

Kura Toa

Warrior School

By Tim Tipene

The Book

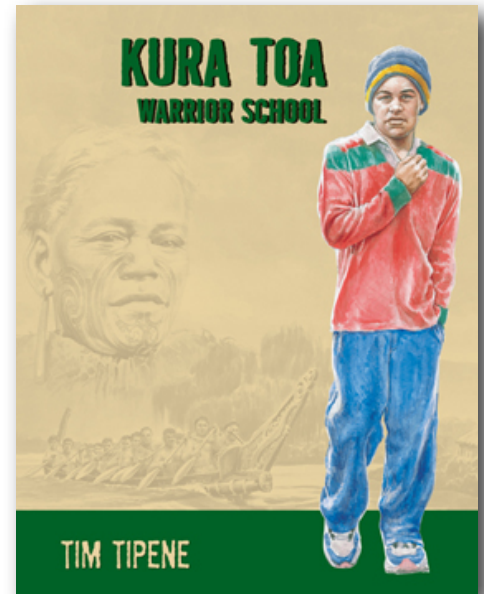
High-school student Haki needs to find the pounamu that was stolen from him after a car crash by a mysterious old man who seems to know a lot about him. Haki's search brings him into conflict with his family, his friends and his school. In the process he must confront his fears and find a way to answer the challenge to serve his people and his land, fight a taniwha, and grow into a warrior.

The Author

Tim Tipene is the author for seven children's books including the award-winning *Haere and Taming the Taniwha*. His *Warrior Kids* programme, based on his Toatoï style of warrior training, has featured in schools and communities throughout New Zealand. Father to two children, Tim lives in Waitakere City.

Sales Points

- Re-issue of this warm and well-regarded junior novel
- Inspiring, positive story for young readers, particularly boys
- Award-winning children's author and educator



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