Nelson - Tasman Connections

Tuesday 3 November 2026, 10.30am

Sport Tasman Boardroom, 142 Saxton Road, Stoke

Panui

Join us from 9.30am for kai, refreshments and networking. Catch up with familiar faces, make new connections, and start the day together before the hui gets underway.

Karakia and **introductions** plus an opportunity to share brief **notices** about your agency, services, events or items of interest.

Speed Networking. A fun, fast-paced way to meet others and learn about the people and organisations supporting rangatahi across Te Tauihu.

Paul McConachie | Nelson Tasman Youth Workers Collective
We've listened to the voices and experiences of our youth sector, and now have a strategy ready to put into action. Paul will share an overview of the initiatives the Collective will be rolling out over the coming year and beyond, focusing on making youth services easier to find and navigate, strengthening collaboration across the sector, and building the capability and confidence of those working with rangatahi. Find out what's ahead and how we can work together to create a stronger, more connected and collaborative youth sector across Nelson Tasman.

Andrew Pierrepont, Nick Clarke & Chloë Howorth | Community Action Nelson
Community Action Nelson has established Youth Connect, an initiative exploring a new future for Stoke Community Hall as a youth-first space for connection, activities and support following the closure of Whanake Youth. Andrew, Nick and Chloë will share how young people, community organisations and key partners are working together to shape the initiative, including plans to establish a steering/support group and a youth advisory group to ensure rangatahi have a meaningful voice in creating an inclusive space that meets their needs and benefits the wider community.

Katie Hughes & Saskia Walsh | 100% Supervision & Supervision Aotearoa
Professional supervision is an essential part of effective youth work, providing space to reflect, navigate challenges, strengthen practice and support wellbeing. Katie and Saskia will explore what professional supervision is, why it matters for those working with rangatahi, and what makes it effective. Whether you're already engaged in supervision or curious about what it could offer, this is an opportunity to reflect on how we can better support ourselves and the young people we work alongside.

About of the Nelson Tasman Connections Hui
The Nelson Tasman Connections Hui brings together people and organisations working with rangatahi to connect, collaborate, and learn from one another. Open to those across the health, education, employment, training, recreation, and community sectors, the Hui provides an opportunity to build relationships, share knowledge and ideas, and strengthen our collective contribution to positive youth development across Te Tauihu.

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Kaimahi Rangatahi Whakarōpū | Te Tauihu

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