

# REAP Report

## He Poutoko Matauranga Rural Education Activities Programme



### AUGUST 2009 - WELCOME TO OUR REAP REPORT

**TEEN MUMS @ Wairakei** are gaining credits in NCEA Level 1. All of our teen mothers are so keen they have signed up again this term to continue with their learning. The crèche is very popular, with both the children and the crèche ladies really enjoying quality time together. We still have some spaces left so if you wish to join in please give us a call. Learning is individual and at your own pace. Joce Moyle is an experienced teacher who guarantees you success! Every Wednesday 1-3pm @ Wairakei School.



*Caela Williams and her son Tyree Wall of Waitahanui*

**WATERCOLOUR Workshops in Marotiri** have been very enthusiastically received. On Sunday 26 July 15 men and women had a go at painting and learning different techniques with watercolours and really enjoyed it. For some it was their very first taste of putting a brush to paper. Joy Lincoln of Marotiri was one of those who went along to see if she could discover her inner artist. "Sue Graham was a lovely tutor, she just put you completely at ease and conveyed the lessons clearly with a touch of humour. I haven't done anything like this since my school days and as my mum was very artistic I thought it was time to discover whether or not I had inherited any talent from her. I loved it so much I booked myself into the next two workshops! Thank you to REAP for bringing these workshops out to us- getting into town is not always easy". If you would like to learn something new for 2009 or have a skill you would like to share please contact our Adult Community Education Coordinator Linda Moss on 378 8109 ext 7.

### CELIA LASHLIE IS COMING AGAIN!

**Toughlove Taupo** and REAP are delighted to announce that Celia Lashlie author of "He'll Be OK: Growing Gorgeous Boys into Good Men" has accepted our invitation to visit Taupo. Celia is a terrific speaker who promises to be inspirational. "Adolescent boys—they seem to disappear into another world where they barely communicate, and where fast cars, alcohol and drugs are constant temptations. Will they survive to become good men? How can parents and schools understand them and help them through this difficult and dangerous time?" Celia has some of the answers! Tickets on sale now at REAP only \$10. Books and CD's of her speech will be on sale.

**Venue: Great Lake Centre Date: Tuesday 8 Sept  
Time: 7-9pm Price: \$10.00 Phone: REAP 378 8109**



**Toughlove TUESDAYS IN TAUPO 7PM @ REAP**

Looking for solutions to family problems? Come to a parents support group run by parents for parents. Toughlove is a low cost pay what you can afford programme offering parents support to enhance their parenting skills.

### SUPER MAORI FULLAS VISIT

REAP and The Taupo Violence Intervention Network wish to thank the Super Maori Fullas for visiting our region to share their kaupapa to encourage others to live violence free lives. Thank you also to all the agencies and local businesses that supported the events and to all those that donated canned goods to the Taupo Community Foodbank. The SMF wish to pass on their heartfelt thanks to everyone involved and hope they have touched someone and made a small difference to their lives.



*Gloria Eves - Taupo Violence Intervention Network  
Coordinator with SMF Lindsay*

### MEN'S SHED TAUPO Men in the community shoulder to shoulder

The MENS SHED is now OPEN every Thursday from 2.30-4.30pm. Men of all ages are welcome to come together to share their knowledge and skills with each other and with younger generations. Youth are welcome. 91 Titiraupenga Street. If you are interested in Woodturning please contact Frank Emmerson 377 4846.

#### OUR VISION:

To provide a place for men and youth, promoting identity, education, sociability, companionship, well being, support and to be positive role models.

#### OUR CORE VALUES:

Open to men of all ages, Working together, Respect for self, others and property  
Promoting good health and safety, Inclusive decision making  
Encouraging men to be the best they can be, Providing an alcohol and drug free environment

### NEW PROGRAMMES

#### BASIC WEB DESIGN 1

Sat 12 September Time: 9 - 5pm  
Venue Taupo Intermediate School  
Cost: \$35

#### TREATY OF WAITANGI WORKSHOP

Dates: Wed 23rd - Thur 24th Sept 09  
Time: 9 - 4.30pm **FULL**  
Venue: REAP  
Fee: \$175

#### HEAR & SAY BASIC TE REO

Dates: Wed 2nd Sept to 7th Oct  
Time: 7 - 9pm  
Venue: REAP  
Cost: \$25

#### ABSOLUTE BEGINNERS UKULELE

Date: Monday 12 Oct - 18 Dec 09  
Times: Class 1 - 5.45 - 6.15pm  
Class 2 - 6.20 - 6.50pm  
Venue: St John Hall, Paora Hapi St  
Cost \$20 for 10 lessons!

#### PARENTING HELP

Starts: Thurs 24th Sept  
Time: 7 - 9pm  
Venue: REAP Cost: FREE

#### BELLY DANCE WORKSHOPS

Fusing Kapa Haka with Belly Dance  
4 workshops on offer. 2/3/4 Oct.  
Call REAP for details or see  
[www.reap.org.nz](http://www.reap.org.nz)

#### RURAL ROUNDUP

SKIP @ Reporoa  
Intro to Watercolour @ Marotiri **FULL**  
Brainwave @ Mangakino

#### REAP REGULARS

- Yoga
- S.K.I.P
- Tai Chi (ACC)
- Parenting Help
- Budgeting for Change
- Toughlove



To register phone: 378 8109, fax 378 0569  
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Payment required before commencement of all courses

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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.