

NEWSLETTER



TUI TRUST
Supporting the well-being of children



Photo: Moko Club Huntly tamariki turning five years old receive a School Starter Pack from SSFI—School Start First Impressions.

Commitment *from* our Community *for* our Community

He mihi mahana kia koutou.

Welcome to our last newsletter for 2020. Our mission is to *Support the Well-being of Children* and we would like to acknowledge every person, group and organisation who have supported our projects over 2020. We experienced extraordinary challenges this year, but despite this we have come together as a community and supported each other. These commitments enabled us to support the well-being of so many children and whānau in our community. We are grateful for your support, thank you.

5 KitBox for Moko Club tamariki celebrating their 5th birthday

We would like to acknowledge the incredible and inspiring work of Jane, Graham, Rae, Nikki and Lucy at SSFI—School Start First Impressions. In the last four months we have referred an impressive 17 children from Moko Club to SSFI for the 5 KitBox. The 5 KitBox includes a range of resources supporting the child for their first day of school. A gorgeous special crafted birthday cake, a range of birthday treats are included and all items relate to the child's interests. The large blue 5 KitBox box has colourful helium balloons floating from the ribbon it's a sight to behold! The Moko Club children who have received 5-KitBox gasp in awe when they realise the gift is for them, they are so happy. We are grateful to the wonderful team at SSFI.

Digital Storytelling Pilot—Exciting Possibilities for Moko Club

We launched our *Through the Lens Project—creating impactful learning experiences through the use of technology* with support from *WEL Energy Trust*. We are delighted to advise that a prototype (see photos overleaf) was developed for the children at Moko Club Ngāruawāhia. The pilot demonstrates how effective technology-based interactives can be used as a teaching tool. An additional benefit is the children are exposed to fun and exciting technology at a very early age.

New Zealand incorporates digital studies as part of the general primary school curriculum. Exposure to exciting and creative technology such as this at a young age may help children to potentially find a vested career interest as they learn more about technology throughout their schooling. We are

looking forward to developing this prototype further.

Join Our Team—seeking innovative and strategic thinking

We are seeking expressions of interest for voluntary positions for our Tui Trust Board. If you would like to join our enthusiastic, well-supported team we would love to hear from you. We are flexible, meet four times a year and you will be well supported by our Administrator with everything you need.

Looking Forward to 2021

We are grateful to *Trust Waikato* and the *Hamilton City Council* for their generous grants supporting our administrator Lee, IT, operations, web-site upgrades and research, we look forward working hard on our goals planned for next year. In 2021 we will collaborate with charities with similar strategic plans as ourselves and align how we could team-up to remain sustainable and effective. We will continue to support the work of Moko Club and Family Start, to disrupt the cycle of inter-generational disadvantage. Our mission to ensure that all children have access to quality education remains on-going.



PwC sponsors Moko Club Xmas for the 6th Year in a Row!

We would like to thank PwC New Zealand Hamilton Branch for sponsoring the Moko Club Christmas parties for the sixth year in a row! PwC Hamilton employees also purchased personalised Xmas gifts, wrapped and named for every child at Moko Club. On behalf of Moko Club, tēnā rawa koe me koutou katoa, thank you very much.

We thank everyone and wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a safe, peaceful well-deserved summer holiday. Ko ngā ringa atawhai he ringa manaaki. Generous hands are blessed hands.

Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year, be well, be safe, all the very best from the Tui Trust Board of Trustees

We acknowledge and thank all our supporters and wish you a very Merry Christmas and a happy and prosperous 2021 !!



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SSFI, wooden toys, puzzles,
and train sets



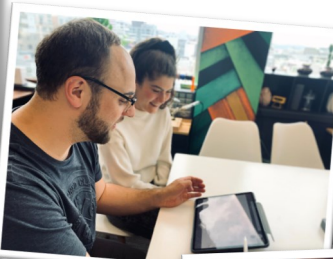
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THROUGH THE LENS PROJECT

Digital learning for Moko Club



The digital team from Vaka developing the main character Mokomoko for the digital story-telling prototype for Moko Club.



NOVEMBER 2020

SSFI FAMILY START FIRST IMPRESSIONS

School Starter Pack Project

Below left: Piki and Lee with SSFI Founder Jane taken at SSFI headquarters in Bombay; Below right, Jo, Kallua, Jane, Nikki and Lee at SSFI Christmas Party 2020. SSFI supplied 14 School Starter Packs for the children at Moko Clubs this year. Thank you!



DECEMBER 2020

