

TANDEM GROUP-SUPPORTING WAITARA BUSINESS

Wanting to support existing clients and new clients in the Waitara and surrounding area, Tandem Group recently opened their Waitara Branch at 47 McLean Street, right next door to the TSB Bank. The Waitara team consists of three locals - Brent Abbott, Tracey Bryant and Nicola Jupp. Tandem Group, along with Waitara Alive, have been running a monthly Business Breakfast in Waitara covering topics from cybercrime to workplace mental fitness, these have proved to be very popular with the local business community.

Brent Abbott has been with Tandem Group for 13 years, with the last 3 of those as a Director. Brent is heading our Waitara office as he is a Waitara resident and is passionate about seeing local businesses succeed. Brent understands the importance of having the right people in all aspects of your business. He knows, because he's run and grown his own successful business. Brent brings experience from previous roles as a cost accountant and business analyst in the health sector together with 13 years' experience in public practice accounting at Tandem Group. Brent is the father of 3 children who attend Tikorangi School and Waitara High School. Brent is currently on the Board of Trustees for Tikorangi School and is on the board of Waitara Alive. He also volunteers at the local foodbank when an extra set of hands is required.

He's an avid Warriors fan. That defines Brent as a man of loyalty and unwavering optimism. He sees opportunity where others may not and is no stranger to challenges. And like a Warriors fan, he knows what it takes to get results and success.

Nicola Jupp joined the team in April this year and is based in the Waitara office. Nicola has over 23 years' experience working in Chartered Accountancy with most of those years working in Waitara.

Nicola has a special interest in farm accounting having owned and operated a dairy farm for several years with her husband, Greg. She also enjoys working with small businesses and trades.

Nicola is a mother of two primary school-aged children who attend Huirangi School. Together with her husband, they operate an Electrical business servicing North Taranaki.

Nicola is a keen sportswoman having spent 10 years rowing for the Clifton Rowing Club and training on the beautiful Waitara river. This year she took on the challenge and completed Ironman New Zealand – swimming 3.8km, cycling 180km and topping it off 42.2km run.

Tracey Bryant has 20 years' experience in business, including a degree in Business with a Human Resource major. Tracey has spent her career leading commercial accounting teams in industries from poultry to oil and gas, and professional firms.

In addition to accounting, Tracey has a background in human resources and can pivot her way through the employment and payroll maze ensuring businesses remain compliant.

When not working, Tracey is very active in our Waitara community through our local foodbank and Waitara Alive.

Tracey enjoys living in the beautiful township of Urenui with her partner and young daughter, where they have the beach almost on their doorstep.

Need a new accountant?

Visit our new office at 47 McLean Street, Waitara or phone us on 06 758 5273

