

Maranga Mai!

Uenuku Charitable Trust

Children of the Rainbow

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HE MAMAE AROHA

Tangi atu rā ngā tini aituā, koutou kua riro ki tua o Paerau e ngau kino nei e te mamae. Taku aroha noa i te mūrau a te tini, te wenerau a te mano. Moe mai i roto i ngā ringaringa o te Ariki, oti atu e. E ngā mana, e ngā reo, e ngā kanohi ora o Uenuku koutou hoki ngā mātāwaka e takahi nei i te whenua hei tutuki i ngā wawata o rātou mā. Mauri ora ki a tātou katoa.

KEEPING YOU CONNECTED

UCT wants to engage with Uenuku individuals who are aged 18 years and over, so that they can vote, and receive and access information to stay updated and informed.

Registrations can be completed at www.uenuku.iwi.nz or you can download and print a pdf copy; or text "*Rego Form*" to 027-2433561, or phone the UCT Office (06 385 4900).

Communications is the glue that holds our relationships together

Kei aku Rangatira, mōkori anō te mihi.

Firstly, since taking over the role of publishing *Maranga Mai* I want to thank Moana Dawson for providing a good foundation and positive start with the previous issues. *Me mihi ki a koe ka tika.*

The UCT newsletter 'Maranga Mai', features items by Uenuku for Uenuku on current and new developments, upcoming events and interesting stories from within our borders and

beyond. UCT will also contribute Uenuku kōrero to 'Te Pūtaka'; a monthly insert in the Whanganui Chronicle. This is where we profile Uenuku high achievers whom excel in their respective fields, from the marae and around the world.

Our high achiever in the next issue is Kawana Wallace, a young man who has made it his personal goal to inspire more Māori rangatahi into the fields of engineering and computer

science. Starting with the children at Raetihi Primary School.

These issues are an extremely positive opportunity for UCT to provide a communication link with our iwi members and the wider community on matters of importance, reaching a circulation of potentially 30 thousand homes. Yes, issues can be read on our website and you can also receive a pdf copy by email.

Pānuitia! Kōrerohia!

Why should Uenuku descendants register with UCT?

"It's your Birthright! As a descendant of Uenuku, you'll be updated on matters of importance, able to vote on important tribal resolutions, able to help contribute toward and enhance economic development, and assist in further scoping to strengthen whānau, hapū, and marae development."

"As we embark on this journey, I look forward to raising the awareness of our kaupapa and look forward to meeting you all."

Mahanga Williams,
Uenuku Charitable Trust Communications Manager.



NGĀTI MARINGI HAPŪ

Notice of Annual General Meeting

The Annual General Meeting for the Ngāti Maringi Hapū will commence at 10am on Saturday 18th April 2015 at 7 Seddon Street, Raetihi.

The Ngati Maringi Hapu delegates invites all Ngāti Maringi whānau to attend.

Enquiries to Crystal 021 0719931

CLAIMANTS HUI

Wai Claimants within Te Wainuiarua (Central Whanganui District) are invited to a Treaty information hui regarding UCT draft Mandate Strategy, representation on UCT Board of Trustees and representation within UCT's Treaty Negotiation Structure.

The hui is set for Sunday 19th April 2015 starting 12pm at Raetihi Pa. The agenda for the hui is;

- **12.00pm** Arrive
- **12.30pm** Lunch
- **1.00pm** Presentation from UCT
- **3.00pm** Hui finished

MARAE COLLECTIVE HUI

Marae members within Te Wainuiarua (Central Whanganui District) are invited to a Treaty information hui regarding UCT draft Mandate Strategy and representation on UCT Board of Trustees.

The hui is set for Sunday 26th April 2015 starting 12pm at Mangamingi Pa. The agenda for the hui is;

- **12.00pm** Mihi Whakatau
- **12.30pm** Lunch
- **1.00pm** Presentation from UCT
- **2.00pm** Hui finished

NEXT UCT HUI: 18 April, Raetihi Pa,

TUKUNA MAI: If Uenuku members would like to contribute Whānau, Iwi, Hapū or a Marae notice in upcoming issues, the process is simple: Email your stuff to mahanga@uenuku.iwi.nz.

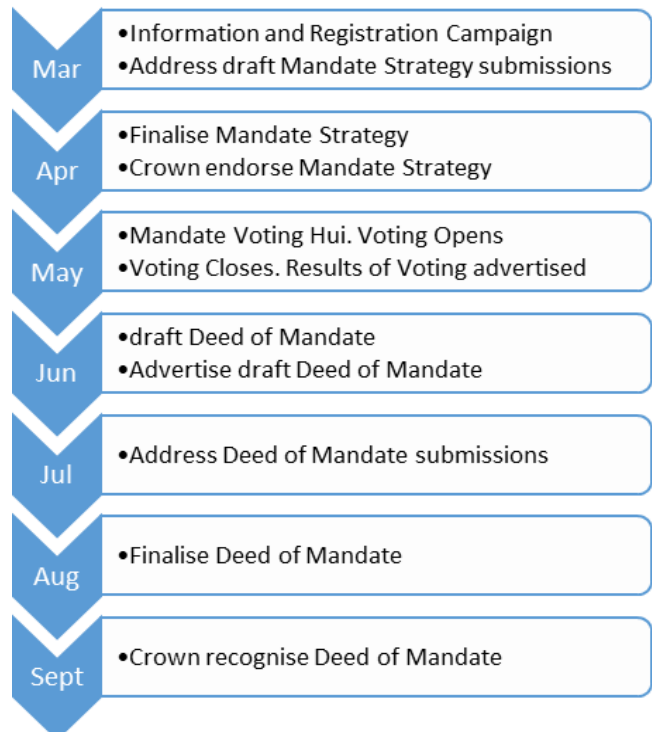
Treaty Update: by Steven Hirini (UCT Project Manager)

On the 4th March 2015, Uenuku Charitable Trust signed a Contract for Funding with the Crown Forestry Rental Trust (CFRT) for Operational Funding to achieve a Deed of Mandate with the Crown.

This achievement and significant milestone is the result of 12 months of committed work by the interim Trustees of UCT. This hard work was recognised by CFRT Trustees and accepting UCT as having fulfilled the governance, management and financial requirements necessary for UCT to receive and manage CFRT funding to engage in negotiations with the Crown.

This funding support will allow UCT to strengthen its organisational structure and systems as it embarks on an extensive engagement process with the central Whanganui claimant community in seeking a mandate to negotiate the comprehensive settlement of all historical Treaty of Waitangi claims that relate to the central Whanganui Large Natural Grouping (LNG).

UCT will continue its commitment in being open and transparent as it works through Crowns treaty settlement process. Stay tuned whanau as we are about to implement our communications strategy with information and registration campaigns to align with the below milestones and timeframes that are indicative and subject to change.



For more information, check out our website or email enquiries@uenuku.iwi.nz,