Webmaster Report for The Friends of the Dorothy Neal White Collection For AGM year 2021-2022

The Dorothy Neal Friends' website continues largely unchanged. It is hosted by Charity.net based in the Waikato Region as a free service run by Andrew Malcolm. This service is very reliable and good quality. Jeff Hunt maintains the site from home using a Linux Desktop computer. Wordpress is used for content management with the 'Graduate' theme. Colours have been modified to match DNW schemes as far as possible.

Most material, such as meeting announcements and notices, is put on the front page and moved to the archive page when it is out of date.

Permanent material such as membership forms and explanations of the purpose of the organisation is on the appropriate pages accessed by menus.

There is a feed from the Friends Facebook page on the front page which adds variety and interest..

Apart from meetings and photographs of displays, the site is largely static, with updates only if printed forms are changed. However, the website will be refreshed in the new financial year with the new "branding" designed by Hamish Thompson.

The role of webmaster is mostly only to post material as it is produced by other members of the committee, so it is important that a copy of anything intended for the membership or public is copied to friendsdnw@gmail.com or jeffhunt90@gmail.com

Suggestions, contributions and criticisms are always welcome.

Jeff Hunt.