

MEMBERSHIP APPLICATION

I wish to become a member of the Manawatu College Educational Trust Incorporated.

Name _____

Email _____

Postal Address _____

Telephone _____

The category of membership I seek is:

- ☐ Silver Membership: \$200.00
- ☐ Gold Membership: \$300.00
- ☐ Diamond Membership: \$400.00
- ☐ Platinum Membership: \$500.00
- ☐ Financial Life Membership: \$1,000.00
- ☐ Pupil Membership: \$1.00 (Confined to current pupils of Manawatu College)
- ☐ Ordinary Membership: \$10.00
Ordinary membership needs to be renewed annually. All other categories of membership are lifelong, i.e. no annual subscription.

Please pay by Direct Credit to the bank account of:

Manawatu College Educational Trust Incorporated
03-0633-0161373-00, Westpac, Foxton.

Please enter your full name in the reference spaces.

Signed _____

Dated _____

Post this form to:

Manawatu College Educational Trust Incorporated
140 Turitea Road, RD 2, Palmerston North 4472.

Or, scan and email to mancolledtrustinc@outlook.com
or simply email relevant details to the secretary at
mancolledtrustinc@outlook.com

TAX CREDIT

Membership subscriptions and donations to the Trust qualify for a tax credit if you have taxable income. You can claim 33.33 cents for every dollar you donate (this includes membership subscriptions) to the Trust. This is because the Trust is an IRD approved donee organisation.

All subscriptions and donations to the Trust will be receipted to enable members and donees to claim the tax rebate if they have taxable income. The effect of the tax credit is to return to a member or donee one-third of his or her subscription or donation.

DR HOWARD TEPPETT SCHOLARSHIP FUND

The Trust hosts the Dr Howard Teppett Scholarship Fund. This is a special reserve fund to assist students leaving Manawatu College to pursue tertiary education within any field that advances human health and well-being.

Donations may be made to this specific fund in memory of the late Dr Howard Teppett, a much respected long serving Foxton medical practitioner.



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A REGISTERED CHARITABLE TRUST NUMBER CC49990

WHAT IS THE TRUST?

The Trust is a society of members incorporated as a charitable trust under the Charitable Trusts Act 1957. Membership is open to anyone. The purpose of the Trust is to advance the education of pupils of Manawatu College.

The Trust is governed in accordance with its Trust Deed by a Trust Board elected by members each year. The Trust Board is made up of past pupils, staff, student and Board of Trustee representatives.

The Trust has a capital fund. This is a protected fund, held on trust in perpetuity. Save for some limited exceptions, only the net income arising from the capital fund can be applied to carrying out the objects of the society. The capital fund has been established, and is augmented, principally by subscriptions from members.

The Trust distributes income in accordance with its purpose. Priority is given to supporting those activities that benefit groups of students, rather than individuals. The Trust from time to time fund-raises to support key capital projects, and for student scholarships.

ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING

A general meeting of members is held annually. At this meeting members:

- Receive from the Trust Board a report and financial statements for the preceding financial year.
- Elect members of the Trust Board.
- Elect an auditor.
- Approve (or not) the minutes of the previous AGM.
- Consider any other relevant matter.



HOW THE PUPILS HAVE BENEFITED

Since inception in 1985, the Trust has supported the educational aspirations of the pupils of Manawatu College, Foxton, through disbursements from investment revenue and grants received.

Disbursements to the College have exceeded \$138,000 (2025).

Donations contributed to provision of:

- College vehicles
- Sound system (for the hall)
- Sport and Cultural uniforms
- Computer Hardware and software
- Assembly Hall and outdoor seating
- Student Lockers
- Field trip support
- Scholarships for tertiary study
- Drama and dance equipment
- Gym and Outdoor Pursuits equipment
- Music equipment
- Junior Dux annual prize
- Whiteboard tables

Join us today to support the pupils of Manawatu College, Foxton.

Membership is open to anyone, including companies and organisations. A person, or entity, becomes a member by contributing money to the protected capital fund, or gifting property and/or services to the Trust.

Categories of Membership

There are various categories of membership

- Pupil membership: \$1 per annum
- Ordinary Membership: \$10 per annum
- Silver Membership: \$200
- Gold Membership: \$300
- Diamond Membership: \$400
- Platinum Membership: \$500
- Financial Life Membership: \$1,000

Foundation Membership was available until December 1986, and Life Membership (as distinct from Financial Life Membership) may be conferred by election for outstanding service to the Trust.

Membership status may be upgraded at anytime, e.g. from Silver to Gold, by payment of the additional amount required to achieve the desired category of membership. A list of members, bar pupil members, is attached to each Annual Report.

Donations for Student Scholarships & Special Projects

Donations for Student Scholarships and/or Special Projects are welcome at any time. If you wish to discuss a special donation or bequest, please contact the Trust Secretary at mancolledtrustinc@outlook.com or write to:

The Chairperson

Manawatu College Educational Trust Incorporated
140 Turitea Road, RD 2, Palmerston North 4472.