Nau Mai Haere Mai

Tu Tama Wahine o Taranaki
Community Korero Session

Mashu White Feather: Thinking Indigenous Again – Living in Two Worlds, Prophecy and cultural heritage and

Mary Lyons: It takes a Community to raise a Child – Recognising the the barriers, Fetal Alcohol Disorder Syndrome (FADS) and Youth Suicide

Join us as we host *Cherokee and Ojibwe Elders Mashu White Feather and Mary Lyons*

In February this year an Indigenous American Delegation will be travelling Aotearoa. Representatives from the Cherokee, Ojibwe and Navaho Nations will be visiting Taranaki. Their purpose is to share the ancestor's lessons and teachings in Aotearoa and to give opportunity to strengthen international links and provide potential projects for Maori youth and their whanau.

The concept of Two Feathers International Consultancy began in 2011 after founding members Mashu White Feather, Cherokee, and Doreen Bennett, Maori, started cultural exchanges and visits between Turtle Island, (USA) and Aotearoa, (NZ). From sharing stories and information, participating in tribal events and activities and presenting histories strong relationships were formed in both countries.

'Thinking Indigenous Again, Cultural sustainability, Prophecy'
Every person has a right to know their heritage. Thinking Indigenous again is key for Indigenous Peoples to participate effectively in strengthening their families, their communities and Nations and provides opportunity to make a positive difference in the world today and for the future generations to come.

'It takes a Community to raise a Child, FADS, Suicide & Ceremony'
Learning from the indigenous peoples of the world, along with the wisdom-keepers of all cultures and faith traditions, we must begin to understand ourselves as part of a great human family that is itself just one strand in the web of life on our living Earth.

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