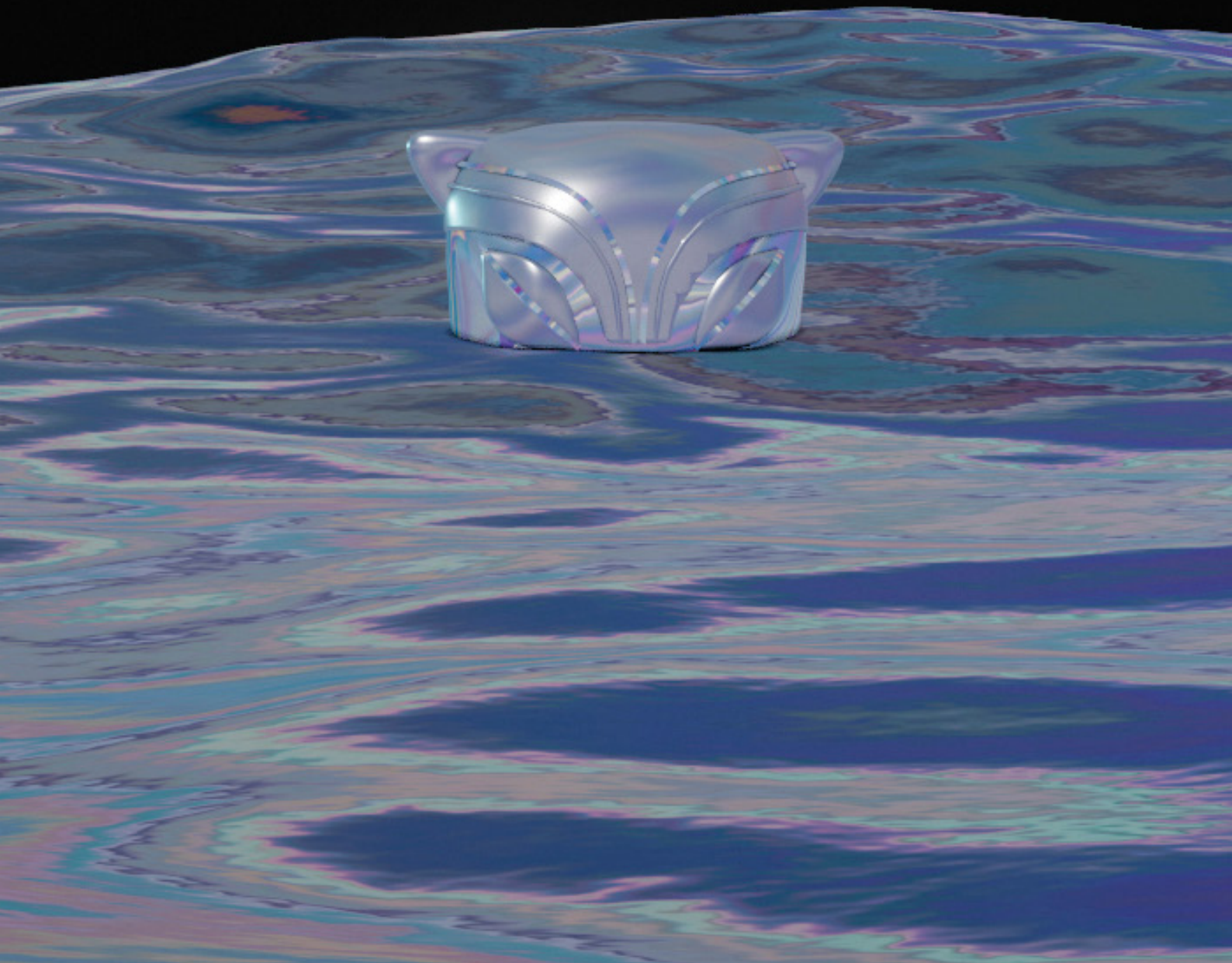


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**Pukapuka
mā te ākoka**

Whāia te Taniwha

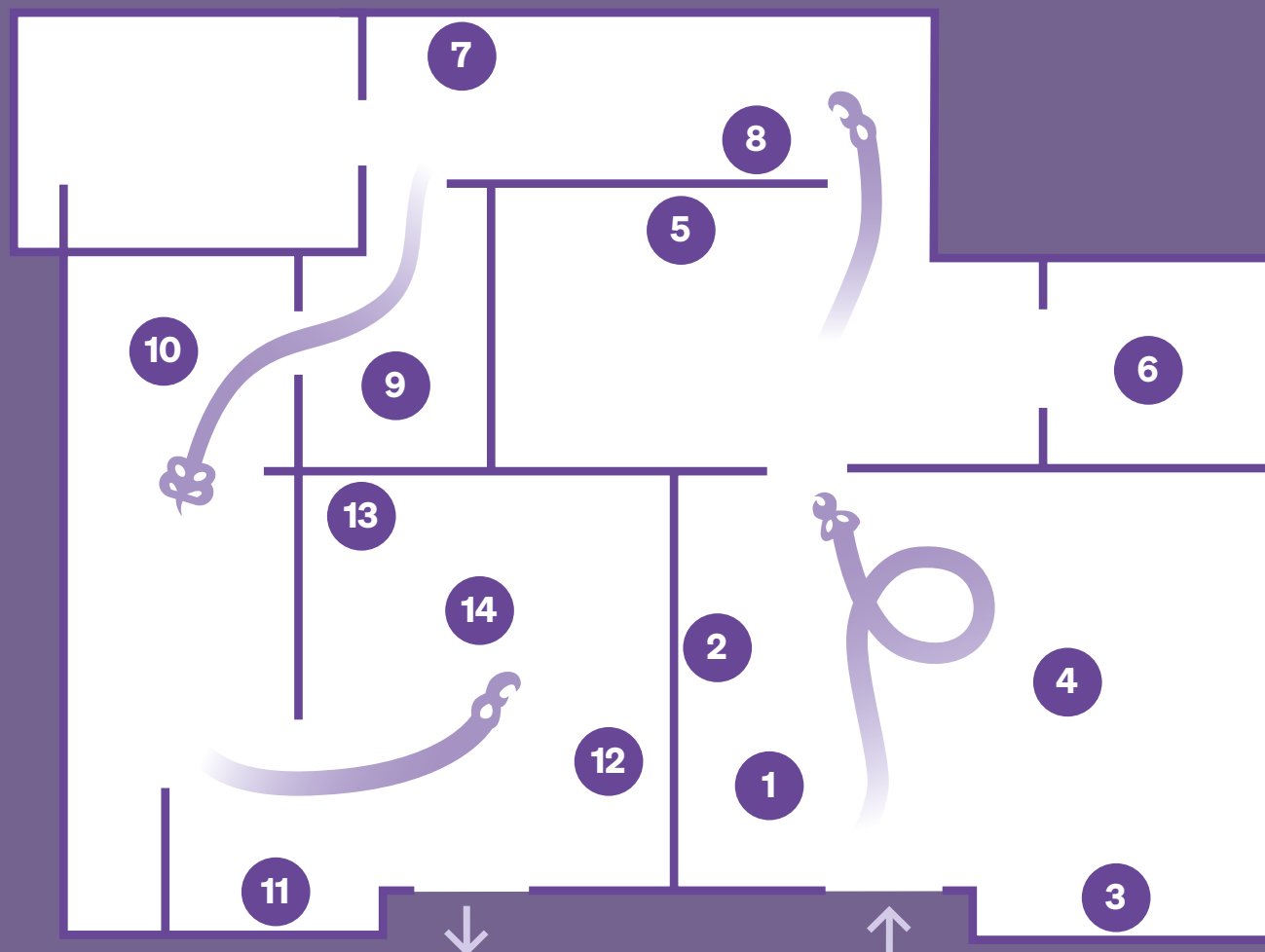


Whāia te Taniwha

Tūturu ana te noho a te taniwha i te puna kaiao o kā pūrākau i toitū ai te tākata whenua mō te hia reaka. Kīia ai te taniwha he kaiarataki moana, he tīpuna whakaumu, he hoariri, he kaitiaki, he nanakia hoki, ā, ko ā rātou tohu kua mau rawa ki te horanuku o Aotearoa. E whakatewhatewha ana tēnei whakaaturaka nui whakaharahara o kā toi nā kā rikatoi Māori, i te āhua o tā te taniwha arataki tonu, o tā te taniwha whakahihiko tonu hoki i tātou i tēnei ao hurihuri.

Hai arataki tēnei pukapuka i a koe ki te tūhura i ētahi o kā rikatoi me kā whakaaro i a koe ka hāereere haere i te whakaaturaka. Tērā rānei, mā tēnei pukapuka koe e arataki ki te ruku tonu atu ki te ao o kā taniwha ki te akomaka.

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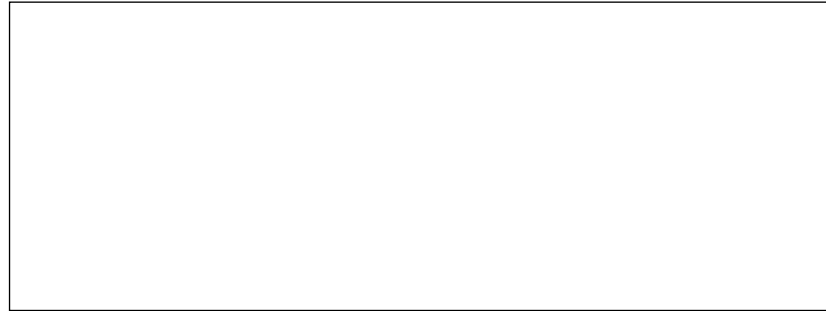
Kaua e pa! Tiakina ēnei taoka.

Uhi: Kahurangiariki Smith *Ride or Die* (still)
2024. Digital animation. Courtesy of the artist

1 Tauihu

He tauihu tēnei whakairo whakamīharo – arā, ko te wāhaka whakamua o te waka. Nō te hia rau tau ki mua nei i whakairohia ai, ā, he mea kite i te onepū, i Te Oneroa i Rakiura i te tau 1996.

Āta titiro atu. Tākia ētahi o kā tauira me kā āhuahaka e kite nā koe ki te whakairo.



Carved by tipuna *Tauihu* pre-nineteenth century. Matai (black pine). Custodian: Te Kupeka Tiaki Taoka Southern Regional Collections Trust for Manatū Taonga Ministry for Culture and Heritage

Kīia ai te taniwha he kaiarataki mō ērā e tere ana ki te moana. He nui kā kōrero mō kā tauira o tēnei tauihu. Nā te kaumātua, nā Harold Ashwell, i whakaahua te waha roa me kā rāraki niho he whakaata i a Hākuwai, arā, i tētahi taniwha ko te manu tōna haka, i whakaarohia ai māna e kaupare atu kā amotai o te toka. Hai tā ētahi atu, he manaia, he kaitiaki ā-moana rānei, he makō, he parāoa rānei tōna haka. He whakaaro rānei ōu mō tōna haka?

Ki ōu whakaaro, he aha te āhua o te toeka o te waka? Tākia ōu whakaaro ki raro iho nei:



Mahi ki te kura

Hai Pānui

Pānuitia he kōrero anō mō tēnei tauihu tawhito i kitea ai i Rakiura i te kahuru tau o 1980.



Tohutoru: *Te Karaka*, raumati/summer 1996, p. 33–7

Hai Tuhi

Ki ōu whakaaro, i hāereere atu tēnei waka ki hea? Tuhia he kōrero mō tōu waka me kā wāhi i hāereere ai pea, nā wai hoki i whakaterere?

Hai Rakahau

He nui kā kōrero tīpuna e whakamārama ana i te āhua o tā te taniwha arataki i kā tīpuna i a rātou e whakawhiti ana i te rakiwhāwhātaka o Te Moana-nui-a-Kiwa. Arā anō kā kōrero e pā ana ki tā rātou noho, ki tā rātou tiaki hoki i kā wai huhua puta noa i Aotearoa. E mōhio ana rānei koe ki kā taniwha o tōu iwi he kaitiaki rātou?



2

Edna Pahewa, Sam Pahewa and Miria Heavey Niho Taniwha

Ko te Niho Taniwha te tauira o tēnei tukutuku.

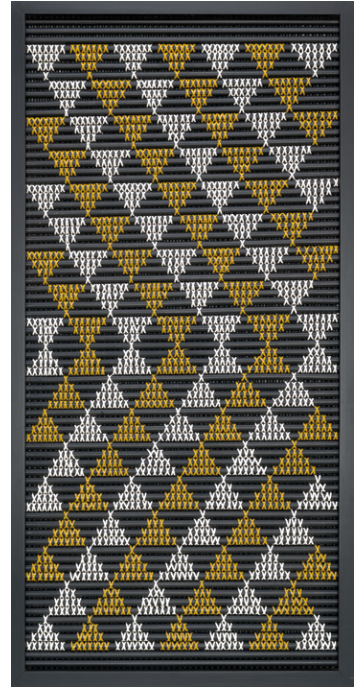
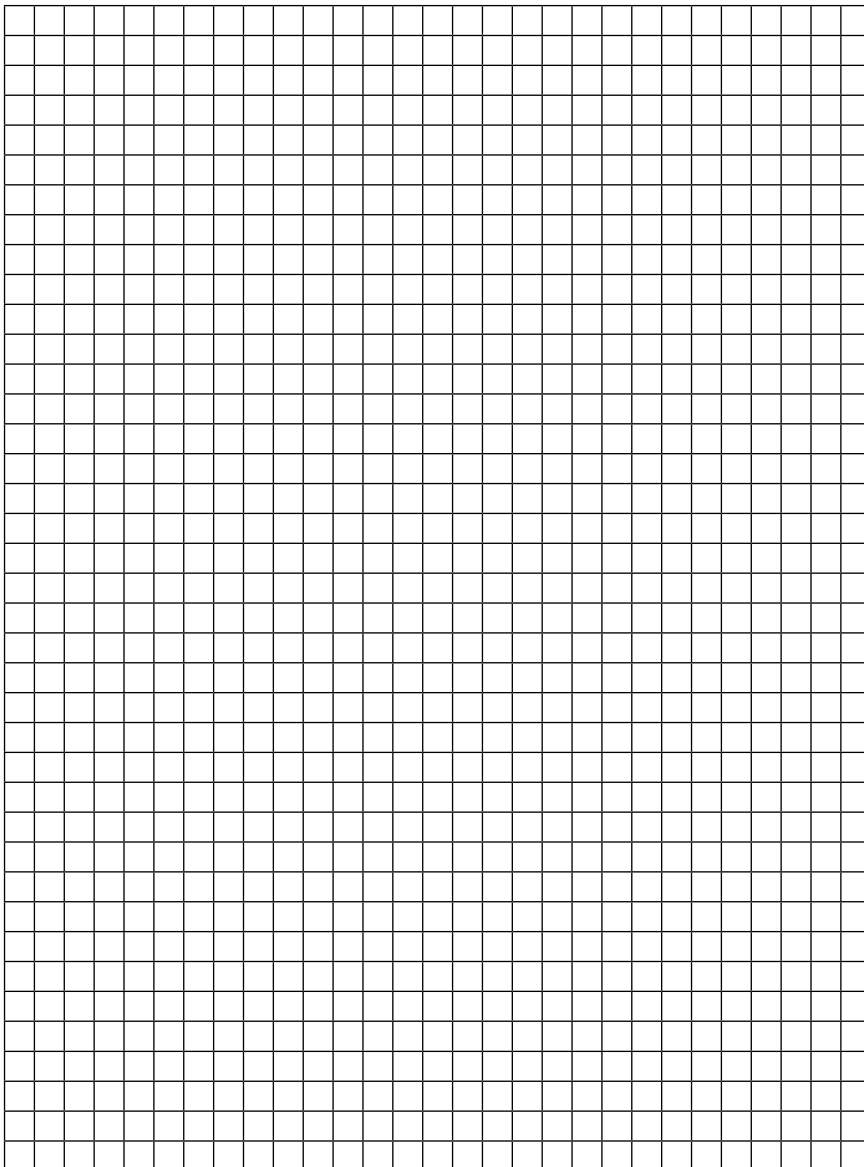
Ki ōu whakaaro, he aha e kīia pēneitia ai?

Kua kite kē rānei koe i tēnei tauira? I hea rā?

Ka kitea te niho taniwha i kā kete, i kā tukutuku, i kā whakairo me kā moko anō hoki. Whakamahia ai tēnei tauira hai whakaatu i te whakapapa, i te rakatirataka me te mana motuhake.

Edna Pahewa (Te Arawa), Sam Pahewa (Te Whānau-a-Apanui) and Miria Heavey (Te Whānau-a-Apanui)
Niho Taniwha 2021. Plastic, wood; niho taniwha pattern. Collection of Te Roopu Raranga Whatu o Aotearoa

Mā te Niho Taniwha e whakaawe tāu ake tukutuku, whakamaheretia ki raro iho nei:



Mahi ki te Kura

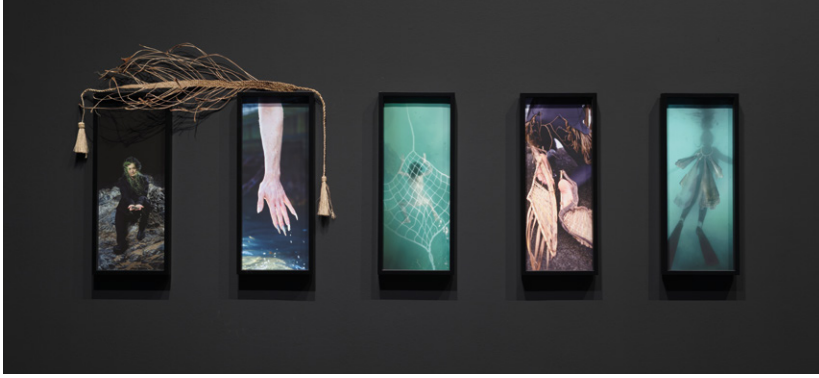
Hai Tūhura

Mā te whakamahi i kā āhuahaka whaikano kai te akomaka, he aha rā kā tauira e taea ana te haka mai ki te niho taniwha?

Hai Waihaka

Mā te whakamahi i te wūru me te papa tukutuku kua hakaia ki te kāika (arā, te pepamārō kua pokaina), e taea ana rānei e koe te niho taniwha te waihaka? He rauemi rawe tēnei nā Ākau Studios hai whakamahi pea māu:





Louie Zalk-Neale (Ngāi Te Rangi, Pākehā) *Ti-kore-ngoi-oro—The fizzing potential, Maikukuroaroa—I sharpen my femininity, He whai tea—Skeleton, Takarure—Hidden transgender limbs, Ponaturi—Collecting seaweed to share 2024*. Digital photographs. Commissioned by Wellington City Council. *Tatua Ti Kōuka 2023*. Whā ti kōuka (cabbage tree leaf), muka ti kōuka (cabbage tree leaf fibre). courtesy of the artist

E hī ake ana a Louie Zalk-Neale i te pūrākau mō kā taniwha e rua nō Te Whanganui-a-Tara, arā, mō Ngake me Whātaimai. Kai roto i tēnei kōrero ko ētahi tohu o te whakapapa irawhiti hai puka mō te rikatoi nei. I muri i tana whai ki te aru atu i a Ngake ki te moana, ka whakaumu haere a Whātaimai – ka nui haere, ka kana ai ki te wehe atu i te kāika, ka mate, ka whakakōhatu – ā, nāwai ka huri tōna wairua hai manu uwha.

He nui ō tātou katoa whakaumutaka i a tātou ka tipu ake, ā, ko ō tātou tuakiri ka whanake, ka rerekē. Ka tipu haere tonu ana koe, he aha rā kā pūkeka e toru e hiahia nā kia whanake mai i a koe:

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Kua raraka a Louie i ētahi taoka ki te tī kōuka ka noho ki te taha o kā whakaahua me te ataata.
Kimihia, tākia hoki. Ki ōu whakaaro, he aha rā aua taoka?



Mahi ki te Kura

Hai Pānui

Pānuitia te pūrākau mō Ngake me Whātaimai.



Tohutoru: Te Kete Ipurangi

Hai Takirua

Whakaaturia anō te kōrero mā te whakaari, mā te kanikani rānei.

Hai Rakahau

Rakahaua kā kōrero mō te horanuku o tōu takiwā, me tōna āhuahaka mai.

Hai Hoahoa

Hakaia mai he pakiwaituhi, tuhia rānei he kōrero mō tāu i kite ai e pā ana ki te horanuku o tōu takiwā.

4 Mataaho Collective

Ko *Kiko Moana* te ikoa o tēnei mahi toi. Ko kiko moana tētahi whakatinanataka ōkiko o te wai, nō reira, tērā pea he taniwha e noho ana, kua whakatakatahia hoki ki te wai.

Āta titiro atu. He aha te rawa i whakamahia ai e kā rikatoī?

Hai aha te rawa i te nuika o te wā?

Ki ōu whakaaro, he aha i whiriwhiria ai e rātou?

He aha te tauira i waihaka ai rātou ki te rawa? Tākia ki raro iho nei:

E whakamahara ana te tauira i a koe ki te aha?

Ki ōu whakaaro, he kā rikatoī i whiriwhiri ai ki te whakairi pēnei i te mahi?



Mataaho Collective (Te Ātiawa ki Whakarongotai, Ngāti Toa Rangitira, Ngāti Awa, Ngāi Tūhoe, Ngāti Ranginui, Ngāi Te Rangi, Rangitāne ki Wairarapa) *Kiko Moana* 2017. Polyethene tarpaulin, cotton thread. Collection of Te Papa Tongarewa Museum of New Zealand

Mahi ki te Kura

Hai Waihaka

Whakamahi ai a Mataaho Collective i kā rawa o ia rā ki te waihaka i ā rātou mahi. Whaowhia tāu ake kete ki kā parapara me kā rawa hai tapahi, kia tāhei te āhua, ka raraka ai.

Hai Pānui

Torona te paetukutuku o *Taniwha Tales*, ka pānui ai i tā kā tākata kē pāhekoheko ki kā taniwha me ō rātou mātauraka.



Mataaho Collective
Taniwha Tales

Hai Rakahau

Whakatewhatewhahia ōu ake wheako, kā wheako rānei o tō whānau, ō rātou mātauraka rānei mō te taniwha. Tuhia atu rānei, tuarititia takirōpūtia rānei, hakaia mai rānei he tāka, he rautaka ā-ata rānei.

5

Brett Graham Manukau

He taniwha a Taramainuku e noho ana i te whaka o Manukau; e takoto ana tāna kupeka ki te tāhuna, koia i riro atu ai te tokomaha. Ki tēnei toi, e kitea ana te whakamakeretaka o te *HMS Orpheus* i pae ai i te tau 1863. I te kawē taua waka i kā putuka mō kā hōia i te pae o te riri i Waikato.

Brett Graham (Ngāti Korokī Kahukura, Tainui) *Manukau* 2020.
Single-channel digital animation synthesised from offshore aerial drone footage. Courtesy of the artist



**E taea ana rānei e koe te pohwea te āhua o te kupeka ki te moana?
Whakamahia a raro iho nei hai tā i te kupenga a Taramainuku.**

Kua whatua itatia, he koropewa nui rānei? Kua hakaia mai ki te aha? _____

Kua roko kē pea koe mō Te Kupenga a Taramainuku i horopaki kē.

Kai te maumahara koe nōnahea?

Mahi ki te Kura

Hai Rakahau

Rakahaua a Te Kupenga a Taramainuku (Te Waka o Rangi) me te kupenga a Taramainuku (te taniwha). He honoka rānei ō kā mea e rua?

Hai Tūhura

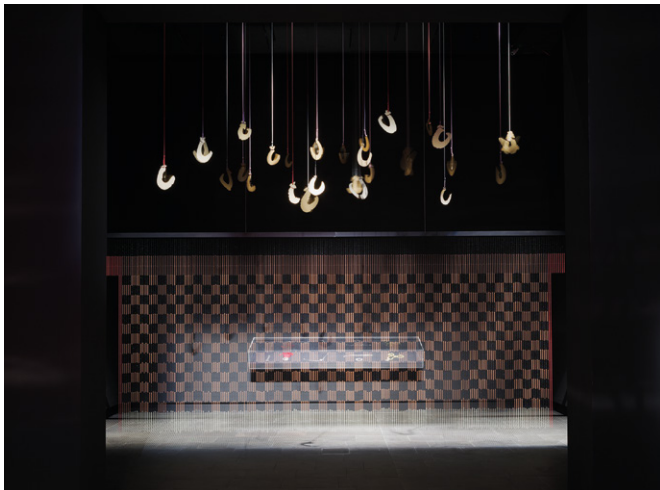
Whakamahia kā rawa kē pērā i te pepa me te aho hai waihaka i ētahi kupeka. Mātakina ēnei ataata Tiriata e rua ki te hia whakaaro koe.



6

Turumeke Harrington and Kommi Tamati-Elliffe

Ruawharo (whatever sucks you in babe)



Turumeke Harrington (Kāi Tahu, Rangitāne) and Kommi Tamati-Elliffe (Kāi Te Pahi, Kāti Moki, Kāti Ruahikihiki, Puketapu, Ngāti Moeahu, Uenuku, Manutahi, Ngāti Manukōrihi) *Ruawharo (whatever sucks you in babe)* 2025. Steel, nylon, shell, muka, silk, sterling silver, freshwater pearl, polyester, wool, cashmere, cotton, sound. Courtesy of the artists

Whakaahuatia ai a Matuku Takotako ki kā kōrero puta noa i Te Moana-nui-a-Kiwa. E ai ki ētahi kaikōrero kē, he taniwha, he kaiwhakaumu, he momorua, he tū-ā-kākarepō hoki ia. E taea ana hoki e ia te huri hai matuku, he nui hoki tōna tōmina ki te taoka. E ai ki ētahi whakapuakitaka kē o te kōrero, nā Matuku Takotako a Wahia-roa, arā, te tama a Tāwhaki, i whakamate i muri i tana tomo atu ki tōna mahika kai hai rapu tūi i ruka i te tono a tōna hoa e hapū ana, a Matokarau-tāwhiri. Ka hipa te hia tau, ka whai utu te tama a Wahia-roa, a Rātā (i rokonui ai i te waihaka waka), i te mateka o tōna hākoro. I ruka i te warea o Matuku Takotako ki te taoka, ka nukarau a Rātā i te weriweri rā ki tētahi māhaka i whakairia ai ki ruka o tōna anō rua.

E tū ki te tomokaka. He aha tāu e roko nei?

He aha tāu e kite nei?

Kai te pēhea ō piropiro i tēnei wāhi?

Tomokia atu te rua o Matuku Takotako mā te whatitoka whero kia kitea ai ētahi taoka e whai honoka ana ki tēnei pūrākau. **Ko tēhea tō tino? He aha ai?**

Kāore a Matuku Takotako e kitea ana, heoti, ki ōu whakaaro he pēhea tōna haka? Tākia ia ki raro iho nei.

Mahi ki te Kura

Hai Rakahau

Tūhuratia ētahi o kā kōrero kē mō Matuku Takotako, koinei te kōrero e toro nei kā rikatoi i tā rāua mahi.



Matiaha Tiramōrehu
Te Waiaatanga mai o te Atua, p. 11–21



Teone Taare Tikao
Tikao Talks, p. 54–5

Hai Waihaka

Waihakahia tāu ake kiteka o Matuku Takotako. Whakamahia kā maheni tawhito, kā pānui whakaahua, kā niupepa me ētahi atu rawa ā-tā hai tapahi, hai piripiri mō te weriweri. Whakamahia rānei kā rawa hakarua e waihaka ai koe i tāu ake hakaka o tōna ana.



7 Lisa Reihana A Māori Dragon Story



Lisa Reihana (Ngāpuhi, Ngāti Hine, Ngāi Tūteauru, Ngāi Tūpoto)
A Māori Dragon Story (still) 1995. 16mm animation transferred to digital.
Collection of Christchurch Art Gallery Te Puna o Waiwhetū, purchased 2021

He pūrākau tēnei hākoritaka nā te rikatoi, nā Lisa Reihana, mō te pūhaehae, mō te whai utu hoki i Ōhikaparuparu.

Ko ēhea kiripuaki i kite nā koe?



Hine Ao



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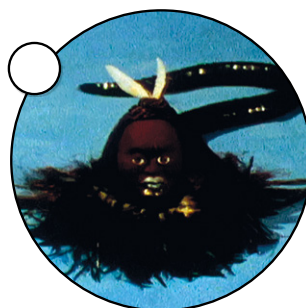
Te Ake



Irirangi



Tautini



Te Wahine-maru-kore

I aha i te pūrākau? Tuhia, tākia rānei he tāhū poto ki raro iho nei:

Mahi ki te Kura

Hai Rakahau

Rakahaua tētahi taniwha o tōu takiwā, tētahi taniwha rānei e hirahira ana ki tō whānau.

Hai Waihaka

Mahia āu ake hākoritaka hai whakapuaki anō i tāu pakiwaitara taniwha – whakamahia tētahi taupāka ata tūtū me kā rawa kai a koe. Ka rawe te karetao toi piripiri, te uku, te tūporo hoki, māu hoki pea e kuhu weruweru me te tū ki te hākoritaka.



8

He nui kā āhua ka taea e te taniwha, ā, e mōhiotia whānuitia ana i tā rātou arataki i kā waka tīpuna i kā hekeka, hai kaitiaki hoki ka whakamaru i kā tākata ki kā whaka me kā wai. Ko te hītori tahi o kā hekeka o Aotearoa me Te Moana-nui-a-Kiwa whānui, me kā reo ataata tahi hoki, e whakahōnorehia ana e ēnei mahi nā Piri Cowie, nā, e tuku aumihi atu ana ia ki ōna whanauka puta noa i Te Moana-nui-a-Kiwa.



Piri Cowie (Kāi Tahu, Ngāpuhi, Ngāti Kahu) *Aro Hā series* (Te Wheke, Okea Ururoatia, Mokomoko, He mahi kai takata, he mahi kai hōaka and Tuna Heke) 2024. Bronze, karā (basalt), kōhatu (rock), muka, pounamu. Aoraki Matatū 2025. Bronze. All courtesy of the artist

Titiro ki roto i te kēhi. He aha kā āhua i waihaka ai te rikatoi hai whakaahua i ēnei tīpuna taniwha?

He aha kā āhua kē o te taniwha kua rokona nā e koe? _____

I tētahi toroka atu i Aoraki inā tata nei, ka whakamaharatia a Piri Cowie ki kā haumāuiui inati a ōna tīpuna Kāi Tahu, nā rātou a Kā Tiritiri-o-te-Moana i whakawhiti i te hia reaka ki mua nei. Ki tēnei mahi, kai te whakanui a Cowie i ōna tīpuna hai taniwha hikuroa – he tīpuna e hikuroa nei tā rātou whakaaweawe – e arataki tonu ana, e whakahihiko tonu ana i ā rātou uri.

Tuhia he mihi mā tētahi taniwha hikuroa o tō ao. He aha rā āna whakaakoraka ki a koe? He aha tāu e whakaowha nei? He pēhea rā te āhua o tāna whakaaweawe i āu mahi me tōu māranga?

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Mahi ki te Kura

Hai Mātaki

Mātakina te pakipūmeka a Kāi Tahu mō ā Piri Cowie mahi.



Tohutoru: Ngā Ringa
Toi o Tahu series

Hai Waihaka

Whakamahia te uku hai tārai i tāu ake tuna, i tāu ake mokomoko, i tāu ake wheke, i tāu ake makōpare rānei. Tahia atu te waituhi, te waitae rānei e meatia mai ai te āhua o te tuna ki te pepamārō, ki te pepa mātotoru rānei – tapahia hai haka mai i tētahi punika toi o kā tuna mō tō akomaka.

Hai Tūhura Hīkoi haere i te tāone nui.

Torona te tāraitaka e tūtata ana, arā, a **Kirihao – Resilience**, nā **Piri Cowie** kai Pita Te Hori Centre (48 te Tiriti o Hereford). Kia mataara ki kā tāraitaka tuna e iti ana. E hia e kite nā koe? Āta titiro atu ki te haka o kā tuna, pā atu ō rika, whakaahuatia, huahuatia rānei. He aha rā kā hoahoa kē e kitea ana huri noa i te tahua? Pānuitia kā tuhika mō te hiraka o te wāhi ki a Kāi Tahu.



Torona kā tuna ōkiko ki te awa o **Ōtākaro** e tūtata ana ki te **Arawhiti Whakamaumahara**. Whakaarohia kā toi tuna, matapakitia te āhua o tā rātou neke me tā rātou pāhekoheko tahi. Wānakahia kā momo kai e kai ai rātou.

Whāia a Ōtākaro ki te Story Arc kai **Tākaro ā Poi**. Kimihia kā toi nā Piri Cowie mō kā kōrero e pā ana ki kā heke a Kāi Tahu, mō kā pūrākau, mō te mahika kai, mō kā tipu me kā kīrehe hoki o te takiwā. He tuna, he momo ika anō pērā i te pātiki me te inaka tō te pōhutu kai raro i kā puna torotī. Tipi haere ki te kimikimi ki te Arc. Whakaahuatia, wakuwakutia rānei ētahi o ō tino ata. Wānakahia tā Piri Cowie i whiri ai hai hoatu ki te Story Arc... Tākaro noa rānei.



9

Madison Kelly Moko speaks the cave

Ko Matamata tētahi kaitiaki piripono mō te raketira o Kāti Māmoe, mō Te Rakitauneke. I te weheka atu o Te Rakitauneke ki te whawhai, ka kimi haere a Matamata i a ia, ka āhua mai ai i te awa o Taiari, i te whaka hoki o Ōtākou me ōna puke ki ana matikuku koi me tōna hiku kaha.

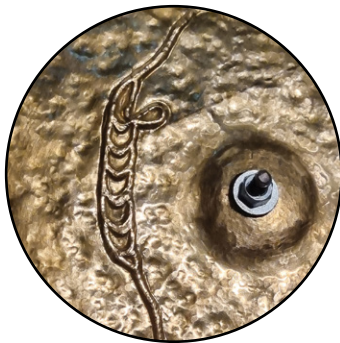
Āta hīkoi i tēnei wāhi kia kū. Ka aha rā?

Ka pēhea tō whakaahua i te oro?

E pēhea ana ō piropiro i te rokotaka atu.

He aha ka toko ake i tō hinekaro?

I kite rānei koe i kā hoahoa kua tāraitia ki kā tīwēwē rauwhero i a koe e hīkoi ana? Nāia ētahi. Ki ōu whakaaro, he aha rā te tikaka o tēnā, o tēnā?





Madison Kelly (Kāi Tahu, Kāti Māmoe, Pākehā) *Moko speaks the cave* 2025. Brass, steel, felt, lead, mallets, brushes. Courtesy of the artist

Mahi ki te Kura

Hai Takirua

Whakapuakitia anō te pūrākau mā te whakaari, mā te nekeneke rānei. Hakaia mai he taiao oro kia haere kōtui ki te whakapuakitaka anō mā te whakamahi i kā taputapu ka kitea me kā rawa māori pērā i te harakeke, i te aka, i te rākau, i te niupepa, i te taoka puoro.



10 Francine Spencer Taniwha o te Awa



Francine Spencer (Taranaki, Waitaha, Kāti Māmoe, Rapuwai, Ngāi Tahu)
Taniwha o te Awa 2025. Aluminium mesh, copper. Courtesy of the artist

Kua rakā tēnei hīnaki ki te konukura – he pūmotu nō Papatūānuku – hai whakamahara i a tātou ki te honoka o tō tātou hauora ki tērā o te taiao.

He aha rā kā rawa kē i whakamahi ai te rikatoī?

E whakamaumahara ana kā rawa i a koe ki te aha?

Kai tētahi hapori hī ika pakupaku kai te toka o Arowhenua a Whaea Francine Spencer e noho ana. Mārama kehokeho ana ia ki te honoka o te tuna me te taniwha: he āhua porehu tō rāua tahi me ā rāua nekehaka, ko rāua tahi ka tohu i te hauora o ō tātou wai, ka tohu hoki i te utu o te kaiapotaka tonutaka o tō tātou taiao e pāraweranui ana.

He aha tāu e kite nei e pā ana ki te haka o te hīnaki me te āhuahaka e uru atu ana, e whakatewhatewha ana rānei? Tākia tāu e kite nei.

Mahi ki te Kura

Hai Rakahau

Tūhuratia te pūrākau mō Tunaroa.

Tohutoru: Te Rūnanga o Ngāi Tahu



Hai Tūhura

Torona tētahi o kā wai kai tō takiwā. Tirohia atu kā tipu me kā kīrehe o taua takiwā. Whakaahuatia, tākia, kohia hoki ētahi rau kua makere iho, he parapara taiao hoki hai mātai ki te akomaka.

Hai Waihaka

Hakaia tāu ake hīnaki. Nō Newton Central School ki Tāmaki Makaurau tēnei tauira.

Tohutoru: Tāhūrangi – New Zealand Curriculum



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Kahurangiariki Smith

What if my best friend was a taniwha?

Kua waihaka mai a Kahurangiariki Smith i tētahi kēmu ātea e pā ana ki te whakapai ake i tōna hauora i tētahi haereka me tōna tino hoa taniwha.

Me he taniwha tōu tino hoa, ki hea ia noho ai?

He aha tāna e kai ai?

Mā te aha ia e harikoa ai?



Kahurangiariki Smith (Tainui, Te Arawa, Horouta, Takitimu and Mataatua) *What if my best friend was a taniwha?* (still) 2023. Video game. Courtesy of the artist



Mahi ki te Kura

Hai Waihaka

Whakamahia a Mahimaina, tētahi taupāka haka auaha rānei ki te rorohiko, ki te iPapa rānei kai tō akomaka hai hoahoa i tētahi ao matihiko mō tāu taniwha.

E tuhi mō tāu taniwha

Whakamahia tēnei wāhi, kā whakatakika rereka kōrero hoki kai raro iho nei, hai aratakika e whakapuaki ai koe i kā kōrero mō tāu taniwha me tā kōrua e mahi tahi ai.

Ko tāku taniwha tēnei.

E ... ōna/kā hiku.

E ... ōna/kā kamo.

E ... ōna/kā waewae.

E noho ana i...

Ko ... tōna ikoa.

Ko hea kā wāhi motuhake e kawea atu ai koe e tāu taniwha?

He aha rā kā taoka e kite ai pea koe?

He aha te mahi a tāu taniwha?

Nāia tētahi rāraki kupu hai whai wāhi atu: **awa, kahere, mauka, moana, raki, repo, roto, tāone, whare**

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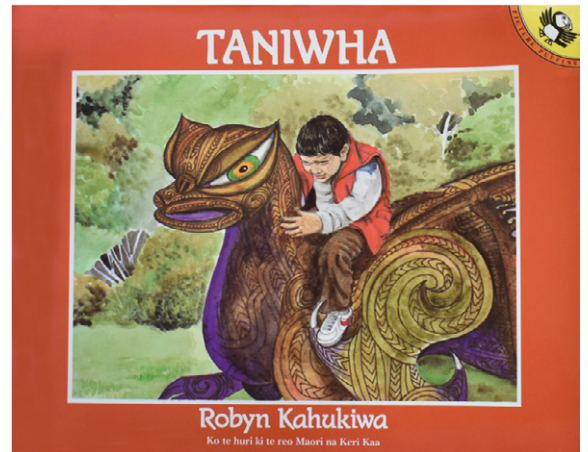
Robyn Kahukiwa Taniwha

Koinei kā pikitia whakaari taketake mō tā
Robyn Kahukiwa pukapuka rokonui, mō *Taniwha*.

He aha rā kā taoka i kite ai te tama me tōna taniwha?

Ko ēhea kā atua i tūtaki ai rāua.

He aha tāu e mōhio nei mō aua atua?



Robyn Kahukiwa (Ngāti Porou, Te Aitanga-a-Hauiti, Ngāti Konohi, Te Whānau-a-Ruataupare). *Taniwha*, Viking Kestral, Tāmaki Makaurau Auckland, 1986)



Mahi ki te Kura

Hai Pānui

Pānuitia a *Taniwha*, ka mahi ai i te
kohe kai te whāraki e whai ake ana.

Tākia tāu Taniwha

He maha kā āhua o te taniwha. Pohewatia, tākia hoki tāu ake taniwha.

Mō tāu puna auaha tēnei whāraki. Whakakapia ki kā kōwhirika maha hai whiri māu ka tā ana koe i tāu taniwha!

Kā kamo e pūkana ana, e moe ana, e pūwhero ana, e kimo ana.

Kā waha e puare ana, e kati ana rānei, e whētero ana te arero, he niho ōna, kāore rānei ōna niho, e ānau whakaruka ana, e ānau whakararo ana rānei.

Kā āhuahaka he haka nō te taiao, he manawa, he whetū, he āhuahaka kē rānei e rata nei koe.

Kā tauira he tāhei, he niho taniwha, he tukutuku.

Kā whakanikoniko he riwha, he whakapīwari, he moko.

Whiria kā āhua nō tō puna auaha, ka tā ai i tāu taniwha ki tēnei whāraki.



He wā tōna ka whakatauritea te takata ki te taniwha hikuroa – he rakatira pai e ‘hikuroa nei tana whakaaweawe’. E whakaatu ana tēnei whakaahua i tētahi rakatira hirahira o te whānau o te rikatoī, arā, i tōna Taua Aroha Ruby. E karapotia ana a Ruby e āna pikitia me āna taoka e hirahira ana ki a ia.

Tia Barrett (Ngāi Tahu, Ngāti Maniapoto, Waikato, Ngāti Tamainupō) *A Time Capsule of Aroha* 2023. Digital photograph. Courtesy of the artist

He nui kā kōrero e whakapuaki nei te whakaahua a Tia. Āta tirohia atu te whakaahua. He aha rā kā momo taoka kua kohia e ia? He aha tā kā taoka e whakapuaki nei mōna.

Ko wai tētahi taniwha hikuroa o tō whānau, o tō iwi, o tō hapū, o tō kāhui hoa rānei?

He aha kā āhuataka e pai ai ia hai rakatira.



Mahi ki te Kura

Hai Tuhi

Tuhia he kōrero, he kauhau rānei mō tētahi takata e whakaaro nei koe he taniwha hikuroa.

Hai Waihaka

Whakaahuatia ia, tākia rānei he pikitia ōna. Kia whai wāhi atu ētahi mea ki tāu pikitia e whakamārama ana i ētahi kōrero mōna.



E whakaatu ana tēnei mahi toi i a Hine-Waiapu, i te taniwha uwaha mārohirohi nei o te awa o Waiapu. E hoki mai ana ia mā tētahi waharoa ā-raki ki te ao mārama mā ruka i tōna waka taua ki te tautiaki i te awa o Waiapu.

E mōhio ana rānei koe ki tētahi awa e tata ana ki tō whare, ki tō kura, ki tētahi wāhi rānei e motuhake ana ki a koe? Ko hea tōna ikoa?

Maungarongo Te Kawa (Ngāti Porou) *A Celestial Gateway for Invisible People* (detail) 2023–5. Mixed media. Courtesy of the artist

He aha ētahi tohu o te awa hauora. Tākia ōu whakaaro ki raro iho nei.

He aha ētahi mahi e toru ka taea e koutou ko tō whānau hai tautiaki i tō awa motuhake?

1. _____
2. _____
3. _____

Mahi ki te Kura

Hai Waihaka

Waihakahia mai he whakaahua kiritakata ōu kai tō awa hauora ki kā rawa parapara, ki te toi piripiri rānei. E kahi kai ana pea, e kaukau ana pea, e takoto noa ana rānei pea koe ki te tahataha. Whakaaturia te āhua o te rokoka i tētahi awa parukore, i tētahi awa hauora. Ka mutu, koi wareware te āpiti rikoriko.



I tāu mahi i tēnei whakaaturaka, kua titiro koe ki kā mahi toi, ki kā pūrākau hoki mō kā taniwha puta noa i Aotearoa. Whakamoea kā taniwha nō kā mahi toi i kite nā koe i konei, ki ō rātou wāhi ki te mahere.



Tāpirihia kā taniwha whakahirahira
ki tō whānau, ki tō hapū, ki tō iwi.

Taihoa ake rā, he mahi anō! He momorua te marakihau, arā, he takata, he nākahi hoki tōna haka, ā, kīia ai he taniwha e noho ana i te moana. Kua huna te rikatoi, a Kereama Taepa, i tētahi ki te tahua o te Wharetoi – heoti anō tau e kite ai, he matawai i te waehera QR. Whakakāhia te taupāka, pāwhiritia te ‘gallery’ me te ‘find’. Puta atu koe ki waho, ka whai ai i kā tohutohu kai te mata o tāu pūrere.



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