

## Wellington High School

### Te Kura Tuarua o Taraika ki Pukeahu

## Whanau Hui : Term 2 2018

- Kapa Haka:
  - Need kapa haka tutors. Ideally needed by end of this term (term 2). Kapa haka competitions are early 2019 (adults) and mid 2019 (regionals). School would like to get a head start on preparations so looking for tutors now. **Prospective Kapa Haka tutors please contact: Charlene at school office.**
  - Two students will take part in Manu Korero (late June) so songs and singers will be needed to support these students.
  
- Project Taraika:
  - Discussion of future works:
    - Outside/front exterior and bargeboards
    - Doorway and above window
    - Interior
  - **Charlene to identify contact to decide story/korero for design and forward to Crane to prepare plan of work.**
  
- Bilingual School Signage Project:
  - The school needs a new way-finding system. **Dominic (principal) will put together a team to manage this project, prepare plan.**
  - A subcommittee at hui volunteered to work on the translation of text/names to te reo Maori.
  
- Te Ao Maori Course:
  - This is a universal full year course for year 9 students. Two hours per week. A core subject. Exam at year end.
  - Anna (teacher) reported that this course is going well. This term a language and art focus. The course will be evaluated, in terms of its success, throughout the year.
  - The course would like to hear from film work contacts. **Film industry workers please contact: Whakamarurangi (Languages teacher).**

- Other:
  - Ariana informed the group about a video that would be beneficial for teaching about the New Zealand wars. She described the video as very good and that it would be good to inform the school community about it. Perhaps community could be informed via school website or te whanau a Taraika page on the website. **Dominic will identify how to inform community about this.**

Anyone, family, friend or staff, interested in attending whanau hui is most welcome. Dates for 2018 hui are below and on te whanau a Taraika page on school website. Come along and share your ideas. We look forward to seeing you!

**Whanau Hui 2018 (remainder):**

Term 3 : Monday 6 August

Term 4 : Tuesday 23 October

All hui start at 6pm unless specified otherwise and the venue details will be in an email invitation each term.

If you have any questions about the work of the whanau group, please contact the chairperson:

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