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Welcome to the latest edition of SNIPPETS; Treaty news from around the network.
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A date and time for your diary
- please do come at 7pm sharp.
Bring your colleagues!

NETWORK *Waitangi* OTAUTAHI
presents
Moana Jackson on Te Tiriti, justice and
Constitutional Transformation



7:30pm Thursday February 27th, 2020
After the Network Waitangi Ōtautahi AGM at 7pm.
WEA Hall, 59 Gloucester Street.
Discussion and a light supper to follow
Contact email: organisers@nwo.org.nz / phone: 03 365 5266

NWO AGM with Moana Jackson!
We are delighted that Moana will be speaking
at our AGM on 27 February 2020.

[See flyer and more details HERE](#)

Consultation open until 20 December ...

If you're not aware, LINZ currently have consultations open for the **renaming of several places of importance to mana whenua here in Ōtautahi Christchurch**.

The consultations are about adding the original te reo Māori name to the English name assigned to the places in the years following the original naming gift. The result would follow the format of other place names in Te Wai Pounamu / South Island where both names are referred to on sign posts, texts and spoken word.

<https://www.linz.govt.nz/about-linz/what-were-doing/consultation>

There is an online form for submissions and it's fast and easy to use.

For further reflection...

We should reinstate every Māori place name

Dropping Egmont helps restore the mana of Taranaki Maunga

Report from OVTRK Forum with Minister Poto Williams, 4 Nov

On 4th November, Minister Poto Williams was invited to a forum to address the question ... **How can we treasure our Third Sector stories as measurements of wellbeing?**

The report will be available on the **One Voice Te Reo Kotahi blogspot** soon.

Background - Our Third Sector contributes to all four well-beings – environmental, cultural, economic and social. Ideas about what strategies and policies are needed to get better recognition and resourcing for our contributions including our mahi in assessing wellbeing are welcomed. At the forum, the particular interest was:

- **How do we tell our Third Sector stories in relation to achieving greater wellbeing?**
 - **How can our contribution be measured?**
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Relating to Tuia 250:

Tangata whenua send smoke signals of warning throughout Wellington Harbour in opposition to the arrival of the Endeavour, 29th November 2019

PRESS RELEASE

BLOG: Te Kawehau Hoskins and Alison Jones on Māori-Pākehā relationships

“To struggle with another is to give active and proper attention to the other, to relate to the other... one with whom it is worth engaging, someone with whom you have a relationship of struggle.” – Alison Jones

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Current plans for the Ecological and Cultural Restoration of Ōwairaka were developed by the Tūpuna Maunga Authority and involve restoring the indigenous flora and fauna and biodiversity of the maunga.

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Two Auckland land occupations: Two very different agendas

Two very different pieces of land in Auckland – Ōwairaka and Ihumātao – are under occupation by two protest groups with different motivations and different demands. Yet, both occupations have come about due to the same decades-long process of redress under the Treaty of Waitangi for colonial wrongs. The outcomes of both occupations could make or break this essential nation-building process.

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Unconscious bias in New Zealand

Guests Hector Matthews (Executive Director, Māori and Pacific Health, Canterbury District Health Board), Jane Andrews (Jam TV) and Inspector Hirōne Waretini (District Manager, Māori, Pacific and Ethnic Services, New Zealand Police) expand on our September 2019 show on "Unconscious bias," discussing the issue in the context of Aotearoa. - *from SPEAK UP KOREROTIA December 2019*

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Court of Appeal acknowledges mana of Motiti Trust, clarifies RMA – Fisheries Act authority

from ECO Tieke 6 November 2019

In a triumph for local hapu, the Motiti Rohe Moana Trust, Forest and Bird, and a succession of others, the Court of Appeal has supported the rights under the RMA of the Bay of Plenty Regional Council to manage fisheries for biodiversity protection. The case derives from the stranding of the Rena on Astrolabe Reef, the initial recovery of biodiversity around the wreck when a rahui was imposed, and then the

devastation of this recovery when, under pressure from some in the fishing industry and Fisheries NZ, part of MPI, closure was removed.

The judgement can be read [here \[PDF\]](#) and Andrea Vance's story about this in Stuff is [here](#).

A new artwork that pays tribute to the signatories of the Treaty of Waitangi has been unveiled in Christchurch's Victoria Square.

Mana Motuhake was created by Ngāi Tahu master carver Fayne Robinson in conjunction with Matapopore - and features two upright waka. It has been installed near the statue of Queen Victoria.

"At almost five metres tall, the two waka stand shoulder to shoulder with Queen Victoria as Christchurch's way of acknowledging the significance of its shared cultural history," Ōtākaro Limited Chief Executive John Bridgman says.

Matapopore Chairperson Aroha Reriti-Crofts says the six figures inside the waka pay tribute to Te Tiriti o Waitangi (The Treaty of Waitangi) signatories for Ngāi Tahu.

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When I was growing up volcanic activity on Whakaari was continuous – yesterday was different

A post from Morgan Godfery....*White Island's eruption is a reminder that we are not nature's master, but at its whim* **Read more**

The Aotearoa History Show

RNZ/NZ On Air video series.

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