

# Remuera Heritage Inc. Application for Membership

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Choose Membership Type: (Please tick applicable)

<input type="checkbox"/>	Individual Membership One Adult member + any children up to 18 years of age	\$25
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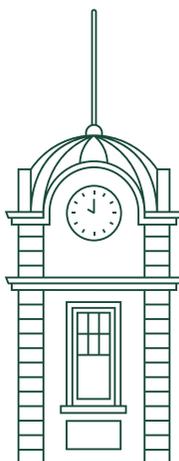
I would like to make a Donation of: Your donation will assist us to continue to promote heritage in Remuera.	\$ _____
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TOTAL ENCLOSED	\$ _____
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Forward payment to: **Remuera Heritage Inc. PO Box 28556,  
Remuera, Auckland 1541**

Or direct credit to our bank account: **06 0257 0198761 00**  
(Please include your name and "donation or subscription"  
as a reference)

You can also register via our website: **www.remueraheritage.org.nz**



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Heritage to help  
us recognise,  
appreciate, share,  
preserve and record  
our local heritage.

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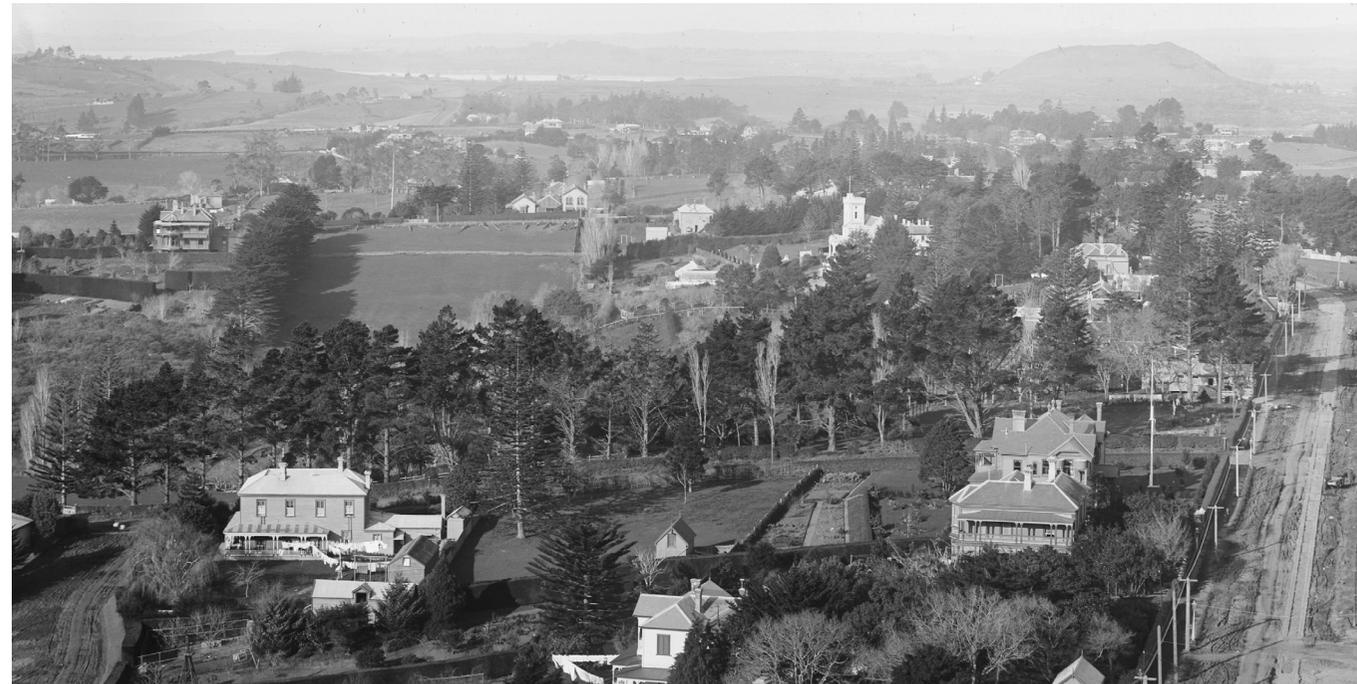
# REMUERA HERITAGE

Storytelling and celebrating  
our past for the future.

“Ah! I shall never forget the feelings of gratified amazement with which I gazed on the wonderful panorama which lay revealed to my sight for the first time on that now long ago day. ‘Age cannot wither nor time stale’ its infinite beauty in my eyes”.

John Logan Campbell (1881).  
Poenamo: Sketches of Early Days in New Zealand.  
Williams and Norgate, London.

View from Mt Hobson with Remuera Road on Right.  
Courtesy of Sir George Grey Special Collections, Auckland Libraries.



In 1840, the young adventurer John Logan Campbell scrambled through the high fern to the summit of Mount Hobson. He gazed in awe at the splendid panorama, and set his heart on purchasing land on the sunny Remuera slopes. The Maori owners, however, had no intention of parting with this most prized and fertile possession.

The lands Campbell so enthusiastically admired in 1840 were gradually sold, subdivided and developed, and Remuera became a suburb of Auckland.

In the twenty-first century, Remuera remains one of Auckland's most sought-after suburbs, with a rich architectural and historical heritage.

Although many fine early Remuera houses survive, many are being lost to redevelopment. Equally, some natural volcanic features, such as Maunga Rahiri (Little Rangitoto), have been largely quarried away.



Remuera Post Office C1914.  
Courtesy of the ANZ Bank,  
Remuera Branch.



LJ Keys Grocery Store 1910.  
Courtesy of Sir George  
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Auckland Libraries.

**Remuera Heritage was established in 2007.**  
**The society's purpose is to:**

- Share Remuera's past & present
- Promote & protect Remuera's heritage character
- Collect & preserve pictorial & written records
- Gather oral histories
- Foster an awareness & appreciation of Remuera's natural and cultural heritage

Members enjoy opportunities to visit heritage sites and buildings, hear guest speakers and attend a variety of heritage related events. The Society participates in Auckland Council's annual Heritage Festival to celebrate and share our city's rich heritage.