

Newsletter September 2016

Korohi pō korohi ao
Ko Rongo i tūria ki te matahau o Tū
Tū te winiwini Tū te wanawana
Tū i whakaputaia ki te wheiao ki
Te ao mārama tihei mauriora!
E ngā mana e ngā reo e ngā kaipupuri hea
tēnā koutou katoa.
Ngā aitua kua wehe atu ki tua o Paerau
Haere atu koutou
Hoki atu ki te kāinga tūturu mo tātou te tangata
Koutou te hunga mate ki a koutou
tātou te hunga ora ki a tātou
Tihei Mauriora!

Acknowledgements

The Trustees acknowledge the recent passing of Jack Abbott, Bradley Brown and Malakai Paraone. Also Marian Brown, wife of past Chairman Winiata Brown, passed away in July.

Congratulations to one of our oldest shareholders, Boroughdale Everitt who celebrates his 80th birthday on 8th October.

Staffing Update

We are very pleased to advise you that Jon Brough has been appointed as our new General Manager and will start in September.

"Tena koe. I am Jon Brough. My whanau stretch the length and breadth of New Zealand and are typically farmers, fishers and foresters and all lovely people. The Broughs' are known to be hard workers and hard players.

I have been in the Food & Beverage sector most of my life. This has ranged from owning and managing a deer/beef/cropping farm and forestry investment to senior management positions in the meat industry, seafood industry, food processing, bee industry and retail food industry.

Over this time, I have been fortunate to have been stationed offshore in some of the most active markets in the world (USA, Japan, Middle East, Europe, Singapore, Hong Kong, China) where I

have been involved in managing the direct channel of NZ export food products to market.

I believe in maximising the value of our export products back to the producer and shareholder to create sustainable returns that can be applied to increasing net wealth and wellbeing.

I am delighted to be offered this opportunity to work with the Trustees, shareholders and staff of Parengarenga Incorporated to make a positive difference to the future."

Pete Hill was our interim General Manager and will hand over in September. Pete will remain involved in the Incorporation to assist the Trustees as required.

Farming Update

Last year our two farms merged as one business unit; to be now known as 'Parengarenga Station'. This has proven to be very successful and are encouraged by the lead our staff has taken.

Over the last month or two we have had plenty of rain. This has made it very wet underfoot and contributed to a shortage of feed. At the moment we are lambing and calving so our staff are being kept very busy.

Our workshop, where we service our own vehicles and undertake repairs and maintenance of equipment, is working very well.



Forestry Update

We are currently in a selection process regarding the Parengarenga 'A' forestry management contract. We have had some very interesting presentations from three companies with a wealth of experience in forestry management. In addition to this we have appointed an independent consultant which will give us a set of benchmarks to assist in the analysis of the proposals. We are hopeful to complete assessment and due diligence by the end of September and complete final negotiations by the end of October, but this timeframe could be affected by a number of factors and may change in either direction.

On Monday 12th September a fire was accidently started our forest that destroyed 0.2 of a hectare of young trees that were planted recently. Two days later this piece of land was replanted which is very fast indeed. This is a timely reminder for all of us to ensure that we are aware of the dry nature of the Far North, where a fire permit is required all year around, and the damage that can be caused by fire.

Amalgamation Update

We continue to work with a Maori Land Courtappointed person dedicated to produce a process to move forward with our amalgamation which is very encouraging.

Supporting Our Community

We continue to support our local kura, kohanga and sports club.

Shareholder and shareholding queries – can you help please?

We would appreciate current contact details for the whanau of the following shareholders:

- 1. Pehimana Tipene
- 2. Raiha Piri
- 3. Ripeka Maaka Tepania
- 4. Tahanga Himiona Putete (nee Popata)
- 5. Moihi Henare (Hetaraka)
- 6. Frederick Ellis
- 7. Hetaraka Henare Hetaraka
- 8. Pauha Hira
- 9. James Tauhuni Kingi
- 10. Ngapori Tiopira Naera (Mrs Harawira)
- 11. Akinihi Heiwari Mete (Mrs Waipouri)
- 12. Ruhi Henrae Popata (Mrs Toby/Topi)
- 13. Huiaranui Herewini
- 14. Mona Keepa Wiki/Hagger (Mrs Palmer)
- 15. Erina Pouaka/Ihaka (Mrs Fell)
- 16. Hapimana Pouaka/Ihaka
- 17. Moori Tomouri (Mrs Pou)
- 18. Te Rima Tomuri
- 19. Hariata Waaka
- 20. Jacqueline Teina Kore Henrickson
- 21. Hoani and Rangitahi Hohepa
- 22. Pirimona Wairongoa Matene Tahu
- 23. Mei Himi Te Ngara (Mrs Tawio)

- 24. Heta Hare Wi
- 25. Moengaroa Himiona Popata (Mrs Wharangi)
- 26. Mereana Rarawa (Kerehoma (nee Wi Patene)
- 27. Hone Wharai
- 28. May Subritzky (nee Evans)
- 29. Hohua & Ripeka Para Whanau Trust
- 30. Hemi Peri Hemi

We have hundreds of shareholders without any address or contact details for many reasons and we want to be able to contact as many as possible to update them on the matters of the Incorporation. Please do contact this office if you can help with any of these people above and to check if there may be others that you may know.

Our contact details

We are now located at 6636 Far North Road, Te Kao. Our postal address is 6636 Far North Road, RD 4, Kaitaia 0484. Telephone: (09) 409 7831. Email: info@parengarenga.co.nz

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If you would like to receive your correspondence by email, please let us know at info@parengarenga.co.nz. Thank you.

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Parengarenga A Incorporation and B3C Trust AGM

26th November 2016 at Potahi Marae, Te Kao

All shareholders and interested persons are advised of the Annual General meeting of Parengarenga A Incorporation.

Vacancies are open for two Committee of Management positions this year. If you feel you have the skills and experience to add value to our business, please complete the attached nomination form and return to our office by 4.00pm, Friday 28th October 2016.

The two trustees up for rotation this year are **Maahia Nathan** and **Harry Kapa** – who are also re-standing for election.

Morning tea will be available from 8.30am and the meeting proper will start at 9.00am.