

Te Korero



Matariki Degustation Dinner & Auction Saturday 28th June.



This is an important fundraiser for Te Awhina, and the Board wishes to thank Kono, King Salmon, & Talleys for their generous sponsorship, as well as all the donors for the auction who have been so generous.

In order to make this the success it was last year, we need volunteers to help with waiting on tables, washing dishes & cleaning up on Sunday 29th. Please notify Fiona or Ann ASAP if you are able to help. *Your Marae Needs You.*

Te Runanga o Ngāti Rārua

During Queen's Birthday weekend we hosted the Ngati Rarua Treaty Settlement Celebration which was attended by around 300 whanau, including 3 busloads from the King Country & Tauranga. For many the manuhiri it was their first visit to Te Tau Ihu, and they loved it. They were taken on a tour of the significant sites in our rohe accompanied by knowledgeable tour guides to tell them the stories from the past. Representatives of the Crown also attended and presented Ngati Rarua with 2 flags as a remembrance of this event, one of which remains at Te Awhina. It was a very happy celebration, made even more successful by the many whanau who volunteered their services. Te Awhina will benefit considerably because of their efforts. (the Ngati Rarua flag flies proudly over Te Awhina)



Rental

The upstairs flat is currently available for rent.

It is a very compact 1 bedroom unit, also suitable for office spaces.

Please contact Fiona or Ann if you are interested.



Te Piki Oranga, the new company responsible for delivery of DHB Kaupapa Maori Health Services across Te Tau Ihu, takes over service delivery on July 1. This is the end of an era for Te Awhina Marae which has been delivering hauora services to our community since the early 90s. The services to be delivered from Te Awhina will continue to be Alcohol and other Drug Counselling, Mental Health Support, and Whanau Ora, with the addition of Children & Adolescents Mental Health Service (CAMHS), a Registered Social Worker, and a Registered Nurse. John, Sean, Raylene and Jackie will all be employed by Te Piki Oranga.

POROPOROAKI

As Te Hauora o Te Āwhina Marae comes to a close, we will be saying haere ra to a few kaimahi:

We farewell Anna who has a new Nursing position at Nelson Hospital – we thank her for her wonderful work for our whanau during the past 2 years and wish her every success in the future. Vanessa is also leaving us - we have enjoyed her input and seeing her grow in her role during the few months she has been with us. We wish her every success in finding

Te Awhina AGM

On Saturday June 14th the Board held the 2014 Annual General Meeting. Thankyou to all who attended, and the 9 people who offered themselves for election as trustees. The Trustees for the 2014-15 year are: Ropata Taylor, Barney Thomas, Keith Palmer, Kerensa Johnston, Joy Shorrocks,

Miriana Stephens, Larry Bailey, John Morgan, Pat Park, & Aneika Young. Welcome to John, Pat & Aneika as "newbies". The Board wishes to thank Rima Piggott for her contribution to, and leadership of, the Board during the past 7 years and look forward to her continued connection as a Trustee of Te Runanga o Ngati Rarua. The new Board has held it's first meeting and Auntie Larry has accepted the position as Chairperson.



Congratulations to Fred Te Miha on achieving a significant birthday recently.

Carvings adorning the offices at Kono Horticulture recently completed by John Mutu



