



**Noho Taiao**  
 Jan 9-12th, 2018  
 Matihetihe Marae, Mitimiti  
 Draft programme

<b>Purpose</b>	The purpose of the marae based noho is to provide an opportunity for up to 30 Te Rarawa tai tamariki who are interested in science and the environment to get together during the summer holidays. The noho brings together local kids and Te Rarawa young people from all over the country. We hope to acquaint them with a number of environmental initiatives that the iwi is promoting, lift their understanding of kaitiakitanga, and show them how they might be able to contribute to their iwi and hapū in the future. We are hoping to increase the number of our young people pursuing careers in the sciences, environmental studies and business, and grow some environmental leaders for the future. The noho includes a range of outdoor activities. The noho is run by a team of Te Rarawa people who are passionate about our environment, kaitiakitanga and our rangatahi.
<b>Participants</b>	The marae based noho is aimed at Te Rarawa young people between the ages of 13-17 who have an interest in science, and aim to go on to University. We want tamariki both from within the rohe and living in other areas to participate.
<b>When</b>	Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> to Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> January, 2018
<b>Where</b>	<b>Matihetihe Marae, Mitimiti, Hokianga</b>
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<b>What to bring?</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Blankets</li> <li>• Towel for shower and beach</li> <li>• Clothes for four days including beach</li> <li>• Toiletries, sunscreen etc</li> <li>• Hat</li> <li>• Shoes for rocky coast and bush</li> </ul>
<b>Cost</b>	There is no cost but it is expected that whanau will get participants to the noho in time for the powhiri and pick them up at the end. Koha to the marae would be appropriated.
<b>How do I get to take part?</b>	Contact one of the people above by phone, Facebook or email, and complete a registration form.

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<b>Tuesday 9th</b>	
2.00 pm	Powhiri
2.30 pm	Afternoon tea
3.00 pm	Settle in to marae
4.00 pm	Introductions, whanaungatanga, plan for noho, outdoor activities
6.00 pm	Dinner and clean up
7.30 pm	Waiata [participants to learn new waiata]
	Organise teams, mahi takaro
	Korero/ panel discussion Iwi leaders/ Putaiao
<b>Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup></b>	
7.30am	Breakfast
9.00 am	Leave for beach and dunes
10.15	Hikoi, putaiao projects (toheroa, dune lakes, pyura scan)
12.30 pm	Picnic lunch
2.00 pm	Swimming/ outdoor activities
4.00 pm	Return to Marae, group activities, putaiao projects
6.00 pm	Dinner and clean up
7.30 pm	Waiata practice
	Taitamariki workshops: Kaitiakitanga issues (e.g. 1080 drop, deep sea oil drilling, restoration projects, mullet farming)
	Careers
<b>Thursday 11th</b>	
7.00am	Breakfast
8.00 am	Leave for trip 2 (destination to be confirmed)
9.45 am	Powhiri Marae
9.30 am	Kaitiakitanga activities
12.30 pm	Picnic lunch
1.15 pm	Kaitiakitanga issues and local development
3.00 pm	Swimming
6.30 pm	Dinner and clean up
7.45 pm	Waiata practice
8.00 pm	Po whakangahau
<b>Friday 12th</b>	
7.30 am	Breakfast
8.30 am	Marae clean up
9.30 am	Debrief/ evaluations
11.00 am	Ka mutu