Otago Hospital Board Boundaries

From Shag Point, north-west along the boundary of Waihemo County, then south-west along the boundaries of Waihemo and Silverpeaks Counties, then north along the boundary of Tuapeka County, west along the boundaries of Tuapeka and Silverpeaks Counties following the Taieri River to the coast, then north along the coast of Shag Point.

**Sister Ngaio Zoë Fulton**

Sister Ngaio Zoe Fulton did her training on 22nd January 1929 and passed her state registration examination in December 1931. She nursed at Dunedin Hospital and in 1933 was promoted to Sister to the metabolic ward (in which goiter and diabetic patients were nursed). Matron at Dunedin Hospital in 1938 wrote in a reference for Sister Fulton - “I have pleasure in expressing my appreciation of Sister Fulton’s personal qualifications and her successful work.”

In 1953 Miss Fulton bequeathed her cottage, situated at Waihola, for the use of members of the Registered Nurses Association and their families as a holiday home. As the cottage was not used often the decision was made in 1962 to sell the Ngaio Fulton cottage as per the terms of Miss Fulton’s will, the monies gained be used for a bursary or prize for nurses. It was agreed that only the interest accruing be used and for it to be known as Ngaio Fulton Bursary and that it be made available to any member of NZ.R.N.A Otago Branch.

The first grant from the fund was for $100 in 1966. Ngaio Fulton Bursary became a trust fund in 1989 and was named The Otago Nurses Trust - the criteria being “For the promotion and encouragement of nursing in the former Otago Hospital Board area”. In 1994 the trust was renamed "Ngaio Fulton Nurses Trust Fund". NZNO took over the investment and fund management of the fund in 1998. The fund is administered by the Southern Regional Council Management Team.

NGAIO FULTON NURSES TRUST FUND

Funding from this trust is available to Registered, Enrolled or Student Nurses who reside in the old Otago Hospital Board boundaries ** and are NZNO Members.

Funding may be allocated for the following: conferences, hui’s, workshops, study days, fees, travel costs for study days and conferences, books and publishing costs.

Applicants can only apply once every two years.

Applications are processed quarterly and the selection committee decision is final. Funds available are related to the yearly investment rate on the term deposit and will not exceed the interest payable.
Application for Funding

Name: ………………………………………………………………………………………………...
Address: ……………………………………………………………………………………………
Email: ……………………………………………………………………………………………
Date applied: ………………………………………………………………………………………
Contact phone number(s): ………………………………………………………………………
NZNO membership number: ………………………………………………………………………
Place of work/study: …………………………………………………………………………………
Reason for application e.g. books, fees, travel, costs etc:
Breakdown of your anticipated expenses:

Confirmation of course/conference and copy of receipts for purchases/fees must be attached with your application.

Have you applied to other organisations?
Yes / No
If yes, what other organisations and outcome:

What benefits will you and your area of work gain from your attendance at the conference, hui, workshop, study?

Your banking details for direct credit are:

Bank Account Holder/s Name: ………………………………………………………………………
Bank/Branch Number: ……………………………………………………………………………
Account Number: …………………………………………………………………………………
Suffix: ……………………………………………………………………………………………

NB: Ngaio Fulton Trust require a report back from the applicant within two months of receiving the funds. Applicants must be NZ Nurses Organisation members and reside within the old Otago Hospital Board boundaries.

Application to be forwarded to:
Ngaio Fulton Nurses Trust Fund
C/o NZ Nurses Organisation
PO Box 1084
Dunedin 9054
Fax 03 474 6490
Scan or enquiries to Jenny - jennym@nzno.org.nz
03 474 6490

Approved by trustees: Yes / No
Amount to be awarded: ………………………………………………………………………
Date Approved: …………………………………………………………………………………

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