Patricia Anne Loye

It is very sad to report that our beloved Trish passed away peacefully with her family around her at Hastings hospital on the 20th June 2026 aged 87.

Trish became secretary of our U3A in 2011 and has served as secretary to all presidents since then.

Trish has been the heart and soul of the U3A easing the way for the change of presidents to head our U3A. Over 17 years Trish has kept us informed with her quarterly newsletters, always filled with interesting articles, news and information and the happenings within group activities. An amazing task.

You could rely on Trish for a professional touch in everything she did. Each year Trish updated the membership, structure of groups, lists and the data bases of the U3A. The first contact new members had was Trish.

Trish devoted her time to supporting members, organising events, committee meetings, and the large quarterly meetings at the function Centre which ran smoothly due to her attention to detail. Trish was our pillar of strength. She ran the cinema group and a Lunch group. She loved the members, knew all their names and which groups they attended like no one else could. If you wanted to know anything about the U3A you asked Trish.

Trish was such a kind approachable person, warm of heart, unflappable and with an ever present smile. She was deeply loved by us all.

Thank you Trish for everything. You will be so missed and forever in our hearts.

Rest in peace dear friend.

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