

Healthy Helensville

Our vision: To be the healthiest rural community in New Zealand

Educational opportunities at Te Whare Oranga ō Parakai

National Certificate in Horticulture (Level 3) FREE

Commences 14 March 2016 for 34 weeks on Weds/Thurs/Fri.

To enquire or enrol please email dlong@northtec.ac.nz / 0800 162 100 or call into Te Whare for an information sheet.

GO Organic part time courses FREE

Commencing February 2016 on Tuesdays

To find out more come along to the Agriculture NZ Information Session on 2 February 2016 between 10am–12pm at Te Whare or phone 0800 475 455.

Certificate in Small Business Management (CSBM) FREE

Do you have a business idea or want to improve your existing business? If so the CSBM is designed for you. Starting first week of March 2016 on Wednesday nights from 6–9pm, this course will provide you with the practical tools you need

to establish your business (or manage your current business) more effectively including a comprehensive working business plan. To find out more please attend a free info session at Te Whare Oranga on 3 or 10 February 2016 between 6–8pm.

One day Food Safety Courses

Run by Mahurangi Technical Institute, these valuable courses will launch in our Teaching Kitchen and Classroom on February 16, March 15 and April 12 from 9am–4pm. We need a minimum of 10 students per class, so please visit http://mti.net.nz/ or contact Mahurangi Tech directly on 09 425 8493 for more information!

Keep an eye on www.thrivekaipara.org.nz for more courses planned for 2016 including cooking classes in our Teaching Kitchen...

PEOPLE'S CORNER



Welcome to our new Trust Chairman Erica McKenzie

Our new Chairman Erica McKenzie has lived in Helensville for 30+

years and brings a comprehensive background in health and education to the role. The daughter in law of founding Trustee and Chairman Alison McKenzie, Erica taught at Kaipara College for many years and has been involved in many sporting and wellbeing activities around South Kaipara. Waitemata DHB's Health Promoting Schools (HPS) Team Coordinator, Erica is on the national HPS National Advisory Group and is passionate about health and youth. She's excited about her new role on the Trust and about the year ahead.