

Takapuna Beach Business Association Voting Ballot – 2025 AGM

Please choose up to EIGHT (8) Board members that you wish to represent you.

BOARD MEMBERS		TICK ✓
 Kate CHIVERS	Current Board member, Kate Chivers is a Supervising Partner at Turner Hopkins a progressive and friendly law firm based in the centre of Takapuna. Kate has a property and company law focus and deals on matters related to commercial property, large developments, residential property and related financial transactions. Additionally, Kate worked as in-house legal counsel for a large-scale property syndicator. Kate leads an experienced team that collaborates to benefit its clients. In addition to her professional legal work Kate enjoys working on a pro bono basis for charities and frequently offers her time and expertise to community ventures. She has previously been a member of the North Harbour Business Association Executive Committee. As a member of the TBBA board Kate uses her experience and passion to ensure Takapuna remains the best place in Auckland to live, work and play.	
 Andrew HILL	Andrew is a Chartered Accountant and a partner with BDO based in Takapuna. He leads a small team in advising medium sized businesses in areas as diverse as acquisitions, business valuations, tax planning, trusts and restructuring. As well as advising many medium sized businesses, Andrew is a founding board member of the charity Project Employ Ltd, has been on the TBBA board for 7 yrs, including 3 years as Chair. Andrew is interested in seeing Takapuna progress as the business, retail and residential hub of the North Shore. Outside of work Andrew is an avid cyclist and is working hard on improving his fishing.	
 Barton HOGGARD	Barton is a partner at Simpson Western in the commercial property team. Barton is an expert in property law with considerable experience in the acquisition, development and sale of commercial property. Barton also assists a number of nationwide and local businesses with their commercial leasing arrangements. In addition, Barton has successfully navigated foreign multinationals through New Zealand's overseas investment regime to acquire sensitive land in New Zealand. Outside of work, Barton enjoys following and supporting his four children in their sporting endeavours on football fields, golf courses, netball courts and at rowing regattas. Whenever time allows, he will head to Huapai Golf Course to continue his love/hate relationship with the game of golf.	
 Janet MARSHALL	Janet has been on the TBBA Board for 6 years and has been a business mentor to a number of our TBBA businesses. As a Director at Colliers North Shore (a long time Gold Sponsor of TBBA) Janet has assisted businesses on the North Shore for over 20 years and uses her extensive network to do whatever she can to assist. She is well-known for her energy, integrity and getting things done approach. Janet is a Mentor for Business Mentors NZ, was awarded the Women in Property Award in 2019 from the NZ Property Council for "her tireless work ethic and enormous contribution to her local community". Janet is fully committed and strong advocate of "Takapuna is the place to be", and always available to meet with any of our members.	
 Simon O'CONNOR	Simon is Sentinel Planning's owner and Managing Director, an accomplished town planner with over 20 years of experience. He grew up on the North Shore and is led by a great passion for Takapuna's development and growth. Simon has extensive working knowledge of the Auckland Council and is committed to utilising his experience to deliver the best solutions, which will help ensure Takapuna becomes Auckland's premier destination to dine, work, shop, live and play. Simon is also a member of the North Harbour Club. He created and led the pro bono consultant team that enabled the very popular Takapuna Playground, a community-led and paid-for project. He is also heavily involved with other groups, such as the Pet Refuge Charity. Simon has been on the board for three terms, having also previously been on the Milford board before relocating his business back to Takapuna. He enjoys being in a position to support and give back to Takapuna.	



Nicky PARTRIDGE

Nicky is a US-born, Aussie-raised, Kiwi girl, who has proudly called New Zealand home since 2009. She has an extensive hospitality background in hotels and restaurants, including operations, consulting, training and education. Nicky also led a fitness training organisation, gaining valuable insights into nutrition and fitness. She opened Street Organics café in 2017, combining her passions for hospitality, healthy living and building businesses and has a great team. Nicky has been on the TBBA board since 2021 and is excited to continue helping the Takapuna business community thrive.



Glenn READ

Glenn Read is a Chartered Accountant (CA), Accredited Investment Fiduciary (AIF), and principal adviser and company director at Quartz Wealth, a boutique multi-family office advisory business based in Takapuna. A long-time North Shore resident, Glenn is passionate about Takapuna's unique blend of business, lifestyle, and community. He brings over 30 years of experience in financial services and is committed to supporting local businesses and helping Takapuna thrive as a destination to work, dine, shop, and play. Glenn joined the TBBA board in January 2024 and currently serves as Treasurer.



Andy THOMPSON

Andy has been on the TBBA Board since 2018 and has been heavily involved as a gold sponsor supporter of the association and the Shop & Win promotion. Andy is passionate about supporting community and business initiatives to bring more people into the area and create opportunity for businesses and community to prosper. He has worked in Takapuna for over 20 plus years and is excited about its future, for the businesses and community in the area. Andy brings expertise in marketing, experiences and service businesses and has also previously served on the Devonport Business Association.



Steve SHUTE

Steve is the owner and director of The Elephant, Rosies Red Hot Cantina, and Regatta Bar & Eatery on Takapuna's waterfront. He is a hospitality professional who is passionate about serving and service. Steve has 25+ years experience in this industry and enjoys passing his knowledge and experience to the team he is charged to lead and develop. Steve has been on the TBBA board for over 8 years and loves helping Takapuna grow and business improve.



Clayton TIKAO

Clayton Tikao is the co-owner of O Studio Takapuna, a leading wellness studio offering float cabins, ice bath and sauna, compression and massage therapies designed to help people feel and perform at their best. Alongside his work at O Studio, Clayton is an experienced film location manager, bringing creative problem-solving, logistical expertise and strong local relationships with key stakeholders in our community. Clayton is passionate about promoting vibrancy, collaboration and wellbeing in the area. He is also keen to see more events in Takapuna.