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## Hononga whānau, whiringa tāngata



Ko Wahine (maui), ko Jacqui (waenga), ko Wiki (matau) kei te Glenavon Community Hub.

**He rongonui te kiritaki o Tāmaki Makaurau a Jacqui i tōna hapori ki te Uru o Tāmaki Makaurau. I tua atu i te tiaki i ana tamariki – e ono – taihoa ake nei, e whitu, ka whakapau ia i tōna wā ki ngā mahi tūao ki te Glenavon Community Hub e pātata ki tōna kāinga Kāinga Ora.**

He mana kōkiri a Jacqui i te Community Hub, pārekareka ana ki ia te whiriwhiri i te taura tāngata kia hua mai he taura e kore e motu. Kei te puku tonu o te hapori kanorau, manaaki hoki, he ngākaunui a Jacqui me ōna tūao i te Hub ki te whakanui i ngā momo ahurea e noho ana i te rohe mā te whakarite i ngā huihuinga ahurea, i ngā akomanga, me te kōrerorero noa, kanohi ki te kanohi.

“Ka hipa atu ana te tangata i te Hub, ka tū ki te tiroiro, ki te kōrerorero, mea rawa ake kua whai hononga rātou – kāti, koia tonu te

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Kia ora koutou katoa,

Kua mahana haere ngā rā, he tohu kua eke tonu tātou ki te pito whakamutunga o tētahi tau anō e whakarato ana i ngā whare whai kounga, e tautoko ana hoki i ō mātou kiritaki.

I te tau 2023 ko tō mātou aronga nui ko te urupare i ō koutou hiahia, e whakautu ana i ngā waea mai pātata ki te 700,000, te whakatutuki ana i ngā mahi whakatikatika whare hawhe miriona neke atu, e tautoko ana hoki i ētahi o koutou i ngā parahenua i Tāmaki Makaurau i te marama o Kohitātea, anō hoki i te Cyclone Gabrielle i te marama o Huitanguru. Kei te haere tonu ngā mahi nui e whakarite ana kia mahana ake, kia maroke ake hoki ō mātou whare – ka mutu, inā te nui o te tīrepa i whakaurua ai e mātou e taea ai ngā whārikitanga 11 o te ara rererangi o te Taunga Waka Rererangi o Tāmaki Makaurau!

I tēnei tau, i whakahouhia te 739 o ō mātou kāinga, i hangaia hoki pātata ki te 2,900 i tua atu.

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tikanga o te mahi nei. Ka noho tonu ētahi hei tūao ki tō mātou taha, he rawe ki a mātou taua momo āwhina, ka mutu ka whai wā hoki mātou ki te whakawhanaunga mātou ki a mātou.”

Nō reira, he aha pū te mahi ka tū ki te Glenavon Community Hub? Koia te puku tonu o te hapori, te Hub, he tūranga mō ngā momo ratonga, ngohe pārekareka katoa, tae atu ki Kai Connect, he ratonga kete kai ā-rohe, Making Ends Meet, he ‘toa kore utu’ o ngā kākahu me ngā momo taputapu mō te whare, ko tū hoki ngā awheawhe kore utu i te reo Māori me ōna tikanga.

He tūranga matua hoki tō Jacqui i te katoa o ngā mahi – tae atu ki te mahi ārahi i ngā akomanga reo Māori i ia wāhanga o te tau.

Ko te reo Māori taku kai i a au e pakeke mai ana, ko taku hiahia ko

te whakarite ara ako mā ētahi atu, ko te hono anō i a rātou ki tō rātou tuakiri ahurea, kia purenga ai hoki ā rātou kete i te mātauranga” te kī a Jacqui.

“Ko te whakahaere i ēnei akomanga, he ara tērā māku hei whakahoki i te aroha ki ngā mātua i tō mātou hapori. E ako ana ā mātou tamariki i te reo Māori i te kura, he mea āwhina tēnei i ngā mātua kia ōrite ki ngā akoranga o ā rātou tamariki, kia pai ai tā rātou ako ngātahi, kia rere tonu ai hoki te kōrero i te kāinga.”

Heoi anō, e mārāma ana ki a Jacqui he whiri noa iho ia o te taura whiri tūao mīharo, arā te hunga e mahi ana kia mau tonu ai te wairua huihuinga ora tonu o te Glenavon Community Hub. Ko te tokorua o ēnei tūao – he hoa hoki nō Jacqui – ko Wahine rāua ko Wiki, he kiritaki anō o Kāinga Ora e noho

pātata mai ana. Ka mahi tūao rāua ki te taha o Kai Connect, e mea ana koirā tā rāua hei whakahoki ki te hapori nāna rāua i manaaki, i tautoko.

He noho whakaiti te tokorua nei mō ā rāua oha, me te kī, he reka ake to tuku i te whiwhi.

“He whānau mātou i konei, ko te arotahi mā mātou ko te aro ki ngā mahi e taea ai te whakapai ake mā te iwi te take, hei karahuihui mai hoki i te katoa. Mā konei e haumarua ake ai, e pakari ake ai i a tātou tō tātou hapori.”



**Tirohia tā mātou  
ataata o Jacqui me  
Glenavon  
Community Hub.**

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## Me ngā mihi o te wā kia pārekareka ai te raumati

Ka mutu, kei te waihanganga mātou i te 6,500 whare i tēnei wā, i raro hoki i te kirimana. Me mihi ka tika ki ō mātou kiritaki katoa i manawa nui mai, mārāma hoki i a mātou e whai ana ki te whakahou ake, ki te hanga rānei i ō kāinga hou. He pai ake hoki mō te hauora me te oranga o te iwi.

E hia mano tonu nei ngā whare hei hanga mā mātou, hei whakahou ake, e mahi ana ki te taha o ō mātou kiritaki, me te nuuinga tonu o te mahi kei mua i te aroaro Kua piki ake te haere me te whaikiko o tā mātou kaupapa hanga whare,

kia mārāma ake ai mātou mō ngā papānga mai ki te tangata.

Kua whakapau kaha hoki mātou e kimi ara ana kia nui ake ngā mahi tautoko i ō mātou kiritaki. Kua whai wāhi atu ētahi o ō mātou kiritaki ki te rangahau Pūngao Hōtoke hei āwhina i tō mātou mārāma ki ngā painga o ngā pire hiko whai taupoki me te ngāwaritanga o te utu whakamahana i te whare, hei āwhina i te oranga o te whānau. Arā anō ētahi e hiki ana i tēnei mea te hapori ki taumata kē mā te honohono i te hiko e ahu mai ana i ngā papa hihira.

Te manako e reka ai tēnei putanga whakamutunga o Te Ahi Kāinga mō te tau 2023, me aku mihi ki a koutou katoa, kia haumarua, kia pai hoki te okioki i tēnei raumati me nui te whakawhanaunga, ahakoa whānau mai, hoa mai, hapori paetata mai.

Mā te wā,

**Andrew McKenzie**  
Tumu Whakarae