



Auckland Branch had a lunch and meeting on 21 May. We were joined by fourteen Waikato Branch members who came up from Hamilton in a minibus. They included our National Chair Ray Mudford, Membership Secretary Carolyn Adams, and the Waikato Branch President Dave Rodger.

Our speaker, Sally Hughes, Chair of the Character Coalition Inc, gave an excellent presentation about Auckland's valuable collection of historic collection of character housing and the need to ensure that it is kept.

She referred to research carried out with funding from NZ Founders Auckland Branch that concluded Auckland's collection of ornate 19th and early 20th century timber villas and bungalows is of world class, and a taonga which should be treasured for future generations."



