

TE KARERE A HAUITI

NGĀTI HAUITI NEWS

Ko Ruahine te pae maunga, ko Rangitīkei te awa, ko Takitimu te waka, ko Ngāti Hauiti te iwi. E nga whānau, e nga hapu o Ngāti Hauiti, tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou, tēnā koutou katoa. Ka nui te mihi ki a koutou. E nga tini aitua, haere ki tua o te arai. Heoi ano.



NGĀTI HAUITI

Ruahine is the mountain range, Rangitīkei is the river, Takitimu is the canoe and Ngāti Hauiti is the tribe. To the families and sub-tribes of Ngāti Hauiti, greetings and salutations to you all. To our departed ones, go beyond the veil of darkness. That's all for now.

Ngāti Hauiti as an iwi continues to grow stronger as more whānau learn their

whakapapa and are able to make this significant link back to our tūpuna. This link is reinforced and strengthened with each interaction and contact with whānau, hapū and iwi members at hui and other whānau gatherings.

Social Well Being Sector

November 24th marks the day for Men supporting 'Non Violence against Wahine'. We wish to encourage all of our whānau to make everyday a 'Non Violence Day'.

Raye Holland is based at the office in Rata and can be contacted on the following numbers if you need support or advice with social issues.

☎:(06) 3228765 or 027 2330200

☎0800 428484 (outside Marton area)

Health Sector

Hayley Millar, Community Health Worker, has recently held a 'Te Puna o Te Aroha' focus group hui at Rātā. Whānau and clients learnt how to produce decorative harekeke thanks to aunty Erena Metekingi-Anson and her pasta machine. Whānau are advised that another focus group hui is planned

for 17 December. Kirihimete is the theme for this hui. Heirloom tomato plants have recently been distributed to local whānau and clients. There has been an upsurge in whanau growing their own kai for a number of reasons. Our tamariki are getting into it as well.

As summer approaches we are all reminded to be sun smart and cover up, wear a hat and use sun-block.

For more information contact Hayley Millar: ☎:(06) 3228765 (Marton area)
Or ☎ 0800 428484 (outside Marton)

Wananga & Reunions

Tapui Potaka Bi-Centennial Reunion Easter weekend 2010 at Rātā Marae

Many of you who travel on State Highway 1 and drive past Rātā will have seen the Bill Board notice advertising this Reunion. The Reunion Committee is busy organizing the programme of events and services required for the reunion. An exciting weekend of activities is planned for the descendants of Tapui Potaka to enlighten you and your whānau in your Ngāti Hauiti whānaungatanga. Register now and enjoy the kaupapa.

'Hokia ki ngā maunga kia purea koe e ngā hau a Tawhirimātea'.

'Return to the mountains to be cleansed by the winds of Tawhirimātea'

Registration forms for the reunion are enclosed/attached and whānau are encouraged to register early for this event.

For further information contact;

Neville Lomax E: ngahoa@paradise.net.nz

Rata Cornell E: ko.rata@ihug.co.nz

NGĀTI HAUITI TE WAKA HOE

If you want to trace your ancestral steps then come along on the 'Rangitīkei Awa Wānanga 2009'. The Wānanga will commence with a powhiri at Winiata Marae, south of Taihape on Friday 9th January and will finish at Rātā Marae on Monday 12th January 2009.

Registrations close on the 19th December 2008. Be in quick as space is limited.

Contact **Rata Cornell** for further information including the Wānanga programme & registration forms

Email: ko.rata@ihug.co.nz

Phone: (06) 368 4992

Fax: (06) 368 4392

Research & Development

Dr Heather Gifford is working in Canada for a year and from all accounts enjoying the Canadian lifestyle. During her absence Whakauae Research Services is in the capable hands of Grant Huwyler who is guiding the team. This research sector has

been growing steadily over the years and has secured some big contracts. This sector has taken on more staff to do the work. Emily Huwyler, Lynley Cvitanovich & Dr Amohia Boulton have recently joined the Whakauae Team in Whanganui. Awhi Kingi has left to take up a position with Public Health in Whanganui. We wish her well in her new venture.

Economic & Cultural Development

Rangi Hawira has returned after a short break earlier in the year. He is refreshed and eager to face the many challenges ahead. Rangi is the 'Project Manager' for Economic and Cultural Development for Te Maru o Ruahine Trust. Rangi is based at the Utiku office and can be contacted on (06) 3881676 or E: hauiti.rangi@xtra.co.nz

Management and Iwi Support

Ngāti Hauiti Website

Check this site out by logging onto: www.ngatihauiti.iwi.nz

We are seeking the services of a whānau member to update and maintain this website. If you have the required skills to do this and are prepared to volunteer your services then please contact the office on: E: ngati.hauiti@xtra.co.nz
☎:(06) 3228765 or ☎0800 428484

Hauiti Contacts Database

There are many whānau members aged 18 years and over who need to complete a registration form to be enrolled on the Ngāti Hauiti database. Registration forms are available at the Rātā office.

We also need to be informed of any change of addresses etc., to keep our database updated. If you have whānau who have recently changed addresses then please phone or email their new contact details to:

☎: (06) 3228765 or ☎0800 hauiti
E:ngati.hauiti@xtra.co.nz

☺ Nga Kiwaha: Snippets of News

Nga mate:

Our aroha is extended to all whānau who have recently lost a loved one.

Nga whānau mai:

George Philip Kereopa Fraser was born in June to very delighted parents Peter & Putri Fraser.

He Tohu Whakatutukitanga:

Kahu Rere Moe Peina, mokopuna of John & Hera Peina, was recently admitted to the Bar in Whanganui. Kahu was sponsored by Tama Potaka

Rātā Marae News

A very successful Working Bee was held at the marae on 1st November. There was a good turnout of whānau on the day and some keen members returned the

next day to complete painting the outside of the wharekai and the floors in the ablution block. A number of jobs were completed. A combined 'Pot Luck' luncheon was held at the marae on Saturday 8th November for whānau to celebrate the 25th Anniversary and also to celebrate our kaumatua.

Hirage of the Marae Complex

Rātā Marae is used by whānau and the wider community for various functions. It is unfortunate that non payment of a few events held recently has occurred. Therefore everyone needs to understand that Rātā Marae incurs costs that need to be recovered at these times. This has resulted in the Marae Committee taking the following action to advise everyone the cost and conditions of hiring the marae.

The charges are as follows:

Day hire - \$90, Overnight - \$250

A \$500 deposit is required for hirage longer than 2 days such as a Tangihanga. Hireage of Mattresses -\$2 per mattress.

For further information contact the marae booking officer; Jo Potaka

☎: (06) 327 5556

Family Photos

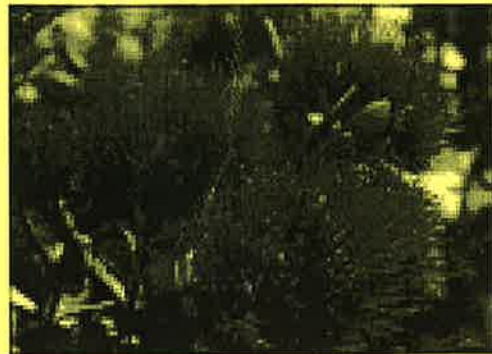
For those wanting leave photos of their loved ones in the whare puni, contact Utiku on (027) 4188589. In order to ensure that such taonga are respected, there is a process to be followed involving the observing of protocols and

rituals so speak to Utiku if you want to know more.

Calendar of Events

- Waka Hoe 9th to 12th Jan 2009
- Tapui Potaka Bi Centennial Reunion fundraiser at Rātā 21st March 09
- Tapui Potaka Bi Centennial Reunion- Easter 2010

Meri Kirihimete whānau



Tukuna nga kaupapa o te wa - ko te aroha me te rangimarie mo tatou katoa e.....



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TAPUI POTAKA WHĀNAU BI-CENTENNIAL REUNION 2010 REGISTRATION FORM

Rata Cornell
Secretary
Tapui Potaka Whānau Bi-Centennial Reunion Committee
PO Box 1137, LEVIN 5540
Email: ko.rata@ihug.co.nz

Personal Details

Surname: First Names:

Known As:

Maiden Name:

Date of Birth: Day / Month / Year (Please Tick Box) Male: Female:

Address: (Postal)

 Please include your postcode _ _ _ _

Home Phone No:

Email Address:

Registration and Attendance

How many people are you registering to attend? Adults (Enter numbers in boxes) Youth Infants

What are their names and relationship to you? (Required for Name Tags etc)

Names:	Relationship:	Age as at 1 April 2010:
Adults: _____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
Youths & Infants: _____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Reunion Fees have been set at: Infant rate (up to 6 years) \$20 - Youth rate (7 - 17 years) \$75 - Adult rate (18 + years) \$130

Fees are to be calculated on ages as at 1 April 2010. A non-refundable registration deposit of \$50, whether a youth or adult, is required to be paid by 1 October 2009, and the balance must be paid by 31 January 2010.

My cheque for \$ _____ in payment of deposit/ registration fees, is enclosed.
(Cheques made payable to: "TAPUI POTAKA BI-CENTENNIAL REUNION COMMITTEE" should be endorsed "NOT TRANSFERABLE") - Please do not enclose cash

Automatic Payment Option - Pay to: ANZ Bank - Credit of "Tapui Potaka Bi-Centennial Reunion Committee"

A/c No: 01 : 0745 : 0246435: 50 (Include your name as a payment reference)
BANK BRANCH ACCOUNT No. SUB A/c No.

Accommodation

Please indicate whether or not accommodation will be required. Information packs relating to accommodation will be mailed out upon registration. Note that the Registration fee does not cover your accommodation costs.

I will be making my own accommodation arrangements.

I will need accommodation to be arranged for _____ adults and _____ children.

Type of accommodation preferred: Motel Hotel Camping Marae
(! Tick Box for preferred option)

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WHAKAPAPA TO TAPUI POTAKA

(Please complete your genealogy from Tapui to yourself and not that of your descendants)

