



The James Cook Hotel Grand Chancellor Wellington

CITATION FOR THE AWARD OF A CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION

The Rotary Foundation is the philanthropic outreach of Rotarians across the world. Recognition as a Paul Harris Fellow is The Rotary Foundation's way of expressing the appreciation of all Rotarians to a person who is making a substantial contribution to the same humanitarian endeavours.

*The **Certificate of Appreciation** represents the rarely awarded corporate equivalent of the Fellowship when awarded to an organisation and its staff.*

The James Cook Hotel Grand Chancellor has established a pre-eminent reputation since 1972 when it became the city's first 5-star hotel in over 40 years. From the start, it has been an outstanding corporate citizen, committed to the on-going development of this city as a vibrant place to visit, and in which to live and work. It supports and contributes to our community in numerous ways.

The Rotary Club of Wellington has been closely associated with the Hotel throughout this whole journey. We are proud that our own Past President Sir Roy McKenzie, an outstanding and beloved Rotarian, was instrumental in creating the Hotel and its ethos, and that its dividends and sale have gone to support the philanthropy of Sir Roy and McKenzie trusts (on which Rotarians serve).

Rotary events held here are successful because of your people. Whether hosting Governor's General, Prime Ministers, Rotary International Presidents, The Rotary Foundation Trustees, those with whom we are celebrating magnificent achievements, are helping to reach their potential or to tell their stories, this Hotel has ensured that all our guests feel that same warm, generous welcome.

Your contribution of venues, items for special events and charity auctions ensures that the Rotary Club of Wellington is better able to assist many organisations and people, both here and abroad, including via The Rotary Foundation. We greatly appreciate the assistance you provide to the Club and its members via the always excellent food, premises and other support. For this and for living your values, we are proud to have you as our principal sponsor.

This Hotel supports the cultural, humanitarian and educational objectives of The Rotary Foundation and demonstrates a commitment to serving others. The Rotary Club of Wellington is pleased to award this Rotary Foundation Certificate of Appreciation to the James Cook Hotel Grand Chancellor.

Mark Wheeler
President, Rotary Club of Wellington

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