

Giving Back Award

Leah Hoffman

At the age of 15 Leah successfully completed the 2014 Youth in Emergency Services programme. On her 16th birthday Leah joined the Ngongotaha Volunteer Fire Brigade as a recruit Fire Fighter. Call outs range from motor vehicle accidents, medical calls, and hazardous substance calls through to actual structure fires.

Leah always has her hand up for local community events and those activities outside the area - Kiwi Culture Day, A&P Show, fundraising for Blood cancer and leukemia and many others.

“Leah has been able to absorb all of the training given to her and then use it to benefit others. She was a mentor for the YES programme 2015 and demonstrated to others what they can achieve, just like her, if they put their minds to it.”

