



Te Kokonga Kōrero

The "Horse Shoe" – one of the many pictures taken of our rohe.

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Our Annual General Meeting will be taking place at Te Hāroto Marae at a date to be confirmed in November 2018. You will receive the information by post in due course so watch this space!

Tēnā tātou Hineuru,

It has been an exciting period for Hineuru. Since our last newsletter in May, our work has progressed in earnest. We have continued to work hard at building a solid foundation to enable the Trust to build upon our settlement aspirations and continue to progress the economic, social and environmental objectives of Hineuru.

The last several months have seen gains in a number of key areas for Hineuru. The overall investment performance for Hineuru has seen strong growth, and the long-term investment outlook is promising.

In terms of social development, we are progressing on deliverables that our iwi members have indicated to us are important to them. This includes a new legal assistance programme for our kaumātua and kuia in partnership with the Hawkes Bay Community Law Centre, progress on supporting Te Hāroto Marae for redevelopment, holding our wānanga reo and also implementing the Te Reo strategy.

In terms of our younger generation of Hineuru members, we have begun organising leadership programmes for our rangatahi, which will see the Hineuru Leadership Summit take place early in the new year.

Therefore, I continue to be very excited and optimistic for the future prospects of our members. We are also preparing for the Annual General Meeting coming up in November and are looking forward to providing further information on our mahi to all Hineuru members.

Nō reira e te iwi, he mihi maioha tēnei ki a koutou katoa.

Mai Hineuru, mō Hineuru – Tuhiao Kahukiwa (Chairman)



HINEURU NAME AND LOGO

In our last newsletter, we sought consultation from our iwi members on a new name for 'Te Kōpere o te iwi o Hineuru Trust'. During the ratification stage of the settlement, the iwi indicated they wished to revisit the name of the Trust once established. The Trustees want to ensure that the iwi is given primary recognition in the name of the Trust.

We discussed the matter with our kaumātua and kuia in Napier and Rotorua, and also sought feedback from iwi members. We received over 16 suggestions in terms of names and potential designs. The suggestions were fantastic.

We are happy to announce that of the suggestions received the Trustees have decided on the name 'Hineuru Iwi Trust'. The name is simple, easy to remember, and most importantly 'Hineuru' is prominent in the name of the Trust. Some iwi members also suggested new designs to accompany the new name. It is critical the new name and any design changes reflect who we are and our strategic priorities and aspirations.

Topia Rameka suggested using the backdrop of Tītīōkura as the design along with the new name. Given the importance and sacredness of Tītīōkura maunga range to us, we agreed to retain this as a symbol of who we are. The green represents our focus and commitment to sustainability and conservation.



We want to thank you for all of your suggestions and input. Congratulations also to Michelle Kahukiwa and Topia Rameka for winning the \$200 grocery vouchers!

TE ĀKINGA TURE

On 3 September 2018, One News featured a study showing that less than half of NZ adults that have a will and testament, and only 31% of Māori adults. This resonates with feedback we received from kaumātua and kuia at our engagement hui, many of whom indicated to us that they are in need of assistance.

We are therefore proud to announce Te Ākinga Ture, a Hineuru legal assistance programme to draft wills and testaments for up to 20 kaumātua and kuia each year. The programme is being run in partnership with the Hawkes Bay Community Law Centre, and Morrison Kent, a law firm with offices in Wellington and Auckland.

What are the criteria?

The programme is being offered as priority to all Hineuru registered members over 60 who do not currently have a will and testament. Depending on the level of uptake, we may lower the age to extend the offering to a greater number of Hineuru members.

How do I apply?

You can apply by downloading an application form on our website from the 'Latest News' section (<http://ngatihineuru.com/>) and returning it to us. Or alternatively, contact our Administrator on 07 572 59 55 and she will post the form to you.

Forms must be completed in full and received no later than **Friday 28 September 2018** to be eligible.



NOMINATIONS FOR KĀHUI KAUMĀTUA AND KUIA

Hineuru Iwi Trust is seeking nominations for the Hineuru Kāhui Kaumātua Committee, to provide advice and guidance in terms of Hineuru tikanga, kawa and whakapapa.

This initiative is a result of feedback from kaumātua and kuia at our engagement hui. The role of the kāhui kaumātua will be to:

- Advise on aspects of tikanga and kawa for Hineuru
- Provide a kaumātua and kuia perspective on the annual plan, 5-year plan and future strategy and direction of Hineuru
- Provide advice on issues related to Hineuru projects
- Making decisions on eligibility for iwi membership

Nomination forms are available on our website from the 'Latest News' section (<http://ngatihineuru.com/>). Or alternatively, contact our Administrator on 07 572 59 55 and she will post the form to you.

We are extending the period of nominations until 5.00pm, 6 October 2018.



HĪKOI TŪTUKI AND TE POUTIRI AO O TĀNE

We are pleased to promote Hīkoi Tūtuki on Saturday 3 November 2018. Hīkoi Tūtuki is a programme developed by Trevor Taurima. It is funded by Poutiri Ao o Tāne, an ecological and social restoration project for the Maungaharuru-Tangitū catchment, with support from the Department of Conservation ('DOC'). It is also supported by Ngāti Pahauwera, Hawkes Bay Regional Council and other community advisory groups.

The day is a chance for Hineuru to visit a number of sites of significance, including Titiōkura, to learn about history, culture, restoration and identity. DOC is providing a free bus. Seats are limited so register early by emailing info@ngatihineuru.com or contacting our Administrator on 07 572 59 55. Please let us know your full name, age, address and why you wish to attend.

TE TAOHI ORA O HINEURU

We are pleased to announce Te Taiohi Ora o Hineuru, our Hineuru Rangatahi Leadership Summit. We want to provide a platform to encourage under 18-year old Hineuru rangatahi to encourage networks and interpersonal spaces to support each other and build leadership potential. Te Taiohi will encourage young people to develop their own leadership attributes and skills.

Some of the skills to include in the training are:

- What it takes to lead a team
- Thought innovation
- Communication
- Skills in planning and managing projects
- Hineuru design challenge

The date of the Rangatahi Leadership Summit is 14 to 18 January 2019 at Te Haroto Marae. Details will follow on the application process.

