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Pānui #5 2025



E ngā mana, e ngā reo, e ngā karangataha maha o te wā,
nau mai, haere mai ki Te Tairāwhiti.

We are looking forward to welcoming everyone to our beautiful region.

The Marae excursions to Rongopai and Ngatāpa have now been moved to the afternoon. These excursions may be a once in a lifetime opportunity to hear stories directly from local kaumātua.

NGĀ KAITUHI MĀORI – TUI, TUI, TUI, TUHIA

[See the Full Programme below](#)

The final Programme and printable workbook will be sent out to participants the week prior to the hui - exciting! Don't forget to bring work to read and share at open mic sessions and the banquet. As well as bringing your work-in-progress to discuss with other writers.

General Admission Tickets are now on sale for the fundraiser dinner on Humantix and for the Monty Soutar speaking event on Eventfinda. There are also a few Day Tickets still available, and the Sunday Panel event Public Tickets will go on sale in October. [Email here for booking details](#)

This Pānui features the profiles of the multi-talented Tania Roxborough and rangatahi writer Nadia Solomon who has been nurtured by Te Hā. Both writers will feature in Tairāwhiti.

STOP PRESS!

It is with great pride that we include a limited-edition fundraiser release from kaituhi whānau in Te Waipounamu. This is the magic that happens when we come together. Buy your copies for Christmas now.

NEW BOOK RELEASE

LIMITED EDITION

Friends and Whānau – We Need Your Tautoko

We have 10 days to sell our limited edition of 200 copies of our book REWA RISE. Your support will help us send some of our writers to Ngā Kaituhi Māori Hui in Gisborne this October.

Our writers:
Ihipera Hippolite Broughton, Ropata Stephens, Kerensa Johnston, Miriana Stephens, Renée Kahukura Iosefa, Harold Helmbright, Maraea Smith, Matt Calman, Trish Shaw, Craig Fransen, Eva Brown, Kahukura Iosefa, Tracey-Lee Andersen, Marli Francis, Liani Āhere, Stef Harris, Atakohu Middleton, Aramoana du Feu, Douglas Brooks, Donna McLeod, Tania Corbett, Ihaka Griffin-Matthews.



REWARISE

**An Anthology of new Pūrākau from
Māori Writers in Te Waipounamu
Edited by Witi Ihimaera
Collated by Renée Kahukura Iosefa and Donna McLeod.**

Pre-Order Now

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Pre-Order Payment Details:
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Reference: Your Name + REWA RISE

- Launch: End of November (or earlier)
- All pre-order supporters will be invited to our launch
- Books will be posted after the launch – postage dates will be confirmed

Pre- order link: <https://forms.gle/o7bSVA2DMPGzw9oz5>

NGĀ KAITUHI MĀORI – TUI, TUI, TUI, TUHIA
Full Programme

Thurs 9th October 2025

9.30 – 10.30 HB Williams Memorial Library

Māori Author-Themed Te Pihinga Session - Te Pihinga is a fun programme for two-five-year-olds and their caregivers. Come along and socialise while having fun singing, dancing and learning.

3 Day event - Arrival Day Thurs 9th October

4pm Pōwhiri at Poho-o-Rāwiri

4.30 – 5.15pm Welcome from Marae

5.15pm Registration, beds down & Whakawhanaungatanga

6.30pm DINNER & Information session

8.00pm Perena Quinlivan introduces Paula Morris

Whakapapa of Māori Writing

Paula Morris, Tania Roxborough, Renee Iosefa, Shelley Burne-Field, Regina de Wolf-Ngarimu, Te Paea Maurirere, Mairātea Mohi and Nadia Solomon are so far lined up to read from their work and kōrero about the pre-eminent role of women in Māori literature

Small acts of defiance: tradition and reinvention in Indigenous short stories

Paula Morris shares her kōrero from a recent international indigenous event appearance.



Day 1 Fri 10th

6am **Karakia and walk up Titirangi** from the marae to see the 6.30 Kaiti Sunrise across beautiful Tūranga-nui-a-Kiwa with Sir Haare Williams

7 – 8am Breakfast

8.30 – 9.30am

“What is the world of Rangatahi Writers and what do Rangatahi Writers want?”

Rangatahi Panel - Nadia Solomon, Liam Wallace, Te Paea Maurirere, Mairātea Mohi and guests, reading of work and response – Interviewed by Tania Roxborough in the Wharenuī Poho-o-Rāwiri

9.30 – 10.00am Open Q&A and rangatahi suggestion peer to peer forum followed by morning tea

10.15 – 10.30am – Rangatahi workshop with established writers – what do you wish you had at the beginning of your writing career? What helped? How did you overcome challenges? How did you establish your career?

(Documentation for future event organisers of rangatahi writers' needs)

10.30am **'They DO have something to say: giving our rangatahi voice/putting the 'magic crayon' in their hands'** - Tania Roxborough

Readings before lunch

11.30am – 12.30pm Lunch at Poho-o-Rāwiri Marae (12pm for excursion participants)

12 – 3.20pm **Excursion to Rongopai marae**, Waituhi, with Witi Ihimaera & Haare Williams (30 places in two vans, everyone else travels by private transport), kōrero and karakiawith the locals and a spontaneous “Write what you experience, or a reflection on your own marae” exercise while you are in Waituhi

For anyone not going to Waituhi, sign up for one of three **Discussion Groups** on Writing Poetry, Children's Literature and Fiction

3.30 – 5pm **Witi Unwrapped** HB Williams Memorial Library

The HB Williams Memorial Library Teen Writers Hub are thrilled to host renowned author Witi Ihimaera and other teen writers for a fun-filled 360 interview. Rangatahi will put Witi under the microscope to extract what they want to know about writing.

Witi can give as good as he gets. He wants to know what rangatahi writers want. Who will roast who? Expect a few laughs and a lot of learning at this event as one of Aotearoa's most beloved and well-known authors, fences words with the writers of the future.

Free Entry

For those not going to the Library:

3.30 – 4.30pm Moira Lomas from Toi Iho - **Artists Rights Taiki e!**

4.30 – 5.30pm **Editing tips with Paula Morris** Poho-o-Rawiri

Acclaimed Māori Author and Associate Professor of Creative Writing (Auckland University), the one and only, Paula Morris offer tips to writers with works in progress.

5.30 – 6.30pm **Reflecting – Writing - Connecting time**

6.30pm **Kai and Kōrero** Open Mike Readings from local Gisborne writers – Aaron Compton, Molly Pardoe, Taranga Kent, Polly Crawford, Te Paea Maurirere, Carmen Fairlie, R. de Wolf
8pm Drum roll...

We are lucky to have our star speaker, historian and successful **Tairāwhiti novelist, Monty Soutar**, arriving back from a busy week on Waitangi Tribunal business, to talk to us about his third and forthcoming novel from his famous Kāwai trilogy and on life & writing. A not-to-be-missed event – Public Event <https://www.eventfinda.co.nz/2025/monty-soutar-kawai-trilogy/gisborne/tickets>

Day 2 Sat 11th Oct:

7.00 – 8.30am Breakfast

9am **Interview with Shelley Burne-Field** by Regina de Wolf-Ngarimu.

How do you go about building a writing career? The nuts and bolts of building a career as a writer. A 15 minute open Q&A with Shelley

10am **Rangatahi open forum** – Shelley asks - what would you like to know?

10 – 11am **Paula Morris Speaks** – Public Event at the HB Williams Memorial Library, Papatipu room – free entry

Award-winning novelist, short story writer, essayist and editor Paula Morris (Ngāti Wai, Ngāti Whātua, Ngāti Manuhiri) will be joining us for an inspiring talk about storytelling, history, identity, and exploration. Also learn more about Wharerangi The Māori Literature Hub. A comprehensive resource for Māori writers, offering information, opportunities, and a platform for creative works.

11.15am **Our Hui eBook**

Regina de Wolf-Ngarimu introduces the Internet NZ funded eBook of work submitted by attendees at the Hui, & invites Submissions. Actively participate in building our book.

12.00 – 1pm Lunch at Poho-o-Rāwiri

1.15 – 4.30pm **Excursion to Ngātapa Marae**, site of a major conflict during the Te Kooti Wars, with Witi Ihimaera & Haare Williams (30 places in two vans, everyone else travels by private transport), afternoon tea with the locals and a spontaneous “Reflection Writing Exercise” on a significant event in your own tribal history

For those not going to Ngātapa, a continuation of yesterday’s three Discussion Groups on Writing Poetry, Children’s Literature and Fiction and writing time.

6.30pm The GET YOUR BEST GEAR ON AND CELEBRATE WHO WE ARE AT THE FUNDRAISER DINNER: ‘East Coast Flash’ Ticketed Event \$70.00 Early Bird, \$85.00 General Admission

<https://events.humanitix.com/fundraiser-dinner-support-tairawhiti-writers>

Public Ticketed Event with the Tairāwhiti Writers Hub, TaiTech & Ngā Kaituhi Māori – tickets available until 2nd of October.

Special Guests Witi Ihimaera & Friends, kapa haka, readers & talented local singer songwriters
The funds raised are to support literary events and writers in Tūranganui-a-Kiwa - Gizzy

Day 3 Sun 12th Oct:

7.30 – 8.30am Breakfast

8.30am Pack up beds for those staying on the marae

9am Poho-o-Rāwiri Marae

Panel discussion between Sir Haare Williams, Witi Ihimaera, Paula Morris, Perena Quinlivan, Renee Iosefa, Tania Roxborough and Mairātea Mohi on writing for the future, for the mokopuna. They will discuss where Māori writing is heading, where it should be going, where the gaps are, how we build capacity to reach each other.

To be followed by a mediated one-hour open forum on issues raised in the kōrero. In te reo and English. Public Event Regina de Wolf-Ngarimu & Cain Kerehoma (moderators)

11.30 – 12.30pm **Workshop Breakout** - Planning your own writing – We want you to leave with your own personal plan of what you will accomplish between now and the next hui.

12.30pm Lunch

Poroporoaki & Close Sir Haare will lead the closing karakia.

Conclusion of Tui, Tui, Tui Tuhia

October 13-19

HUI KAITUHI - Creating on the Coast

Day 4 Mon 13th Oct

9 – 11am **Morning: Guided Heritage Walk** of Turanganui-a-Kiwa.
Heritage walk of important historic and cultural sites of Gisborne City

10 – 11am **Mo ngā tāngata he kōrero Māori**

HB Williams Memorial Library, Mahutonga Meeting Room | Entry: Free
*He kōrero no Te Runanga o Tūranganui a Kiwa e pā ana ki te hekenga mai o te māori mai i Hawaiki ki Tūranganui a Kiwa. He kōrero anō hoki mo te kumara me te waka Horouta.
Nau mai, haere mai, rarau mai.*



1 – 2.30pm **Literary Taxidermy** (write a short story) with Taranga Kent
H.B. Williams Library, 34 Bright St, Gisborne (Mahutonga Meeting Room)

Explore new avenues for creativity with our Literary Taxidermy session. This is a fun writing exercise to 'stitch together' a flash fiction piece with a sentence starter and final sentence provided. You create the 'stuffing' that comes in between. Koha.

Taranga Kent is a teacher, author of *Not Just a Teacher*, poet, proofreader and photographer. She writes poetry, short stories, children's picture books, songs and educational resources. Taranga has facilitated creative writing workshops at writers' retreats and schools, and judged poetry and speech competitions.

4pm **Editing with Shelley Burne-Field** – Crafting, editing, laying out & polishing
At Taiki e!

Join award winning and published author Shelley Burne-Field for tips and practical advice on how to craft your submissions for publishing and competitions.

Entry Koha

6pm Fish n chips dinner and writing at Midway Beach Picnic Tables book on huikaituhi@gmail.com if you want to order fish n chips or just byo

Optional drinks at Tahu Restaurant afterwards

Day 5 Tues 14th Oct

10:30am – 1:30pm **DROP-IN WRITING CAFÉ** — Free

For a few hours, Gizzy Local is transforming into a cozy Writer's Café. Drop in, no need to register, and get stuck in to whatever writing you want to get done. If you're inspired by being in a new setting or by being around other writers drawing from their creative well, swing by Gizzy Local's Writing Café with your preferred writing tools. We'll put the jug on and there might be a friendly writer for you to chat with. Otherwise, it's just time for you to put the metaphorical or literal pen to paper and get some words down. Venue: Gizzy Local, 64 Lowe Street.

11am – 12pm **Laughter - the Best Medicine**

Witi Ihimaera, Haare Williams, Taranga Kent, R. de Wolf and friends are entertaining our Kaumatua in conjunction with sponsor Turanga Health at the Cossie Club. Performance 11 – 11.30 am and Group Kōrero 11.30 am to 12 pm

2.30 – 4pm **Writing Community** Anthologies, your Marae or family, with Regina de Wolf-Ngarimu, Gillian Moon & Guests Taiki e!

Explore the possibilities of stitching knowledge, history, creativity and diversity together. Harnessing the power of words, builds communities. Walk away with some practical tools to create your project. Q&A. Koha

5.30 – 8pm **Creative Character Development using Dungeons & Dragons Workshop with Kelly Blackwell**

HB Williams Memorial Library, Matariki Meeting Room | Entry: Free | Registrations Essential: Email kelly.blackwell@gdc.govt.nz

Storyteller Kelly Blackwell will take your character design concept on an epic writing quest inspired by the popular roleplaying game Dungeons and Dragons!

This guided journey strengthens your connection to your character as you explore motivation, deeper desires and physical attributes.

Then play it all out using writing prompts and the luck of the dice.

No previous experience required – Bring along your own character concept.

8 – 10pm **Research at the HB Williams Memorial Library**

*Step into a night of inspiration, creativity, and focused writing at our exclusive **Researching for Writers Lock-In**, hosted in collaboration with **Ngā Kaituhi Māori**. This after-hours event is designed to give writers—emerging and experienced alike—a rare opportunity to immerse themselves in their craft, surrounded by the rich resources of the library and the support of expert reference librarians.*

What to Expect:

- A guided session on using the library catalogue
- An inspirational short film screening via Beamafilm
- Quiet, dedicated writing spaces to help you focus
- Access to library staff for research support
- Light refreshments and a welcoming, creative atmosphere

Whether you're working on a novel, memoir, article, or poetry, this event offers the space, time, and tools to help you dive deep into your writing. Come connect with fellow writers, explore new ideas, and make the most of the library after dark.

Day 6 Wed 15th Oct

9.30 – 10.30am **Flash Fiction Frenzy** with Karen Morris Denby at Waikanae Beach

Words In a flash – 100 words – beginning a middle and a twisty end

Waikanae Beach – (Koha - Tai Tech) 8 places available

Join Kazz for a one-hour flash fiction workshop—no writing experience needed! Learn to craft powerful stories in 100 words. Unleash your creativity, find your voice, and leave with your own flash fiction piece. Perfect for beginners and curious minds alike. Let's write unforgettable stories together and consider pieces to submit for the Writers Festival Ebook.

10 – 11.00am **A Story from Tairāwhiti**

HB Williams Memorial Library, Mahutonga Meeting Room | Entry: Free

Join Te Runanga o Tūranganui a Kiwa for a story from Tairāwhiti.

You'll hear about the origins of local Māori from Hawaiki to Tūranganui a Kiwa and the discovery of kumara and how it was brought to the Tairāwhiti region on the waka Horouta.

Nau mai, haere mai, rarau mai.

11am Chopper Taiapa, Writer, on his **Research and Inspiration for his Graphic Novel** Maui-Tikitiki-a-Taranga at Waikanae beach

1 – 2.30pm **Poetry film** (A visual presentation of your poetry) workshop with Taranga Kent

Location: H.B. Williams Library, 34 Bright St, Gisborne (Mahutonga Meeting Room)

Add a visual dimension to your words - explore the option of recording your poetry as a presentation of images (think short film/video). Great for sharing your work on social media, websites or Youtube channels, using for marketing your book, or simply as a legacy for your tamariki and mokopuna to cherish.

Entry: Koha

4pm **Introduction to Self-Publishing & Publishing tools** with Draft2Digital, Amazon & IngramSpark, Vellum – Local writers Dorothy Fletcher/Christopher McMaster/R. de Wolf

Have you written your book but can't find a Publisher? Want to self-publish but don't know where to start? Look at options with three authors who use self-publishing platforms.

Taiki e! Koha

book @ huikaituhi@gmail.com or just come along

6.30pm **Drinks at Siduri Wine Bar & Deli** – Tairāwhiti Writers Host

Want to talk shop about being a writer with like-minded souls? Casual coming together to chat and relax.

7:30 – 9pm **SONGWRITER'S CATCH-UP** — Free

Facilitated by local songwriters, this is an informal chat about what works for you, what's your process, resources you love, creative tricks that help you short-cut to the good writing and more. This is a free event but request that you RSVP to community@gizzylocal.com to help us anticipate numbers. Venue: Gizzy Local, 64 Lowe Street. This event is for any accomplished or aspiring songwriters keen to get down in the weeds with other songwriters about the craft of songwriting.

Day 7 Thurs 16th October

2 – 3.30pm

The Story of HB Williams Memorial Library Tours

HB Williams Memorial Library, Bright Street Entrance | Tours Depart at 2.00pm, 2.30pm and 3.00pm |

Entry: Free

A unique opportunity to learn the stories behind our landmark community space.

Renowned for its distinctive architecture and provenance HB Williams Memorial Library holds an exclusive status among public libraries.

Join one of three 30 minutes tours lead by our knowledgeable library guides, as they step you through the story of HB Williams Memorial Library.

4 – 5.30pm **Ekphrastic Art Exchange** – R. de Wolf, Merle Walker, Taranga Kent & friends Taiki e!

(ekphrasis Greek – description or poem of visual art)

An invitation to poets, writers, artists, photographers. Treat your pen to a visual feast. Dip your quill into the creative pool of an artist's imagination and let your words flow. In the spirit of exchange, writer's will be inspiring the artists with their spoken words as the artists inspire the pen - paint to ink and ink to paint. Come and have some fun. Max 16 places please register huikaituhi@gmail.com or pm Reg

6.30pm Fishing Club casual networking dinner – free ticket buy-your-own dinner and drinks rsvp

huikaituhi@gmail.com for a relaxed evening with other writers

Day 8 Friday 17th October

10am Bookshop/Library/Editor/Publisher – what we want in a book Taiki e!

11am Introduction to Journaling & Memoir Gillian Moon Taiki e! tbc

2 – 3pm **AI Pros & Cons for creatives** - Simeon Alford TaiTech Hub Kaiti

In our ever-changing world of technology and court cases, explore how you can make AI work for you productively, maintain your creative integrity and understand the digital world writers operate in. If you are writing on a computer or self-publishing this session is a must.

Koha entry

Reserve your place at huikaituhi@gmail.com – numbers are limited.

3.30 – 5pm **Found Poetry** with Aaron Compton & Rangatahi HB Williams Memorial Library

Local poet, Aaron Compton, will be hosting a one off **Found Poetry session for teens**.

Found Poetry involves harvesting words from existing texts to create something new.

A fun opportunity for Rangatahi to learn how to find the poetry hiding in books, newspapers, and screens – all they need to do is get rid of the extra words!

Aaron Compton is a writer and prize-winning fiction editor. His work has appeared in numerous anthologies, including Kaituhi Rāwhiti: a celebration of East Coast writing, and Mayhem Journal.

5.30 – 7pm **Ginspiration** (Doors open at 5 pm) – Charlie Holland

Ginspiration: Distilling the senses through poetry and prose.

Join us for an engaging writing workshop where you create tasting notes as poetry and prose, capturing our sensory imaginings and using gin as our muse.

Number of participants: 12 adults (must be over 18 years old). Gin tastings provided.

Location: Taiki e! 7 Peel Street, Shop 1, Treble Court, Gisborne.

Entry: A plate/bowl of snacks to share.

Day 9 Saturday 18th October

9 – 12pm

HB Williams Memorial Library is delighted to present a

Self-Publishing Workshop with USA Today Bestselling Author Leeanna Morgan.

Based on the Kapiti Coast Leeanna published her first book in 2014. Since then all of her books have been self-published and in the past decade Leeanna has been able to generate a six figure annual income from her writing exclusively. Including a dynamic Q&A session make sure to be there if you are interested in following suit!

12.30 – 1.30pm **Art + Poetry = Fantastic ekphrastic**

Maia Gallery Toihoukura 290 Palmerston Road

Presented by Mikaela Nyman & R. de Wolf

Mikaela Nyman hails from the autonomous, demilitarised Åland Islands and lives in Taranaki. She writes poetry, fiction and non-fiction in Swedish and English. Printmaking is one of her passions. Collaboration across art-disciplines and languages brings her joy. The Anatomy of Sand (THWUP, 2025) is her third poetry collection, and her first in English. In 2024 she was the Robert Burns Fellow. Well known for Sista, Stanap Strong! A Vanuatu Women's Anthology (anthology) Published by Te Herenga Waka, we are delighted to have Mikaela in Tairāwhiti.

Treat yourself to some visual inspiration at a local art gallery. Look, and look again, then pen your impressions of the art with the help of some practical prompts and guidance. Maybe you'll discover an unexpected story behind the artwork? This is a fun poetry writing workshop, you don't need to be an artist or have any formal knowledge of art to participate.

The visual stimulation will take place at Maia Gallery, a centre of artistic creative excellence at Toihoukura. The merging of art and words will be epic!

Number of participants: 15

2 – 3 pm **Who dunnit? Murder Mystery play Workshop** - Dorothy Fletcher

Beetham Lodge, at Beetham Village

The runaway success of Murder Mystery plays screams 'popular genre'. Local acting troupe, The Usual Suspects, performs on the Steam train and in local theatres. The audience members question the suspects and try to work out who-done-it. Author and scriptwriter Dorothy Fletcher discusses how the plays are written and put on stage, (or train). If you are into interactive theatre, or aspire to craft plays or skits, this could be for you.

Free entry: Koha

DEADLINE: Due 5pm - Final submissions for Ebook to Regina de Wolf-Ngarimu, Shelley Burne-Field, & Taranga Kent @ ebooksubmission1@gmail.com (opens 9 October 2025)

3.30 – 4.30 pm Author Development

New Zealand Society of Authors Central District Branch – Tairāwhiti Venue Taiki e!

Mikaela Nyman (Board Rep) and local komiti members:

What do you get from an NZSA membership? Members and non-members are welcome.

What is the New Zealand Society of Authors and how can it help you as a writer? Open your world to a wealth of learning, tools, residencies, grant information and competitions. Did you know you receive a professional profile with your membership? Not sure where to find an editor, proofreader or how to get your book ready to print? Come along and talk about books, the industry and professional development.

7pm **Dinner** venue tbc (dependent on numbers) – ticketed event with readings from eBook, visitors, guests, public, reserve a ticket at huikaituhi@gmail.com tickets on sale October
Table kōrero, a look at the ebook and just relax with a beverage and a nice meal.

Day 10 Sunday 19th October

Gather your writing, thoughts, reflections, plans & contacts and travel home

Tania Roxborough

Ngāti Porou-Irish-Scottish, award-winning writer and educator, current PhD student, perpetual mātauranga Māori learner, die-hard Shakespeare nut, and an irrepressible believer in the possibility of better stories.

She currently lives in New Zealand, and has been a teacher since 1989. Tania is the author of many published works across a range of genres: novels, plays for the classroom, Shakespearean texts, English grammar books, children's books, YA and adult non-fiction. She teaches English at a secondary school, writes and reads at every opportunity and, with her husband, runs around after her family - both the two- and four-legged kind. Roxborough loves watching movies and TV shows, and staying in her pyjamas for as long as possible.

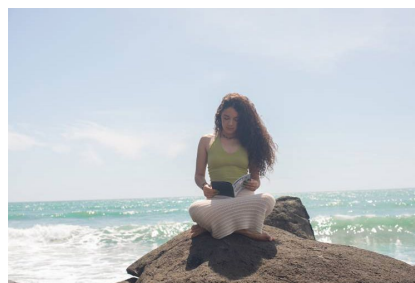


A prolific writer, Tania has authored over 30 books. Click the link for a look at her astounding catalogue <https://www.storylines.org.nz/search-profiles/tania-roxborough/profiles/>

Ngā Kaituhi Māori is excited to welcome Tania back to her spiritual home.

Rangatahi Writer Profile

Nadia Solomon (Ngāi Te Rangī, Ngāpuhi) is a creative writer, poet, and a professional yapper. She has been a panelist, interviewer and performer at writers festivals and art events and was a 2023 Verb Wellington micro-residency recipient. Nadia self-publishes her writing through Instagram and zines, and has had work published in Salient Magazine and Pūhia.



Forever influenced by nature, love, and protest, Nadia's writing serves both as a means of personal healing, and as an attempt to process and document a changing world. As a survivor of the mental health system, Nadia is passionate about systemic change, and community care.

Nadia is an active committee member for Te Hā o Ngā Pou Kaituhi Māori, an occasional crafter and a full time barista. She is a host for Kirikiriroa Open Mic, a space for Waikato writers to share and connect. Kirikiriroa Open Mic is held twice monthly across Hamilton City Libraries.



Witi Ihimaera (Chair), Sir Haare Williams, Perena Quinlivan, Paula Morris, Renee Iosefa, Craig Fransen, Regina de Wolf-Ngarimu & Polly Crawford



Nau mai, haere mai ki Tūranga nui a Kiwa!



Have you see the programme for **KUPU**. They also have a fantastic programme. How lucky we are this year to have events to choose from. The space is vibrant and alive with future event planning and collaboration. *The Pikihiuia Awards* and *The Keri Hulme Award* will be presented by the *Maori Literature Trust* on October 19, at Te Puia. Congratulations to the writers shortlisted for these awards.

Tickets to Kupu and the awards [HERE](#)

Craft Development for Kaituhi Māori

More information [HERE](#)

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