

Butcher, Cattle Ridge and Orongorongo Tracks

Remutaka Forest Park

Masterton and South Wairarapa Tramping Clubs

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This waharoa or gateway marks the entry to te wao tapu nui a Tane, the sacred domain of Tane. It serves as a reminder of the ancestors, including Rongorongo for whom the Ōrongorongo Valley is named. She was a daughter of Toto, legendary master waka builder of the 14th century.









Flowers of putaputaweta
(*Carpodetus serratus*)









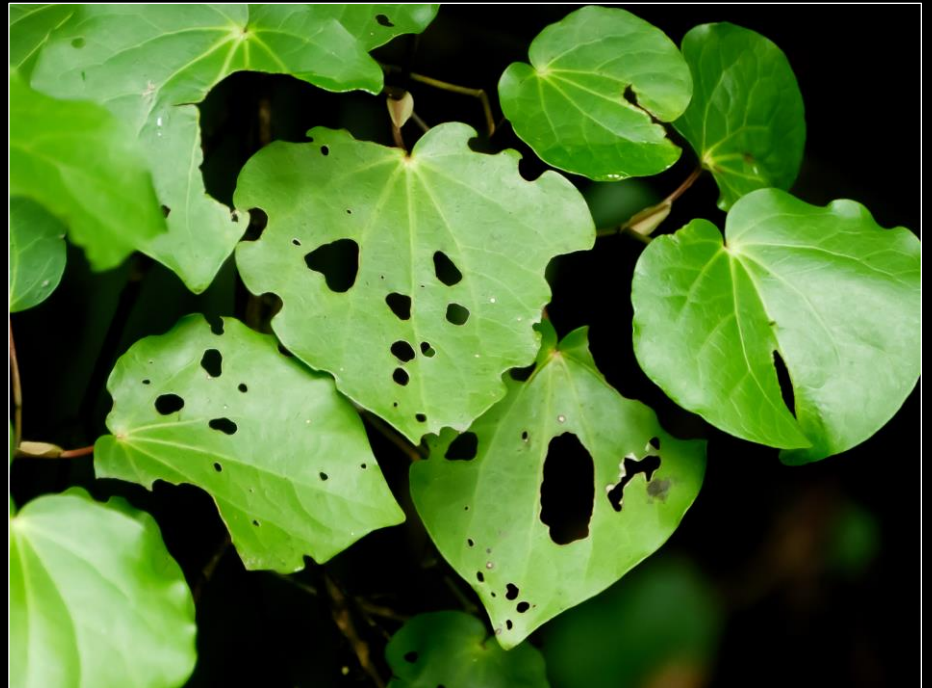
















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