

Te Ringa Rehe o te Ao Hahaupōro

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Ko Tiger Woods e hongī ana i a Harriet Tauīwi o Te Wānanga o Raukawa.

Nō te marama o Kohi-tātea 2002, ka umere mai te ao hahaupōro o Aotearoa i te haerenga mai o Taika ki konei. Mai anō tēnei kaupapa e āta whakaritea ana, kia tūpono tae mai ai te ringa rehe nei ki tēnei moka o te ao. I te mutunga iho, nā te āhua mātotoru o ngā huruhuru, ka rere arorangi mai te manu nei ki Aotearoa!

Nā te Rōpū Whakatekau o Te Whanganui-a-Tara me Te Wānanga o Raukawa te whakatau, i runga tonu i te papa whakatau waka rererangi. Ahakoa i ara ake ngā māharahara o ētahi ki tēnei tikanga hou, ko te mea kē, māku e ki atu, he whakatau te

whakatau. Nō te iwi te whakatau, nō reira, mā hea mai ki tēnā?

Heoi, mō te taha ki te tangata nei, me āna mahi ki runga papa hahaupōro, ka nui tāku kōhaehae atu! Ahakoa pēhea, arorangi ana te rere o te pōro me te rere pāmamao anō hoki. Anō nei, he karetao noa iho nei te pōro, ā, ko Taika te kaikukume! Māpurapura pai aku whatu i te tirohanga atu!

Ko te mea hanga ohorere ki a au, he tangata whakaiti te ringa rehe nei. Ahakoa kei ngā ngutu o te iti me te rahi tōna ingoa e haere ana, kāhore tētahi āhuatanga whakahihī i hua ake i a ia.

Me kī noa ake au i konei, he pou tēnei e manakohia ana e te ao, hei tauira, hei ara whāinga. Engari, ahakoa tērā, e tau tonu ana ngā waewae ki te whenua. Nā, whai anō pea, ka muia ia e te miriona me te piriona, i a ia e paoke whenua ana i te ao.

Nā reira, he aha atu he kōrero mō te ringa rehe hahaupōro nei? Tērā pea, me huri ake au ki te whakatau kōrero kua roa te whakamahia e te ao Māori, mō te hunga toa. Ka waiho ake ko tēnei hei taupokitanga kōrero -

*“Te murau o te tini,
te wenerau a te māno.”*