



Ngāti Koata, Ngāti Rārua, Wakatu, Ngāti Tama, Te Ātiawa

Panui No 11 - November 2007

*Tuia i runga, tuia i raro, tuia i te herenga tangata
Tihei mauri ora!*

Nationwide Hui

First Week

Date	Time	Venue
12 November	11am – 1pm	Trailways Inn, Trafalgar Street NELSON
	6.30pm – 8.30pm	Southern Cross Hotel Cnr Princes & High Street DUNEDIN
13 November	10am – 12 noon	Copthorne Commodore Airport Motel 449 Memorial Avenue Burnside CHRISTCHURCH
	6pm – 8pm	Copthorne Marlborough 20 Nelson Street BLLENHEIM
14 November	11am – 1pm	Quayside Restaurant & Conference Centre 10 West Quay Ahuriri NAPIER
	7pm – 9pm	Waipuna Conference Centre 58 Waipuna Road Mt Wellington AUCKLAND
15 November	11am – 1pm	Flames Motel Waverley Street Onerahi WHANGAREI

Second Week

3 December	11am – 1pm	Mercure Hotel Willis Street WELLINGTON
	6pm – 8pm	Kingsgate Hotel 110 Fitzherbert Avenue PALMERSTON NORTH
4 December	10am – 12 noon	Kingsgate Avenue Hotel 379 Victoria Avenue WANGANUI
	6pm – 8pm	The Autolodge 391 Devon Street East NEW PLYMOUTH
5 December	11am – 1pm	Panorama Motor Inn 59 Awakino Road TE KUITI
	7pm – 9pm	Kingsgate Te Rapa 100 Garnett Avenue HAMILTON

E te iwi whanui, we are on the road again soon and we will be visiting thirteen centers throughout the Motu. This is a similar trip to the Mandating Hui round that we conducted in late 2005 and we would love to see as many of you there as possible. We will be giving Hui attendees an update on recent past activities as well as give a briefing on the upcoming negotiations process which is planned to start in the new year of 2008.

Official Signing of the Terms of Negotiation

We are currently in discussions with the Office of Treaty Settlements (OTS) concerning the Terms of Negotiation document. We have had several meetings with OTS and this document is almost finalised. The official signing ceremony of the Terms of Negotiation is scheduled to occur at Whakatu Marae, Nelson on Tuesday 27 November 2007, commencing at 2pm. After the powhiri and official signing, an afternoon tea will be served in the wharekai. **No reira e te Iwi, nau mai haere mai ki tenei hui. Hei awahi, hei tautoko te kaupapa nui o te ra nei. Kaua e wareware 27 November, Whakatu Marae.** The Minister in Charge of Treaty Negotiations, Hon Mark Burton, will be signing on behalf of the Crown and it is possible that the Minister of Maori Affairs, Hon Parekura Horomia will be attending to sign the document as well. A number of government officials will be there also. All of our Directors of Tainui Taranaki ki te Tonga will be signing on behalf of the constituent Iwi, hapu and whānau claimants.

Iwi Registrations

We ask that all whānau endeavour to keep their Iwi registrations current. If you have additions to your whānau, add their names to your Iwi register, and also important is to keep your mailing address up to date. We apologise to those few who may receive more than one panui at a time. Tainui Taranaki ki te Tonga don't have their own mailing list, and rely upon the Iwi Trusts to provide address information. We are aware many of our people are registered with more than one entity, hence sometimes receiving more than one panui. This is a process we are endeavouring to work through, so we ask whānau to bear with us.

Waitangi Tribunal – First & Second Preliminary Reports

Summaries of both these reports are now available on our website www.tainuitaranaki.co.nz. We commissioned an independent person to compile each summary report and so the various views expressed or implied do not necessarily reflect the views of Tainui Taranaki ki te Tonga or its shareholders. However, the reports were commissioned to provide our constituent Iwi members with a summary of the important points and facts that are being highlighted by the Tribunal. Please give the office a call if you would like copies of these summary reports posted out to you. We are also expecting the Waitangi Tribunal to release the final report for the Te Tau Ihu district by Christmas 2007. We will keep you posted on that release when it happens.

No reira e te Iwi

Ahakoā, he iti, he pounamu

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