

## 2015 National Kiwi Hui

This hui has been coordinated in partnership by Department of Conservation and Kiwis for kiwi.

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### Site visit

This year we are very grateful to be able to offer two site visits. Whangarei Heads Landcare Forum – Backyard Kiwi will be hosting one site visit and Marunui Conservation in the Brynderwyns near Mangawhai will be hosting the other. Please note that both of these site visits will take place at the same time on the afternoon of Wednesday the 13th of May.

### Thursday 14th May

Session Title	Presenter	Start	Finish
<b>Arrival/ Registrations</b>		8:00	8:50
<b>Whakatau</b>		9:00	9:30
<i>Morning tea</i>		9:30	10:00
<b>Introduction to the hui - Big Picture</b>	Hui Organising Committee: (Wendy Sporle, Michelle Impey, Jennifer Germano, Paul O'Shea)	10:00	10:10
Predator Free NZ - pipe dream or the next challenge for conservation?	Al Bramely, Chief Executive Officer - Zero Invasive Predators	10:10	11:00
Kiwi conservation scene	Jen Germano, Kiwi Recovery Group Leader, Department of Conservation	11:00	11:20
Kiwis for kiwi update	Michelle Impey, Executive Director - Kiwis for kiwi	11:20	11:40
<b>Introduction to next session - Predator Control</b>	Wendy Sporle to introduce	11:40	11:45
"Kiwi and community - Backyard kiwi/Manaia Landcare predator control and using 1080 on public land at Whangarei Heads"	Martin & Heather Hunt, Backyard Kiwi – Whangarei Heads Landcare Forum	11:45	12:05
DOC's work towards improving mammalian predator control	Craig Gillies, Scientific Officer - Threats Department of Conservation	12:05	12:30
The process for the use for 1080 on private land	Representative from Northland District Health Board	12:35	12:50
Kiwi injuries through trapping misadventure	Claire Travers, Kiwi Husbandry Manager - Kiwi encounter	12:50	13:00
<i>Lunch</i>		13:00	14:00
<b>Introduction to next session - In the field</b>	Wendy Sporle to introduce	14:00	14:05
Update on 3 key dog advocacy tools	Wendy Sporle, National Mentor for Advocacy - Kiwis for kiwi	14:05	14:25
The Northland perspective	Clea Gardiner, Northland Regional Kiwi Co-ordinator Kiwis for kiwi	14:25	14:45
Kiwi Coast	Ngaire Tyson, Kiwi Coast Coordinator, Reconnecting Northland	14:45	15:05
Update on Coromandel taxon plan, genetic work and crèche/kōhanga	Christine Friis, Partnerships Ranger - Department of Conservation from Coromandel	15:05	15:25
<i>Afternoon tea</i>		15:25	15:55
<b>Introduction to next session - Science and Research</b>	Hugh Robertson to introduce	15:55	16:00
New kiwi transmitter and harness design: increasing the comfort and reducing the stress to both kiwi and handler	Rogan Colbourne, Technical Advice (fauna) Department of Conservation	16:00	16:10
Predator detection using salivary DNA from carcasses	Ana Ramon-Laca, EcoGene, Landcare Research	16:10	16:30
Capturing kiwi stories on film	Joint Mataia Restoration Project and Marunui Conservation Presentation	16:30	16:50
Research project results & discussions	Massey University Post Grad Students	16:50	17:15
<b>Introduction to next session - Crèche</b>	Michelle Impey to introduce	17:15	17:20
Health of kiwi in crèche's	Claire Travers, Kiwi Husbandry Manager - Kiwi encounter	17:20	17:30
Kiwi crèches -	Discussion	17:30	18:00
<b>House keeping/ closing of first day</b>		18:00	

Dinner

18:30

Friday 15th of May

<i>House keeping</i>		8:30	8:40
<b>Introduction to next session - Tangata Whenua and Kiwi</b>	Morgan Cox to introduce	8:40	8:45
DOC processes and systems re access to cultural materials	Joe Harawira, Director Strategic Partnerships- Department of Conservation	8:45	9:05
Iwi perspective to cultural materials and access	Arapata Reuben, Whakapapa Manager - Te Rūnanga O Ngāi Tahu	9:05	9:25
Practitioners perspective to access to cultural materials	Karl Leonard, V.E. Operations Manager - Te Puia	9:25	9:45
Group discussion		9:45	10:15
<i>Morning Tea</i>		10:15	10:45
<b>Introduction to next session - Data Collecting and Monitoring</b>	Jen Germano to introduce	10:45	10:50
Working together to enhance kiwi distribution data	Terry Conaghan, Geospatial Information Coordinator - Department of Conservation	10:50	11:10
Managing species and predator data to both benefit local and national recovery efforts	Martin Slimin TSO - Spatial Information - GIS Department of Conservation	11:10	11:30
Trap Auditing in Coromandel – the why, the how and what we've learnt	Liz Whitwell, Conservation Services Ranger - Department of Conservation	11:30	11:45
Monitoring techniques	Hugh Robertson, Principal Science Advisor - Department of Conservation	11:45	12:05
<b>Introduction to next session - Advocacy</b>	Jen Germano to introduce	12:05	12:10
Stress and the measurement of stress in kiwi	John Cockrem, Massey University	12:10	12:30
Using wild kiwi for advocacy - discussion	Todd Hamilton WHLF - Backyard Kiwi, Arthur Hinds Whenuakite Kiwi Care Group	12:30	13:30
<i>Lunch</i>		13:30	14:30
<b>Introduction to next session - Measurements and Money</b>	Michelle Impey to introduce	14:30	14:35
Heading in the right direction	Sarah Nutbrown, Fundraising Manager - Kiwis for kiwi	14:35	14:55
Measuring outcomes - what does this mean and why is it important?	Rhys Burns, Technical Advisor - Department of Conservation	14:55	15:15
Close of hui /final prayer		15:15	15:30