

Changes in Maungaharuru-Tangitū Trust

There have been many changes within Maungaharuru-Tangitū Trust (MTT) recently, as we embrace being in post-settlement phase. This pānui welcomes new staff members and acknowledges the transition of other key staff and our previous Chairperson. There is a new Chairperson, and we have also have moved into a new office.

Ngā Mihi Aroha (Heartfelt Thanks)

As mentioned in previous pānui, Uncle Bevan Taylor has resigned as Trustee of the Maungaharuru-Tāngitū Trust. Uncle Bevan was Chairperson for decades and led our Hapū through the Treaty Settlement process.

Whakiao Hopmans (aka Aunty Daise) will no longer be working as Registration Officer. Aunty Daise has worked very hard for our Hapū over many years.

Kelly May has been working as a contractor for MTT. She is now taking time out to care for her pēpi. We wish her and her young whānau well.

We can't express our gratitude enough here so will thank them more appropriately and with greater mana at the next Hui-ā-Hapū (3 October 2015).

Chairperson

Tamehana (Tom) Manaena

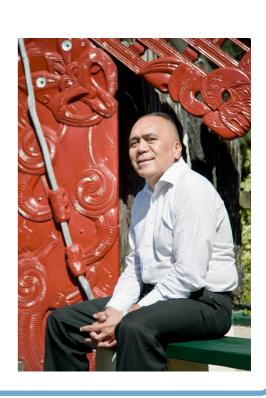
Ko Ngāti Kahungunu, Ngāti Porou, Kai Tahu ōku iwi; Ko Ngāi Tauira, Ngāti Hinemoa, Ngāti Pahawera, Te Aitanga-a-Hauiti ōku hapū;

Ko Waipatu, Tangoio, Ruakapanga ōku marae;

Ko Ngāpuhi tōku iwi, Ko Ngāitu Teauru tōku hapū, Ko Pukerata tōku marae.

The new Chairperson is Tamehana (Tom) Manaena who has been a Maungaharuru-Tangitū Trust Trustee for three years. Tom is currently and has been a Trustee and Director on other Boards. He has a background nationally and internationally in finance, investments, business and Māori development. Tom has a Bachelor of Business Studies Degree, with an Accounting major.

His aspiration is "to build a strong enduring economic base to support the social, cultural and environmental well-being of our whānau."



Kaimahi (Staff)



The Maungaharuru-Tangitū Trust kaimahi, from left to right: Jarrod Wilkinson-Smith, Hayley Lawrence, Charmaine Butler, Ina Kara-France, and Shayne Walker.

Shayne Walker

Ko Ngāi Te Ipu, Ngāti Hine, Ngāti Hinepua ōku hapū, ko Whakakī tōku marae; Ko Ngāti Hinepare, Ngāti Mahu, Ngāti Tawhao ōku hapū, Ko Wharerangi, ko Moteo ōku marae. Kaiwhakahaere Matua - General Manager

In March we welcomed Shayne as our new manager and he has been very busy since. Shayne has a background in the meatworks, justice and health sectors and an Executive Masters in Business Administration.

"I feel privileged to be in a position where I can work alongside of you all as we co-design a prosperous future for the Hapū of Maungaharuru-Tangitū."

Ina Kara-France

Ko Ngāti Tū, Ngāi Te Ruruku ōku hapū, ko Tangoio tōku marae.

Ko Ngāti Pahauwera ōku hapū, Ko Mohaka tōku marae.

Ko Ngāti Koroki, Kahukura ōku hapū, Ko Maungatautari tōku marae.

Ko Ngāti Tipa ōku hapū, Ko Kotahitanga tōku marae.

Ko Rangiita ōku hapū, Ko Waitetoko tōku marae.

Ko Ngāti Waiatarua ōku hapū, Ko Te Ihupuku tōku marae.

Ko Tumango, Tupoho ōku hapū, Ko Putiki tōku marae.

Kaitātari Matua - Senior Policy Advisor

Ina is the daughter of the late Te Ao Pehi Kara and has whakapapa to our Hapū through her Grandfather Karaitiana Aranui. Ina's role involves working on policies and procedures. She will also build upon relationships with our partners such as the Department of Conservation and Councils. Ina has a Masters in Business Administration majoring in International Business and a Postgraduate Business Diploma in Māori Development.

"Abundance is our birthright, our present is powerful, and our future is blessed"

Jarrod Wilkinson-Smith

Ko Rākaipāka tōku hapū, ko Manutai tōku marae.

Ko Ngāti Kahungunu, me Tuwharetoa, me Whakatohea hoki ōku iwi.

Kaiwhakawhanake-a-Hapū - Hapū Development Manager

Jarrod was born in Wellington but raised and educated in his parents' hometown of Hawkes Bay. He is very happy to return home with his young whānau after 5 years in China. Jarrod's role is to build our Hapū capability to improve the social outcomes and quality of life for our whānau. Jarrod has a Bachelor of Arts Degree in Māori and Psychology, as well as a National Certificate in Exercise Science. "Through co-operation and focus, together we can achieve the goals of Maungaharuru-Tangitū"

Charmaine Butler (nee Taurima)

Ko Ngāti Tū, Ngāti Kurumōkihi ōku hapū, ko Tangoio tōku marae.

Ko Rongomaiwahine tōku iwi, Ko Tuahuru tōku marae.

Kaiwhakahaere Tari - Office Manager

Charmaine was born and bred in Tangoio. She has worked tirelessly for MTT as Administrator for four years. Her role has changed in this post-settlement phase, and she is now Office Manager. Charmaine has experience in administration and finance, is a current Trustee for MTT and has recently resigned as Marae Chairperson.

"My vision is to have a healthy and wealthy hapū. To have extensive support available for our kaumātua, and good direction for our tamariki."

Hayley Lawrence

Ko te iwi Pākehā tōku iwi. Ko Ngāti Tū, Ngāti Kurumōkihi, Ngāi Te Ruruku ngā hapū o tōku whānau, ko Tangoio te marae.

Kaiwhakahaere Whakapā - Communications Manager

Hayley's partner (Rangitane Taurima) and their tamariki are from our Hapū of Maungaharuru-Tangitū. Hayley has worked for MTT for a couple of years as Project Manager. Hayley's new role expands on the communications and Registrations mahi (work) for MTT. She works part-time as she cares for her two young tamariki. Hayley has a PhD in Conservation Genetics and a Diploma in Arts (Māori Studies). "I enjoy being in contact with whānau and look forward to communicating the new and exciting opportunities that are being created for our Hapū."

Tari (Office)

We have had to move from our office in Marewa, due to lease issues and limited space. The tari is now located in Ahuriri, with access to a boardroom (in sight of Maungaharuru). We look forward to the exciting opportunities to use this space for hui, wānanga, workshops etc. for whānau. The address is First floor, 15 Hardinge Rd, Ahuriri (opposite Hot Chick). Please feel free to come and visit us!

Come and meet our kaimahi!

At **5pm Tuesday 11 August** we will have a casual kai at the tari (office). This is an opportunity for you to come and meet the kaimahi, have a kai and a korero. We would love to meet you, hear your ideas and what matters to you and your whanau. If you are keen to come, please RSVP by **12pm Monday 10 August** to info@tangoio.maori.nz or 0800 TANGOIO.

