

WAIMARINO-WAIOURU COMMUNITY BOARD
Te Poari-ā-Hapori o Waimarino-Waiouru

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FROM THE MEETING OF WAIMARINO-WAIOURU COMMUNITY BOARD
ON THURSDAY 30 NOVEMBER 2023

Item

15 Waimarino-Waiouru Citizens' Award Nominations 2023

General subject of each matter to be considered	Reason for passing this resolution in relation to each matter	Ground(s) under section 48(1) for the passing of this resolution
Waimarino-Waiouru Citizens' Award Nominations 2023	s7(2)(a) To protect the privacy of natural persons, including that of deceased natural persons, until such time as the outcome of the awards is made public.	s48(1)(a) the public conduct of the relevant part of the proceedings of the meeting would be likely to result in the disclosure of information for which good reason for withholding would exist under section 7

The redacted report has been released into the Public Business through a resolution of the Community Board. The results of the decision were made public at the Council Meeting 15 December 2023 where the Citizens' Award was presented.

Report to: Waimarino-Waiouru Community Board

Meeting Date: 30 November 2023

Subject: Waimarino-Waiouru Citizens' Award Nominations 2023

Report for: Decision

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MAYORAL ASSISTANT

Endorsed By: Clive Manley

CHIEF EXECUTIVE



Reason for Excluding the Public

s7(2)(a) To protect the privacy of natural persons, including that of deceased natural person, until such time as the outcome of the awards is made public.

Purpose of Report | Te take mō te pūrongo

- The purpose of this report is to present Members with the nominations received for the 2023 Waimarino-Waiouru Citizens' Award and seek their decision for the 2023 recipient to be acknowledged at the final Council meeting of the year.

Recommendation(s) | Ngā tūhunga

That the Waimarino-Waiouru Community Board:

- Receives the Confidential Report **Waimarino-Waiouru Citizens' Award Nominations 2023**;
- Approves that either **Joseph Callaghan** OR ██████████ be awarded the 2023 Waimarino-Waiouru Citizens' Award at the Council meeting 15 December 2023, in National Park;
- Does Not** record this resolution in the Public Business Minutes of this meeting; and
- Does Not** release a redacted version of this report as publicly available information until the Awards have been made at the Council Meeting 15 December 2023 and publicly announced by Council.

Well-Being Outcomes

In accordance with Section 10 of the Local Government Act 2002 (LGA): the purpose of Local Government is to promote the social, economic, environmental, and cultural well-being of communities in the present and for the future. Refer: [Pūwhenua ki Ruapehu Portal](#)

	Contributes	Detracts	No Impact
2.1 Social: Safe, healthy communities	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2.2 Economic: Thriving economy	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2.3 Environmental: Sustaining beautiful environments	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2.4 Cultural: Vibrant and diverse living	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

Significance and Engagement | Takenga mai

- 3 **Significance**
This report does not trigger the Significance and Engagement Policy.

Background | Tuhinga

- 4 Organisations and individuals of the Waimarino-Waiouru community were invited to nominate citizens who have made an outstanding contribution to the general wellbeing of the Waimarino-Waiouru community. The Community Board has agreed to recognise one citizen each year.
- 4.1 Advertising was undertaken in the Ruapehu Bulletin, on Council's website, Facebook page and on local radio station community notices.
- 4.2 Nominations for the 2023 Award opened on 1 September and closed on Friday 3 November 2023.

Discussion | He Kōrerorero

- 5 **NOMINATIONS.**
- 5.1 Two nominations for the 2023 Award were received by the closing date and are attached for Members' consideration.

Nominee	Nominated by
Joseph Callaghan	[REDACTED]
[REDACTED]	[REDACTED]

Next Actions | Ngā mahinga e whai ake nei

- 6 The recipient will be invited to the 15 December Council Meeting at National Park to formally receive the award and join Elected Members for luncheon.

Attachment(s) | Ngā āpitihanga

- 1 [Nomination Form: Joseph Callaghan](#)
- 2 [REDACTED]

Combined Training with Team KO: Mount Maunganui



February 2019



September 2020



May 2021



April 2022

Not only does Joe maintain a work life/home life balance, but he adds to the mix managing the Waiouru Taekwondo Club. Over the last 5 years he has managed to maintain his own training and goals (achieving Black Belt 2021) but also support and train so many of our children in the community. Joe's commitment to the club and its members shows in their achievements. Here are a few photos over the years from numerous activities Joe has organised and attended with the Waiouru Taekwondo kids.

Waiouru Taekwondo Club Gradings



December 2021



September 2022



September 2022

Joe prepares the children for grading by teaching them their set patterns required for their level. He organises for the Master (Master Kesi O'Neil) to come through from Tauranga and grade the children. He will organise gradings so that all the childrens family can come and watch their babies grade.

Waiouru Taekwondo Club Gradings



September 2023

This year whānau from Taihape came across to join Waiouru Taekwondo. They were keen to take part in the TUNZ Championship Tournament in Wellington along with a couple of children from Waiouru. Joe has been on his Warrant Officers Promotional Course over the last 3 months. During this time he organised for the blue belt members of Waiouru Taekwondo to continue training the white belts. He organised a zoom grading with Master Kesi. This was all in aid of getting the kids to the Wellington Tournament. They all passed with flying colours.

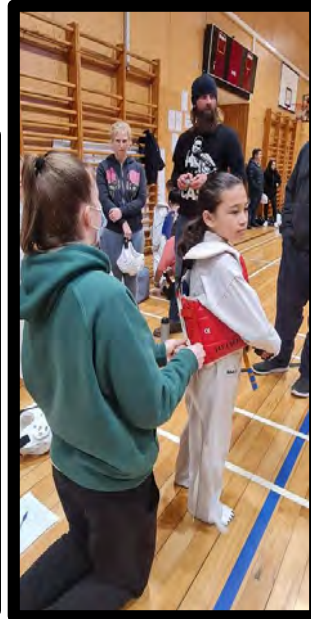
Taekwondo Tournaments: NZUWA Bay Open Tournaments



June 2021



December 2021



June 2022



February 2023



April 2023

Training and grading are all part of being in Waiouru Taekwondo but the best part is travelling around Aotearoa representing our community. Over the years Joe has organised getting children keen to compete to different tournaments around the country. From Tauranga to Auckland all the way down to Wellington. Joe administrates the competitors for the tournament as well as providing transport for those who need it. Usually Joe will do one day trips to save on costs but as he runs the club on the smell of an oily rag, 9 times out of 10 Joe will cover costs where he needs to from his own pocket if that's what's needed. Joe will always go over and above to ensure every child has the opportunity to participate.

Taekwondo National Tournaments



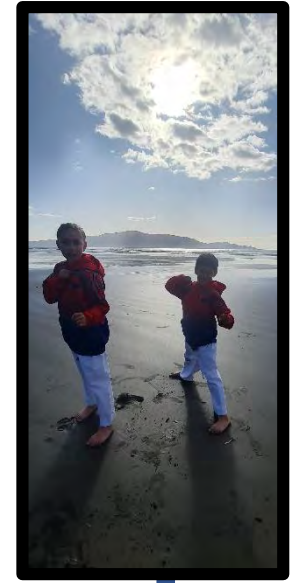
August 2022
NZ TKD National Championships
Auckland



April 2023
Budp South Tournament
Tauranga

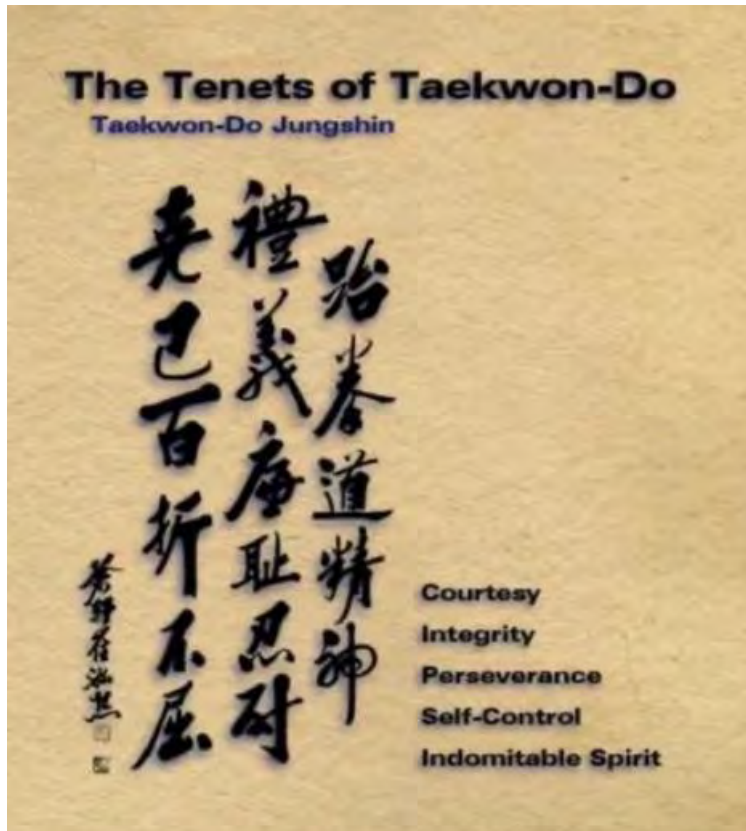


October 2023
TUNZ Championships
Wellington



October 2023
TUNZ Championships
Wellington

Waiouru Taekwondo Club



The life lessons Joe teaches the Waiouru Taekwondo Club not only through training but through teaching the students about the Taekwondo Tenets are priceless. Learning what they mean and how to incorporate them into life are valuable lessons for our kids. This is just an overview of the amount of things Joe and his Taekwondo Club brings to not only our kids but to our community and our region as news spreads and whanau from as far as Ohakune and Taihape bring their children to join the Waiouru Taekwondo Club.