

# Wānanga Whakapapa

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Kua puta mai tātou ki waho nei, kua mutu te kai, kua hiamoe pea te tangata; kia purea tātou e te hau, kia whitikina tātou e ngā hihi o te rā i tēnei rangi mokopuna. Kua mao te ua. Awhina mai koa, kātahi anō tētahi ka pātai mai mō te ingoa o te urupā, e mōhio ana tētahi ki te ingoa o te urupā? Kao? Nō te takiwā o te 1920, i hingahinga a Ngāti Rangitahi i te urutā rewharewha. E ai ki a Cathy, i tino mate a Ngāti Rangitahi i te mea i maharatia e ngā rata me kua ngā tūro-ro e whāngai ki te wai, mā te heke tōtā ka ora, nō reira, tokomaha rātou i mate i te kore inu wai. Ka matemate a Ngāti Rangitahi. I te mea i mate tātou i te urutā rewharewha. I mamae, i whakamate tāngata i te pānga mai o urutā kē ki konei. Ko te take i patua kinotia a Ngāti Rangitahi. I tuhi reta atu a Raureti mā ki te Karauna ki te whakamārama atu i te pōhara o te noho i Te Awa o te Atua; kāore he mahi, kāore he kai, he hemo kai. Ko te Karauna ia i whakaturu tonu. I whakawāteahia mai he tūranga mahi ki te hanga rori i Te Teko, e rua wiki pea te roa. Tokowhā tāngata anake i whiwhi mahi. Koia te taumata o te awhina, kāore te Karauna i hōmai i tētahi mea kē atu. I matemate a Ngāti Rangitahi. Kei tēnei urupā te mahi a te iwi e takoto ana. He uri i mate i roto i te wā poto, ka mate pea tetahi o te whānau, ka rua rā whai muri mai pea, ka mate tētahi atu o taua whānau tonu. He kōrero whakahiatangi e mau ana ki roto i a Ngāti Rangitahi.

Kia marama ki te āhua o te whenua e tū nei tātou, ko Allotment 3 tēnei. He whakahei ātanga Karauna (Crown grant) mō te awhina i ngā hoia. E ai ki te nuinga o ngā kaumatua o Te Arawa me ngā kaumatua o Ngāti Rangitahi, i karātihia rawatia mai ngā whenua a Ngāti Rangitahi ki a Ngāti Rangitahi. Ko te whenua i murua i a Ngāti Rangitahi i mua, i whakahokia mai hei whakahei ātanga Karauna e te Karauna. I murua katoatia ngā whenua a Ngāti Rangitahi, koinei noa iho ngā whenua i hoki mai. I riro whenua atu. Ko te Allotment 3 tēnei. Ko te taiepa rā kei tua atu i ngā rākau Paina, tae rawa ake ki te huarahi matua, ko te Allotment 3 katoa. Ko te whakahei ātanga Karauna ki a Ngāti Rangitahi. Ko te whenua kei korā te kura e tū ana, ko ngā whenua kei ngā taha o te kura o Matatā, katoa nō Ngāti Rangitahi. Ahakoa i te pēhi a Ngāti Rangitahi, i whai whakaaro tonu rātou ki te tuku whenua hei orange mo te katoa.

Kāore i te mōhio whānuitia, kei te mōhio whānuitia ngā korero mō te whakawhitinga i a Pokohū A mō te whenua i Hauani. E 2000 eka anō i Pokohū i tukuna atu kia riro mai a Block 104, Matata 104. Kua tōpūngia hei Kopuatawhiti Maori Lands Trust. Karekau tērā i te whakawhitinga whenua. He hoko whenua kē. Ko te whenua i tua mai, i Umutahi, he whakahei ātanga

Karauna, 103, engari mō te 104, he tuku whenua i Pokohū, kia riro whenua mai i konei. O ngā iwi katoa i nohoia ai te rohe nei, he rerekē te aro mai ki a Ngāti Rangitīhi.

Ka titiro atu ki ngā tohu whenua o konei, ko te mea me ngā rākau Paina teitei, ko Mōkai Ngārara Pā. I waiho atu aua Paina. He wā tōna i kapia te whenua e te Paina, i whakatōhia ngā Paina i te 1972 e Warrick Ohlsen, kāore ia i taku whanaunga, ko te manager ia i te mira i Kawerau. I tōna ritaiatanga ki Hawaii i te 2005, i hokona atu te whenua ki tētahi kai-ruri whenua i Whakatāne. Kua ruria katoatia taua rohenga whenua. He wāhi tapu aua whenua katoa, tana poraka katoa, ko Mōkai Ngārara. Kāore i te tino kitea, heoi, hoki whakararo mai i ngā Paina, he wāhi e tupu mai ana he whekī, kei waenganui rā. Kei te taha matau, he taupae. Ko Te Rangihouhiri te pā. He rerekē a māua ko Tipene kōrero mō Whakapou Kōrero. Kei te whakapono te nuinga o Ngāti Rangitīhi, ko Whakapou Kōrero te hiwi nui i mua nei. He rerekē te kōrero i hōmai e taku pāpā, kei muri kē a Whakapou Kōrero. I pātai au ki a Pāpā, he aha koe e ki ai kei korā kē? Ko tāna i whakautu mai ai, kāore a Tangiharuru i tapa i taua ingoa ki a Whakapoukōrero, ahakoa te pono a te marea ki taua korero. Nā Kuiwai, te tuahine a Ngātoroirangi, kē te ingoa. I ora tō rāua tūngane i Tongariro, i ngā ahi i haria mai e rāua. I whaia te takutai, mā te ara i takahia ai e tō rāua tūngāne ki uta. I haere mai rāua i Hawaii ki mā Ahuriri. Ka ū te waka ki kō, ka haere atu ki te āwhina i to rāua tūngāne i te maunga, ka whai mai rāua i ngā tapuwae a tō rāua tūngāne. Ka haere atu tō rāua tūngāne ki tōna pā i Mōtiti.

I a rāua i konei, he korero kē a Ngāti Awa mō Wairaka me tana pā ki te mate wahine i konei, nē? E ai ki ngā korero kua rangahaua e au, ko te tuakana/teina a Kuiwai kē (Haungaroa) i pāngia e te mate wahine. I tapa te ingoa ko Te Awa o te Atua mō taua take, heoi ko te tuakana/teina a Kuiwai (Haungaroa) kē i pā ki te mate wahine, kua ko Wairaka.

Ka ū mai a Tangiharuru me tana pāpā a Wharepākau ki konei, ka titiro atu ia ki te whārua, ki Marangaranga, ka tauākingia ia ki te raupatu i te whenua. E ai ki te korero, i tū hoki a Te Rangihouhiri ki runga i a Whakapoukōrero, kauhau ai.

Ahakoa ko Whakapoukōrero tērā, kāore rānei, kei taua takiwā ia. Whai rawa mai i te taupae, kei muri i te puke o mua nei, 1, 2, 3 ki muri. Ko Kakaramea tērā, te pā o te Patupaiarehe. Inā tirohia ia mai i te rori, i a koe e anga mai ana i Whakatāne ki Matatā, ka kite koe i tōna piki whakamuritanga. He tino nui te pā. Kei rāwahi atu o te pā, 3 – 400 pūtu te takahanga whakararo. He uaua te eke i te pā. He maha ngā ana kōiwi i kō, he nui hoki ngā ana. Titiro whakatetai, ko Rūrīma, kei te taha māui o ngā tupu nei, kei tua o te urupā, karapotī mai ki te repo, ko te tūtakinga o te Rangitaiki me Tarawera Awa. Nō te tau 1912 a Rangitaiki i raweke kia rere atu ia ki Ōkōrero kē. Ka aukatia tana rere pēnei mai, he iti noa te wai i rērere tonu mai i taua awa. Ka whakarerekēngia te rere o Tarawera i te tau 1917, mā reira i mātua kati i te rere mai o Rangitaiki. Ka purua te pūaha o te Awa o te Atua e te puehu, ka mutu te rere mai o ngā wai.

Tae atu ki taua wā, he ohanga nui tonu i Matatā. He wāpu i te pito o te taone i reira te Poutāpeta tawhito tū ai. I ū mai ngā kaupuke kūne ki konei ki te kohi atu i ngā pū harakeke hei hari tika atu ki Poihākena. He pērā rawa te nui o ngā kūne, he nui. He pērā rawa te hōhonu o te awa nei. Ahakoa ngā hua ki ngā kai pāmu, ngā hua o te whakaawawa i ngā whenua āhua repo nei, me te whakarerekē i te hanga o ngā awa, tūturu, ka mate te ohanga oranga a Ngāti Rangitīhi, i Matatā. Kia mahara, i tohua a Matatā ko Te Awa o te Atua, tōna ingoa tūturu. I

tū a Matatā Pā, i te takiwa o Grieg Rd, 2-3 kiromita whakaterāwhiti. I a koe e rangahau ana, kia mahara, he wā tōna e korero ana mō Matatā, te taone, he wā anō kei te korero kē mō Te Matatā, te pā. Whakawhiti atu i a Tarawera Awa, i a koe e haere ana ki Whakatāne, kei tua o te piriti he taipū. He pewa te tū a ngā rākau i rāwāhi, ko waenganui koe i te pā, ko Omarupōtiki te ingoa, ko Omarumutu rānei te ingoa. He pā ērā, he pā i te repo. Nā Hikakino, nā Te Rangihouhiri aua pā. Kāore tētahi i te whakahē i tērā korero. Hei whakamārama atu, ko wai mā i te noho ki tō tātou taha i konei. Kei muri i ngā rākau Paina, ko Putauaki. Hoki pēnei mai, atu i tēnei pari, he pari anō, me aua rākau; e tata ana tērā wāhi ki Te Umuhika, Waikamihia Awaawa. I paku korero tātou mō taua wāhi i te ata nei. Ko Te Rama Apakura, kei taua takiwā, Ko te Wai o Puke Maire, ko Te Wairere a Tū rānei te ingoa, he kaikōrero kē, he ingoa kē. I korero au i mua mō te tutakinga o ngā awa e rua, a Te Rangitaiki me Tarawera, e hāngai ana ki te korero mo Muturangi, he tama i noho i Hawaiki. Ka kitea e Muturangi he wheke. Ka tapaina taua wheke ki tōna ingoa anō, ko Muturangi. I whakamōkaitia te wheke. Ka takaro tahi ki ngā tamariki, takahurihia ai a rātou waka. Ka pakeke haere te wheke, ka whai atu i ngā tāne me ā rātou waka, hoki rawa mai ki te pūaha o te moana, ka takahurihia ngā waka, ka riria a Muturangi. Ka whakaae ia kia tukuna te wheke ki te moana ka rērere ia ki ngā tōpito o Te Moana Nui a Kiwa. He rite tonu ngā kōrero tuku iho a ngā iwi, puta noa i Te Moana Nui a Kiwa, mō tētahi wheke nui. I tono atu te pāpā o Muturangi ki a Kupe, māna e whakatika i te wheke hōha rā. Ka whakakaungia te wheke e Kupe, ka whāia ia ki Aotearoa rā anō. Ka tere mai a ia ki konei, ki waenganui i a Rūrima me Whakaari – he matarehu, heoi, kei te pae moana rā. Ka takoto whārōrō ia, ko ana waewae i pā ki konei, ko tana ūpoko ki te ngutu awa. Ka kite tahi te wheke rāua ko Kupe i a rāua, ka tere atu te wheke, he kau horo te atu ki Te Tai Rawhiti, ka tihaea tētahi o āna tara i Rūrima. I rewa mai taua tara ki te one i raro nei. Ko te pūtaketanga o te ingoa o Ōtaramuturangi, te urupā kei te ngutu awa o Tarawera, te tara o Muturangi, ka whai atu a Kupe i te wheke ki te Tai Rāwhiti, ki Te Whanganui a tara, ki Raukawa. Ka mau a Kupe i te wheke, patua ai. Ka tikarohia mai ngā karu o te wheke, kawea atu ki, (Brothers Islands). Nō Ngai Tahu taku māmā. I ki a ia, i a rātou e whakawhiti ana i a Raukawa, inā whakatata atu rātou ki ngā motu, ka hurihia ā rātou kanohi, kei puta mai te wheke, takahurihia ai tō rātou waka. Koina ngā korero mō te rohe nei, mō Otaramuturangi hoki. He kōrero noa, kāore e kitea i ngā pukapuka meneti.