

# Celebrate Matariki at the Museum

**Book a session for your class now**

- **Revisit** the past
- **Share** knowledge
- **Discover** the importance of excellence
- **Inspire** creativity by viewing exceptional works of art
- **Seek** new skills
- **Appreciate** how Māori legends are relevant today
- **Learn** about the importance of Māori culture
- **Enjoy** being immersed in an extravaganza of Tūwharetoa talent

## Plan a trip to the Museum

A cost of \$2 per child  
(adults free)  
Phone or email to discuss  
your needs

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## 'Matariki ki tua o ngā whetu'

*'Matariki – search beyond the stars'*

Proverb inspiring  
two exhibitions at  
the Museum.



## Ngā Mata Kakā:

Beacons of Light

3rd June - 12th July

Featuring work from approximately 30 artists of Tūwharetoa descent

Sponsored by Oruanui Marae Trustees & Hapu and Punawhakaata ki Oruanui Charitable Trust

## Ngā Hauwāhine e Whitu

Seven Sisters

Niven Room

Based on the Matariki constellation of seven stars, this exhibition brings together the work of seven vibrant female artists of Ngāti Tūwharetoa descent; sisters that share a common bond in that they have established successful careers and notoriety in contemporary Māori art practice world wide. They inspire new generations to reach their highest potential.

### Seven Sisters:

June Grant, Veranoa Hetet, Katarina Hetet, Paerau Corneal, Te Maari Gardiner, Edna Pahewa with work from the late Dawn & Emily Schuster, Roka Ngarimu-Cameron

## Tūwharetoa Gallery: special display

## Te Ara Wairua o Ngāti Tūwharetoa

Spiritual pathways of Ngāti Tūwharetoa

Painted treasures by **Val Raymond**

### Dates

A new stunning collection of 10 watercolour paintings showing the interiors of churches of the area accompanied by 10 oil paintings of their locations.

### Also on show:

A selection of work from Val Raymond's acclaimed 'Millenium Exhibition 2000' – a celebration of feather and fibre.

*The work in these three exhibitions will inspire, delight, educate, provoke wonder and curiosity. Don't miss out!*