



Porirua Community Arts Council Inc.

## Festival Of The Elements

**Friday, 6 February 2016**  
**Waitangi Day, PORIRUA**

*Te Rauparaha Park & Arena, Aquatic Centre & Pataka*

Porirua Community Arts Council  
in alliance with Ngāti Toa Rangatira presents

# WAITANGI DAY FESTIVAL OF THE ELEMENTS

**Free Admission**  
**11.00am - 5.30pm Saturday 6 Feb 2016**  
**Te Rauparaha Park, Arena and Pataka Porirua**

**2016 Porirua Skate Jam**  
Test your skills as riders from Porirua and beyond battle it out for great prizes and respect. Entry is free, register before 10am on day. Competition commences 11.15am. See [manualmagazine.com](http://manualmagazine.com) for more details. Generously supported by Mana Community Grants Foundation and Rheumatic Fever Prevention Programme.

Let's make 2016 Festival of the Elements® Zero Waste! Support the festival organisers together with Porirua City Council in our goal of Zero Waste for Porirua.

**QUEST OF THE ELEMENTS 2016 Final**  
Privately sponsored by  
Rheumatic Fever  
Prevention Programme

What's your talent? Aged between 13 and 21?  
People's Choice Facebook Auditions 5 Jan to 4 Feb.  
Finalist perform live on Waitangi Day.  
Total prize pool value \$1000.  
See Facebook or [www.elementsfestival.org.nz](http://www.elementsfestival.org.nz) for more details.

Drop by the Rheumatic Fever Prevention Programme Selfie Booth and support the rheumatic fever awareness by getting a selfie with your mates. Then upload to #tag #letsstopit. It's purple, you can't miss it!

There'll be official badged photographers from **Kapiti Camera Club** on hand...smile when you see one!

**"Let's Talk Treaty - Me kōrero tūtou mō te Tiriti"**  
(1pm Pataka) A panel discussion chaired by Dr Wally Penetito. Frank, honest and engaging - a look at how the Treaty has shaped our society and its promise for the future.

**Ngāti Toa Rangatira invite you** to visit their tent on the park. Learn more about the history of Porirua at a **video session Ukaipo - Kula of Hongoeka Bay** (11.15am, Theatre) and take a tour of the historic places of Porirua by bus on Monday 8 Feb (Booking essential - details on website).

**WORLD FOODS TO SAVOUR** - selected taste sensations from around the world. Food, art and craft, and information stalls located around the park.  
**"Drive Into Summer"** Arena Aquatic Centre FREE entry and activities 11am-4pm (courtesy of Festival of the Elements™)

- Further details of programme and performers are available on our website
- Please note the schedule on the day may differ from acts and times advertised
- In the event of bad weather most activities will take place as scheduled. Ring Porirua City Council 237 5089 for information after 9am
- Partial road closures will apply in Hagley St & Lyttelton Ave. We apologise for any inconvenience.
- Please leave your dog at home
- No alcohol allowed

**Thanks to our generous sponsors, entry is FREE**

[www.elementsfestival.org.nz](http://www.elementsfestival.org.nz) [www.facebook.com/FestivaloftheElements](http://www.facebook.com/FestivaloftheElements)

# Official Festival of the Elements website

<http://www.elementsfestival.org.nz>

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Welcome to another Porirua Festival of the Elements! I'm looking forward to Waitangi Day on February 6 when once again this now famous one-day festival will offer a superb programme of arts and culture.

This year we once again return to Te Rauparaha Park, and the outstanding new facility in Porirua - Te Rauparaha Arena. The festival will also utilise the Aquatic Centre and Pataka.

The day starts with an opening ceremony at 11am, with a wide range of arts and entertainment programmes continuing through until 6pm.

The Festival uses the arts to celebrate the cultural diversity of Porirua, made possible by the Treaty of Waitangi. The elements of earth and air, fire and water embrace concepts of significance to all cultures, concepts around which we can all unite. Tangata Whenua and Tangata Tiriti rejoice together on Waitangi Day by way of the arts.

**This Festival continues to be a non-profit event, organised by the Porirua Community Arts Council.**

Lions Club of Titahi Bay provide Lions members, what we do.

- Support for lost property, lost children.
- Casual day-time security as required in co-operation with other groups, Maori Wardens, Guardians etc
- Stall holder ushering onto and off the grounds
- Traffic control staffing at main entry points.
- Availability of limited range UHF two-way hand-held radio communications.
- Other assistance as required at the time of the Festival of the Elements event.

**The Festival of the Elements remains a great day out every year! Don't miss it!**

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Sat, Feb 6

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In Porirua, the young and the young at heart took in the music, food and fun rides.  
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