

History Symposium: Invitation to attend

TELLING OUR STORIES: PALMERSTON NORTH HISTORIES



8-10 July 2021

Beginning with a visit to Te Rangimarie Marae Rangiotū early evening on 8 July 2021, the symposium will consider the multiple ways in which the history of Palmerston North and its surrounding areas has been explored in the past, and options for the future.

On Friday 9 July 5.30 pm there will be a reception and public lecture at the Palmerston North City Library entitled:

'Big Smokes? Writing a history of the metropolis vs the provincial centre'

Visits to Te Rangimarie and Te Marae o Hine, and subsequent sessions on 9 July will cover:

- Rangitāne stories
- Stories in print: books, journals, articles
- Stories on the landscape: cultural mapping
- Ways of telling our stories creatively
- Custodians of our stories: museums and objects

On Saturday 10 July:

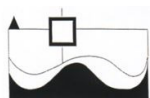
- Teaching our stories: local history and the new history curriculum (morning)
- Family stories: what can I do with that box of information? (Afternoon)

This symposium will be of interest to current and aspiring local historians, genealogists, teachers facing the challenges of the new school curriculum, and anyone interested in the intersection of past and place. The majority of sessions will be held at Te Manawa Museum of Art, Science and History. All are welcome.

Registration is free, but for catering purposes please register your intention to attend all or part of the symposium by clicking [here](#)

For further information contact Margaret Tennant:
matennant@xtra.co.nz or ph. 027 2424-112

This event is a collaboration between the following:



PALMERSTON NORTH
HERITAGE TRUST



W. H. OLIVER HUMANITIES
RESEARCH ACADEMY



te manawa
TE PAPAIOEA PALMERSTON NORTH