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## From the Editor

*2016 has been another busy year at Soar, and what a year it has been!*

*The coffee machine has been working overtime due to Phil's rampant coffee addiction, however, none of us can complain as the cookie jar is always well stocked. As the year is coming to a close, staff morale is high, and we are all excited to see the challenges that the New Year brings.*

*Regarding the work side of things, The IRD has been relatively active during this period auditing both the residential and construction industry, plus subcontractors supplying their services to both industries. It is likely that this momentum will continue over the next few years. Occasionally an audit does happen for one of our clients, but fortunately the majority are protected by taking out audit shield insurance. Audit shield insurance is designed to cover all the professional costs occurred in responding to any audit activity by any Governmental organisations.*

*If you require Audit Shield Insurance, call us today to arrange a quote.*

*Thank you for your continued support during 2016, and the team at Soar wish you all a very happy, safe and relaxing time over the Christmas and New Year break.*



## Staff Updates

*Sadly, we have had to say farewell to Mel at our office. However, Goodbyes are often followed with Hellos, and this year we have welcomed new team members Lilly and Prashna. Lilly has had over ten years' accounting experience, and Prashna is in her second year of study towards a Bachelor of Commerce at the University of Canterbury.*

*Our young team have all had a successful year regarding exams, with special congratulations to Ana who has been accepted into Honours for Law. Ana has been with us now for two years and looks after reception, compliance accounting and filing our clients FBT returns and company returns!*



## Dates to Remember

Please refer to our website: [www.soar.net.nz](http://www.soar.net.nz)



## Holiday Hours

Due to where Christmas and New Year falls this year, our offices will be closed on the 26 and 27th of December as well as the 2nd and 3rd of January 2017. During the days we are open over the Christmas/New Year period, the office hours will be from 9.30am – 3.00pm. Client meetings can be made by appointment outside of these times if required. (Phone: Phillip 021 876 216)

Our offices will also be closed from the 11th—20th of January 2017.



(If you need to contact anyone urgently during this time, please phone Phillip 021 876 216)



## Business Support

In the last few months we have added Crystal Payroll to our product range, and we are currently rolling out this service for a large number of our clients.

If you are considering changing or updating your **accounting software** in time for the new financial year, **please contact us first**.

Please contact Phillip if you wish to discuss software solutions for your business. We are able to give you personalised demonstrations on most products.

