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REAP Report

He Poutoko Matauranga

Rural Education Activities Programme



APRIL 2010

BIO DYNAMIC GARDENING

Literacy Taupo and REAP have joined forces to bring you this wonderful opportunity to improve your reading, writing and spelling skills whilst at the same time getting stuck into something you really like - digging in the garden! Leeann Loughlin is passionate about Bio Dynamic gardening - seasonal organic gardening - in other words. She is keen to pass on her knowledge which she gained at Taruna College in Havelock North and through the Bio Dynamic Association. This style of gardening is based on the principles of Rudolf Steiner and is essentially gardening the old way using moon calendars and getting back to the basics. Join us once a week for a day of both practical and theory learning whilst meeting like minded people. Lunch included and a free creche will be provided for the theory sessions in the morning. Your children will be with you for lunch and can work in the garden with you in the afternoon. Literacy assessments will take place at the beginning and end of the programme which runs for 10 weeks.

HEAR AND SAY TE REO MAORI

Basic Pronunciation is a fun filled session easing you into the correct way to speak Maori. Rave Reviews were received for this new style of teaching which focuses on listening to the words and then repeating them correctly. There is lots of visual interest as well using hand puppets to make up words. It is not always easy to get your tongue around Te Reo so this class is a great way to start or brush up on your skills!

NZ SIGN LANGUAGE

Is so popular we now offer you another Beginner Level class as the first programme was full with 15 people. Units 1-3 will be taught using workbooks and a DVD from NZ Sign Language Teaching Association. Once we have completed 2 Beginner classes we will move on to the next level (Units 4-7) in Term 3. Due to tutor travel costs now reduced (as we have a new local tutor) we can subsidise the cost of workbooks and make the cost of the programmes very affordable. Please register your interest as soon as possible as the first class was full.

UKULELE is back!

Three new classes on offer this term- Beginners, Intermediate and Advanced. Please note CHANGE of VENUE: Now at Catelli's on Rifle Range Road. This is a fun class guaranteed to have you strumming!

WEBSITE DESIGN

Learn how to develop your own website. Great for small business owners, schools or even your own family website. David Partis of Designhand is very experienced at teaching people the basics - don't be shy - learn at your own pace using either a template or building from scratch. Full day workshop and ongoing support if you need it.

GUITAR TUTORS wanted

Due to a huge surge of adults wanting to learn the guitar is there a guitar teacher out there available to take group classes in the evenings?

If you would like to learn something new for 2010 or have a skill you would like to share please contact our Adult Community Education Coordinator Linda Moss on 378 8109.

TEEN MUMS - NEW COURSE IN TAUPO

Taupo's teenage mothers have the opportunity to gain NCEA Level one credits while their babies attend a creche run by qualified early childhood supervisors. The goal of the course, says tutor Joce Moyle, is for the students to gain the numeracy and literacy foundations skills required for NCEA Level 1. Once these credits have been achieved students can progress to other courses however many choose to stay on and work towards gaining the 80 credits required for Level 1. The students come from a variety of backgrounds and all work at their own pace. Wairakei mum Nicola Pryor gained over 30 credits last year and combined with the credits she earned at school, has now achieved NCEA Level 1. Costs are very reasonable at just \$50 per year which includes the creche. Programme is at REAP a supportive friendly environment. We may be able to help if transport is a problem. Please talk to us (Linda Moss or Joce Moyle) if you are interested.



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NEW PROGRAMMES

DOLLARS MAKING SENSE

5 Mondays from 03 May
Time: 10.00am - 12 noon
Venue: Budget House, 69 Paora Hapi St, Taupo
Cost: FREE

NCEA LEVEL 1 ENGLISH & MATHS FOR TEEN MUMS

Thursdays
Time: 1.00pm - 3.00pm
Venue: REAP (Free creche available)
Cost: \$50

HEAR AND SAY

4 Wednesdays from 02 June
Time: 7.00pm - 9.00pm
Venue: REAP
Cost: \$25

NZ SIGN LANGUAGE CLASSES

8 Tuesdays from 27 April
Time: 7.00pm - 9.00pm
Venue: REAP
Cost: \$25 (subsidised by REAP/TEC)

POSITIVE PARENTING

3 Sessions - 26 April, 29 April, 3 May or
14 June, 17 June, 21 June
Time: 7-9.00pm
Venue: REAP
Cost: \$10 Single/\$15 Couple

UKULELE

10 Mondays from 19 April (no lessons Queens Birthday)
Time: 5.45pm - 6.30pm (Absolute Beginners)
6.40pm - 7.25pm (Intermediate)
7.30pm - 8.15pm (Advanced)
Venue: Catelli's of Taupo, 23 Rifle Range Road, Taupo
Cost: \$25

BASIC WEB DESIGN I

Saturday 08 May
Time: 9.00am - 4.00pm
Venue: Taupo Intermediate School
Cost: \$45

ORGANIC GARDENING BY THE SEASONS

10 Thursdays from 29 April
Time: 9.30am - 2.30pm
Venue: St James Church Hall, Pitiroi St, Nukuhau, Taupo
Cost: \$10 (subsidised by Literacy Taupo and REAP)

RURAL ROUNDUP

- Teen mums Maths/English - Wairakei
- Watercolour - Marotiri (June)

REAP REGULARS

- Dollars Making Sense (Budgeting)
- Positive Parenting
- Yoga
- S*K*I*P Support
- ACC Tai Chi



To register phone 378 8109, fax 378 0569 or email reception@reap.org.nz
Payment required before commencement of all courses

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Central Plateau REAP

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See our website for details of current programmes - www.reap.org.nz

Central Plateau REAP is one of 13 Rural Education Activities Programmes in New Zealand. Its role is to provide extra educational opportunities for people in the Taupo District. REAP works across all sectors - early childhood, community, primary, secondary and tertiary - helping to promote life-long learning throughout the region.