

# Te Taurahere o Ngati Porou ki Poneke

	Feedback received from Auckland and Christchurch Wai Whakaata Wananga
1	"Reminds me of who we are, where we are from and how strong we are. Reminds me that we need each other, we need our Ngati Poroutanga."
2	"Ngati Porou needs awakening and Ta Tamati is the one to do it!"
3	"...he ataahua te titiro me te whakarongo i tenei hui."
4	"...katahi te hui ko tenei! He oranga ngakau, he oranga wairua. Tenei te whakahoki i te mana ki a koutou nga kai tahu i te ahi xx"
5	"...hui was very well balanced in all areas. More waiata a-ringa - can never have too many waiata!"
6	"...What a lovely wananga. Delicious kai-a-puka, a-whatumanawa, kua puta a pito!"
7	"...tena koutou te whanau Reedy mo te whakapau kaha kia matou. He waimarie ahau ki te haramai me taku hikaka hoki mo nga ra kei te here mai. Aroha nui, rawa atu kia tatou katoa o Ngati Porou. xxoo"
8	"...E hika ma roa ke, te kite i te reo o te haukainga."
9	"Ka taku titiro ka pakari te reo o Ngati Porou, ka whai a, kia rongu te ao katoa, i ta matau reo."
10	"Please more wananga like this. Thank you for coming to Tamaki to light the fire in us."
11	"... Kua roa te wa, e noho mokemoke nei ki te rongu i te reo o te kainga. Ko nga korero katoa kua piri kite whatumanawa me te hirikapo. E hika e kore mutu nga mihi."
12	"...me pakari ake nga rauemi ki anei nga uri o Ngati Porou ki te whakamau ka ki te ka marama ki nga korero me nga akoranga katoa."
13	"...real talk, positive environment, Ngati Porou centric."
14	"...we personally haven't experienced any functions such as this hui. Coming together with people from home is a true blessing with many treasures to share amongst each other."
15	"...mahia nga mahi, ko tahuna te ahi kia kaha te tapahi peka kia kore ai e poka."
16	"...enjoyed reconnecting with Ngati Porou, not many opportunities to do this in Tamaki."
17	"...Nga mea pai ka ahau, ki rongu ki te reo me nga kaupapa ake mo Ngati Porou."
18	"...he mihi nui ki a koutou te roopu whakahaere, nga whakaaro nui ki te haere mai ki te korero ki a matau. Kia ora."
19	"...I would like more korero about Runanga business. Really interests me."
20	"...This hui has really opened my eyes and made me realise my Ngati Poroutanga is alive. As a young Ngati Porou it is time for my generation to stand up and make our family's proud."
21	"...Relates specifically to my interest and mahi at the moment. I am a secondary teacher having just completed post grad studies in bilingual and immersion teaching and interested in educational equity for Maori."
22	"...such a beautiful day. Thank you for nga taonga tuku iho, grateful to you all."
23	"... for many of us who live away from our hau kaenga we deplete our kete of all those treasures we have gained from our tipuna to empower and enrich those around us. Opportunities like this are an absolute blessing enabling us to replenish our kete."
24	"...Please keep us informed on further wananga being held in Poneke in the hope many of us may participate and keep connected."
25	"...Me korero au taku reo ake o Ngati Porou ka tika."
26	"...I grew up in Te Waipounamu with my mother, ko Ngati Pakeha ia. It is in my adulthood I have found the way to learn my whakapapa and te reo rangatira. Any contact I have with my Ngati Poroutanga is a taonga."
27	"...Can we have another wananga here in Christchurch?"