I would like to thank the club and members who rang, text, emailed and sent cards to me on my 'New Year Royal Honours List Award' of a 'QSM'.

It's been a most humbling honour and emotional roller coaster for me since it hit the news.

When you do things in our community you never know that one will be recognised for it. I was only notified late November and had to keep it very confidential. It's been very humbling.

I will receive my 'QSM' award in May in either Auckland or Wellington (Covid allowing) – so that will be another humbling event to look forward to.

To those in Rotary who were approached to support this award – my grateful thanks.

I am now very honoured to stand alongside Lionel & Paul – both 'QSM' reciptants.

Thank you again

Robyn.