

Brian Wastney



Having served two terms on the Board of HRNZ, I am seeking your continued support for a further term.

I have been involved in Harness Racing since the mid 1970's as an owner, trainer and breeder and have the interests of the industry at heart.

My business background is in the construction industry, originally establishing a successful concrete business in Nelson, expanding into Marlborough with a precast business. Having sold both businesses, I am currently managing the precast concrete business.

At Club level I have served on the Nelson HRC committee, 2 years as Chairman. Now based in Marlborough I am currently serving my 5th year as Chairman.

On the HRNZ Board I am currently Vice Chairman, plus Chairman of Canterbury Licencing, Animal Welfare and Group Racing committees.

I also sit on the IP and Strategy committee with portfolio responsibilities for HRNZ Management/Staff.

We have made significant progress in the industry in the past 2 years and we would be the first to admit that, as an industry, we have many challenges ahead. With the continued lobbying for the Race Fields legislation to be passed through Parliament and close association with the NZRB, we are working towards additional funding to add support to all participants.

I feel I can continue to make a positive contribution to Harness Racing and would appreciate your continued support.