



SURF LIFE SAVING
NEW ZEALAND

Elected Board Candidate Booklet

2019 AGM

Paul Carlyon
Kate Barry-Piceno

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Surf Life Saving Experience

- SLSNZ National Board of Directors 2017 - current
- Qualified as a Surf Lifeguard in 1994 (Otaki SLSC) and in 2019 made a Life Member of Otaki SLSC
- Lifeguarded at Otaki Beach 1994 – present.
- Multiple club roles but most relevantly, Club Captain for eight years and from 2013 to 2017, Otaki SLSC Club Chairman.
- Member of the Western Districts Board of Directors - Lifesaving Director.
- Member of the SLSNZ Young Leaders group, 2003-2005 that delivered two large-scale membership development training events focused on leadership.
- Club, Area and New Zealand Distinguished Service Awards.
- Central Region Life Member (2017).
- National SLSNZ Instructor of the Year 2006.
National SLSNZ Volunteer of the Year 2015.
- Area Lifeguard of the Year 2006 and 2012 and National Finalist for SLSNZ Lifeguard of the Year 2006, 2009 and 2012.
- National Event Guard Squad member and National Advanced Lifeguard School Instructor.
- Delivered 'Peer Support' training as part of the SLSNZ and Surf Lifesaving Northern Region's Membership Protection frameworks.
- Founding Chair for the Capital Coast Local Lifesaving Committee (5 years).
- Chair of the National Lifesaving Committee 2014 – 2017. Established two sub-committees - Medical Advisory Group and Research Advisory Group.
- Member of the SLSNZ delegation to the ILS World Drowning Prevention Conferences (Penang 2015 & Vancouver 2017).
- Member of the ILS Rescue Operations Committee 2015 - 2018.

Professional Experience

- Consultant Clinical Psychologist.
- Masters of Science; Bachelor of Arts (1st Class Honours); Post Graduate Diploma in Clinical Psychology.
- I direct, and have sustained, a profitable and busy clinical practice for more than a decade. I self-manage finances, business development, health and safety and strategic direction in co-operation with my advisors.
- My professional role requires an exceptionally high level of verbal and written communication, analytical ability and integrity. I routinely manage circumstances requiring sensitivity, confidentiality and careful navigation of issues relating to professional relationships and boundaries. I routinely engage in direct, clear and difficult conversations with others and am regarded as expert in relationship management. On occasion, I have assisted with matters of human resource management.

Kate Barry-Piceno

Surf Life Saving Experience

- Qualified surf lifeguard (2014)
- Omanu SLSC – past Board Director of Communications.
- SLSNZ Board member 2016-19

Community Experience

- Legal and strategic advice to Boards of incorporated societies, charitable trusts, sporting organisations and schools on policy, property development, RMA matters, governance, employment, health and safety matters.
- Past Treasurer and board member NZ Resource Management Law Association 2010-2016.
- Past Trustee and Chair of NZ Garden & Art Festival Trust 2000-2010.
- Bay of Plenty/Waikato Law Society Council 2014-2015.
- Parent and PTA support for numerous sporting and school activities and fundraising events.
- Founding Trustee for Tauranga Environment Centre & Advisory Service 2000.

Professional Experience

- Practicing for 25 years as lawyer and Barrister Sole in NZ and previously in California, USA.
- Managing Company Director of KBP Lawyer Ltd since 2008, specializing in environmental and public government litigation, and strategic business advice on property development, environmental compliance matters.
- Primary practice is now in local government, property development and environmental law, but many years of experience in range of company and commercial law matters.
- University of Waikato Law School Tutor 2012-2014.
- As legal representative for various private and publicly listed entities, trusts and commercial companies I provide strategic overview and specific legal advice over a range of legal risks and strategic opportunities. I have to write formal submissions, opinions and reports as part of my work as a lawyer, as well as orally present to a number of different levels of government officials and professionals related to effects of statutory reforms and other matters.
- Involved in mediation and conflict resolution processes regarding range of multi-party and complex legal disputes, including significant community projects.

Memberships

- NZ Institute of Directors.
- New Zealand Planning Institute.
- NZ Bar Association.
- New Zealand Law Society.
- Omanu Surf Life Saving Club