

“Have your say...”



Over the next two to three years, Ngāti Raukawa will be engaged in preparing and presenting its grievances to the Waitangi Tribunal. A key task for Te Hono ki Raukawa is to engage iwi members in the work that is underway and to support the claimants and hapū who have lodged claims. We have put together a range of communication tools including our website, quarterly newspaper Kōtuitui, a mobile app that iwi members can receive pānui and a newly launched weekly e-panui.

We currently have veteran journalists Queenie Rikihana Hyland (Ngāti Koroki) and Whare Akuhata (Ngāti Kapu) supporting our communications effort with the preparation of articles and preparation of interviews. Azriel Ratu provides technical support in terms of uploading the content to our digital tools and Daphne Luke, Te Hono’s project manager provides editorial support.

The team completed a review of its communications efforts over the last year and decided that our efforts would be greatly enhanced with contributions from the iwi. Along the lines of a community newspaper, we are inviting iwi members to submit articles relating to Treaty claims of up to 500 words along with a photograph for consideration. If published in any of our media, we will pay 30c a word and \$20 for the photograph to the submitter. We would welcome articles written in either te reo Māori or te reo Pakeha.

Please submit your articles in Word file to thkr.trust@gmail.com. All publishing decisions by our editors will be final.

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