



### Kia ora teachers,

Wow, what a busy few months we have had since the opening of the Don Stafford Wing in September. We were thrilled to have 75 teachers attend the special teacher viewing in week six, and the feedback was overwhelmingly positive. If you have not come in yet, make sure you visit soon.

Any out of town teacher friends considering bringing classes through are also entitled to free admission on presentation of their teacher registration card at the front desk.

We are excited about the range of up and coming exhibitions touring in 2012. Enquiries have already been received for the *Anne Frank*, *Who Am I?* and *White Cloud Worlds* shows so remember to book at least six weeks ahead to avoid disappointment.

In August 2012, we will be repeating our popular *Family Treasures - Ngā Taonga Tuku Iho* exhibition featuring special objects from year 5-8 Rotorua students. If you teach this age and you would like your class to be involved please contact us before 24 February. (We will provide everything you need including planning, and will visit your school to explain the project to your students) - Rotorua schools only.

Finally, we now have our own education Facebook page. *Education at Rotorua Museum*. Feel free to like us, ask questions, give feedback and find out about competitions and special events here. All school bookings still need to be made via email, phone or via the Museum website [www.rotoruumuseum.co.nz/education](http://www.rotoruumuseum.co.nz/education)

See you at the museum in 2012

Noho ora mai,

Emma and George



### Ngā Pūmanawa o Te Arawa

*The Beating Hearts of Te Arawa*

NEW EXHIBITION  
DON STAFFORD WING

Emma and George are now available for students and teachers to answer questions on Facebook.



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