



TE RŪNANGA TAUIRA HUI-Ā-TAU 2019

Thursday, 8 August 2019
6:30pm

Waipapa Marae
TĀMAKI MAKAURAU

MINUTES

Present:	Tracy Black (Chair) Tamarah Thomason-Tata (Vice Chair), Sharon Trafford, Kylie Walker, Ashleigh Bennett, Katrina Matu, Talia Rhind, Tuiana Mariu, Jade Rudolph, Lucy Marshall, Philipee Haldezos, Ashleigh Hasseltine, Serene Morrell, Hannah Hemi-Robinson, Erina Ferris, Chrystal Wairepo, Olivia McClelland, Qamille Pohatu, Wairakau Vercoe, Luana Eparaima-Petuha, Luana Kihī-Apuwai, Morann Kokaua, Awhina Dixon, Tamarah Thomason-Tata, Vicki Diamond, Audrey Waihape, Merehinekete, Tanea Jerry, Shaya Fowell, Vanessa Cole, Rachelle Time, Georgia Logan, Sylvia Wano, Rosie Marris, Lateisha Smith, Kimberley Gordon-Hohaia, Niki Te Puni, Tiechar Hill, Chantelle Thompson, Kiriwai Flavell, Katie Wharewera, Bridget Patrick, Waiharakeke Ruha-Hiraka, Rangihōia Hollis, Jade Collins, Tauoteawa Kingi, Ash Hemi, Sharon Hohaia, Khali-James Hamilton, Pania Dehar, Rikki Beast, Cherie Kerewaro, Cat Mear, Blaise Pehi-Neho, Jessica Houia, Jennifer Walker, Sina Tuisaula-Virk, Oceania Mikaere, Moana Kerr, Natasha Fowlie, Te Ngoahere Peeti, Hayley Robinson, Moana Whakaruru, Ashleigh Kauika, Wai Bartlett, Mellisa Tipene, Rachel Pirere, Jessica Hamilton, Marcy Apatu, Anahera McDonnell, Titaha Townsend, Helena Adams, Kenzie Roberts, Samantha Teinakore, Mikayla Hall, Mareta Monga, Duran Wheu, Tumanako Bidois, Sally Bruce, Aidan Green, Michelle McGhie, Lucinda Solomon, Gwen Taitua, Indiana Arnold, Renee Douglas, Hinearokura Gray, Wiki Rogers, Michelle Gerrard, Claudia Ngaki-Dean, Riki Lee Tanoa, Telisha Tipiwai-Butler, Awa-nui-a-rangi Love, Sorrel Kemp, Te Atamaira Dakin, Pania Tutemahurangi, Alish Kelly, Tianna-lee Jacobs, Crystal TeKira, Jessie Renata, Ngarangi Grace-Mohi, Teana Davey, Deni Saba, Tehau Churms, Bonnie Jobe, Genna Lau'ese-Stone, Wavell Madams, Tracy Peterson, Mihi Mariu, Jahna Tangiora, Fiona Te Haara,
In Attendance	Pirihira Toroa (Minute Taker)
Apologies:	No apologies were received

1. Confirmation of Agenda

Tracy Black went through agenda for the day.

It was moved:

That the agenda was confirmed.

Moved:	Vicki Diamond
Seconded:	Chantelle Thompson
CARRIED	

2. Conflicts of Interest

There were no Conflicts of Interest on the agenda.

3. Confirmation of Previous Minutes

It was moved:

That the minutes of Te Rūnanga Taura meeting held on 9 August 2018 were confirmed as a true and correct record.

Moved:	Katie Wharewera
Seconded:	Blaise Pehi-Neho
CARRIED	

4. Matters Arising from Previous Minutes

It was noted that matters arising from the previous minutes including the Annual Report – Kawa Whakaruruhau, National Student and Te Rūnanga Taura (TRT) representatives (Tracy Black and Dion Reid). It was noted that the Heads of Schools meet every July and this year was well attended. Points to note were lack of and erosion of cultural safety and bullying, this was the focus of TRT for 2019. The elections of Tracy Black and Tamarah Thomason-Tata nominations were received.

5. Annual Report

Tracy Black provided an update on the Chairperson's report. Key points for the report were:

- a. Thirteen (13) Te Rūnanga Taura delegates actively working within their institutions, supporting and advocating for taura. Delegates have been busy in the last 12 months. Tracy acknowledged all the hard work from the delegates and the members. Ngā mihi ki a koutou katoa.
- b. The Kaiwhakahaere, Tumu Whakarae, Te Poari Delegates and TRT leadership have attended pinning ceremonies and graduation ceremony. There has been positive feedback and more invitation are being sent to attend during the year. Celebrating the successes of the Māori taura, this also aligns to NZNO strategic plan for increasing the Māori nurse.

- c. Monthly teleconference/FB calling with Te Rūnanga Taura to keep everyone updated and informed.
- d. In 2018 the National Student Unit working groups focused on the NZNO strategy for nursing, NZNO rules and remits, nursing and midwifery student services directory. This year in 2019 the focus of National student working groups are postgraduate education funding, NZNO rules and remits, NSU survey and Kawa Whakaruruhau.
- e. TRT Leadership jointly led the Kawa Whakaruruhau working group to ensure that our voices are being heard on Multiple Platforms. Utilising Kai Tiaki to bring more exposure to the continuing erosion of cultural service and support across our nursing schools whilst identifying the positive outcomes of schools that offer strong cultural services and support to taura. With the recent issue of Kai Tiaki, there have been reactions from several Heads of School, reaching out to their TRT delegates and beginning conversations around Kawa Whakaruruhau.
- f. TRT leadership had met the Associate Minister of Health (Māori Health) Honourable Penni Henare to discuss issues the Māori nursing taura faced. The erosion of cultural safety and financial hardship were the main areas highlighted with the minister.
- g. Te Rūnanga Taura remain steadfast to highlight student issues, advocate and support members. Te Rūnanga Taura will continue to ensure that NZNO is a bicultural Organisation that is committed to supporting a relationship of not only equality but more importantly - equity for its members.
- h. The Te Rūnanga Taura leadership continue to be guided by the voices of our membership when advocating to make a change.
- i. The removal or erosion of culturally education, cultural services and cultural support within nursing schools.
- j. TRT leadership acknowledged the reports from members about bullying, this continues to be highlighted in student reports from peer to peer, lectures to students, preceptors to students, registered nurses to students.
- k. The safety of delegates is a high concern, some have reported that they have received direct and in-direct comments for speaking out about injustices within their schools. Delegates being treated negatively once lecturers know they're delegates of NZNO NSU. To support delegates TRT leadership have attended meeting in nursing schools.
- l. The work for the future Te Rūnanga Taura will continue to ensure that NZNO and NSU are culturally responsive to their members. Tikanga Māori and the integration of Te Reo Māori needs to be an essential process in NSU. Sharing the knowledge of Te Ao Māori (Māori world view) is instrumental in influencing the adaptation of change, strengthening students to become culturally responsive now and in the future.
- m. Te Rūnanga Taura will continue to highlight the erosion of Kawa Whakaruruhau on multiple media platforms and work with the Kaiwhakahaere Kerri Nuku and Te Rūnanga o Aotearoa to instigate change.
- n. Strengthen the nursing work force by recruiting a retaining more Māori into nursing.
- o. Increase participation of taura in regional and Te Rūnanga hui.

- p. Succession planning is an on-going focus of Te Rūnanga Taurira, building more leader for the future. There are currently 14 delegates but 12 will be vacating their chairs after they sit state examinations in November. TRT Leadership had foreseen this situation and had been working with delegates to ensure succession of their positions.
- q. The NSU second face to face meeting for the year was at Pipitea Marae, on the first day we had the Kaiwhakahaere and President attend to meeting. On the 2nd day there was a presentation to all the heads of schools, all three working groups presented to about the progress of there working group. Nursing Council was attended, which gave everyone the opportunity to voice their concerns about the difference in curriculums, the erosion of cultural safety. NCNZ are currently reviewing there process and seeking feedback.

Questions from the floor included how to become a delegate, what support is available, curriculum for Māori run by Māori, vacant Te Rūnanga Taurira position at Massey University for two years. Tamarah Thomason-Tata offered to support the election process. Tracy Black and Tamarah-Tata answered the questions from the floor. In regards to the election process, this will be discussed further with the Kaiwhakahaere.

Moved:	Mihi Mariu
Seconded:	Luana Kihi Apuwai
CARRIED	

6. Te Rūnanga Taurira Elections

It was noted that no nominations were received for 2019 Te Rūnanga Taurira Chairperson and Vice Chairperson. Tracy Black and Tamarah Thomason-Tata will remain in office until succession process is completed.

7. Te Rūnanga Taurira School and Delegates

Tracy Black asked that the representatives from each school (in attendance) to stand and introduce themselves.

- NorthTec – Niki Te Puni
- Auckland University of Technology - Ashleigh Bennett
- University of Auckland – Tumanako Bidois
- Manukau Institute of Technology – vacant
- UNITEC - vacant
- WINTEC – Genna Lau’ese-Stone
- Toi Ohomai– Blaise Pehi-Neho
- Te Whare Wānanga o Awanuiārangi- Tracy Black
- EIT – Tamarah Thomason-Tata
- Western Institute of Technology – Sally Bruce
- University College of Learning – vacant
- Whitireia Community Polytechnic – Sorrel Kemp
- ARA Institute of Canterbury – Lee Ellison

- Nelson Marlborough Institute of Technology – Roberta Cleary
- Otago Polytechnic - Rebecca Dunn (just resigned)
- Southern Institute of Technology – Azzah Duncanson

Moved:	Kimberley Gordon-Hohaia
Seconded:	Chantelle Thompson
CARRIED	

8. General Business

- Feedback from the floor was that it was an awesome hui today especially attending Ihumātao, a beautiful experience.
- It was highlighted that there continues to be concerns about bullying within the nursing schools, students are being faced with financial hardship, there is a need to change the perceptions of nursing students, continual erosion of cultural safety. It was agreed that these will be fed into the working plan for National Student Unit 2020 working plan.
- TRT leadership encouraged members over the next few days to come and have talk with them, if you are worried about anything or you have any questions about becoming a delegate. We are here if you need to talk about anything.

The meeting closed at 7.30pm with a karakia Whakamutunga.

Tracy Black, Chair

Date