OF JENNIFER EDWARDS, RIKI LOVE,
DANA DE MILO AND KAREN TE WAO.**

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**The Black & White Formal Evening Inaugural Ball
Saturday June 4th 2005
Pipitea Marae, Wellington**

Ms Jennifer Edwards, Ms Riki Love, Ms Dana de Milo, Mrs Karen Te Wao

E ngaa iwi, e ngaa reo, e ngaa karangatanga maha o ngaa hau e whaa,
teenei te mihi atu ki a koutou katoa
*All peoples, all voices, all the many relations from the four winds,
I greet you all*

For the past six months, we have were engaged in working together to host a fundraiser event that would not only raise proceeds but also unite our communities for the Trust named after our dear friend Chrissy Witoko.

Thank you to the Trust itself for allowing us to do all this and to those trust members who showed their support to use throughout the duration and their support on the night.

This is the process we have followed.

1. MEETINGS held:

Sat Jan 8th @ Courtenay Place
Sat Jan 15th @ Courtenay Place
Sat Jan 29 @ Strathmore
Wed Feb 2 @ Lyall Bay
Wed Feb 9th @ Courtenay Place
Tues Feb 15th @ Pipitea and Courtenay Place
Sun Feb 27th @ Dixon St
Sun Mar 13th @ Courtenay Place & Pound
Wed Mar 16th @ Courtenay Place
Sun Mar 20th @ Courtenay Place & Pound
Fri Mar 25th @ Lyall Bay
Sun Apr 3rd @ Courtenay Place
Sun Apr 17th @ Strathmore
Mon May 2nd @ Courtenay Place
Mon May 9th @ Pipitea Marae
Sat May 14th @ Courtenay Place
Sun May 22nd @ Courtenay Place & Pound

Sat May 28th @ Courtenay Place
Thurs June 2nd @ Pipitea Marae then Jenny's till 9.30pm
Sat June 4th – Pipitea Marae
Sun June 5th @ Jenny's Place – wind down
Sat June 11th @ Jenny's Place

SPONSORSHIP

We would like to acknowledge these people for their support through koha, offering of services, to lending a helping hand – listed in alphabetical order, we would like to thank:

- **AV Services Ltd** (Peter, Murray and his team for the wonderful staging, lighting, sounds, DJ equip, coordinating, sound checks)
- **AtiawaFM** (free air advertising, promotion)
- **Bar Staff** David, Ricky, Kayla, Irene, Maria (for the excellent bar service)
- **Catering Staff** Jeanette Ranfurly and whanau
- **Citi-operations** (Sponsoring all the cleaning, providing extra security, storage and resource facilities)
- **Graham & Larry** (our Bar Managers)
- **Carmen** (donating her time as Special Guest)
- **Carolyn Collin** (hostess assistant to MC)
- **Cushla King** (Stage decorations and centrepiece)
- **Drugs Health Development Project** (financial sponsor)
- **Elena** (Special Performance sponsor)
- **Eugene Moore, Director of Full Spectrum Ltd** (for his time and presentation)
- **Express Magazine** (for advertising)
- **Frankie Stevens** (Donating his time as MC for the night)
- **Gay Line** (John Mayes for website advertising)
- **GayNZ** (free web advertising)
- **GAP** (website advertising)
- **Guest performance appearances** Chanel, Roberta and Gemma
- **Hiremaster** (catering sponsor)
- **Hon Marian Hobbs** (speech)
- **Jacquie Grant** (air travel sponsor)
- **Kerry Prendergast** (Welcome speech)
- **Laytons Linen Hire Limited (Marlene)** (All tablecloths were donated)
- **Leilani** – (donating her time)
- **Leo Te Kira & Aunty Dovey** (for looking after us)
- **Lesbian Line/Radio** (free air advertising)
- **Mama Tere & Te Aronga Hou Inaianei Kapa Haka Group** (Guest performers)
- **Maori Wardens** (privileged to have 6 wardens looking after us)
- **Miracle New Zealand** (Karen Te Wao - financial sponsor)
- **MoreFM** (free air advertising)
- **Ngati Poneke Maori Association** (Wilma Olsen for this amazing venue)
- **Nobilo Wines** (for the wine range)
- **New Zealand Prostitutes Collective** (Special thank you to Catherine Healy for bringing staff from Auckland to attend this Ball, as well as financial sponsor)
- **NZ Print** (sponsorship towards printing all posters and tickets)
- **Pollyfilla** (donating her time & talent)
- **Quest Hotel** (Jason Epps-Eades accommodation sponsor)

- **Rachael Ball & Moana Parsons** (NZ Police Diversity Liaison Officers presentation)
- **Rena Rankin and whanau** (donating their time at ticket entry)
- **Sha & Flo** (donating her time setting up and chauffeuring)
- **Stagecoach** (bus advertising sponsor)
- **Streetwise** (security)
- **Symon Witoko** (donating his time & talent)
- **Toni Huata** (donating her time & talent)
- **The Pound** (ticket selling/marketing sponsor)
- **Tia James** (who sent a koha all the way from Australia)
- **Tim Barnett** (speech)
- **UP Magazine** (free advertising)
- **Wgtn City Council** (Helen Dawick - website advertising)

VENUE

Pipitea Marae was the host venue for our event. This complex was 'transformed' by the use of 28 gold gel spots which provided the ambience and environment required for such an event. Even the locals who attended expressed their accolades with the work put into creating this 'feel' and for the amazing stage layout and artwork that had them in awe!

4. VIP'S

VIP's attendance on the night was exceptional, these included Nikora, Carmen, Mayor Kerry Prendergast and partner, Hon Marian Hobbs, Tim Barnett and partner, Georgina Beyer, Jacquie Grant, Fuimaono Karl Pulotu-Endemann, Whetu Tirikatene Sullivan and whanau, The Witoko Whanau, and Bernice Mene.

6. SERVICES

We managed to obtain the services of:

Frankie Stevens – MC

Ranfurly Whanau – Catering

AV Services – Sound, lighting, staging

Leilani – DJ

Elena, Toni Huata, Mama Tere, Pollyfilla, Symon Witoko – performers

Maori Wardens – security

Streetwise – security

Nobilo Wines – wine selection deal

Hiremaster – catering sundries

David, Ricky, Kayla, Irene, Maria – bar services

Graham and Larry – bar manager services

Citioperations – all cleaning resources, all cleaning services, all storage

7. ITINERARY ON THE NIGHT – subject to change

Welcome 8pm

Mayor Prendergast

Carmen

Marian Hobbs
Tim Barnett
Eugene Moore
Rachael Ball & Moana Parsons
Dinner 8.30pm
Pollyfilla
Elena
Mama Tere
Symon Witoko
Toni Huata
DJ Music and Dancing 11.15pm
Bar closes 12.45am
Event closes 1am

FROM THE HOSTESSES

WOW! What An Awesome Event!!!! Jennifer Edwards, Riki Love, Dana de Milo and Karen Te Wao would like to thank all our patrons who braved the Wellington weather, dressed up in their finest, and really gave this fundraiser night - memories that will last forever - Thank you one, Thank you All - for your Support, for your Kind Words, For your Smiles and Glamour - we had 'a ball' uniting, celebrating and raising awareness as well as funds for a cause that is 'The Chrissy Witoko Memorial Trust'.

FEEDBACK

Karl

Name: Sheena (Christchurch) **Email Address:** naiomi.sheena@paradise.net.nz
Web site URL: Comments: Kia ora Sisters! E nga iwi o nga hau e wha, Arohanui matou kia tatou katoa! Sheena here on behalf of our whanau who travelled up to Wellington from Ch-Ch and Hokitika. What a grand time we had! It was a time to dress up and be all merry! To laugh and dance the tunes of blasts from the past. A special acknowledgement to Caroline and Chanel for your hospitality over the four days we were there. Hope to return to the next ball soon! Arohanui from Sheena, Jacquie, Selina, Suzy, Phyllis, and Porsha

Name: Aunty Nellie & whanau **Email Address:** I don't have but will get one and let you know so we can get tickets to the next event **Web site URL: Comments:** This ball was the most awesomest event that I have been to in years. Thank you to the beautiful girls who organised this to remember our great friend Chrissy. We are looking forward to the next event. Love you all Aunty Nellie & whanau **how did you hear about this site?** I went to the ball

Fuimaono Karl Pulotu-Endemann
Kia ora Greeting Talofa lava

I wish to congratulate and to thank you and your team for a fabulous evening on Saturday night. I absolutely loved everything from the Maori wardens, the floorshows, the kai (of course!!), the bar and staff and especially meeting old friends from all over the country. The whole evening was simply fabulously glamorous. In particular, I wish to pay a special kai ora/fa'afetai to the

hostesses and hosts. To be welcomed and looked after by such glamorous and friendly people to me tops it all. Kia Ora koutou. Fa'afetai tele lava. You don't know how proud I am of you and Chrissy and all of us proud. I enclose a koha of \$100. Soifua. Fuimaono Karl Pulotu-Endemann.

Email – Helen Dawick. Hi, I hear that the Ball was a wonderful success!! Congratulations!!!! You deserved the success - you both worked so hard for it! Cheers, Helen

Email – Jeff & Kathryn. Just wanted to say THANK YOU for inviting us to the ball, we had such a great time!!! Hope you both weren't too tired the next morning.

Email – Irene Paenga. Kia ora e hoa ma. Kei te pehea korua? Well rested and stress free? Maria and I really enjoyed ourselves except for the sore feet at the end of the night, and received plenty of complimentaries on our service. Just to let you know, if there are any other functions, Maria & I wish to offer our services again. Thank you also, for the taxi fare home, we really appreciated it. Just one downer, I didn't have any time to do any drinking!!! Aroha mai for not coming to the drinks, with my nephew here and the birthday I had to go to, I'm afraid I didn't have the time to attend. Congratulations to the organisers, a very well run and uneventful event.

Email - Express Magazine. How did it go!? :)

TXT msg: OK the ball was TRICK well organised special nite Hodo we get a video and photos Had a fab time didn't even have 2 get sloshed 2 enjoy myself Congratz AROHANUI GEMA

TXT msg: kia ora te whanau tenei he mihi aroha kia koutou tumeke ro atu o koutou mahi nunui ite wa whakata Hari taku ngakau te kitea tatou katoa nga tuahine arohanui Gemma Huriwai

On behalf of the Fundraiser group, thank you to all for their support and assistance throughout the duration. Thank you for the opportunity to celebrate and enjoy our communities. Thank you for the believing in us.

Jennifer Edwards

Riki Love

Dana de Milo

Karen Te Wao

Peri Te Wao

ASSET REGISTER

Glasses

Tea towels

Fire Torches & Fuel

Visitors Book

Banner

Donation Tin

Candle sticks

Cash Box

Name Tags (remainder)

**CHRISSY WITOKO MEMORIAL TRUST
BLACK & WHITE BALL**

**STATEMENT OF POSITION
AS AT 26 JUNE 2005**

This Statement of Financial Position is presented to the Chrissy Witoko memorial Trust meeting held 5 June 2005.

INCOME

Donations	844.00	
Sponsorship	5365.00	
Ticket Sale	16350.00	22559.00

EXPENDITURE

Beverages	4318.00	
Catering	7658.00	
Entertainment	5143.00	
Hire	843.00	
Koha	6383.00	
Promotions	1750.00	26095.00

Deficit		-3536.00
Miracle New Zealand		3536.00
Profit/Loss		0.00

Presented by
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Fundraising Committee