









WHAKAORATIA TE HINENGARO
A new research perspective to revive mental wellbeing led by the community of Papatūānuku Kōkiri Marae

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### **Outline**

- Introducing **Papatūānuku Kōkiri Marae** and **Hua Parakore**: A Kaupapa Māori Framework
- Whakapapa o te kaupapa rangahau
- Whakaoratia te hinengaro project
- New research innitiative: Development of a novel
   Māori mental wellbeing assessment tool



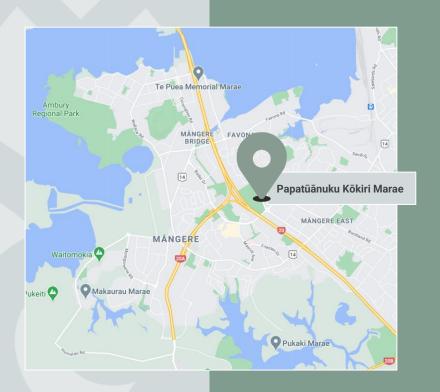




## Food Insecurity

"Choices are limited and of low quality leading to higher levels of chronic diseases. This leads to more dialysis centres, or as we call them the ambulances at the bottom of the hill."





### Māngere | South Auckland | Aotearoa

- Food Insecurity
- Rising Crime
- Disconnected Youth
- Mental Health
- Unresolved Trauma
- A community in need of meaningful change

















KÖKIRI MARAE

## Papatūānuku





## Oranga Whenua Oranga Tangata Impacts in contrast

Extraordinary World





## Hua Parakore

A Kaupapa Māori Framework for growing Food & Marae Values



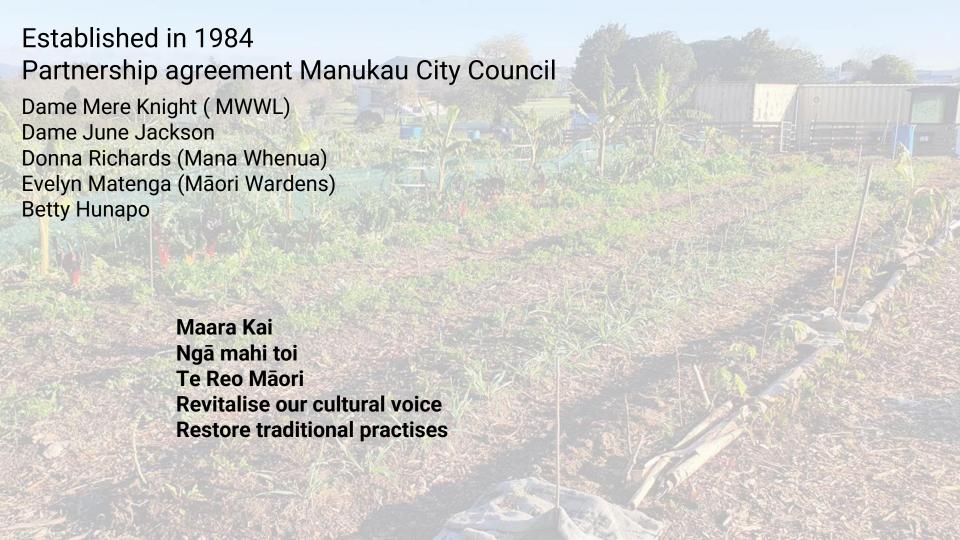


# Whakapapa

"Ko Hua Parakore te taawharautanga ki te taiao Tuuturu."

Papatūānuku is the Connection to the Natural Environment.

We value all people no matter who they are and where they come from.





## KO AU TE WHENUA KO TE WHENUA KO AU. I AM THE LAND AND THE LAND IS ME: Sustainable Urban Agriculture - Education, Community, Economics





## RINGA ATAWHAI O TE WHENUA - PARA KORE Carers of the land through Zero Waste Practises







# Wairua

"Ko te Hua Parakore te Kaitiaki o te hamarire me te Ora."

Papatūānuku maintains peace and Safety.

We value spiritual wellbeing as a connection to the environment regardless of people's faiths or religions

#### MANAAKI HAPORI - 9500 Hot Meals, Drive Thru, St Alice, Everybody Eats, TWOA



### 8500 Kai Boxes, Hygiene, Meat, Fruit and Veggie Packs







# Mana

"Ko te Hua Parakore te Waka mo te Pono me te Tika."

Papatūānuku is a vehicle for social justice.

We value treating people fairly and equal

### Rangatahi Entrepreneurs - Grey Lynn Market









# Maramatanga

"Ko te Hua Parakore te Huarahi o te Maramatanga."

Papatūānuku is a source of enlightenment.

We value the Marae based education that helps to strengthens one's hinengaro, wairua, tinana and whānau.



## TE PŌKAITAHI REO Te reo Māori programmes





https://www.wananga.ac.nz/experience/our-students/papatuanuku-kokiri-marae/

https://www.wananga.ac.nz/experience/our-students/denise-neumann-tpr/

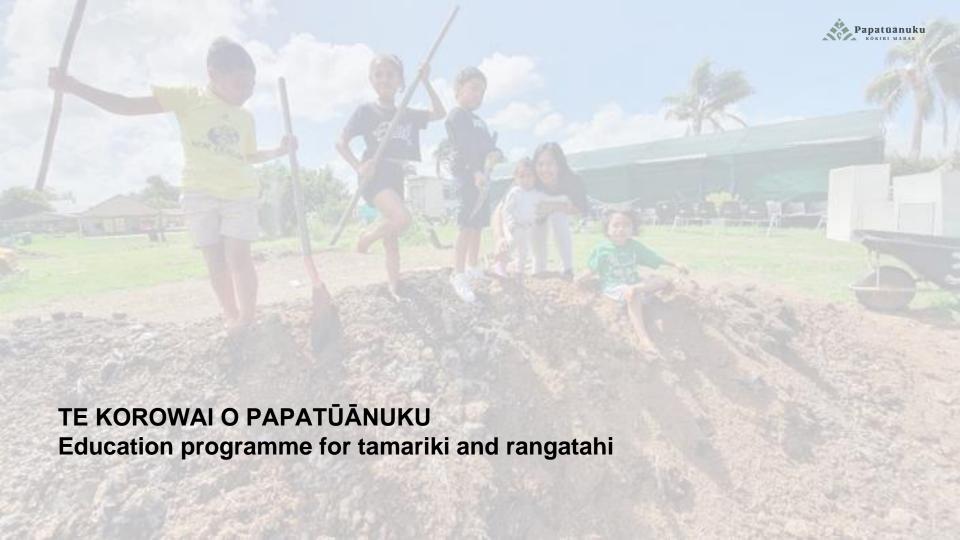


## KAI ORANGA programmes



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# Tu Ao Turoa

"Ma te hua parakore e tiaki nga tikanga tuku Iho o te Maara kai."

Papatūānuku maintains Natural order.

We value creation and giving back to the natural environment.

### KAI IKA















3225 Volunteer Hours
OBC Sanfords
Moana Fisheries Services Foods















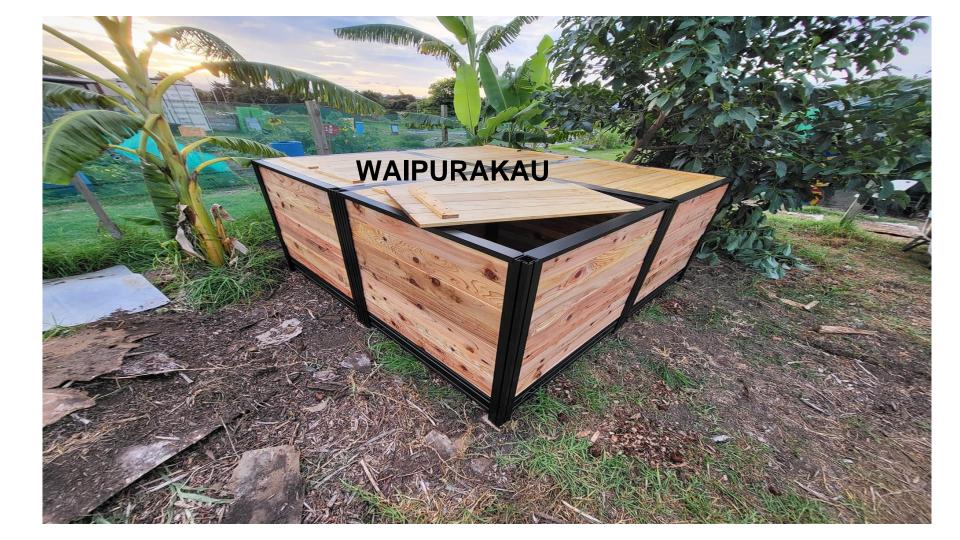


## Mauri

"Ma te Hua Parakore e tiaki te Ora o te pae o Papatuanuku, te Ora o te Hua me nga rakau katoa o Tane otira te Oranga Tinana o nga Tangata Katoa."

Papatūānuku maintains healthy soils healthy plants and healthy People.

We value treating every living thing with respect.











## Smell of Oily Rag

We've done this all on the smell of an oily rag, but now the need is **growing and we need more support as we grow**. We need more people to contribute and join the development of a circular economy and zero waste.



## We know the impact up close

As Kaitiaki at Papatūānukto Kōkiri Marae, these 12 years, it has enabled us to witness the transformations of our partners, hapori, & whanau.

The vision here was Oranga Whenua Oranga Tangata.

We've carried out the vision and now we are at this moment presently where the vision is clear and the movement is building.

We see it personally when people express their gratitude and feed their families with dignity.



## Benefits

That's what we are doing here and what we are growing now.





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#### Papatūānuku kokiri marae

## Whakapapa o te kaupapa rangahau

#### Te Waka Huia o Papatūānuku (2021):

Stress

What areas of your health and wellbeing would you like to be supported with the most?

Fitness Intrapersonal Skills

The most frequently mentioned was seeking support in Mental Health. Also frequently mentioned were support with Wairuatanga and to deal with stress.

9 Māori

Key results

Te Rau Hinengaro: NZ Mental Health Survey 2006

- Te Rau Hinengaro surveyed 2,595 Māori individuals, and captured the diversity
  of Māori across a range of demographic, social, economic and cultural indices.
- The prevalence of mental disorders in Māori was 50.7% over their lifetime (before interview), 29.5% in the past 12 months and 18.3% in the previous month.

#### +PRACTICE

MENTAL HEALTH

### Mauri Tau me te Māramatanga: Weaving world views together in Aotearoa

By Lila O'Farrell and Sharon Rickard

Tuesday 27 July 2021, 10:31 AM



Youth representatives from Papatūānuku Kōkiri Marae, Tāmaki Health and Te Rau Ora co-designing the rangatahi Mauri Tau me te Māramatanga





# Whakaoratia te hinengaro research project

- Research relationship established with Papatūānuku Kōkiri Marae
- Community and academic researchers
- Wānanga and workshops with marae whānau
- Exploration of research project to support the needs of the community



### Ngā whakaaro

What is the research question from a Māori perspective?

Who will this research benefit?

Who needs to be involved?

What is the approach/methodology from a Mātauranga Māori perspective?







Hui with Professor Te Kani Kingi at Papatūānuku Kōkiri Marae, 26 Āperira 2022













### New research innitiative: Development of a novel Māori mental wellbeing assessment tool

#### **Funded by Ember Wellbeing Trust (2023-2024)**

#### Research aim:

To develop a novel, strength-based mental wellbeing assessment tool through a kaupapa Māori approach, led by the community of Papatūānuku Kōkiri Marae

#### **Objectives:**

- Strength-based, re-defining of mental wellbeing from a Māori perspective
- 2) Creating, testing and refinement of a tool prototype through a series of wānanga
- 3) Building research capability of Papatūānuku Kōkiri Marae whānau



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### Te rōpū rangahau







## Impact and Approach: Whakakaupapa

#### Impact potential

- Prototype of a novel kaupapa Māori-based mental wellbeing assessment tool
- Strengthening research engagement with Papatūānuku Kōkiri Marae and building of community research capability

#### **Approach**

- Kaupapa Māori and Mātauranga Māori
- Hua Parakore framework of wellbeing
- Iterative wānanga
- Community research capability building
- Māori community leadership
- Māori researchers and mental health experts

Hua Parakore Framework (Te Waka Kaiora, 2011)



### **Approach**







Research capability building Workshops

Iterative Wānanga

Tool development Dissemination





# How does this research impact/benefit Māori?

#### By Māori:

 Māori community-led and conducted, supported by Māori researchers and Māori mental health experts

#### For Māori:

- Needs expressed directly by the marae community
- Improved options for research, services and care

#### As Māori:

- Kaupapa Māori approach and methods
- Application of Māori framework of wellbeing
- Unique long-standing relationships of Papatūānuku Kōkiri Marae and her community









