

REAP Report

He Poutoko Matauranga Rural Education Activities Programme



JULY 2010

DRIVER LICENCE

A new programme for REAP! We now can offer you the chance to work alongside others and prepare yourself thoroughly for your Learner Licence test. Guaranteed success or your money back! Starts 12 August just \$10.

SELF DEVELOPMENT FOR WOMEN

Are you facing a transition in your life? – either heading back to work after having time at home with young children or your children have grown and you are needing to “find” yourself again – whatever the reason Malou Bromley will help you to gain confidence and boost your self esteem.

WEBSITE DESIGN 11

is the follow on course from Web Design 1. Great for small business owners, people wanting to start up in business or even your own family website. Limited numbers so please be in quick. \$45 for a full day workshop and ongoing support if you need it. Held at Taupo Intermediate school.

HOW TO BE FOUND ON THE INTERNET

is also for small business owners and will cover an introduction to internet marketing and key concepts of search engine optimization. Also just \$45!

TEEN MUMS – THANKS TO BAYTRUST

Thanks to generous funding support from Baytrust REAP are now offering a third programme in Mangakino. Teenage mothers 18 and under have the opportunity to continue with their education while their babies attend a crèche. The goal of the course is for the students to gain the numeracy and literacy foundation skills required for NCEA Level 1. The programme will be held at Mangakino Area School, a supportive friendly environment. Please talk to Nan Munro of the Mangakino Community Agency to register your interest. Small class numbers so you receive plenty of individual attention. The programmes at Wairakei and Taupo are continuing however there are places available in both programmes so please take up this unique opportunity to carry on with your studies. Talk to us if transport is an issue, please call Linda Moss.

TAI CHI

begins again in August. Funded by ACC these classes are FREE for the over 65's. Two classes are on offer at Liston Heights and REAP just once a week for 16 weeks. Debi Hall is a very experienced Tai Chi instructor so you are completely safe under her guidance. Classes can be done sitting down if you are unable to stand for the whole hour. Tai Chi has been proven to be beneficial in falls prevention as it strengthens your muscles and increases your flexibility. Please see your doctor for a referral and sign up with us asap as class sizes are limited to 15. REAP begins August 10, Liston August 25.

YOGA@MAROTIRI

REAP is pleased to support the continuation of this programme for this small rural community. Classes will begin on 2nd August and cost \$90 for the Term. Shikha Shukla is a Yoga Instructor new to the area so is delighted to have this opportunity from REAP to get started teaching here.

If you are in a rural area and would like programmes in your area please contact Linda Moss the Adult Community Education Coordinator on 378 8109 to discuss the options.

TROLLEY DERBY

The men at the Mens Shed have been busy helping families to build trolleys for the Inaugural Trolley Derby as part of the Taupo Winterfest. The Mens Shed were very proud of their own entry (see pictured) and enjoyed acting as marshalls and judges on the day. Please join with the Men at the Shed – all men and youth are welcome, woodworking and other interests catered for. Call John for details 378 6059. Shed is open Thursday afternoons from 2.30 and is behind the St Andrews Anglican Church through the fence behind John's house.



BIODYNAMIC GARDENING

Presented by REAP-Central Plateau and Literacy Taupo Participants on the Biodynamic Gardening course have spent ten exciting weeks, from 9.30am to 2.30pm each Thursday learning about biodynamic gardening. Earthworms, planting by the moon, beehives and companion planting are just a few of the topics we have covered.

Each morning the class begins with a talk on the organic kai that would be served up for lunch that day. There is also a literacy lesson delivered around the new vocabulary and concepts covered in the course. During this time, we go over some of the theory of biodynamic gardening. Next we have a communal lunch and in the afternoon there are either visits to existing gardens, or the participants go outside 'with their spades' to plant in the community garden that we are building beside the St James Church Hall. Each day is new and different and we are excited to be offering this course again in the third school term. Come along – you will learn a great deal and will also thoroughly enjoy your time. Next course starts Thursday 22 July and is FREE.



NEW PROGRAMMES

NZ SIGN LANGUAGE CLASSES

UNITS 1-3

28th July to 15th September

Time - 7-9 pm

@ REAP

Cost - \$25 for an 8 week course

UNITS 4-6

Term 3 Mondays 19th July-6th September

Time 7-9 pm

@ REAP

Cost - \$25 for an 8 week course

DRIVER LICENCE

12th August to 16th September

Time - 1-3pm

@ REAP

Cost - \$10 (For over 16's not attending school)

BASIC COMPUTING FOR BEGINNERS

3rd August to 31st August

Time - 5-6.30pm

Venue - Room C1 Taupo Nui a Tia College
(behind Admin Block)

Cost \$40

FRENCH FOR BEGINNERS

16th August to 20th September

Time - 6-7-30 pm

@ REAP

Cost - \$65.00

SELF DEVELOPMENT FOR WOMEN

27th July to 17th August

Time - 7-9 pm

@ REAP

Cost - \$15

BIO DYNAMIC GARDENING

Thursday 22nd July to 24th September

Time - 9-30 to 2-30 pm

Venue - St James Church Hall, Pitiroi st, Nukuhau

COMING UP IN SEPTEMBER

Treaty of Waitangi 2 day workshop

RURAL ROUND UP:

- Mana Wahine-Wairakei
- Yoga-Marotiri
- Teen Mums-Mangakino

REAP REGULARS

- Dollars Making Sense
- Positive Parenting
- Ukulele
- Ukulele for Seniors



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

REAP ISP – Your local Internet Service Provider – Proceeds from the ISP support our Community Programmes and Services.

Central Plateau REAP

(Rural Education Activities Programme)

Phone (07) 378 8109 Fax (07) 378 0569 Email lindamoss@reap.co.nz
73 Titiraupenga Street PO Box 1000 TAUPO

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.