

NZLA Conference 2019 Christchurch



Keynote Speakers

- Steven Layne
- Dr Viv Aitken
- Dr Murray Gadd
- Mary Chamberlain
- Marcus Akuhata-Brown
- Dame Wendy Pye



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TTLA Mission

The purpose of the TTLA is

- To encourage literacy learning.
- To encourage literacy education research.
- To provide literacy opportunities across the Tai Tokerau region.
- To be an independent voice in bringing opportunities to the north.
- To provide and promote meetings and conferences on literacy.
- To partner with organisations to bring opportunities to the north.
- To commit to charitable & community support in the area of literacy.

Who are the NZLA?

The NZLA work through 12 regional councils to encourage a regional and national voice of literacy opportunities.
The NZLA support the councils through different opportunities like scholarships, support, funding and guidance.
The NZLA produce a journal – **Literacy Forum NZ**.

www.nzla.org.nz

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Committee

Glenice Andrews, Mary Leydon, Rachael Robertson, Kay Milicich, Danny Clarkson, Annmaree McGregor, Catriona Pene, Jane Bowker, Scotty Delemare, Kath Edwards, Kath Corby, Sarah Graham, Sheryn Comrie, Sally Chatfield & Alison Ayr



Information Booklet 2019

*Supporting educators and our
community to improve literacy
awareness and practice*

***Naku te rourou
nau te rourou ka
ora ai te iwi***

**With your basket
and my basket
the people will live**

Tai Tokerau Literacy
Association is a
member of the NZ
Literacy Association





Our Committee

Our Committee is made up of volunteers who are passionate people about the value of literacy and providing a range of opportunities to the Tai Tokerau Region. **BUT WE NEED YOU!** There are no qualifications, just a desire to help! The bigger the team, the easier the load.

Would you consider joining our committee?

We meet twice a term for 90 minutes. Our team members opt in and out of which events they would like to help with. Come along, join us, have a look at what we do. Help us to develop the meaning of our Whakataukī!

The events and opportunities our team have organised have given Tai Tokerau a wide range of literacy events that support both educators and our community around us.

Joining the TTLA

Member Benefits School and Individual members

- You are able to attend seminars and workshops at member rates. We subsidise events significantly to make these events affordable
- Receive free copies of Literacy Forum NZ – a peer reviewed journal, 3 issues annually
- Receive TTLA newsletters
- Have opportunities to hear literacy experts at seminars and workshops
- Individuals can apply for sponsorship and awards for conference attendance and research awards
- Able to join the ILA – International Literacy Association, to receive their publications
- Connect with other educators passionate about literacy
- Open to partnering with schools and other organisations to bring people or groups to the North to increase awareness and understanding in literacy
- An organisation helping communities, teachers and students promote literacy across Northland



2018 Calendar

Dates	Events
Wed 20th March	Talk About It – Great books for the Classroom for 2019 – Jeannie Skinner 4pm–5pm Kamo Primary Staffroom
Wed 20th March	TTLA AGM 5pm–5:30pm Kamo Primary Staffroom
Wed 15 & 16 May	TTLA Author & Illustrator Workshops for Students – Donovan Bixley 15 th Whangarei, 16 th Kerikeri
Sat 18th May	TTLA Seminar Day – Language of Literacy. Keynotes, Break outs, Workshops, Resources, Great food
Thurs 22nd Aug	TTLA Bus Trip 4pm – 8pm. Exploring 3 great schools, relaxed PD at its best!
Term 3	Northland Yr 7&8 Debating Competition (TTLA sponsored)
Sep 29th – Oct 2nd	NZLA 42 nd National Conference The Arts as a Bridge to Literacy Christchurch
Wed 30th Oct	Sheena Cameron & Louise Dempsey Book Launch – The Reading Book Dinner Workshop
Oct/ Nov	Northland Yr 7&8 Speech Finals + Debating Finals (TTLA sponsored)
Dec	TTLA Community Donation

TTLA Seminar Day Keynotes

Donovan Bixley

Acclaimed
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Rae Si'ilata

Bilingual Education
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