



The official crest of 486 (NZ) Squadron RAF and its motto 'Hiwa Hau Maka' (Beware the Wild Winds).



Overall size: 490 x 630mm. Image size: 335 x 470mm.

BEWARE THE WILD WINDS

So translates the 486 Squadron motto 'Hiwa Hau Maka' in recognition of the Hawker trio of the Hurricane, Typhoon and Tempest which equipped this unit at various stages of its distinguished combat history. This limited edition art print is to pay tribute to all those pilots and ground-staff who served the squadron during its three and a half year existence, in particular those who did not return. Each print is individually hand-signed by six distinguished ex-486 Squadron pilots and signed and numbered by the artist.

THE SIGNATURES

SQUADRON LEADER HARVEY SWEETMAN DFC
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This single edition is limited to 250 copies and comes with a certificate of authenticity which includes a brief operational history of each signatory. It has been printed using light fast inks on high quality archival paper.

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