

Life Membership - Judy Howat - 2019

Judy followed Peter her husband into bowls in 1972, but she did come from a big family of bowlers, seven in fact. Now bowling was what Judy is renowned for, but she also was fully involved in the club administration, coaching, green superintendent, selector, secretary, delegate, president and a most important job tea lady.

One does have to say wow but Judy herself would say many people assisted her on the way. However, Judy usually in her "let's do it" attitude has been motivating others to come along with her.

The accolades are loud and long for Judy, but she did work hard on fitness and practice to achieve especially in the eighties and nineties.

Judy has won 84 Club Championships, 37 Centre Titles, 5 National Titles, 3 Bowls Wellington Player of the Year, represented Wellington since 1982 to 2018, Represented New Zealand 1987 to 1998.

Commonwealth Gold medal – 1990

2014 – New Zealand Order of Merit

Sports Legend of Wellington 2013

Bowls New Zealand Hall of Fame 2013

But tonight, Bowls Wellington wishes to acknowledge in our own way for one dynamic little lady a life membership for a fantastic career that is continuing today as Judy still practices and plays whilst continuing to support younger bowlers.

Congratulations Judy.