

**11. APPLICATION TO THE HAGLEY/FERRYMEAD COMMUNITY BOARD 2009/10 YOUTH DEVELOPMENT SCHEME – NGAHUIA SANDRA-ROSE KING**

<b>General Manager responsible:</b>	General Manager, Community Services, DDI 941 8607
<b>Officer responsible:</b>	Recreation and Sports Unit Manager
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**PURPOSE OF REPORT**

1. The purpose of this report is to seek approval for an application for funding from the Hagley/Ferrymead Community Board's 2009/10 Youth Development Scheme.

**EXECUTIVE SUMMARY**

2. The applicant Ngahuia King, a 16 year old resident of Bromley, has been selected to represent Waitaha/Aoraki (Canterbury) as a member of Te Whanua Tahī Kura Kapa Haka at the Kapa Haka Kura Tuarua A Motu (National Kapa Haka Secondary Schools Competition) in Rotorua in July 2010.
3. Kapa Haka Kura Tuarua A Motu is the most prestigious event for Kapa Haka groups to compete at. It brings together the top three kapa from the regions for a four day competition and is being held at the Rotorua Energy Events Centre from 27 to 30 July 2010. The National Secondary School's Kapa Haka Competition objectives are:
  - To encourage and promote participation and the pursuit of excellence in kapa haka;
  - To ensure all kapa perform in an optimum environment in regards to lighting, sound, staging and atmosphere;
  - To promote the awareness, importance and appreciation of kapa haka;
  - To provide a professional development component for teachers and tutors of kapa haka.
4. Ngahuia is in her final year at Christchurch Girls High School where she excels in Kapa Haka, drama and ballroom dancing. She is involved in the community through helping at various churches in the children's church ministry and attends St Barnabas Youth Group. Ngahuia has recently applied to the Open Polytechnic for a three year course in Early Childhood Education and if accepted will start next year.

**FINANCIAL IMPLICATIONS**

5. The cost of going to the competition is \$558.86.

<b>EXPENSES</b>	<b>\$</b>
Airfares	215
Accommodation and food	287.50
Local transport (contribution towards vehicle hire)	56.36
<b>Total</b>	<b>558.86</b>

Ngahuia has a part time job after school plus a fundraising raffle and performance evening is planned to help raise funds for the group. Ngahuia's family is of limited means with one income and four children to support.

6. This is the first time that the applicant has applied to the Hagley/Ferrymead Community Board for financial support.

**Do the Recommendations of this Report Align with 2009-19 LTCCP budgets?**

7. Yes. This application is seeking funding from the Community Board's 2009/10 Youth Development Scheme which was established as part of the Board's 2009/10 Discretionary Funding. There is a balance of \$4,500 in the Community Board's 2009/10 Youth Development Scheme.

## **LEGAL CONSIDERATIONS**

### **Have you considered the legal implications of the issue under consideration?**

8. There are no legal implications in regards to this application.

## **ALIGNMENT WITH LTCCP AND ACTIVITY MANAGEMENT PLANS**

9. Aligns with Council Activities and Services, Community Support, Community Grants and Grants, pages 176 and 184, in the 2009-19 LTCCP.

### **Do the recommendations of this report support a level of service or project in the 2009-19 LTCCP?**

10. Yes. As above.

## **ALIGNMENT WITH STRATEGIES**

11. Application aligns with the Council's Youth Strategy, Physical Recreation and Sports Strategy and local Community Board objectives.

### **Do the recommendations align with the Council's strategies?**

12. Yes. As above.

## **CONSULTATION FULFILMENT**

13. Not applicable.

## **STAFF RECOMMENDATION**

It is recommended that the Hagley/Ferrymead Community Board approve the application and allocate \$250 funding from the Hagley/Ferrymead Community Board 2009/10 Youth Development Scheme for Ngahuia King to attend the Kapa Haka Kura Tuarua A Motu (National Kapa Haka Secondary Schools Competition) in Rotorua in July 2010.

## **CHAIRPERSON'S RECOMMENDATION**

That the staff recommendation be adopted.