



**KNIGHTON  
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He hōnore, he korōria ki te Atua. He maungārongo ki te whenua. He whakaaro pai ki ngā tāngata katoa  
Ka tika me mihi ki Te Ārikinui e te kīngi Tāheitia, me tōna hoa rangatira Te Atawhai, a rāua tamariki hoki.  
Paimarire ki a rātou te Kāhui Ariki.  
Ki ngā mate o te wiki, o te marama, o te tau, rātou kua huri atu ki tua o te arai, moe mai, moe mai i raro i te  
korowai o Hine-nui-te-Pō, o Papatūānuku hoki.  
Ki a tātou te hunga ora, ngā mihi nui, ngā mihi aroha ki a tātou katoa.

30 o Maehe 2021

Tēnā koutou katoa e te whānau

### **Whakawhānaungatanga and Pourakahua Whakaaturanga at Peachgrove Intermediate**

On **Tuesday 13th April 2021** our Te Hihiri whānau have been invited by the reorua whānau (Team Tahī) at Peachgrove Intermediate to watch a whakaaturanga titled **Pourakahua** in te reo Māori. **There is no cost for the show.** The show is about a cross between human and bird, on a journey of self-discovery as they fly across the stunning landscapes of Aotearoa to find their new home. They meet interesting friends along the way, coming to their aid while also evading the dangerous bird hunters, the Kaitaomanu. The show has been developed from a theatrical puppet show by TORO PIKOPIKO PUPPETS inspired by real rock art in Timaru, Te Waipounamu, and the many tribal narratives of Pourakahua. We are excited that this whakaaturanga will provide our tamariki with a range of learning experiences and kaupapa Māori principles such as exposure to pūrākau from other iwi, kaitiakitanga, āwhina, whakapono, te ira tangata and māiatanga.

The taura in Te Kukune and Te Pupuke have also been invited to join Team Tahī in the morning for whakawhānaungatanga. As the day will be quite long Te Whāinga will travel down later in the day. This is a fantastic opportunity for our tamariki to interact with our past Te Hihiri tuakana.

We are looking for whānau with a full drivers license that are available to **transport** our **tamariki** to and or from Peachgrove Intermediate. Below is a **permission slip** that **ALL TAUIRA** must have signed by their whānau, as well as a section where whānau can indicate if they are available to transport our taura.

**Kaupapa:** Pourakahua Show

**Date:** Tuesday 13th April 2021

**Time of Departure From School:** 9.15am (Teina/Tuakana) and 12.15pm (Pēpi)

**Time of Arrival Back To School:** 2.45pm-3.00pm

**Venue:** Peachgrove Intermediate

**Your tamaiti needs:**

- Teina / Tuakana – their morning tea and lunch.
- Pēpi – their own booster seat for transport if they are required to have one.

Please return the permission slip below and give to your kaiako **by Thursday 8th April.**

Noho ora mai

Ngā Kaiako o Te Hihiri

**Whakawhānaungatanga and Pourakahua Whakaaturanga at Peachgrove Intermediate  
Tuesday 13th April 2021**

I give permission for my tamaiti/tamariki \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ to attend Whakawhānaungatanga and the Pourakahua  
Whakaaturanga at Peachgrove Intermediate on **Tuesday 13th April 2021** between 9.15am-2.30pm  
or 12:45pm.

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**Circle relevant sections below**

Āe / Kāo I am available to transport tamariki at 9.15am from kura to Peachgrove Intermediate:

Āe / Kāo I am available to transport tamariki at 12.15pm from kura to Peachgrove Intermediate:

Āe / Kāo I am available to transport tamariki at 2.30pm/2.45pm from Peachgrove Intermediate  
back to kura:

**Number of students you can transport with full diagonal seatbelts:** \_\_\_\_\_

Āe / Kāo I have a full driver's license and my vehicle has a current WOF and registration

Remember to complete this **permission slip** and **return** to the frog box in the office  
by **Thursday 8th April**.

**Signed:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_  
(parent/guardian)

