

Tihei Kahungunu Information Sheet

- Concept** The Tihei Kahungunu concept derived out of marae hikoi consultation process initiated in 2001. Iwi leaders visited the 90 marae in Kahungunu to introduce the 25 year vision. During these visits iwi leaders received requests for the compilation of iconic, classic Kahungunu waiata, haka, karakia, pepeha, history & ancestry. The need for this was also driven by the fact that 64% of Kahungunu descendents live outside the Kahungunu rohe – many of whom are seeking out their own identification.
- Description:** The Tihei Kahungunu Passport is a 125x 90 mm - 56 page cover saddle stitched booklet that contains Kahungunu History, Whakapapa, Karakia, He Oriori, Moteatea, Haka & Himene.
- Purpose:** Ngati Kahungunu Iwi Incorporated is committed to building opportunities for Kahungunu whanau to retain our cultural identity as the soul of the iwi, which makes us unique.
- Vision:** Through concentrated individual effort and celebration, Ngati Kahungunu tradition and contemporary culture and language will survive in the hearts and homes of all Kahungunu Whanau.
- Key Factors:** Ngati Kahungunu Iwi Incorporated is dedicated to working on projects that support the Cultural Vision of the iwi. Last year we held the Inaugural Takitimu Festival. This project will support the establishment of Whare Wananga. These and other Te Reo publications, musical, theatrical and film productions are being developed to support the progress and survival of Kahungunutanga.
- Objectives:** All Kahungunu whanau members will have the opportunity to learn Kahungunu History, Whakapapa, Karakia, He Oriori, Moteatea, Haka & Himene.
- All Kahungunu whanau members will be able to stand as Ngati Kahungunu at any hui or event throughout Aotearoa and the world
- All Kahungunu whanau members will experience cultural excellence that will promote Kahungunu identity and strong, healthy and vibrant whanau.
- Outcomes:** General improved outcomes sought in the long term are social, environmental and cultural.
- Wananga:** It is envisaged that Kahungunu wananga will be held where participants will have the opportunity to learn the Kahungunu History, Whakapapa, Karakia, He Oriori, Moteatea, Haka & Himene contained in the booklet.
- Launch & Release:** The Tihei Kahungunu Booklet and CD was launched at the 2008 AGM Pa Sports and was released on Friday 12th June 2009. All Marae and Kohanga Reo in Kahungunu have received a free pack to promote to the whanau.
- Cost** The cost of the Tihei Kahungunu Booklet and accompanying CD of Moteatea is \$15.00. This booklet can be purchased from the Ngati Kahungunu Iwi Incorporated Office and other authorized offices for \$15.00.

**Conditions
for sale.**

The Tihei Kahungunu booklet and CD is to be sold as a package deal for \$15.00. There are no discounts for purchasing the books in bulk. As the Tihei Kahungunu Booklet is a Kahungunu resource and has been developed to support the progress and survival of Kahungunutanga, we ask that the book not be on-sold for profit or commercial gain.

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