

AKARANA BRIDGE CLUB

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Members of newly formed AKARANA Bridge Club 1969.
From left: Bill, Mary Reynolds, Jocelyn Hutchinson/Kinsella
(standing), Sue Heard, + 2 unknown.



Two of the Original Founding Members
Eila & John O'Gorman



John Heard
The original Founder with his wife Sue.
This is the only photo we can find



Background Tony Thomson & John O'Gorman (1979)

Frank Lu, Malcolm Mayer, Mike Cornell, Kris Wooles, Malcolm Sims, Paul Marston
Heather Goldstone, Doreen Gravis, Nola Mather, Lorraine Boyd, Jan Cormack, Val Bell



1981 Taiwan

John O'Gorman, Mike Cornell, Malcolm Mayer, Malcolm Sims,
Tony Taylor, Paul Marston, Stan Abrahams



2000 Bermuda Bowl
Mike Cornell, Richard Solomon NPC, Tom Jacob,
Brian Mace, Dwayne Crombie, Peter Newell, Martin Reid



2005 Bermuda Bowl, Tom Jacobs, Dwayne Crombie,
Malcolm Mayer, Mike Cornell,
Peter Newell, Martin Reid



2005 Seoul Korea. Linda Cartner, Eileen Horsman,
Carol Richardson, Rosie Don, Glenis Palmer
Also Kathy Yule. NPC Richard Solomon



The Tall Bridge Blacks NZ Under-35 FEBF Team to Manila 1974
Robert Jacobs, Tony Thomson, Bruce Anderson,
Brian Patterson, Dave Matthews, Paul Marston. Bruce Bell NPC



NZ Team 1977 Manilla

Woman: Jan Cormack, Eileen Taylor, Rosalie Cunningham, Stella Seckers
Men: Roy Kerr, John Wignall, Paul Marston,
Malcolm Sims, Malcolm Mayer, Lionel Wright



Far East Singapore 1990

Andy Braithwaite NPC, Viveen Cornell, Lorraine Boyd, Elizabeth Blackam,
Kathy Yule, Jan Cormack, Paula Bryant



1993 Venice Trophy: Santiago Chile
Rosie Don, Jan Cormack, Mike Sykes, Jenny Wilkinson,
Shirley Newton, Jan Alabaster, Jane Skipper



1994 Wellington

Jan Alabaster, Shirley Newton, Lorraine Boyd, Johnathan Westoby,
Jan Cormack, Jenny Wilkinson, Viv Cornell



2006 1st Shanghai China
Alan Turner holding the Cup, Christine Gibbons, Jenna Gibbons,
Jan Alabaster, Jan Cormack, Karen Cumpstone, Emma Barrack



1981 Taiwan

Kathy Boardman, Jocelyn Kinsella, Rosalie Cunningham,
Stella Seckers, Jan Cormack, Jane Evitt



2005 Team Venice Cup

Kathy Yule, Carol Richardson, Tania Llyod, Rosie Don,
Glenis Palmer, Linda Cartner, Eileen Horsman, Paula McLeish



NZ Teams Winners 2010

Mike Cornell, Ashley Bach, Martin Reid,
Peter Newell, Tom Jacobs, David Ackerley



Akarana club Team won Auckland Provincial Teams 1970
R.M.Meng, D.J. Evitt, S.J. Abrahams, M. Cornell
Average age 25



National Bridge Title

Average age less than 26.

John O’Gorman, Robert Jacobs, David Mathews, L Simpson



Akarana Black & White Christmas Party
Mike and Vivien Cornell



Tom and Steph Jacobs about 5 years ago at the Akarana Christmas party tournament when the theme was dress up as someone you'd like to be, Tom was Indiana Jones and Steph was Agatha Christie.



Steph Jacobs with Jan Cormack, Michael and Vivien Cornell.



2nd Senior Team 2002 Phillipines PABF

Roy Kerr, Robyn Freeman-Greene, John Wignall, Jeff Green,
Tony Lenart, Anna Herries (npc), Stanley Abrahams



Jan Cormack



Auckland Womens Team 1976

Eila O’Gorman, Beb Simpson, Jan Cormack, Lisa Jones,
Robert Jacobs Coach, Rosalie Cunningham, Stella Seckers



On the Fairstar on Way To Australia
Ship stopped at Tauranga and Picton,
where a game of Bridge was played against Local Womans Teams



The Italian Team in Sydney,
Beb got sick and spent the trip in Hospital
Benito Garozzo, Pietro Forquet, Omar Sharif, Giorgio Belladonna



Far East Penang 1986
Paula McLeish, Jan Cormack, Elisabeth Blackam
Jane Skipper



Derek Evennett, Trevor Robb, Andrew Janisz.



Cormack Cup

Viv Cornell, Linda Cartner, Steph Jacobs, Glenis Palmer



John Evitt, Helen & Tony Thompson



Winners NZ Teams 1995
Malcolm Mayer, Samantha, Jan Cormack,
Lorraine Boyd, Jan Alabaster



Jan Cormack, Lorraine Boyd, Rosalie Cunningham



Runner's Up Gold Coast Teams
Jan Cormack, Steve Lester, Elisabeth Blackam, Lisa Jones



Debs, & Scott Smith with Jillian Hay



Malcolm Mayer & Mike Cornell



Alex Moore & John Evitt



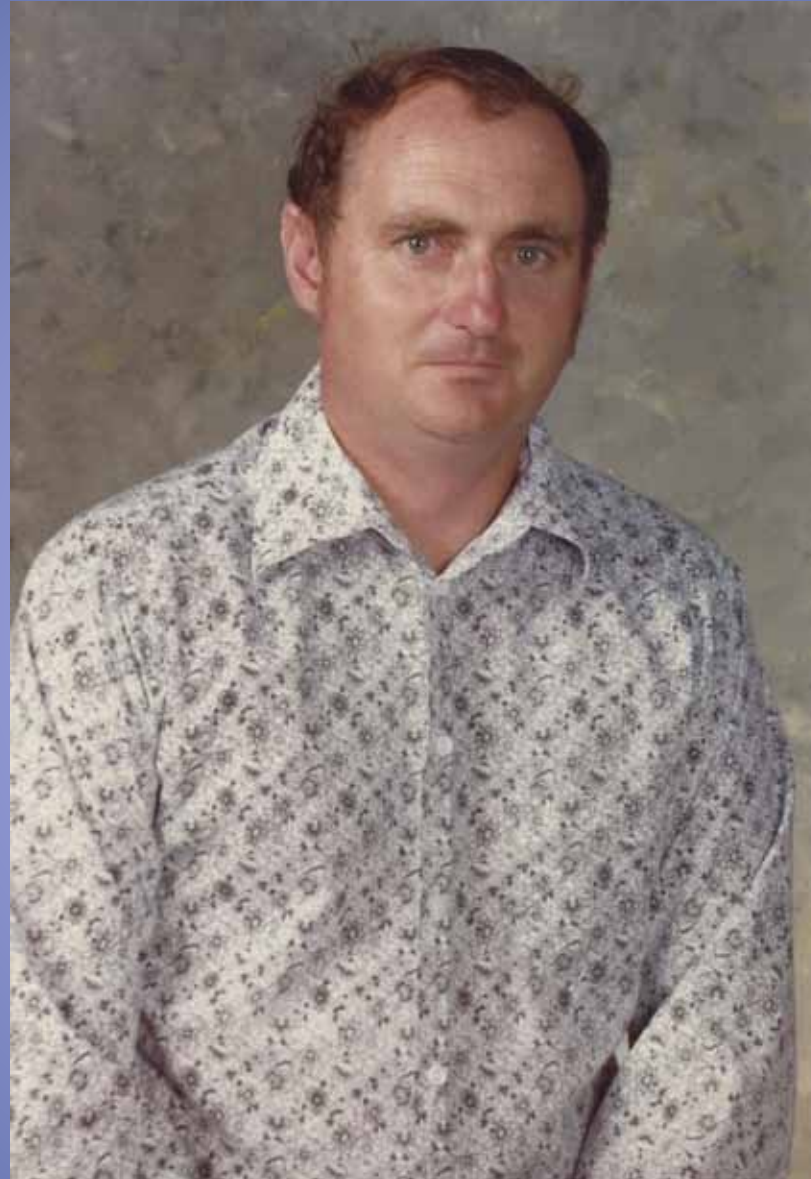
Stan Abrahams & Tony Taylor



Paul Marston & Malcolm Sims



Lionel Wright & David Mathews



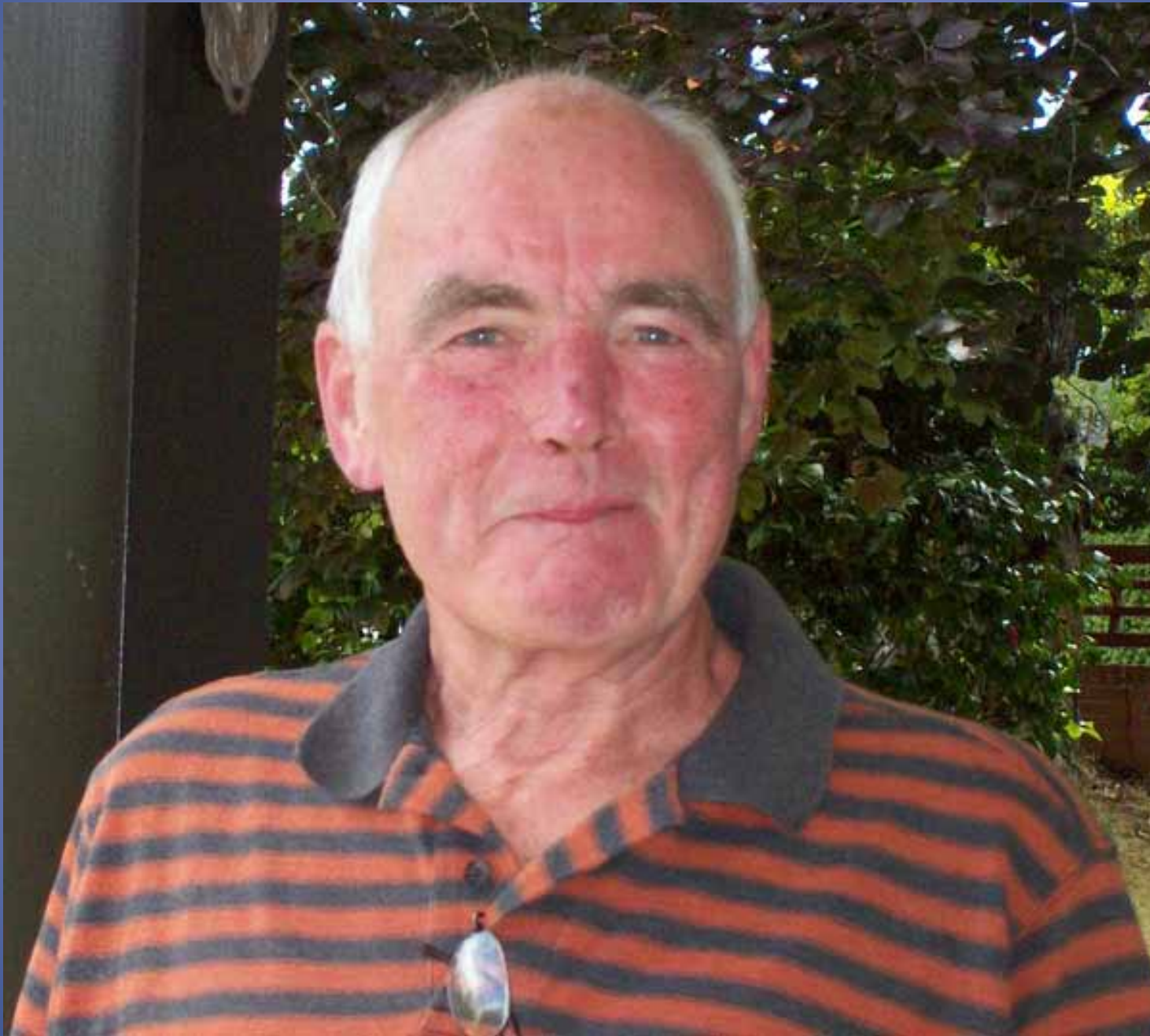
John O'Gorman
Second President 1971-1972
Sue Heard was first 1969 -1970



President Fred Whittaker



President Lisa Jones 1995-1997



Preident Tom Brewer 1998-



Jonathan Westoby 1999 - 2006



President Eileen Horsman 2007-2008



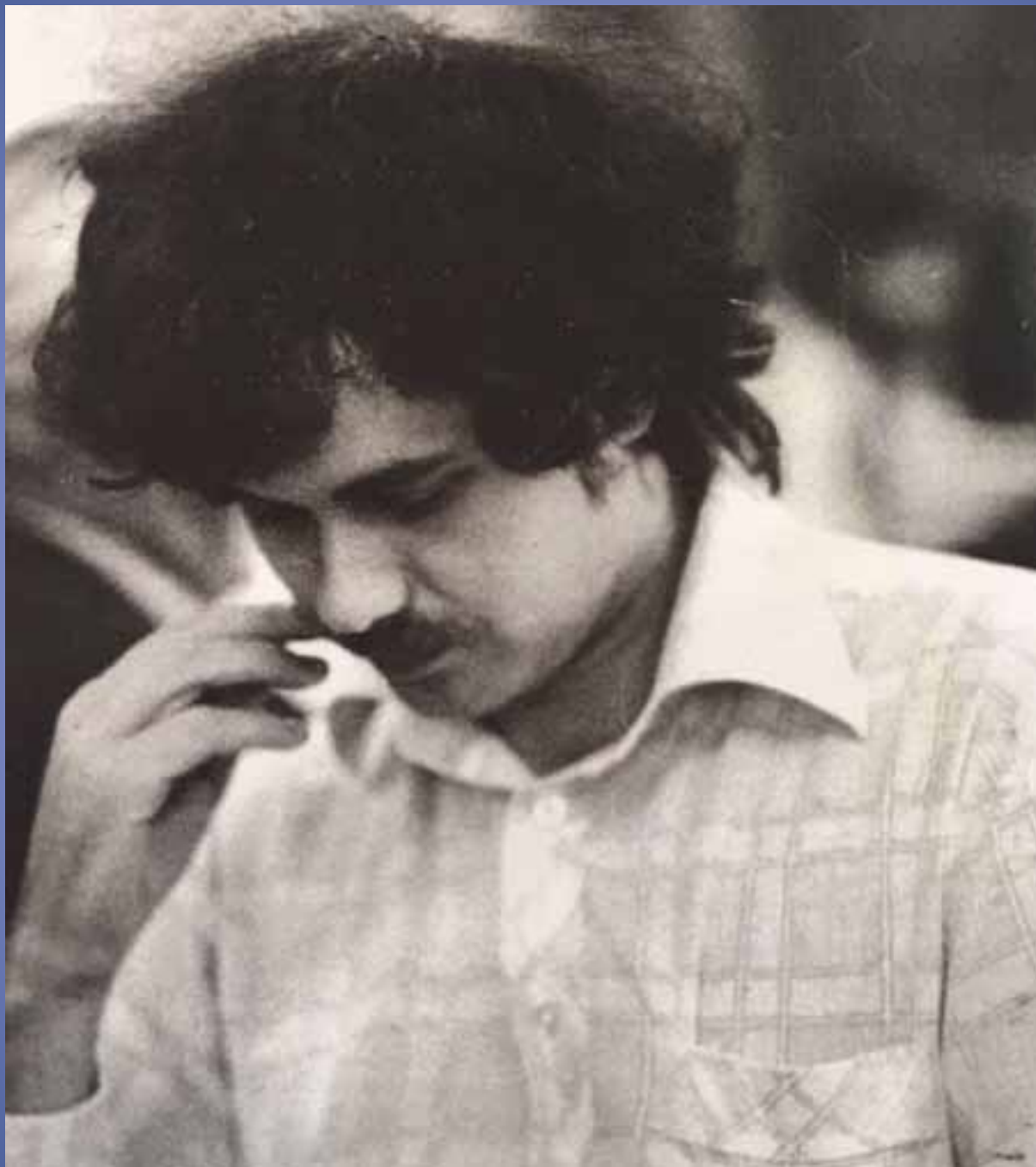
President Douglas Russell 2009-2012



President Mark Hangartner 2013 - 2020



David Mathews



Lionel Wright



Lionel Wright



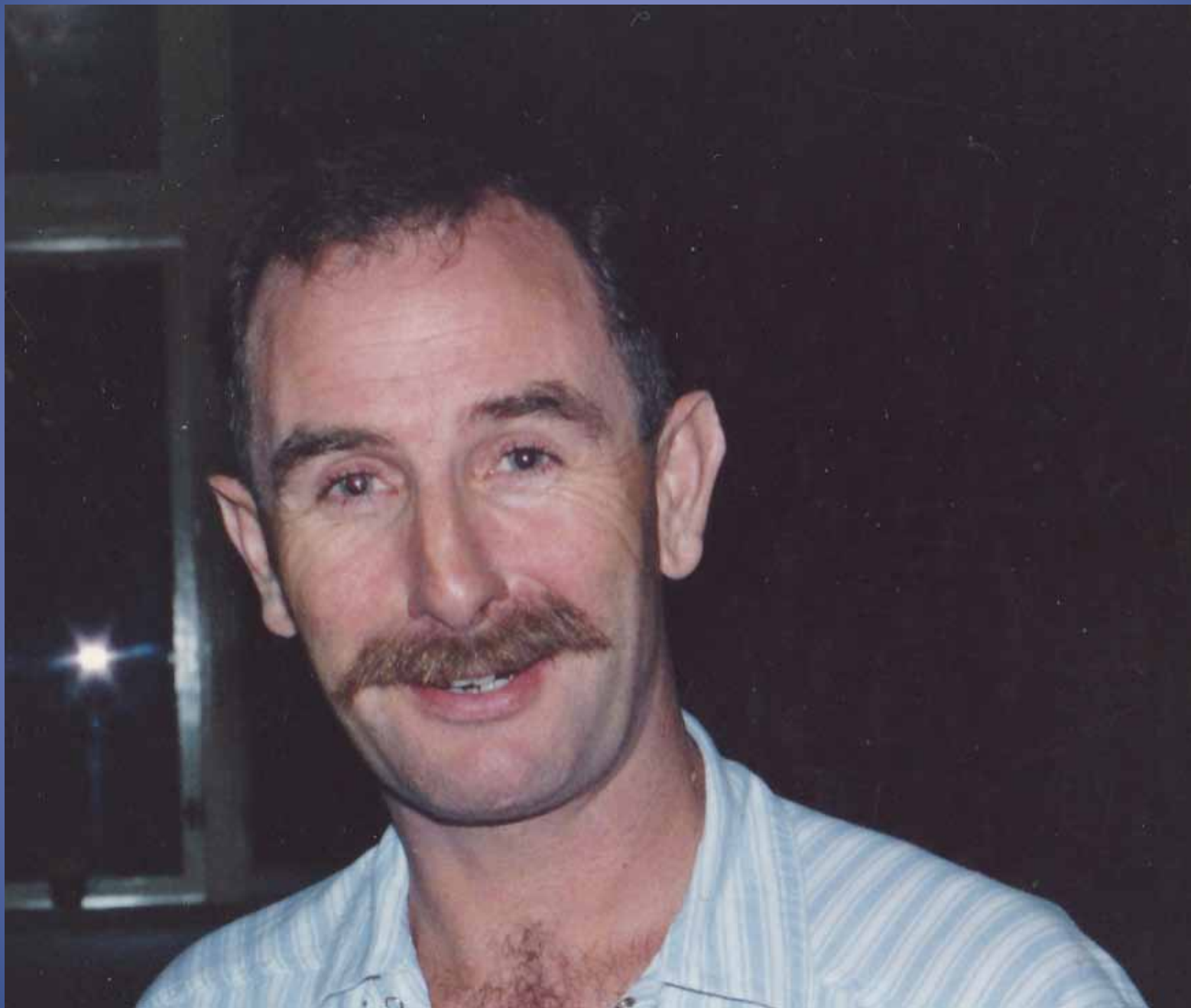
Robert Jacobs



Stanley Abrahams



Bob Grover



Stephen Lester



Richard Solomon



Mike Ware



Ishmale Delemonte



Andrew Tarbutt



Bev Henton



Barry Jones Jenny Middleton



George & Carol Wilkinson



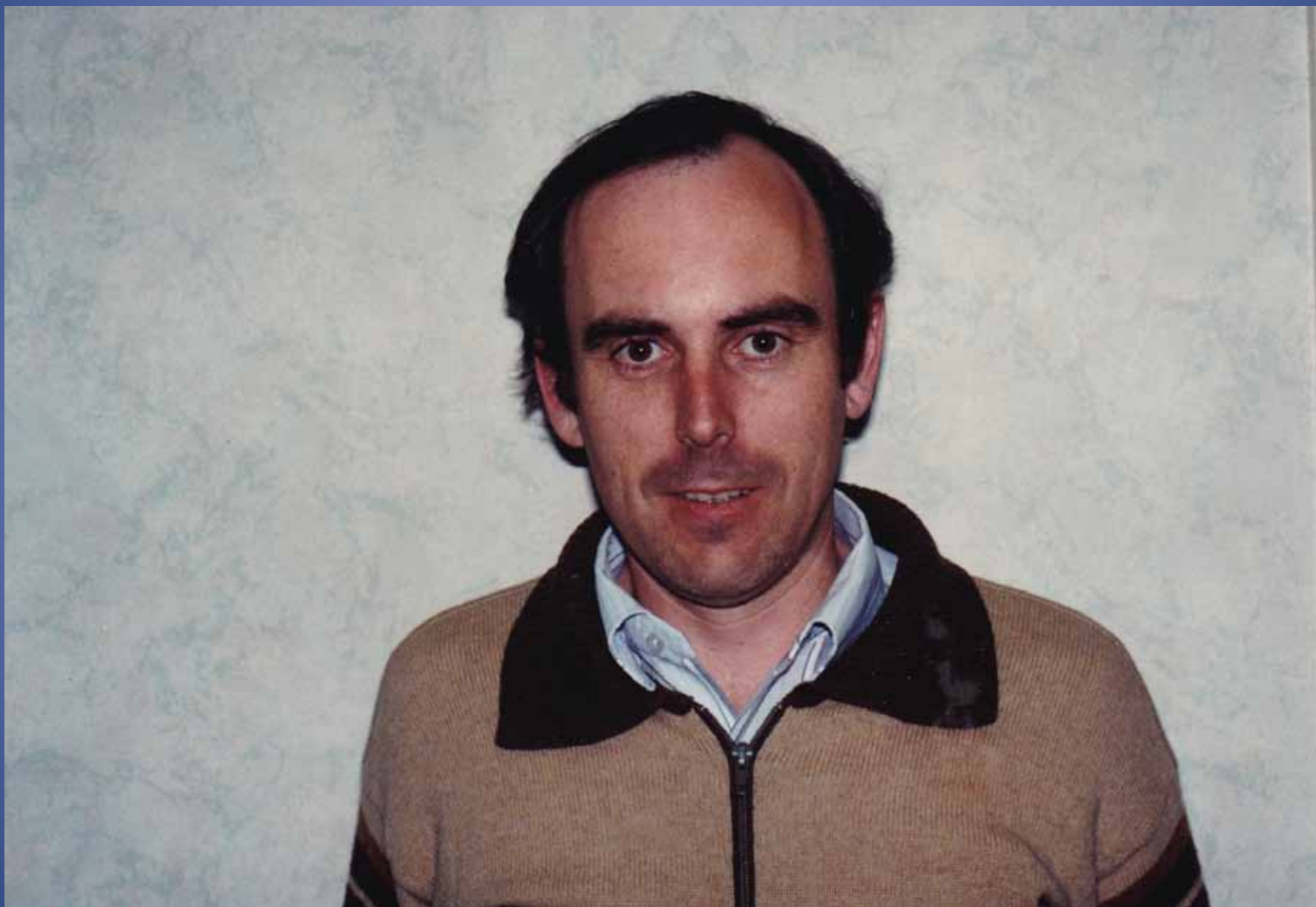
Christine & Henk Egelmeer



Christine Wilson



Colleen Brown



David Dobel



Duncan Badley



Faith Tislevoll



Gary Chen



Ian Bryant



Julie Atkinson



Kath & Ken Yule



Liz Ware, Stan Abrahams, Ann Gelb



Mary Ellen & Mike Ware



Patrick Carter



Paula & David McLeish



Paul Wannop



Rysyard Jedrychowski



Geo & Faith Tislevoll



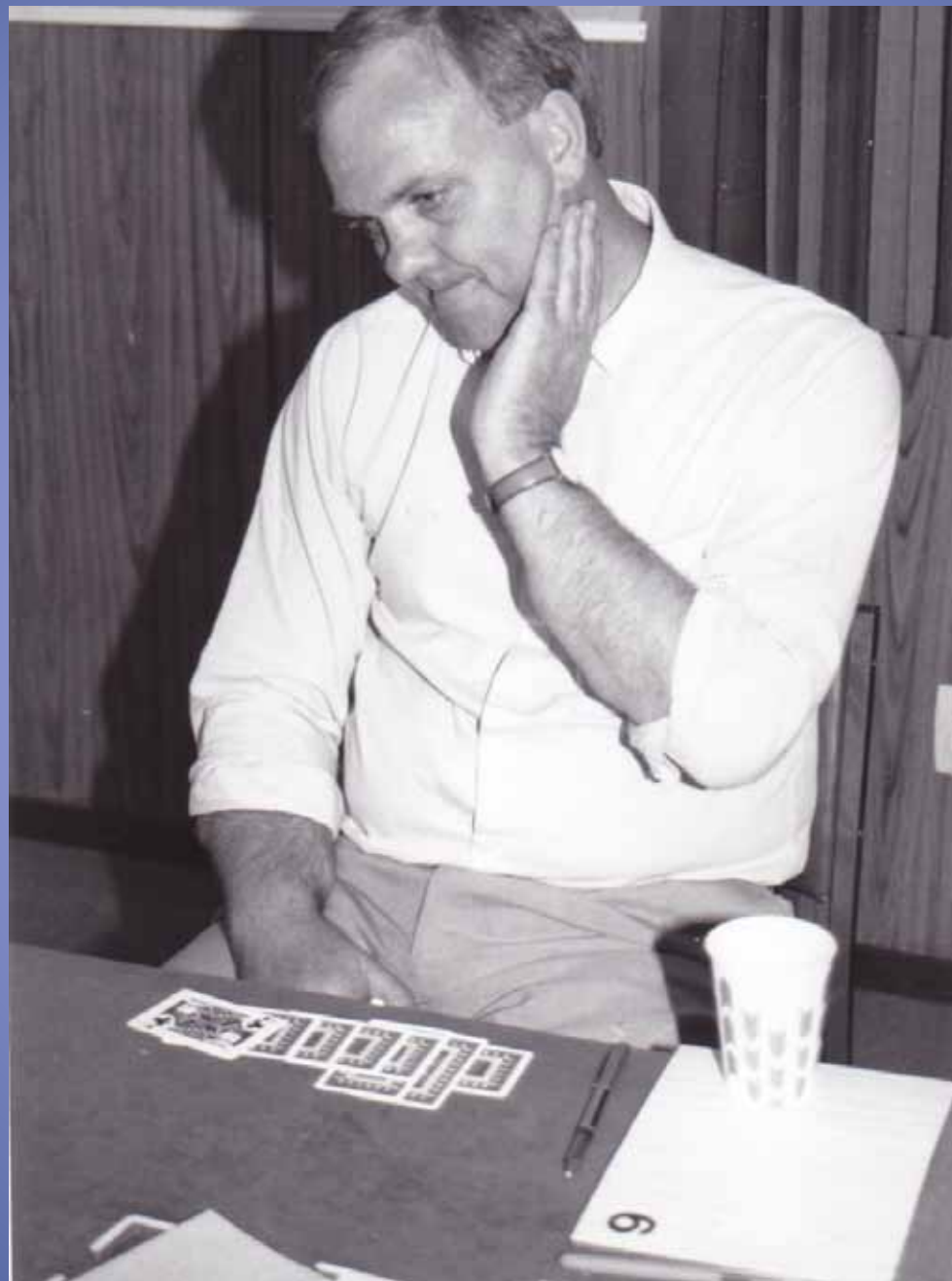
Graham Wakefield Richard Solomon, Barry McLean



Peter & Rachael Goffin



Tony Morcom



Jeff Green



Mark Hangartner & Gill Macklin
Winners Akarana Christmas Party



Andy Braithwaite



Murray Wood & Rachelle Pelkman