

Presidents Report for the Year Ending December 2020

As NZMPTA President, I have the pleasure of reporting the year's activities and tasks undertaken on your behalf by your elected committee.

Welcome to our life members and also to our members for their ongoing support and input.

I would like to take the opportunity to thank the Council Committee Members past and present for their efforts over the past year and over the years that I have been involved on the MPTA Council. Thank you to our Executive Officer, Maria, who delivers a massive contribution to the day to day running of the Association and the success of the Plumbers Act Review, ISO Testing project and the apprenticeship qualification.

This AGM marks our 89th year, we have been established since 1932. This is testament to the importance and relevance to our industry that we play.

2020 closed with training numbers well down, we had 139 participants bringing in income of \$139K. this figure is significantly lower than last year of \$239K. However, we remain in a sound financial position.

Last year, our new ISO Machine Testing course brought in the majority income being \$68,660.00 from 23 participants.

We have 190 current Registered Milking Machine Testers, plus 28 with provisional licenses pending registration.

The Royalties figure from TTC was \$15,607.00, this is well down on the prior year of \$71,436.54,

MPTA Member's Equity has grown from \$254k for 2019 to \$279k at end of 2020.

Membership numbers are 171 plus 19 subsidiary branch members – this has remained stable over the past couple of years.

The introduction of ISO format Machine Testing is tracking very strongly and to date over 80 existing machine testers have registered for the online ISO re-training.

We continue to iron out a few bumps in the methodology as we go. However, in all, the work put in by Council has gone well. Thanks to Craig, Maria and Murray Pedley for their efforts on this substantial project and also a mention to Darren Main for helping out at the OEM level.

The apprenticeship now has over 60 learners registered, some of which have already completed the qualification - with more due to complete in the coming year.

Thank you to our existing MPTA Council Members for the support and time that you volunteer at your own cost, and to the OEMs and Members who have contributed & helped over the past year.

Thank you also to our Members for their ongoing support, on behalf of the Council, we wish you a successful 2021.



Gary Reilly
MPTA President

30th March 2021