

Ani Retemeyer



"I'm eager to be a Youth MP for 2025 because I'm passionate about policies that empower young people, promote personal responsibility, and support economic freedom. I plan to study a Journalism, with the goal of starting my own business. My exchange in Thailand showed me how government policy shapes opportunity, inspiring my interest in reducing red tape for young entrepreneurs. I've taken leadership roles managing business activities, organising events, and leading volunteer work developing strong problem-solving and communication skills. Working at Woolworths and Hell Pizza has given me insight into youth employment and reinforced my belief in balancing fair workplace conditions with flexibility for businesses to thrive. As a Youth MP, I'll bring a strong work ethic, real-world experience, and a focus on practical, future-focused policies that give young people more control over their futures. I'm ready to be an effective, principled representative."

Selecting MP: Hon Andrew Hoggard

Location: Whanganui