

## How did BHCT get to this point?

Funding for Bream Head/Te Whara Conservation Trust comes from a wide range of sources. We are grateful to all the organisations that generously make financial contributions which allows our work to continue. The Trust also acknowledge countless hours of voluntary work by individuals and organisations; without their support none of our success would have been possible.

*Acknowledgement: All photos provided by BHCT*



## Make a donation

to support the Bream Head Conservation Trust.

**Donations, gifts, bequests and endowments of all sizes are appreciated**

### Donations TODAY:

Donations directly to Bream Head Conservation Trust helps the Trust with their day to day operations. More than 90% of each donated dollar is spent directly on the Reserve. You can visit their website [breamheadtrust.nz/donate](http://breamheadtrust.nz/donate) for more details.

#### **Donate by internet banking:**

Account name: Bream Head Conservation Trust

Account number: 12-3115-0120268-00

Please use your name and 'donation' as the reference.

### Donations for the FUTURE:

**Leave a legacy to support the BHCT Fund.**

The Trust has an endowment fund to provide long-term funding to support the purposes of the Trust. A donation to the endowment fund, either lifetime or in a will, builds a fund that will continue to support their work forever.

If you wish to leave a lasting legacy or leave a gift in your will, please contact Northland Community Foundation to discuss your options or visit [www.northlandcommunityfoundation.org.nz](http://www.northlandcommunityfoundation.org.nz)

#### **Donate by internet banking**

You can donate directly to our long-term endowment funds as follows:

Account Name: Northland Community Foundation

Account number: 02-0492-0111777-001

Please include your name and "BHCT Fund" as the reference.

#### **Northland Community Foundation**

Call 021 558 224 or 0204 139 8518

PO Box 10011, Te Mai, Whangārei 0143

[info@northlandcommunityfoundation.org.nz](mailto:info@northlandcommunityfoundation.org.nz)

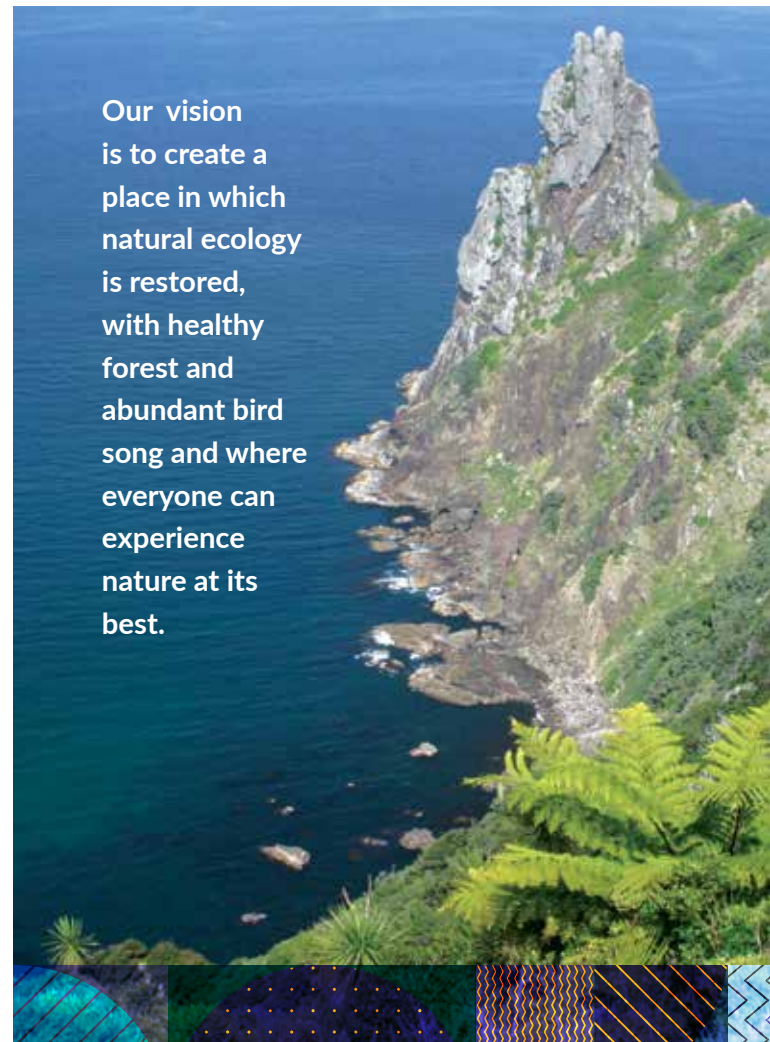
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**Bream Head/Te Whara**  
CONSERVATION TRUST



Our vision  
is to create a  
place in which  
natural ecology  
is restored,  
with healthy  
forest and  
abundant bird  
song and where  
everyone can  
experience  
nature at its  
best.



# What is Bream Head/ Te Whara Conservation Trust?

Bream Head Scenic Reserve is one of Aotearoa New Zealand's foremost coastal broadleaf forest reserves and one of the best in Northland.

It is an outstanding ecosystem supporting a diversity of flora and fauna. It is home to species that are nationally significant - and in some cases nationally threatened. It also contains significant archaeological, historical and landscape features.

The Trust was established in 2002 by a group of locals keen to protect and restore Bream Head/Te Whara. It works in collaboration with the community and local iwi/hapū, the Department of Conservation, Whangārei District Council and Northland Regional Council.

## Highlights



**Environmental Action in Pest Management Award 2020**



**Ōi/Grey-faced petrels return to the peninsula with several successful fledglings**



**Re-introduction of the toutouwai/North Island robin and pōpokotea/white head**



**Establishment of our native nursery to help with reforestation**



**A small team of rangers and over 70 volunteers work tirelessly towards a predator free Reserve**



## Anyone can help us realise our vision

For over twenty years Bream Head/Te Whara Conservation Trust (BHCT) has been working on the ecological restoration of the Bream Head Scenic Reserve.

It has had a transformational impact and once degraded native forest is now flourishing. This has been possible through the generosity of our volunteers, friends and visitors.

The Trust is committed to maintaining and improving outcomes in the reserve over the long-term. You can also support the Trust to continue this important work.

*Flax snails (Placostylus hongii or Pūpūharakeke) are range restricted and are found in small clusters inside the Reserve*



*Students visiting our nursery. This is part of our education programme that shows students the process of collecting and sowing seeds, pricking out seedlings into root trainers and planting seedlings. They also have the opportunity to experience an authentic trap line.*

## What happens at BHCT?

- Our fully monitored predator programme, run by our rangers and dedicated volunteers, uses a wide suite of devices and toxins. Detection devices such as thermal cameras and trail cameras are helping us to better understand how to attract and deal with predators.
- We have a weed control programme that manages incursion of pest plants in the reserve.
- We have planted over 40.000 revegetation species. Most of these plants are now provided by our native plant nursery situated at Ocean Beach.
- We manage assisted and natural introductions of lost and endangered species, like the kiwi, toutouwai/North Island robin, pōpokotea/whitehead and lizard species.
- Our education programme aims to motivate individuals and groups to learn more about, and engage in, conservation for our future.

Your support will have a long-term benefit for the Reserve and our wider community.