
TAKE A PIECE OF NO.8

FASNZ AGM & CONFERENCE
APRIL 9-11 2022
HAMILTON, WAIKATO



WELCOME TO THE WAIKATO

Waikato and Thames Valley Areas warmly welcome you to the 2022 FASNZ Conference to be held in the heart of the Waikato, Hamilton. Southwell School, where all the events will take place, is set in beautiful grounds and only a short distance from the central city.

Southwell School is an ideal venue to show off your designing skills with the National Designer of the Year and other competitions, plus Area designs on pillars along the walkway.

Hamilton was recently awarded the best large city in New Zealand and rightfully so, it has a vibrant heart and the beautiful Waikato River running through the centre with many river walks, stunning parks and of course the award-winning and world-renowned Hamilton Gardens, a must see while you are here. See more about guided Garden tours later in the brochure.

There are many more attractions in our two Areas such as Hobbiton, Waitomo Caves and the famous cows in the streets of Morrinsville to name a few. Why not bring your husbands or partners and stay on awhile? There is plenty to keep them occupied as well, such as fishing in Raglan or the Thames Coast and golf on one of the many courses nearby. We hope you will join fellow members in the Mighty Waikato for fellowship, fun and inspiration.

We will try to make your stay one to remember.

Dorothy Turner and Pauline Luxton
Co-Convenors

PRESIDENT'S WELCOME

It is with pleasure that I extend an invitation to all members to attend the Society's 2022 Conference 'Take A Piece of No. 8' at Southwell School, Hamilton, on the banks of the Mighty Waikato River.

The Conference Committee, headed by Co-Convenors Dorothy Turner and Pauline Luxton, has worked very hard despite a late start and a period of lockdown, to provide an inspirational, stimulating and inclusive programme. Events to look forward to include the 2022 Designer of the Year competition, 8 classes of general competitions, 1 exhibition only class, a variety of 8 different workshops, 4 Round-Robin Trends & Techniques demonstration stations, plus other special events. Something for everyone!

We will have the full facilities of Southwell School for our exclusive use and the programme has been carefully planned so that all events can be held at the school, including lunch and other refreshments as needed during the day. There will be some free time late afternoon each day for shopping, walking and having a bite to eat before heading back to the School for the evening's entertainment.

If we've learned one thing from the past months about the Covid pandemic, it's that we can't accurately predict the future, but we can prepare for it and take actions both personally and as a Society, to best manage it. We must stay positive in the belief that in April 2022 we will all be together once more, doing what we love most - learning, being creative with flowers and having fun with our friends.

Until then, stay safe.

Marianne Gibson
FASNZ President

VIRTUAL DEMONSTRATION

'Abundant Inspiration'

Saturday 9 April 2022

3.00pm - 4.30pm

Auditorium



Special Virtual Guest from Australia:

MARK PAMPLING

Mark Pampling is an International Floral Designer and Educator who has long been attracted to crisp lines and exacting craftsmanship – qualities that can often be found in his work.

He has been Australia's Floristry Champion on multiple occasions and has represented his country at World Cups and the Asia Cup. Mark is the current World Flower Art Champion after contesting the title in Beijing, 2019.





MARK PAMPLING

Flowers and floral design have taken Mark all around Australia and the world. He is a Master Florist, floristry judge, teacher, exhibitor, demonstrator, businessman and industry consultant. He is a Senior Instructor at 'Cohim Flower School Beijing' and he became a Floral Fundamental Ambassador in The Netherlands in 2017.

In pre-pandemic times, he also designed with flowers in Pakistan, Singapore, New Zealand, Canada, Germany, Japan, Korea, Spain, Belgium, Scotland, Northern Ireland and England.

Mark is also a frequent contributor to international floral design publications, most regularly to the pages of Fusion Flowers Magazine. He is also co-owner of Alstonville Florist in the lush hills of northern New South Wales, Australia. Mark believes that inspiration is abundant and everywhere, using each new project to explore potential new sources.

More information and examples of Mark's designs can be found at:

www.markpampling.com
Instagram - [@markpampling](https://www.instagram.com/markpampling)

Competition Designs

Saturday 9 April 2022

Performing Arts Centre, The Great Hall

7.00am - 7.30am - Pre-prepared designs to be staged (Show personnel only)

7.30am - 8.00am - Pack in and briefing

8.00am - 11.30am - Competitions

11.30am - 11.45am - Pack up and leave The Great Hall

Here is a wonderful opportunity to compete and have your work exhibited for a public exhibition on Sunday. For the classes and titles please refer to the Show Schedule, also available on the FASNZ website.

Area Designs

Saturday 9 April 2022

Under Veranda Pillars

1.00pm - 2.45pm - Staging

All FASNZ Areas will be individually notified early 2022 of their titles, designing position, measurements and any other requirements. Only three designers per Area design. Designs may be brought pre-done or completed at the venue.

As the DOY and general competitors will be in the Performing Arts Centre foyer and The Great Hall, please adhere strictly to the staging time, and be mindful of judging taking place from 1.00pm.

Opening, Diary Awards, Presentations & Prize-Giving

Saturday 9 April 2022

6.30pm - 9.30pm

(Doors will open at 6.15pm)

Performing Arts Centre, Auditorium

The Official Opening, Diary Awards, Presentations and DOY Prize-giving will be held in the auditorium at Southwell School, concluding with the opportunity to view the competition designs up close, and a chance to congratulate fellow members. No refreshments provided.





Academy of Floral Design Academy AGM & High Tea

Sunday 10 April 2022

4.00pm - 5.30pm

Southwell School - Dining Room

Details will be sent to Academy members direct.

'Innovate 2022'

Sunday 10 April 2022

7.00pm - 9.00pm

Performing Arts Centre, Auditorium

Six floral designers present Innovate 2022. Join them as they capture present influences in floral design and share their concepts for today and beyond.

Focus On Education

Monday 11 April 2022

11.00am - 12.30pm

Performing Arts Centre, Auditorium

Education is the key that unlocks many doors on your Floral Art journey therefore keeping up to date with Education topics is very important. Focus on Education will be an **informative presentation** that will give you:

- **Insight into the important changes and additions in the 2021 Flair.**
 - **The answers to Education questions submitted by members. (You will then go in the draw to win one free copy of the 2021 Flair.)**
- Send your questions to the Education Unit Secretary on or before 15th January 2022.**
- **A better understanding of selected topics that are often asked about during the year.**

This will be an EDUCATIONAL opportunity not to be missed. See you there.

FASNZ Education Committee

Gala Dinner & Dance

Monday 11 April 2022

6.30pm - 11.00pm

Performing Arts Centre, The Great Hall

Power Of The Flower

Flowers are our passion
May they never go out of fashion
Make it your mission
And have a vision
To create a wearable decoration
And Celebrate the Power of the Flower

WORKSHOPS Sunday 10 April 2022

9.30am - 12.00pm

The Sergel Centre

Workshop No. 1

'Cortex Creativity Imposed'

Francine Thomas

An imposed workshop using imagined integrations of familiar patterns, forms and textures to create a unique design using the Fundamentals of Design. You will receive a box of interesting mechanics and plant materials to inspire.

Workshop No. 2

'Tatami, Texture And Twine'

Fay Edgecombe

Using the Tatami technique, a contemporary design will be created with emphasis on contrasting textures and an accent of colour. There will be a charge for some components which will be supplied.

Workshop No. 3

'Flower Tower'

Peggy Hayson

A contemporary 'tower' design will be created from wire netting, and 'T' wiring will be explored using bullion wire and small sticks.

Workshop No. 4

'Trending 2022'

Gayleen Lee

The concept of Laser cut-outs onto a leaf, worked into a design. Careful use of a scalpel is required.

Workshop No. 5

'Read it, Roll it'

Lynne Causer

A contemporary design, using a supplied component, that you will be able to form into a shape and incorporate into your design giving visual impact. Can be easily dismantled for travel. Small charge for the component.

Workshop Nos. 6 - 8

The Hub - various rooms, will be signposted

'Creative Connections'

9.30am - 11.00am

Take a claddy or two or more. Add a wire or wool or whimsy, as you design in twos or fours or more.

Playground Installation

11.00am - 12.30pm

(subject to weather)





DAILY ITINERARY

Southwell School, 200 Peachgrove Road, Claudelands, Hamilton

Performing Arts Centre - The Great Hall, Foyer and Auditorium

Friday 8th April

DOY Competition - Set Up

3.30pm - 10.00pm - Foyer

DOY Competitors - Drop Off

5.00pm - 6.30pm - Foyer

Saturday 9th April.

DOY Pack In & Briefing - Foyer 7.30am - 8.00am

DOY Competition - Foyer 8.00am - 12.00pm

DOY Judging - Foyer 1.00pm - 5.00pm

Competition Designs - The Great Hall

Pre-prepared designs to be staged (Show personnel only)

7.00am - 7.30am

Pack In & Briefing - competitors 8.00am - 8.30am

Competition & Exhibition classes - Competition

8.30am - 11.30am

Pack Up & Leave - The Great Hall 11.30am - 11.45am

Competition Designs Judging - The Great Hall

1.00pm - 3.00pm

Morning Free Time (Non competitors)

The committee suggest and recommend you use this free morning to visit Hamilton Gardens, only 15 minutes from Southwell School. Please do not arrive before 11.30am for registration out of respect for the competitors in the Performing Arts Centre.

Registration - Sergel Centre 11.30am - 2.30pm

Trading - Sergel Centre 9.30am - 2.30pm

Pack In - 8.00am - 9.30am

Area Designs Staging - Under Veranda Pillars

12.00pm - 2.00pm

LUNCH Interval - Dining Room and Garden (2 sittings)

12.00pm - 2.30pm

Virtual Demonstration 'Abundant Inspiration'

3.00pm - 4.30pm - Auditorium

FREE TIME - Registrants check into accommodation

4.30pm - 6.15pm

Dinner own arrangement.

FASNZ Inc. AGM & Conference 2022

Official Opening - Auditorium

6.30pm - 9.30pm

Diary Awards, Presentations, & DOY Prize-giving

Sunday 10th April

Exhibition - open to competitors for watering

9.00am - 10.00am

Judges will be available for comment

Exhibition - open to members and public

10.00am - 4.00pm

Trading - Sergel Centre 9.00am - 2.00pm

Workshops - will be signposted

Workshops 1 - 5 - Sergel Centre 9.30am - 12.00pm

Workshops 6 - 8 - The Hub 9.30am - 12.30pm

LUNCH Interval - Dining Room and Garden (2 sittings)

12.00pm - 2.00pm

Trends & Techniques - Round Robin Stations

2.00pm - 4.00pm

The Hub - various rooms, will be signposted

Academy of Floral Design - AGM & High Tea

4.00pm - 5.30pm - Dining Room

FREE TIME - Dinner own arrangement

4.00pm - 6.45pm

'Innovate 2022'

7.00pm - 9.00pm - Auditorium

Guests to be seated in the theatre by **6.45pm SHARP**

Monday 11th April

Delegates' Registration - Foyer 8.30am - 9.00am

AGM - Auditorium 9.00am - 10.30am

Morning tea will be served - Foyer 10.30am - 11.00am

Focus On Education - Auditorium 11.00am - 12.30pm

LUNCH Interval - Dining Room 12.30pm - 2.00pm

PACK-OUT for all designs & trading 1.00pm - 2.30pm

Area Representatives / Management Board

Meeting Open Forum Follow Up

2.30pm - 3.30pm - Auditorium

FREE TIME 3.30pm - 6.00pm

Celebration Dinner - Foyer & The Great Hall

6.30pm - 11.00pm

'The Power of the Flower'





TRENDS & TECHNIQUES

Round Robin

'It's in the Detail'

Sunday 10 April 2022

2.00pm - 4.00pm

The Hub - various rooms, will be signposted.

Following on from the popularity of the 2021 T&T Round Robins, be prepared to be inspired by another four innovative FASNZ Teachers who will show you on-trend techniques and how to achieve them. This is an opportunity to update your skills. No cutters required, but do bring a note pad and pen.

ACCOMMODATION

Many hotels and motels in Hamilton are currently used as MIQ or Emergency Housing and therefore, unfortunately there is limited accommodation in close proximity to Southwell School. You are advised to check when booking. The accommodation below is recommended at time of printing.

- **Novotel Tainui Hotel** - 7 Alma Street, Central City.
10% discount for FASNZ members if booked before 9th March.
Non-refundable, non-cancellation and non-changeable.
Pre-paid reservations will be held in credit if Conference is postponed.
<https://accorevents.com/offers/take-a-piece-of-no8>
- **Albert Court Motor Lodge** - 29 Albert Street, Hamilton.
(3 kms to School. 8 guest rooms)
- **Quantum Motor Lodge** - Karewa Place, Pukete, Hamilton. (8 kms to School)
- **BK Settlers Motor Lodge** - 200 Ulster Street, Whitiara, Hamilton.
(3 kms to School)
- **Stadium Motel Hamilton** - 37 Willoughby Street, Whitiara, Hamilton.
(3 kms to School)
- **Argent Motor Lodge** - 27 Lorne Street, Melville. Hamilton. (5 kms to School)

For more accommodation options refer to:
<https://www.waikatonz.com/accommodation>

HAMILTON GARDENS NEW ZEALAND

The Gardens take you on a journey through a gallery of local and international species, with beautifully manicured examples of traditional themed gardens from Japan, Italy, China, and many more that each tell their own unique story.

We have arranged 2 options for 90 minute discounted, guided group tours, usually \$20pp reduced to \$12pp for FASNZ members, paid on the day to the Gardens. Highly Recommended. Or for a voluntary donation you may walk through the Gardens at your own pace anytime during opening hours.

Friday 9th April at 2.30pm OR Tuesday 12th at 10.30am.

The guided tours will depend on numbers so if you would like to take this opportunity please phone or email Pauline Silvertown by 19th March 2022 with your preference of days.

Phone - 07 849 3090

Email - pazz.silvertown@gmail.com

<https://hamiltongardens.co.nz>

CONFERENCE COSTS

Online Registration: \$89

Events:

Virtual Demonstration \$36

Official Opening, Awards, Presentations and Prizegiving \$15.50

Trends and Techniques \$21

Innovate 2022 \$32

Focus on Education \$22

Workshops:

Imposé \$52

Installation \$46

Contemporary \$42

Gala Dinner \$103

Prices are inclusive of GST

**Online Registration will open
24th January 2022.**

Cancellation Policy

Refunds will only be considered under extreme circumstances.

The registration fee is non-refundable.

If the FASNZ Conference & AGM 2022 is cancelled due to unforeseen circumstances a refund will be issued. 25% of the registration fee will be retained for administration costs.

Photography Restrictions

Photographs may not be taken at the FASNZ DOY and Exhibition without the prior permission of FASNZ Inc. and the designer whose work will be photographed.

Any photographs taken must be used for personal use and not for any commercial or social media purposes.

It is prohibited to take photographs with ANY form of electronic device including i-pads, tablets, phones and cameras, DURING or AFTER any events held in the Auditorium, unless prior approval has been given by the event organisers.

FASNZ Inc. reserves the right to publish any photographs of any events and/or designs taken at the FASNZ Conference 2022.

