

Members meetings are finished - thanks to everyone who came along

These meetings were a valuable opportunity to raise the issues that E tū members want to work on most. The main issues raised at the meetings were:

- The continuing lack of transparency of how wage increases are calculated.
- Incorrect annual leave calculations. We would like 20 members to volunteer for us to request wage and time records to review calculations, our delegate Owen has been leading this work please contact him if you are interested in participating.
- Consistent redundancy provisions for all workers as it is believed many workers have different agreements and there is only a company policy outlining entitlements nothing in concrete.

Members at the meetings elected some excellent new delegates. The current delegates at Tiwai are:

- Owen Evans
- Tony O'Driscoll
- Aaron Officer
- Leyton Tarrant
- Alex O'Driscoll
- Maria Smart
- Curtis Omelvena
- Stephen Fortheringham

We are still keen to build our union leadership numbers! please contact Jinnette, Anna or one of the existing delegates if you are keen to support our work.



A great symposium

E tū and Murihiku Regeneration co-hosted a symposium on social procurement which was attended by your delegates, Owen, Tony and Aaron, Southland leaders, Iwi, and representation from Tiwai management. The guest speakers spoke about the benefits of good social procurement practices for our communities. Our union facilitated a workshop on Decent Work which was great! If you would like to know more about our decent work campaign please head to our website: www.decentwork.nz



Tony at the E tū conference

Tony O'Driscoll attended the E tū national delegates conference in Auckland where he got to meet union leaders from not only New Zealand but from other countries including the Australia Mining unions. Tony spoke to the conference about Just Transitions, the devastating impact on our region if Tiwai closes, the needs for increased power generation in Southland to accommodate more industries if Tiwai does stay open, and how this has been such a difficult time for workers and our community.



Union membership at Tiwai is growing.

Being union means Tiwai workers have a strong voice to fix issues and win decent jobs for the future.

Join E tū now and get involved!

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