





Te Oho Ake:

The revival of traditional
knowledge through
waiata

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Traditional life in Te Waipounamu

- Mahika kai, nohoaka sites
- Moteatea a means of recording events and cultural knowledge deemed worthy of passing on
- Oral transmission
- Knowledge of weather, communing with atua responsible for elements

Hinearoraki



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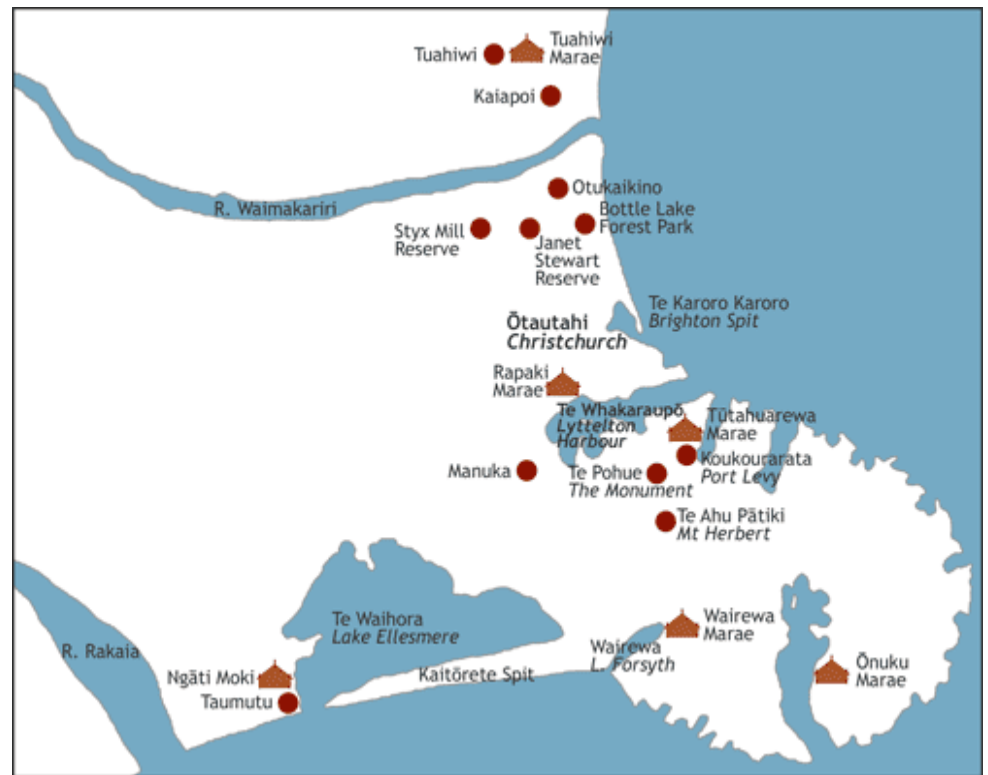
Adaptation



VAN 420

Te Pataka a Rakaihautu

- Christchurch
- Banks Peninsula



Christchurch City Libraries Ti Kouka Whenua site map of Canterbury

Pukurau (Tamati Tikao)



[Coates, Isaac] 1808-1878: A Youth of the Motuwaka tribe studying with the Rev. C. Reay for the Ministry. [1843?] Alexander Turnbull Library

Tamati Tikao and Rahera Te Hua

- Lives spanned 19th century
- Time of rapid change
- Adaptation
- Physical survival



Onawe



Onawe Peninsula, Akaroa Harbour
Pa destroyed by Te Rauparaha.

Lore and history of the South Island Maori, By W.A. Taylor
<http://www.nzetc.org/tm/scholarly/TayLore-fig-TayLoreP010b.html>

Teone Taare Tikao

- Trained as a tohunga
- Christian beliefs mixed with traditional
- Importance of recording traditions
- Herries Beattie, James Cowan, Elsdon Best
- Kotahitanga





George Mutu Tikao
And Bertha Mata
Tikao (nee Bunker)

Onuku Marae



Revitalisation

- Te Whanau o Onuku
- Treaty Festival 2010
- Kaupapa of ropu:
- Haka powhiri
- Waiata tautoko
- Entertainment
- Whanau development



Intergenerational



Performing for Te Manaaki



New waiata for the iwi

- www.naia.maori.nz



Ohaki

