

Te Karere Ora - BTIB Newsletter September 2020

Kia Orana & Welcome to BTIB's online Newsletter for September 2020. We have some exciting news this month.

- Read Te Makete Stories this month
- Cook Islands National Blueprint- Vision of the Cook Islands
- Save the date: World Food Day
- BTIB New Staff member joins us

We look forward to any comments you may have about our newsletter.

PN's Creations



BTIB welcomes PN's creations specializing in hand painted dresses and men's shirts. The designs are different and each one is unique. The make and design can also be customized to your liking. Elizabeth Tou is the creator and dressmaker behind these gorgeous garments, who says "It is made with love and passion". Introducing PN's Creations!

Check out September to November Special Discount for this amazing line of formal wear.. his and hers matching outfits and more.

Click here for PNCreations Story

Rino's Rentals & Accommodation



Rino and Ngatere George have been hosting guests from all over the world and it's no surprise these guests often return back to the beautiful island of Aitutaki for their friendly and warm hospitality. "The best vacation is a STAYCATION" Rino's Rentals & Accommodation is now offering special deals on their beachfront and garden villas as well as their rental vehicles. Check out their bargains.

Special Deals -Click here



Honoring Mama Jancey's Legacy



You can't buy happiness but you can buy donuts, cakes, and crazy shakes from the one and only Jancey's Bakery & Deli, and that's the same thing! Dreaming of something sweet, check out Jancey's story: https://bit.ly/iwantjanceys

View's from ARORE



The views are breathtaking, setting and rising of the sun is more amazing when you are on top of the world. Arore Mountai Trek offers you these amazing views.

"When everything feels like an uphill struggle, just think of the Views from the top" says Luther. Find out more about Arore Mountain Trek, here's Luther

Zainey's story- https://bit.ly/Aroretrek

What is your vision for the Cook Islands in 100 year's time?



Central Policy and Planning Office (CPPO) staff members Valentino, Rebecca Ellis, and Charlene Hoff visited BTIB this month from the Office of the Prime Minister (OPM) to share their views on the well-being, their visions for the Cook Island, and how we could get there. They are responsible for implementing sound processes and policy advice on the national sustainable development goals, the direction and governance of the Cook Islands. It was an opportunity to ensure national policies including strategies align with the NSDP and influence government priorities. BTIB was one of 20 agencies that shared our views, ideas, suggestions and gave input to help guide our Cook Islands National Sustainable Development Agenda 2020+. Some of the proposed goals includes Technology, Innovation, Enterprise, and Trade. These are applicable to BTIB's functions and will contribute to the future betterment of the Cook Islands.

The Cook Islands National Sustainable Development Agenda 2020+ will have a 100 year vision. It will be accompanied by 25 year frameworks to help action united movement across Cook Islanders to help achieve this 100 year vision. Deputy Prime Minister Hon Mark Brown says, "we must navigate towards a new future, a future that will become more certain throughout this consultation process,". The NSDA2020+ is working towards a 100-year vision with two key periods. The 25 year frameworks, will be developed to suit the different generations and their circumstances however will focus on working towards the 100- year vision. Within these will be five-year plans that will monitor and track progress, ensuring we are on the right track. 100 years seems like a long way away but it is working towards a vision of well-being for the Cook Islands in all aspects.

To keep you in the know and well informed about what's happening with our NSDA2020+, OPM office has regular updates for you in the areas of

communications, consultation, development, research and general update.

See here more details - https://www.pmoffice.gov.ck/nsda/akakiteanga-our-updates/



World Food Day - SAVE THE DATE



Live Entertainment, Organic Farming Displays, BEEHIVE Displays,

Ei Making & Coconut Husking - Don't miss out!

For more information please

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BTIB New Staff Member

Ngarangi (Nan) Napa



Nan has joined BTIB team since August 2020 and is enjoying her new role as Business Advisor in the Business Enterprise Team.

Read Nan's background here:

http://bit.ly/BTIBstaff



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