

Upper Hutt Public School – Roll of Honour

World War One 1914 - 1918



(Image photographed inside the Upper Hutt School Hall Martin Street Upper Hutt source Private collection)

The Upper Hutt public school established a World War One Roll of Honour memorial board. Some of the eighty five [85] Service Personnel named on the board served overseas, a few in New Zealand while others were reservists. Twenty one (21 †) personnel either died while serving or after discharge with their deaths attributed to war service.

The Hon C J Parr Minister of Education unveiled the honours board on 07 December 1920.

World War One – 85 Service Personnel

<i>Name</i>	<i>Birth-Death</i>	<i>Rank</i>	<i>Number</i>
ALLAN Clark	1885-1927	Rifleman	41301
AUCKRAM Alfred Ernest	1886-1958	Private	23948
BASSETT Ivor George	1892-1917 †	Rifleman	28416
BAYLEY / BAILLIE Robert Horatio Roy	1880-1915 †	Major	12/26 (teacher)
BENGE Robert Daniel	1897-1918 †	Private	74285
BOWYER Charles	1896-1985	Lance Corporal	47975
BOYD Alfred King	1886-1941	Private	32982
BOYLE Claude	1896-1916 †	Trooper	13/3113
BOYLE James	1892-0000	Sapper	26499
BROADBENT George Dearing Frank	1888-1945	Rifleman	23/1331
BROWN Eric Bertram	1897-1948	Private	10166
BUTLER Walter James	1893-1923 †	Private	10/3209
CAMERON Colin	1896-1962	Private	12/2973
CAMERON Daniel Lyall McWilliam	1890-1986	Trooper	17482
CAMERON Stuart Lochiel Mitchell	1889-1978	Trooper	11/746
CLAY George Howard	1897-1964	Private	73828
CLEAVER Clwyd	1893-1979	Rifleman	24/1958
CLEAVER Leslie Ernest	1893-1971	Rifleman	24/1959
CLIFFORD Arthur Neil	1896-1972	First Reserves	NN
CLIFFORD Walter Neil	1894-1978	Private	30548
COMESKEY Daniel Augustine	1897-1975	Reservist	NN
COOPER Albert James	1898-0000	Private	80906
COOPER Archibald Sinclair	1896-1936	Rifleman	59097
COTTLE Donald Charles	1898-1918 †	Rifleman	186241
CRAIG Archibald John	1896-1981	Trooper	36106
CUNEEN John Edward	1897-1967	Sapper	4/1762
DAVIES Thomas Richard	1895-0000	Reservist	NN
DELANEY Albert Roy	1896-1982	Private	16/509
EDWARDS Herbert	1882-1925	Private	15253
FITZPATRICK Charles Augustus	1882-1918 †	Private	8/1979
FLETCHER Charles Thomas	1896-1970	Private	77173
FLETCHER Harry	1892-0000	Private	10/24
FLETCHER Thomas Charles William	1893-1983	Private	75672
FREWEN Andrew Leslie	1896-1944	Driver	17886
GAMBRILL Reginald Frank	1890-1975	Lieutenant	10/2145
GARD Ernest George	1892-1984	Corporal	13556
GEANGE Arthur Victor	1892-1954	Private	37800
GEANGE Thomas	1884-1964	Private	10/2151
GEANGE John Wallace	1891-1917 †	Trooper	11/53
GOLDER Alexander William	1878-1968	Rifleman	51519
GOLDER Linus Bernard	1898-1918 †	Private	79138
GORRIE Maurice McGregor	1896-1966	Private	41786
GREENWOOD Roy	1896-1980	Private	59636
HAGAN Augustus Francis	1898-1968	Trooper	11/1707
HAGAN Lancelot James	1895-1961	Private	6/761
HANNING Charles Warren	1894-1968	Reservist	NN
JONES Arthur David	1892-1918 †	Rifleman	44288
JONES Roderick Leslie	1898-1918 †	Rifleman	33381
KELLY Frances Patrick	1892-1965	Corporal	62076
KELLY Leo Clement	1897-1966	Private	71336
KEYS George Ernest	1892-1917 †	Private	41822
KEYS Walter James	1890-1948	Private	48221
LAY Harold George	1891-1918 †	Corporal	20541
LONG Frank Richard/Rewi	1897-1966	Gunner	2/2186
MABEY Job Henry	1880-1923 †	Private	41855

MARTIN Francis Thomas	1894-1988	Sapper	4/1819
MARTIN James Horace	1888-1918 †	Sapper	4/1973
McCAW William Theodore	1894-1983	Private	8/2296 (teacher)
McCROSSIN William	1889-1978	Private	41856
McCULLOCH Alexander Ransom	1895-1980	Gunner	43446
McCURDY Archibald Donald	1884-1971	Sergeant	15/67
MOULDER Henry	1896-1917 †	Private	37840
MUDGWAY Roy Edwin	1896-1979	Private	42868
O'LEARY Daniel Cornelius	1887-1917 †	Sergeant	1154 (Australia)
PALMER Francis Clarence	1894-1966	Driver	5/893
PAUL Francis Henry	1884-1980	Private	42387
PAUL William John	1891-1970	Private	42388
PEARSE Clive George	1894-1976	Gunner	43838
PERRY William Henry	1897-1964	Corporal	53518
ROBINSON Arthur Edmund	1892-1975	Trooper	11/128
ROBINSON George Harold	1884-1942	Rifleman	25/353
SCRIMSHAW John Benjamin	1883-1941	Private	41901
SCRIMSHAW William Hector	1889-1966	Private	10/1977
SMITH George Cotton	1893-1917 †	Private	8/2474
SNOW Clarence Herbert	1891-1931	Private	5/425
WHITEMAN Percival	1892-1970	Trooper	13/2965
WHITEMAN Sydney	1897-1971	Private	48305
WILKIE David Howard	1890-1917 †	Private	10/3429
WILKIE Edward Irving	1892-1945	Private	12/2528
WILKIE Philip Davis	1894-1960	Lance Corporal	23908
WILKIE Royce Harold	1894-1925 †	Private	10/3430
WILKINS Arthur Edward	1894-1973	Rifleman	23/2125
WILKINS Sydney Trentham	1886-1918 †	Rifleman	23/2123
WOODMASS Leonard Richard	1880-1953	Rifleman	31916
WYETH Charles	1881-1967	Private	61884

Upper Hutt's first Mayor Angus John McCURDY created a list of names of World War One service personnel and had the list checked by the Army Records Section. This list appeared in the Upper Hutt School Jubilee 1864-1989 publication.

Recorded on the Memorial board are the names of three service personnel who are not recorded on McCudy's list. They are: -

<i>Name</i>	<i>Birth-Death</i>	<i>Rank</i>	<i>Number</i>
COMESKEY Daniel Augustine	1897-1975	Reservist	NN
CUNEEN John Edward	1897-1967	Sapper	4/1762
SNOW Clarence Herbert	1891-1931	Private	5/425

Recorded on McCurdy's list are the names of six [6] service personnel who are not recorded on the Memorial board. They all attended Upper Hutt school and are: -

<i>Name</i>	<i>Birth-Death</i>	<i>Rank</i>	<i>Number</i>
COTTLE Malcolm McDonald McIntyre	1900-1979	no trace	no trace
LANGRIDGE Cyril Godfrey	1895-1975	Sapper	18245
ROSS Malcolm John (Sorenson)	1890-1918 †	Corporal	60316
SNOW Frederick James	1888-1918 †	Sergeant/Private	41419
SNOW Stanley George	1895-1964	Rifleman	56039
THOMAS Leonard George	1896-1974	Private	23899

(Reference Upper Hutt School Jubilee 1864 – 1989 - "Play the Game" – Evergreen is our valley page 107 by Dudley G Hercock Upper Hutt New Zealand 1989 source Upper Hutt City Library z993.65 HER)

The Upper Hutt Public School did not create a World War Two Roll of Honour Memorial board.

Miscellaneous Notes and sources – not to be published

Upper Hutt Public School

Roll of Honour

Published list

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*AUCKRAM Fredk
BAILLIE Robert Horatio Roy
**BASSETT Ivor
BENGE Robt
BOWYER Charles
BOYD A K
**BOYLE Claude
BOYLE James
BROADBENT Geo
BROWN Eric
**BUTLER Walter
CAMERON Colin
CAMERON Lyall
*CAMERON Stewart
CLAY George
*CLEAVER Clwyd
*CLEAVER Leslie
CLIFFORD Arthur
*CLIFFORD Walter
COOPER Albert
COOPER Archd
**COTTLE Donald
COTTLE Malcolm
CRAIG Archd J
DAVIES Richard
DE LANEY Roy
EDWARDS Herbert
FITZPATRICK Augustus
FLETCHER Charles
FLETCHER Henry
FLETCHER Thomas
FREWEN Leslie
GAMBRILL Regd
GARD Ernest
*GEANGE Arthur
**GEANGE Wallace
*GEANGE Thomas
GOLDER Alexr J
**GOLDER Linus
*GORRIE Maurice
*GREENWOOD Roy
*HAGAN Augustus
HAGAN Lancelot
HANNING Charles
**JONES Arthur
**JONES Roderick
*KELLY Frances P
KELLY Leo
**KEYS George
KEYS Walter

Recorded on Memorial Board

ALLAN Clark 1885-1927
AUCKRAM Alfred Ernest (1886-1958)
BAYLEY / BAILLIE Robert Horatio Roy (1880-1915 †)
BASSETT Ivor George (1892-1917 †)
BENGE Robert Daniel (1897-1918 †)
BOWYER Charles (1896-1985)
BOYD Alfred King (1886-1941)
BOYLE Claude (1896-1916 †)
BOYLE James (1892-0000)
BROADBENT George Dearing Frank (1888-1945)
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BUTLER Walter James (1893-1923 †)
CAMERON Colin (1896-1962)
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CAMERON Stuart Lochiel Mitchell (1889-1978)
CLAY George Howard (1897-1964)
CLEAVER Clwyd (1893-1979)
CLEAVER Leslie Ernest (1893-1971)
CLIFFORD Arthur Neil (1896-1972)
CLIFFORD Walter Neil (1894-1978)
COOPER Albert James (1898-0000)
COOPER Archibald Sinclair (1896-1936)
COTTLE Donald Charles (1898-1918 †)
#not on the memorial board
CRAIG Archibald John (1896-1981)
DAVIES Thomas Richard (1895-0000)
DELANEY Albert Roy (1896-1982)
EDWARDS Herbert (1882-1925)
FITZPATRICK Charles Augustus (1882-1918 †)
FLETCHER Charles Thomas (1896-1970)
FLETCHER Harry (1892-0000)
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FREWEN Andrew Leslie (1896-1944)
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GORRIE Maurice McGregor (1896-1966)
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HAGAN Augustus Francis (1898-1968)
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HANNING Charles Warren (1894-1968)
JONES Arthur David (1892-1918 †)
JONES Roderick Leslie (1898-1918 †)
KELLY Frances Patrick (1892-1965)
KELLY Leo Clement (1897-1966)
KEYS George Ernest (1892-1917 †)
KEYS Walter James (1890-1948)

LANGRIDGE Cyril	<i>#not on the memorial board</i>
LAY Harold	LAY Harold George (1891-1918 †)
*LONG Richard	LONG Frank Richard/Rewi (1897-1966)
MABEY Job	MABEY Job Henry (1880-1923 †)
*MARTIN Frank	MARTIN Francis Thomas (1894-1988)
**MARTIN Horace	MARTIN James Horace (1888-1918 †)
**MOULDER Henry	MOULDER Henry (1896-1917 †)
MUDGWAY Roy	MUDGWAY Roy Edwin (1896-1979)
McCAW W T (teacher)	McCAW William Theodore (1894-1983)
*McCROSSIN W	McCROSSIN William (1889-1978)
McCULLOCH Alex	McCULLOCH Alexander Ransom (1895-1980)
McCURDY Donald A	McCURDY Archibald Donald (1884-1971)
**O'LEARY Daniel	O'LEARY Daniel Cornelius (1887-1917 †)
PALMER Francis C	PALMER Francis Clarence (1894-1966)
PAUL Francis	PAUL Francis Henry (1884-1980)
PAUL John	PAUL William John (1891-1970)
PEARSE Clive	PEARSE Clive George (1894-1976)
PERRY William	PERRY William Henry (1897-1964)
ROBINSON Arthur	ROBINSON Arthur Edmund (1892-1975)
ROBINSON Harold	ROBINSON George Harold (1884-1942)
**ROSS Malcolm J	<i>#not on the memorial board</i>
*SCRIMSHAW John	SCRIMSHAW John Benjamin (1883-1941)
SCRIMSHAW Kem	SCRIMSHAW William Hector (1889-1966)
**SMITH George	SMITH George Cotton (1893-1917 †)
**SNOW Fredk J	<i>#not on the memorial board</i>
*SNOW Stanley G	<i>#not on the memorial board</i>
*THOMAS Leonard	<i>#not on the memorial board</i>
WHITEMAN Percy	WHITEMAN Percival (1892-1970)
*WHITEMAN Sydney	WHITEMAN Sydney (1897-1971)
**WILKIE David	WILKIE David Howard (1890-1917 †)
*WILKIE Irving	WILKIE Edward Irving (1892-1945)
*WILKIE Philip	WILKIE Philip Davis (1894-1960)
WILKIE Royce	WILKIE Royce Harold (1894-1925 †)
*WILKINS Arthur	WILKINS Arthur Edward (1894-1973)
*WILKINS Sid	WILKINS Sydney Trentham (1886-1918 †)
*WOODMASS Leonard	WOODMASS Leonard Richard (1880-1953)
WYETH Charles	WYETH Charles (1881-1967)

** Killed or died of wounds [17] - * Wounded 23 [actually 24]
(Checked with Army Records Section by A.J. McCurdy)

Lynly's notes- Service personnel not on published list but are recorded on the memorial board

<i>#not on published list</i>	COMESKEY Daniel Augustine (1897-1975)
<i>#not on published list</i>	SNOW Clarence Herbert (1891-1931)
<i>#not on published list</i>	CUNEEN John Edward (1897-1967)

88 on published list – less 6 not on memorial board - plus 3 on memorial board = 85 total

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Lynly's notes – Service personnel on McCurdy List but not recorded on memorial board

COTTLE Malcolm	<i>#not on the memorial board</i>
LANGRIDGE Cyril	<i>#not on the memorial board</i>
**ROSS Malcolm J	<i>#not on the memorial board</i>
**SNOW Fredk J	<i>#not on the memorial board</i>
*SNOW Stanley G	<i>#not on the memorial board</i>
*THOMAS Leonard	<i>#not on the memorial board</i>

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Evening Post newspaper 07 December 1920

SCHOOL HONOURS BROAD

The unveiling of the honours' board at the Upper Hutt School took place on Saturday afternoon when the Hon C J Parr (Minister for Education), Mr T Forsyth (chairman of the Education Board), Mr W H Field M.P., and Mrs Field were present. The Minister said it gave him great pleasure to be present at such a gathering and spoke feelingly of all who had fallen in the Great War for the cause of freedom. Great praise was due to the teaching staff of the Dominion for the manner in which they had instilled into the boys recognition of their duty to King and Empire. Mr Forsyth and Mr Field having endorsed the Minister's remarks Mr Parr unveiled the board, all present standing in silence and subsequently singing the National Anthem. Cheers were given for the Minister and his party, who were then entertained by the school committee at afternoon tea.

(Reference Papers past website Evening Post newspaper 07 December 1920 page 10)

New Zealand Times newspaper 07 December 1920

UPPER HUTT SCHOOL – Unveiling of Honours Board

The unveiling of the above honours board took place last Saturday afternoon at the School, when the Hon C J Parr (Minister for Education), Mr T Forsyth (chairman of the Education Board), Mr W H Field M.P., for the district, were present to do honour to the brave boys who had gone away to "do their bit." After the chairman, Mr Guthrie, had introduced the Ministerial party, the Minister thanked the school committee for the kind invitation, and spoke feelingly of all who had fallen in the Great War for the cause of freedom, saying it involved great credit to our national form of education, and great praise was due to the teaching staff of the Dominion, for they had instilled into their boys the idea of duty to King and Empire. Honours boards, the Minister maintained, were a lasting memorial to the children of the future generations, for as they came to school this board would always be before them the great deeds their fathers and grandfathers did in the Great War.

Mr Forsyth agreed with the Hon Mr Parr with regard to the efficiency of the national system of education, although he stated many improvements could be made.

Mr Field also spoke, after which the Minister for Education unveiled the board, all present standing. The singing of the National Anthem brought the proceedings to a close. Three cheers were given for the Ministerial party, who, at the conclusion of the ceremony, were entertained by the School Committee at afternoon tea.

(Reference Papers past website New Zealand Times newspaper 07 December 1920 page 3)

Dominion newspaper 07 December 1920

Unveiling of Honours Board - Upper Hutt School

The unveiling of the Honour Board at Upper Hutt School took place on Saturday afternoon, at the school, when, the Hon C J Parr, Minister of Education, Mr T Forsyth chairman of the Education Board and Mr W H Field M.P. for the district, and Mrs Field, were present to do honour to the brave boys whose names appear on the board. After the chairman Mr Guthrie, had introduced the Ministerial party, the Minister spoke feelingly of all who had fallen in the Great War for the cause of freedom. The way the young men had answered the call reflected great credit on our national form of education. Great praise was due to the teaching staff of the Dominion, for they had instilled into their boys duty to King and Empire. At the first call the young men had gone out nobly, knowing what they had to go through, and they had won honour and respect all over the Empire for their attention to duty and good behaviour, both on and off the battlefield. Honours boards, the Minister maintained, were a lasting memorial to the children of the future generations, for as they came to school this board would always be before them, and serve to keep before them the great deeds their fathers and grandfathers did in the Great War. Mr Forsyth agreed with the Minister with regard to efficiency of our national system of education, although, he stated many improvements, could be made. Mr Field also endorsed the previous speaker's remarks. The Minister of Education then unveiled the board, all present standing. The singing of the National Anthem brought the proceeding to a close. Three cheers were given for the Ministerial party, who, at the conclusion, were entertained by the School Committee at afternoon tea.

(Reference Papers Past website Dominion newspaper 07 December 1920 page 3)