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PĀNUI: 7<sup>TH</sup> MAHURU, 2022 at 5.30 pm

Te Whakamānawa i a Tākuta Tara McAllister, Kairauropi Wai Māori

Wāhi: Te rūma kaunihere o Te Herenga Waka i te whare Taketake, hei te 5.30pm

He kairauropi wai Māori a Tākuta Tara McAllister (Aitanga a Māhaki), ā, hei te pō nei a ia ka whakamānawatia. Ka whakawhiwhia a ia ki te tohu Zonta Pūtaiao, te tohu kahurangi ka ūhia ki runga ki te mātanga pūtaiao ka puea ake. Ka rāhiritia ngā manuhiri e Ahorangi Rāwinia Higgins, te Tumu Ahurei o Te Herenga Waka.

E ai ki a Tara, i roto i ngā tau e waru i a ia e ako ana, i poipoia ia e ngā kōkōtea me ngā mātanga pūtaiao Māori. He wheako tēnei e taea ai e ia ki te tautoko i ngā rēanga mātanga pūtaiao kōkōtea, ā, mātanga pūtaiao Māori hoki ka toko ake. He mea tāpae atu āna mahi rangahau ki te kauwaka e whakahau ana kia whānui ake te whai wāhi mai o te tangata, otī rā, kia eke ai te mana taurite ki roto i te rāngai rangahau.

Nā tōna arero kokoi ki te whakaputa whakaaro mō te angiangi o te tara iti o te whare ngaio (mō te iti o te hunga Māori me te hunga wahine kei tara iti e noho ana) ngā tikanga me ngā kaupapa here i roto i te rāngai rangahau i whakamataara. Rua tekau mā whā ngā tānga pepa kua oti nei i a Tara te tuhituhi. I mahi tahi anō a ia e pā ana ki tētahi atu pūrongo, ā, tae atu ki tētahi i tāngia ki te pukapuka pitopito kōrero o Te Apārangi - "Seen but unheard: navigating turbulent waters as Māori and Pacific postgraduate students in STEM" (pūtaiao, hangarau, pūkaha, pāngarau).

kua tohua ko te Dame Claudia Josepha Orange DNZM OBE (he pū hītoera o Aotearoa, ā, he kawau māro hoki o Zonta) ki te hoatu i te tohu. I tua atu i te tohu, he pounamu i tāraitia e Neke Moa, me te rua teka mā rima tāra hoki ka hoatuhia ki a Tara. Ko te Kāwana tawhito o Zonta Aotearoa a Desrae Kirby te kaikōrero kua pōhiritia ki te korero mō te Kaupapa "Woman in Science".

Kātahi tonu nei a Tākuta McAllister ka noho ki te amo ake i te tūranga o te Ngaio Rangahau ki roto i te pokapū pūtaiao pāpori i Te Herenga Waka.

Ko āna mahi rangahau he whakatinana i tētahi ara hou e rangiwhāwhā ai te māramatanga mō te paihana kei ngā awa, ā, ki te whakawhanake i ngā huarahi hei whakamāuru i te paihana, ka mutu, ki te taurima hoki i aua paihana rā. He take nui te mōnenehutanga o te wai puta nui i te ao, nō konei i mahuta ai te mana nui mō te kounga o te wai Māori.



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Kua whakamātauhia e Tara te mātauranga Māori i roto āna mahi rangahau ki Aotearoa. Kua mahi ngātahi ia me ētahi atu nō Wīwī me Amerika ki te noho ki tā te kanohi hōmiromiro. I mātaitia e rātou ngā whakapātaritari me ngā rongoā ki te taurima i ngā pūkohu wai. Kua whakaurua ngā mahi rangahau ā Tara ki roto ki ngā kaupapa here, ā, kua mahi hoki a ia ki te taha o te kaitohutohu pūtaiao matua o Te Pirimia hei kaituruki.

E ai ki a Tara, “he hōnore nui tēnei mōna ka whakawhiwhia nei ki tēnei tohu. Mā ngā moni ahau e āhei ai ki te haere ki te Whare Wānanga o Connecticut tūtaki ai ki tētahi wahine taketake ki a Ahorangi Kat Milligan-McClellan, arā, kia mārama ake au ki te whanaungatanga o te mōkitokito ki te pūnaha rauropi. Ka āko ahau i ngā tikanga māhirahira e anga whakamua ai te māramatanga ki ngā mate o te paihana me tōna whanaungatanga ki te taiao me ngā mahinga kai”.

Ka whakamānawatia a Tākuta Tara McAllister e Te Kāhui Zonta o Pōneke, mōna, te kaiwhiwhi tuangahuru mā whitu ki te tohu Zonta Pūtaiao me te mihi nui hoki ki Te Clare Foundation mō tā rātou manawanui ki te tautoko mai. Ko te āwhero o Te Clair Foundation, he tutungi i te ahi kōrure mō te tangata me Papatūānuku. Ko aua āwhero rā he hoa tata ki ngā whāinga matua o Zonta.



Dr Jan Pearson, Convenor Zonta Science Award, Dr Tara McAllister, Winner, Anna Jackson, President Zonta Club of Wellington.



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He tumu e manawanui ana ki te tautoko i te tangata me Papatūānuku.

Ka manawanui a Clare ki te takahi i te toi huarewa hei tautoko ake i te oranga o te taiao, māngai, ā, i oranga anō hoki o te hunga wāhine me te hunga rangatahi.

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