

# NRAIT

NGĀTI RĀRUA ĀTIAWA IWI TRUST

# 25

*Hoki Mai Rā*

27-29 April 2018

INDEX PLAN OF  
NATIVE RESERVES  
IN THE ORIGINAL DISTRICTS OF  
MOTUEKA & MOUTERE.  
LECTED IN 1842. UNDER NEW ZEALAND COMPANY'S SCHEME.  
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*Scale, 50 Chains to 1 Inch.*



# OHU MAATU 2018 – INVITATION

## Join us for a celebration of the 25th anniversary of the return of our homelands

- Reconnect with the whānau
- Stay on the marae
- Share your stories and ideas
- Waiata for our tamariki and rangatahi
- Honour our tūpuna
- and enjoy great kai!

### Travel Subsidy

NRAIT is once again providing a travel subsidy to encourage and assist whānau to attend the AGM on 28 April and the associated activities throughout the weekend.

If you're a registered NRAIT owner, live outside Te Tau Ihu and register and attend the AGM, you'll be eligible for a \$75 travel subsidy (one per adult). Whānau coming from outside Te Tau Ihu with tamariki aged under 17 who are registered with NRAIT will also be eligible for a per child travel subsidy of \$25. All subsidies are paid on receipt of application, and proof of eligibility if requested.

### RSVP

***To secure your place at Ohu Maatu please reply by 6 April 2018***

Registration: Please make sure to visit our home page [www.nrait.co.nz](http://www.nrait.co.nz) to register for the event Ohu Maatu Eventbrite or email [info@nrait.co.nz](mailto:info@nrait.co.nz).

Registration and accurate numbers is essential for your NRAIT staff to plan for meals, accommodation, travel and all the fun and engaging activities we have lined up for you. There is a parallel kapa haka wānanga for tamariki during the AGM so registration is really important for us to make sure all whānau can be involved.

For more information including full programme details, visit our website - there's a handy link on our homepage.

# OHU MAATU 2018 – PROGRAMME

## Friday 27th April

5pm

### ***Pōwhiri at Te Āwhina Marae***

Every year we look forward to seeing whānau returning to their ancestral homelands in Motueka.

The pōwhiri ceremony will include kawemate, the spiritual return of whānau who have passed away. Those who have a kawemate, please contact the office.

6pm

### ***Kai***

Join us following the pōwhiri in the wharekai for some kai

7.30pm

### ***Whakawhanaungatanga in Turangapeke (Wharenui)***



# OHU MAATU 2018 – PROGRAMME

## Saturday 28th April

6.00am

### ***Blessing of Interpretation Panel***

Gather at Raumanuka Reserve for the blessing of an interpretation panel that celebrates our connection to our lands.

7.30am

### ***Parakuihi***

9.00am

### ***Bus hikoi***

Locations – Riuwaka Resurgence  
Te Uma – whenua planting, tree planting

9.00am-4pm

### ***Kapa haka wananga***

A workshop for tamariki and rangatahi to learn some of the waiata and perform for the enjoyment of those at the gala dinner

12.00pm

### ***Lunch***

12.30pm-1.30pm

### ***Registration for AGM***

Register your attendance for the AGM

1.30pm-4pm

### ***Annual General Meeting***

The most important part of our weekend. Have your say to ensure your whānau is represented and connect with the business activity of the Trust.

6.00pm

### ***Hakari at Memorial Hall, Motueka***

A celebration of our 25 years of the return of our homelands, including:

- Kapa haka performance
- Guest speakers
- Music

# OHU MAATU 2018 – PROGRAMME

## Sunday 29th April

7.30am

### ***Parakuihi in Wharekai***

For our whānau staying on our marae, Te Āwhina

9am-10am

### ***Te Āhurewa Church***

Our connection with spirituality has been part of our traditions for many generations. We invite all our whānau to attend a service in Te Āhurewa, an historic and much loved building on Te Āwhina marae

10.30am-12pm

### ***Open Forum Discussion***

Come along and kōrero with your Trustees.

12.00pm

### ***Lunch and poroporoaki***

