

Recipe for the perfect Playcentre Life Member

Ingredients:

Heaps of dedication

Abundance of support for our centre

Buckets of role-modelling

A splash of inspirational leadership

Tonnes of time

Countless years of duties

First choice in child's education

Passion for Playcentre

- ✿ First take someone who has supported your Centre and dedicated their own extra time towards Playcentre.
- ✿ Then add true dedication through also representing your Centre in the wider organisation.
- ✿ Next sprinkle in the fact that Playcentre has been their whānau's primary choice in early childhood education.
- ✿ Now sift in the buckets of awesome role-modelling the person has done for adults and children alike.
- ✿ Finally pour in all the things that person has done above and beyond the call of duty.

Now mix it all together and pour into a mould. Bake at all seasons temperatures and after 2 – 3 – 4 or more years our perfect Life Member is formed.



Procedure for nominating a Centre Life Member

Making someone a Life Member of your Centre is a special way to celebrate and honour someone who has made an extraordinary contribution to Playcentre. See attached 'Recipe for the perfect Playcentre Life Member' for more information.

1. Discuss the nomination prior to your AGM. If the member is still attending Playcentre, this may need to happen outside of a meeting. **The nominee should not be present during these discussions.**
2. The nomination must be agreed to by consensus before proceeding.
3. Approach the nominee about the matter and ask if they would like to become a Life Member.
4. Invite the Nominees whānau, friends, or past members along.
5. Add to AGM Agenda.
6. Ensure your LFO/Chair person is aware of the addition to Agenda.
7. Plan a gift, card, and presentation to celebrate and honour the occasion. It may be appropriate to ask past/present members to speak.
8. The Nominee is formally presented as a Life Member at your Centre AGM.