

Tihei Mauri Ora!

Our Rangatahi are the future

Ka pū te ruha, ka hao te rangatahi

When the old net is worn out and cast aside, the new net is put into use



In Malcolm Mulholland's award winning book about the history of Māori rugby entitled: *Beneath the Māori Moon – An Illustrated History of Māori Rugby*, he includes a quote from two Māori rugby legends – Waka Nathan and Buck Shelford – *“The future of Māori rugby lies in our ability to govern, to coach, and to support our rangatahi in their dream to become the best that they can be”*.

We need to seize the opportunities now that will give our young people the support, the training, and the foothold in the door that they need to succeed whether it be sport, the arts, education or whatever. Our rangatahi need to feel inspired to make their dreams come true, no matter what their situation is. Nothing is impossible, anything can be achieved. Kia pai tō wiki!



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