

KAITAIA CONNECT

Connecting communities in Te Hiku

June 2021 – Winter

FREE!

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Help reach your Financial Aspirations

Kaitaia Family Budgeting Service Manager Raewyn Flay knows there is a lot of stigma around the word budgeting.

Budgeting is just one small part of what her and the team of Financial Mentors do.

Based alongside the Kaitaia Community House, the service has been helping whānau take control of their finances for more than 30 years.

Raewyn says Financial Mentors can meet one-on-one with individuals or whānau to help them achieve their financial aspirations. This can be done through:

- Individual financial mentoring
- Community education groups
- Goal setting sessions.

“It’s a place where you can come and discuss your goals and aspirations around building financial capability,” says Raewyn.

Although they’re based in Kaitaia, they work with people from Panguru, to Taupō Bay and north to Cape Reinga.

Raewyn encourages anybody who wants to look at their finances to get in touch with them – and not wait until there is a moment of crisis.

You may have had a change in working hours, an unexpected expense or want to make sure you’re prepared for an emergency – something many whānau are thinking about following the COVID-19 lockdown.

You might just want to come in for a korero to make sure you’re on the right track.

The service recently helped a client who wasn’t sure if she should continue her mortgage payments at the same rate during lockdown, but the Financial Mentors worked with her through all the options.

“She actually chose to keep paying the rate she was currently paying which saved three years off her mortgage, and that was

her decision, and she was stoked,” says Raewyn.

You can make an appointment by visiting their office at 12 Puckey Avenue, Kaitaia, on their website or Facebook page, or by calling 09 408 1021.

If your whānau and friends outside of Northland need support too, you can direct them to our national MoneyTalks helpline.

MoneyTalks connects people and whānau with their local foodbanks, helps them find their way through Work and Income processes and entitlements and supports people to manage their money.

Anybody can get in touch with our MoneyTalks team on 0800 345 123 if they need help with day-to-day money matters like budgeting and debt management. And, it’s free!

Reach out to Kaitaia Family Budgeting Service or the MoneyTalks helpline today if you want help to reach your financial aspirations.



Painting Exhibition

Robin Shepherd's 2021 exhibition of colourful land and seascapes of Upper Northland will open at 11am on Saturday 5th June in Te Ahu Centre, Kaitaia. The exhibition will be displayed throughout June.

The artist considers these works as being especially suited for hanging in modern homes and businesses.

FRIDAY 4TH JUNE 2021 - KAITAIA

CHILD AND YOUTH WELL-BEING

SYMPOSIUM FOR EDUCATORS AND COMMUNITY MEMBERS IN KAITAIA

Five of the very best speakers in Aotearoa at four venues in Kaitaia for one day only!

Event programme:

10am—12pm: Keynote Speaker (Session One)

12pm—1pm: Lunch (at each venue)

1pm—3pm: Keynote Speaker (Session Two)

Keynote speakers and venues:

- Pio Terei and Nix Adams (Kaitaia Intermediate School Hall)
- Dr Hinemoa Elder (Te Ahu Centre)
- Ngahihi o te ra Bidois (Kaitaia Primary School Hall)
- Jase Te Patu (Kaitaia College Hall)

Listen to different speakers on the day by changing venues between the AM and PM sessions.



Pio Terei and Nix Adams



Dr Hinemoa Elder



Ngahihi o te ra Bidois



Jase Te Patu

For further details contact Brendon Morrissey
principal@kaitaiaprimarieschool.nz

Far North
Principals Association



MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
TE TĀHUHU O TE MĀTAURANGA

June 2021

TUE 1 JUN

Alcoholics Anonymous: Is Alcohol costing you more than money? We can Help! Every Tuesday. 7pm start. St Andrew's Church Hall, Colonel Mould Drive, Mangonui. For more info contact: 0800 AA WORKS.

Feed My Lambs: A place for mums to get together to korero, learn and share food with one another. Every Tuesday. 11am. Contact Lucy on 027 3581925 or email: lu-cy@rongopaihouse.org.nz

Kanikani Kids Dance: Every Tuesday from 9.30am, Far North REAP. \$5 per child, first class is Free. Check out the Kanikani Kids Dance and Parties facebook page, for more info.

Legacy Sisterhood: Transforming Women to overcome Domestic Violence, Anger, Substance abuse, depression, relationship issues etc. Every Tuesday at 12 Puckey Avenue, Kaitaia. Contact 0800 110582 or visit facebook page Man up and Legacy Muriwhenua for more info.

WED 2 JUN

Alzheimer's Northland - Home Carer's seminar: This Free one day seminar is specifically designed for Carer's looking after loved ones at home. Contact Margot Ah Sam for more info or to register phone 027 442 7258 or visit www.alzheimersnorthland.org.nz

Kaitaia Area Community Hui: "A well connected community helps to improve the safety, resilience and well-being of all residents". 5:30pm at Banquet Room, Te Ahu Community Centre Corner of Mathews Ave and South Road, SH10. Find out more about Neighbourhood Support. 1hr meeting, followed by a BBQ!

Zumba: Oruaiti School, 2554 SH10, Mangonui. 6-7pm, every Wednesday. \$8 single class, 5 classes for \$35. First class is FREE! For more info contact Jocelyn 020 4092 2575.

Digital Boost Workshop with Digital Ambassador: Abbey Duncan-Hughes- How to BOOST your online business. If you are running a business then you need to be online. From 10am-12:00pm at Kaitaia Digital Hub, 66-70 Commerce Street, Kaitaia. Get lessons for FREE!

FRI 4 JUN

Modern Jive for Fun & Friendship: Every Friday in Mangonui Community Hall. Adult Beginners class 7.30-8.30pm, practise till 9pm. No need to book, just turn up. Singles and couples welcome. \$10 per person. Contact Linley 027 4846791.

Way to Play: Specifically designed caregivers, health and education professionals, and anyone directly involved with a young child on the Autism Spectrum. Learn some practical strategies for how to play in fun and exciting ways. Far North Reap, 33 Puckey Ave, Kaitaia.

Caregivers fee: \$20 and professional fee: \$50. Visit farnorthreap.org.nz for more info and registration.

Child and Youth wellbeing: Symposium for educators and community members in Kaitaia. Key speakers are Pio Terei and Nix Adams, Dr Hinemoa Elder, Ngahihi o te ra Bidois and Jase Te Patu. For more info email principal@kaitaiaprimarieschool.nz

Aikido: Every Wednesday. Adult classes. Defence Arts. Ki Development. Relaxation Techniques. Kaingaroa Hall, 5:30 - 6:30pm. \$6 per lesson. Contact: Sensei Kirk Hargreaves on 0212061486.

Plus Club: Want to learn how to upcycle or mend your clothes? Save money and the environment? Once a month club. At @Ano Ano, 6 Bank St, Kaitaia. Koha appreciated. For more info pop into Eco Centre or email info@ecocentre.co.nz.

5-6 JUN

Tai Tokerau Low and Slow Barbecue Comp: Jack Daniels and Barbecue BOI proudly present Northland's first low and slow BBQ competition. Live Music and food for purchase. Top 10 Holiday Park, Paihia. Open to public from 10am—4pm. Koha Entry. Visit: www.facebook.com/events/282707293508332 for more info.

The amazing Dinosaur discovery: Come and explore the prehistoric ages and discover over 30 lifelike dinosaurs. Check out amazingdinosaurdiscovery.co.nz for more info.

SAT 5 JUN

Mangonui Craft Market: Every Saturday. Mangonui Memorial Hall, Waterfront Drive, Mangonui. 9.00am - 1.30pm. Contact: Judy Wells, 09 406 0236.

Kaitaia Saturday Market: Every Saturday. Old warehouse carpark, Matthews Avenue, Kaitaia. 7am - 12 noon. Contact: Carol, 021 1831655.

Jackson Taylor Band: Awanui Hotel. \$20 ticket. 5-9pm. Purchase tickets from Awanui Hotel, Awanui.

MON 7 JUNE

Zumba: Every Monday. Taipa School Gym, 578 State Highway 10, Taipa. 6-7pm. \$8 per class or a \$35 punch card for 5 classes. First class is FREE! For more info contact Jocelyn 020 4092 2575.

Whare Manaaki: Every Monday. 11am-2pm, our youth nurse prescriber and youth worker are at Whare Manaaki, Ahipara. They offer a FREE & CONFIDENTIAL service to all ages but would love to see more youth utilizing this free service.

TUE 8 JUNE

Ministry of Voice: Fundraising Concert for Choir Uniforms and Big Sing. 7-8.30pm at Kaitaia Abundant Life School. For more info visit <https://www.eventbrite.co.nz/e/ministry-of-voice-in-concert-tickets-154055204263>



MINISTRY OF EDUCATION
TE TĀHUHU O TE MĀTAURANGA

Te Manawa Tahī o Te Hiku

Timetable—Term 2 2021

Wed 2 June: Mangonui War Memorial Hall. 9.30am— 12.30pm

Thurs 3 June: Herekino School, Kaitaia—Awaroa Road, Herekino. 9.30am— 12.30pm. Papatere School, 157 West coast rd, Awanui. 10am-12 pm.

Wed 16 June: Whakawhiti Ora Pai, Te Hapua. 10am-12pm.

Thurs 17 June: Pamapurua School, SH1. 9.30am —12.30pm.

Thurs 1 July: Whakawhiti Ora Pai, 5 Lamb rd, Pukenui. 10am— 12pm.

Wed 14 July: Ministry of Education, 2-12 Commerce St, Kaitaia. 9.30am-12.30pm.

WED 9 JUN E

On Top Toastmasters: Would you like to improve your speaking and listening skills? Meet every second and fourth Wednesday of the month via zoom or in person. For more info contact Peter: 0212503847 or email ontop@d112tm.org.nz or visit www.facebook.com/finebunch

Parent/caregiver Support group for Autism: Ministry of Education building, 2-12 Commerce Street, Kaitaia. 10am -12 noon. For more info contact: Uschi on 09 4086937 or 021 240 6616.

Dune Restoration Planting Day: Lake Waiporohita, Karikari Peninsula. 10am– 2pm. For more info contact Sana Ryan on 0212167720 or email wrvt@xtra.co.nz or Jo Murray on 0211380413 or email jo@teahoturoa.org.nz

Alzheimer's Northland—Kaitaia Carer Support Group: This FREE Support Group is specifically designed for whanau who are caring for their loved one with Alzheimer's at home. Please call Margot Ah Sam for more info phone 027 442 7258 or visit www.alzheimersnorthland.org.nz

THUR 10 JUNE

Business and Professional Women: Doubtless Bay. Monthly meeting. Mill Bay Yacht Club, 5 Silver Egg Rd Mangonui. Meets on the 2nd Thursday of every month. From 6.30— 8.30pm. Cost:\$35. <https://www.bpwnz.org.nz/event/monthly-meetings-doubtless-bay>

12-15 JUN

Silent Insight Awareness Meditation (IAM) Retreats: A simple, practical and profound practice that encourages us to become the impartial observer of one's self. For more info visit <https://www.tushitamysteryschool.co.nz/iam-meditation-retreats/>

SUN 13 JUNE

Traditional Maori Healing Day: Interested in Mirimiri, Romiromi, card readers and more? Parapara Marae, 11 Parapara– Toatoa Rd, Taipa. 9am-3pm. Koha Entry. For more info contact TinaLee Yates on 0274846901.

TUE 15 JUN

Let us shine some light: Do you have questions about getting connected to ultra-fast broadband? Want some advice? Chorus is offering a pop in service to discuss any questions you may have. 3-6pm. Far North RSA, 12 Matthews Ave, Kaitaia. Contact 0800 600 100 for more info.

NZSTA Finance 2 Kaitaia: School Board of Trustees upskill training. Te Ahu Centre- Conference Room, Corner SH1 and Mathews Avenue, Kaitaia. 6-8pm. Register at Event.brite.co.nz

Business and Professional Women: Kaitaia. Monthly Meeting, 3rd Tuesday of each month. Orana Restaurant, 238 Commerce street, Kaitaia. Starts 5:30pm. We have fellowship for the first half hour then dinner, guest

speaker followed by a short meeting. Cost \$29.

SAT 19 JUN

The Cape to Kaitaia Cycle Challenge: 111km cycle race from Cape Reinga to Kaitaia. The ride is hosted by the Far North Flash Cycling Club and is New Zealand's northern most Cycle Challenge. Visit c2k.co.nz for more info.

Te Korau – Take your ideas further: Learn awesome kaupaki (business) skills in a supportive whanau environment that will awahi and tautoko you to pursue your entrepreneurial dreams. To register email capabilitybuilder-snz@gmail.com

20-26 JUNE

Te Wiki Tuao A-Motu– National Volunteer Week: Want to become a volunteer? Check out the back page, for further info.

WED 23 JUN

Civil Defence Info Evening: The 'what, who, where, when and how' when disaster strikes. Te Ahu Centre at 5.30pm. Light refreshments provided.

SAT 26 JUN

Te Hiku O Te Ika Marae Midwinter Social: DJ Pao Pao. Theme: Motown/ Disco. Best dressed prize. Spot Prizes plus much more. Refreshments available throughout the night. Ticket: \$25 sold at the Te Kao Store and online. No BYO. 6.00-11.00 pm. For more info visit www.tehapumarae.nz

SUN 27 JUN

Car Boot sale: Far North RSA carpark, 12 Matthews Ave, Kaitaia. 9am to 12 noon. \$10 per car. No food items. For more info contact Tracy on 09 408 0423.

Save the Dates

16-17 JULY

Artisan Affair: Te Ahu Centre. If you are interested in having a stall, contact Geraldine Pennell on 0276363227 or email arts-farnorth@gmail.com.

TUE 20 JULY

Mate Wareware: Interested in mate wareware (dementia), come and listen. Te Ahu Centre. Free admission.

THU 23 SEPT

Wonderland Glow Show: Te Ahu Centre, Kaitaia. For more info visit: <https://www.eventfinda.co.nz/2021/wonderland-glow-show/kaitaia>

15-16 OCT

GR8-X Fishing Competition: Overnight surf casting competition. Check out facebook.com/GR8XComp for more info.

SAT 6 NOV

Kaitangata Car show and Run 10th Anniversary: Car show and cruise fundraising for local community groups yet to be confirmed for 2021.

The Kaitaia Business Association

CIVIL DEFENCE

INFO EVENING

The 'What, Who, Where, When and How' when disaster strikes

23 JUNE @ 5:30PM, TE AHU CENTRE
LIGHT REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED

I'm DRY this JULY

Dry July is a fundraiser that challenges you to go alcohol-free and raise funds for New Zealanders affected by cancer.

The funds raised by participants of Dry July 2021 will help Look Good Feel Better NZ, Bowel Cancer NZ, PINC & STEEL NZ and Prostate Cancer Foundation of New Zealand improve the comfort, care and wellbeing of people affected by cancer.

That's something not to drink to!

Emergency Contact Numbers

Police, Ambulance and Fire Bridge: 111

Lifeline: 0800 543 354

Youth line: 0800 376 633

Crisis Helpline: 0508 828 865

Health line: 0800 611 116

Money Talks: 0800 345 123

Problem Gambling: 0800 664 262

Work and Income: 0800 559 009

Inland Revenue: 0800 775 247

Volunteering Northland

Wanting to Volunteer?
A huge range of roles on our website
Need a volunteer?
Contact us

20-26 JUNE 2021
#NVW2021

**RECOGNISE
CONNECT
REIMAGINE**

TE WIKI TŪAO Ā-MOTU
national volunteer week

09-945-4984 or 0800-865-268 info@volunteeringnorthland.nz

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Te Kōrau
Take your ideas further

Te Kōrau is a wānanga-based business development programme that equips aspiring rakahinonga (entrepreneurs) with the insights, relationships, and tools needed to turn an idea, talent, or passion into a sustainable business venture.

Learn awesome kaupakihi (business) skills in a supportive whānau environment that will awahi and tautoko you to pursue your entrepreneurial dreams.

The Te Kōrau programme will be delivered over two intensive wānanga on marae as well as weekly drop-in sessions, so you can live and breathe māori entrepreneurship.

WĀNANGA 1: SAT 19TH & SUN 20TH JUNE
WĀNANGA 2: SAT 17TH & SUN 18TH JUNE
ROMA MARAE, AHIPARA

Email: capabilitybuildersnz@gmail.com

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Te Hiku Iwi
TE HIKU
joint work programme


Northland Inc
Growing Northland's Economy
Kia Hāu ki te Whānau o Te Tai Tokerau

CBNZ

HIPPY
Learning to learn together

Do you have a child between 3-4 years of age?

HIPPY is a home based programme that helps you teach your child the skills they need to get the best start at school



If you live in the Far North contact:

Kate Beran
Te Rarawa Anga Mua
16 Matthews Ave
Kaitiaki

For more information about HIPPY, or other HIPPY locations, visit www.greatpotentials.org.nz/hippy

HIPPY IS FREE IN THE FAR NORTH

ENROLLING FOR 2021

P or Txt 0226576369
E kateb@terarawa.co.nz
f HIPPY-Kaitiaki (request to join)

HIPPY Home Interaction Programme for Parents and Youngsters
Enabled by Great Potentials Foundation

Register now!

AUTISM
Every step together

Way to Play
Playing with a child with autism can be challenging, so the Way to Play workshop offers simple, easy to use strategies to begin playing joyously



Way to Play is specifically designed for parents/caregivers/whānau, health and education professionals, and anyone directly involved with a young child on the Autism Spectrum, who want some practical strategies for how to play in fun and exciting ways together.

"The difference for me and my son is immense. The change in how we play has been great. I find that if I just play in this way with him for a bit of time at the start of the day, the rest of the day goes so much better."

Programme information

Workshop 1 - Date: Thursday 3 June 2021
Time: 10.30am - 4.00pm
Venue: Bahai Centre, 480 Kerikeri Road, Kerikeri

Workshop 2 - Date: Friday 4 June 2021
Time: 9.00am - 3.00pm
Venue: Kauri Room, Far North REAP, 33 Puckey Ave, Kaitiaki

Cost per person:
Family/Whānau and Caregivers: \$20.00
Professionals: \$50.00

Registration:
Click [HERE](#)

FAR NORTH REAP

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