

THE UNIVERSITY OF THE THIRD AGE

Beginning in France in the mid seventies the U3A movement has now spread to most countries and has many hundreds of thousands of members.

U3A is a response to the idea that human life is divided into three periods: firstly, childhood and schooling; secondly, child rearing and work; and thirdly, retirement.

The third age is seen to provide the greatest opportunities for learning and understanding because it is during this period of retirement that the idea of a university as a community of those who seek greater understanding through learning can be put into practice.

The unique characteristics of U3A

- Learning topics are selected by the members
- In depth courses are planned by members
- Opportunities for reading, research and discussion are provided
- Presenters/facilitors are usually members of the groups
- The company of others who enjoy learning is ensured
- The atmosphere for learning is informal and friendly
- There are no examinations
- There are no compulsory activities
- Courses take place during daylight hours
- Costs are minimal and within reach of everybody

The U3A Dunedin Charitable Trust has recently entered into a partnership with the University of Otago which will enhance their shared community of interest by continuing to provide a programme of non-credit educational courses while further utilising the expertise and resources of the University.

ADMINISTRATION

SOUTHERN MAORI

Dates: March 4 to April 1

Time: 10 am - noon. Note change of time for visit to Marae on April 1, 9.30 am - 3.30

pm

Fee: \$45

Tea and coffee provided

Enrolments -- limited to 50

You are able to enrol in more than one programme (subject to numbers). If you wish to enrol for more than one programme, you *must indicate your choice* on the Enrolment Form.

To be received on or before **mid-day Wednesday February 11**. After the draw those who were unsuccessful will be notified by February 20.

Venue

Lecture Room, Salmond Hall, Knox Street

Course Organiser

Eldora Gilbert (464 0305)

Assistant

Margaret George (465 7806)

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Dunedin Charitable Trust

A LEARNING OPTION FOR THE RETIRED

in association with



SOUTHERN MAORI
March 4 to April 1 2004

Rodgers & Associates
Law Practice

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1st choice ____ 2nd choice ____ 3rd choice ____

Please tick appropriate spaces.

First Name for Name Tag: _____

Surname: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____

Payment

Course Fee: \$45

Cheques payable to Rodgers and Associates

Please complete and return to:

U3A

Rodgers and Associates

PO Box 6200

Dunedin North

on or before noon

Wednesday February 11 2004.

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The Programme

The predominant indigenous people of the South Island belong to Ngai Tahu Iwi. Although this short course can present only a brief overview, it is hoped that participants will gain not only added historical knowledge, but a fuller insight into Ngai Tahu cultural values, political attitudes and socio-economic aspirations.

Presenters in this course are of Ngai Tahu descent.

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LECTURE PROGRAMME 2004

Thursdays 10 am - noon. Note change of time for visit to Marae on April 1.

Venue: Lecture Room, Salmond Hall

March 4 **Historical**

Pre-European Contact

Presenter: Jim Williams -- School of Maori, Pacific and Indigenous Studies

March 11 **Socio/Economic**

Ngai Tahu in the 21st Century

Presenter: Suzanne Ellison -- Ngai Tahu Corporation Development

March 18 **Political**

Political/Treaty Issues of and for Kai Tahu

Presenter: Dr Khyla Russell

March 25 **Cultural**

1) *Using Traditional Techniques with Modern Materials*

Presenter: Koa Mantell

2) *Whakarurhau*

Presenter: Louise Potiki Bryant

3) *Contemporary Approach to Ngai Tahu Art*

Presenter: Simon Kaan

April 1 (Time: 9.30 am - 3.30 pm)

**Puketeraki Marae Visit
Mihi**

Local Legends and History

(Morning Tea/Lunch)

**RETAIN THIS PORTION -- remember
your 1st choice**