

## Man Alive S.K.I.P newsletter 20 February 2015

A slow start to another busy year of work and family life has seen us welcome new supporters of S.K.I.P and the positive parenting messages we are all happy to promote in our communities.

### S.K.I.P (Strategies with Kid's Information for Parents) Advocates

1. Tasha Tasmania, Mangere East rugby league club Chairperson, Mangere
2. Salona Misini, Waitamata rugby league club Secretary, Henderson
3. Boda at Sanctuary Ink Tattoo parlour, Henderson
4. Claire Bogalo, Top Cut Barber shop Henderson
5. Mark, Pack N Save Store Manager, Lincoln rd
6. Alasdair Hunt, Mitre 10 MEGA Store Manager, Lincoln road
7. Glen Wells, Store manager Pack n Save, Westgate
8. Damien Clarke, Mitre 10 MEGA Store Manager, Westgate
9. Mike Smith, Bay Roskill Vikings club Secretary, Blockhouse Bay
10. Waitemata Community Law Centre, Henderson
11. Destiny Hair Salon, Henderson
12. Brendon Smith, Father & Child Trust, Onehunga
13. Charlotte Moore, WAVES Trust
14. Christine, Family Action
15. Ian Tomkins, Family Works



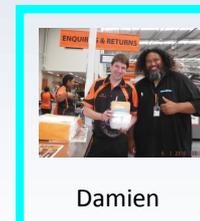
Tasha



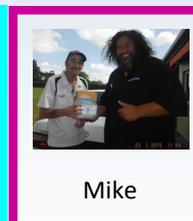
Mark



Alasdair



Damien



Mike

### S.K.I.P Advocates

It's great you have decided to support the S.K.I.P messages of positive parenting. This is a Ministry of Social Development (MSD) initiative to support parents and caregivers in raising children in a positive way with the important job of nurturing our future generations.

With a busy year ahead we are looking at supporting community initiatives with parenting courses, workshops on how to engage an angry parent in public or support a stressed parent before they lose it with the kids.

Man Alive are offering free workshops for sports clubs and businesses focussing on supporting parents and caregivers before things get out of hand. If you are interested in free workshops for your staff, sports teams, individuals or community group please contact me at 09-835-0509, extension 809. ☺

### Building awesome whānau parenting Programme

This new bicultural Toolbox Parenting course covers 6 areas with a Maori Flavour.

**Dates:** Six Thursdays from 12 March 2015

**Time:** 7pm till 9.15pm

**Cost:** \$75 per person, Subsidy available

**Venue:** 11 Edmonton Road, Henderson

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My name is Togia Lanefale and MSD fund me to promote positive parenting using S.K.I.P messages.

As part of my social work role I support all parents and caregivers with a focus on fathers whom already have a parenting style but may like some additional strategies around the tricky bits of their child's early development.

