

# Catalogue









Peace in 10,000 Hands is the creation of New Zealand-born photographic artist Stuart Robertson. The project involves documenting a single white rose, an ancient symbol of peace held in the hands of 10,000 people from every country and walk of life. A number of global celebrities appear as subjects.

In winter 2017 a selection of iconic photographs from the Peace in 10,000 exhibitions will go under the hammer at a fundraising auction to be held at Te Takeretanga o Kura-hau-pō in Levin.

The auction will include three first edition 900mm by 900mm and one 330mm by 330mm originals. These pieces that have travelled with the exhibition will be auctioned alongside ten custom made one-of-a-kind artworks over 2m tall each, produced exclusively for Te Takeretanga o Kura-hau pō's exhibition.

Proceeds from the auction will go to Horowhenua charities working in the prevention, recovery and rehabilitation of victims, perpetrators and families affected by domestic violence.

## Tickets \$50 from Te Takeretanga o Kura-hau-p $\bar{o}$ or online at www.tetakere.org.nz



#### **Exhibition Originals**

Take home an original Stuart Robertson from an exhibition that has toured the world. Items 1 to 3 are colour giclee archival print first edition Peace in 10,000 Hands exhibition originals. Item 4 is a framed monochrome giclee archival print exhibition original. Articles are available for inspection, currently hanging in the Te Takeretanga o Kura-hau-pō exhibition.

### Item 1 Oscar Kightley



Fundraising for Abuse and Rape Crisis Support (ARCS) Horowhenua. ARCS exists to eliminate rape and sexual violence through social change and specialised education, support and crisis intervention. Proceeds will fund the Children's VOYAGE programme for boys and girls who have witnessed or experienced domestic violence.



#### **Oscar Kightley**

Colour Giclee Archival Print 900mm x 900mm Edition 1 of 11 The famous and generous Oscar Kightley MNZM. Writer, actor and director and a treasured supporter of Peace in 10,000 Hands. This image is special as I took it at Oscar's house and it was featured on the cover of The Auckland War Memorial Museum publication.

#### Item 2 **Maata**



Fundraising for Women's Refuge. A women's organisation for women and their children, here to help prevent and stop family violence in New Zealand. Proceeds will fund the Levin Youth Service and support group for young people aged 13-20 whose lives have been affected by domestic violence.



#### Maata

Colour Giclee Archival Print 900mm x 900mm Edition 1 of 11 Parihaka, Taranaki, New Zealand. The home of non-violence and passive resistance with a spiritual legacy of living in harmony with the land and all humanity. Our paths crossed and we were blessed to be invited to stay and spend time with Maata, the Kaitiaki (Guardian) of the Te Niho o Te Atiawa Meeting House and her whanau at Parihaka. A Raukura (white albatross feather), the symbol of peace at Parihaka and the white rose came together for a very special series of photographs.

### Item 3 **Sly Vicious**

#### Horowhenua Family Violence Intervention Programme

Fundraising for Horowhenua Family Violence Intervention Programme (HFVIP) - Supporting the rehabilitation of ex-perpetrators of family violence. Funding supports the establishment of a men's post-programme support group.



#### **Sly Vicious**

Colour Giclee Archival Print 900mm x 900mm Edition 1 of 11 Gang Member. "Peace means fucking nothing to me" Los Angeles

### Item 4 **Tiki Taane**



Fundraising for Horowhenua Abuse Liaison Team (HALT), Horowhenua's D&FV network & local It's Not OK campaigners. Proceeds will fund the Wahine Toa programme supporting survivors of domestic violence.



#### Tiki Taane

Framed Monochrome Giclee Archival Print 330mm x 330mm "Can you please take your top off for me?" Were my first few words to legendary platinum selling NZ musician Tiki Taane. It was pitch black behind the stage that David Guetta was performing on. Tiki struck this pose for me and then walked off towards the screaming crowd.



#### Waka Wall Series

Unique to Te Takeretanga o Kura-hau-pō's exhibition, the Waka Wall panels are one-of-a-kind productions in the Peace in 10,000 Hands exhibition. This collection features notable celebrities alongside subjects from the far reaches of the globe, such as the untouched Highlands of Papua New Guinea. The panels are single piece latex on vinyl print, lustre laminated on 3mm ACM board (mounted by 8 screws). With measurements approximately 1080mm wide by 2350mm high they are the perfect stand out piece for your office, lobby, staircase or feature wall.

### Item 5 **Demi Moore**



Fundraising for Horowhenua Abuse Liaison Team (HALT), Horowhenua's D&FV network & local It's Not OK campaigners. Proceeds will fund the Wahine Toa programme supporting survivors of domestic violence.



**Demi Moore** 3mm ACM board Latex on vinyl print 1080mm x 2350mm

I spent a bit of time with Demi over a few weeks, finally the time felt right for a photo shoot on a cool LA afternoon under the dappled light of trees. This is the result. It is honest and beautiful.

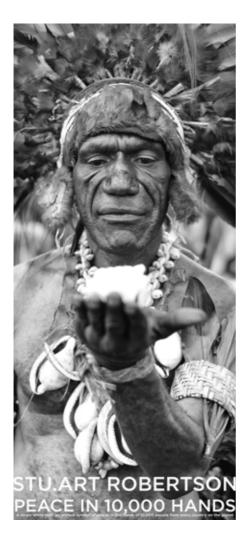
"I try to be a human being, not a human doing" "Peace to me means Freedom, love, acceptance".

Demi Moore

#### Item 6 **Bird of Paradise**



Fundraising for Muaupoko Tribal Authority. Supporting Whanau in education, prevention and resolution of domestic violence Compassionate Communication Wananga for families affected by violence.



**Bird of Paradise** 3mm ACM board Latex on vinyl print 1080mm x 2350mm

The Highlands of Papua New Guinea. A location steeped in adventure. Ancient tribal traditions living in the dense rain forests with wild tales of cannibalism and swift vengeance. Six million out of the seven million population live in remote parts of the country in tribes, living a self-sustainable, natural lifestyle untouched by money, electricity and any modern conveniences. My time in the Highlands was intrepid, memorable and very challenging for so many reasons. Each tribe has his own traditional costume made from the local plants. birds, animals, shells, mud and pigments of the land.

### Item 7 **Emily Blunt**



Fundraising for Horowhenua Supergrans, Helping People Flourish - E manaaki tangata puawai tia. Building family skills including prevention-first parenting programme delivery. Proceeds will fund the expansion of the Incredible Years programme for 0-3 year olds.



Emily Blunt 3mm ACM board Latex on vinyl print 1080mm x 2350mm

Emily was on her way to film the action crime thriller 'Sicaro'. We were on the same flight to New Mexico together. She had her daughter Hazel cradled in her arms. I told her all about the project and asked her if she would like to be photographed holding the white rose and she was like, yes, absolutely, let's do it right here, right now! With lots of onlookers we did her photoshoot, her frank sincerity and natural beauty made her a delight to work with.

### Item 8 **Oar Boy**



Fundraising for Horowhenua Family Support Service. Home based client-led support for Horowhenua

families under stress. Proceeds will help with supporting children affected by violence build resilience, confidence and connections through swimming lessons.



Oar Boy 3mm ACM board

Latex on vinyl print 1080mm x 2350mm

Sunrise in Varanasi on the Ganges, so many questions, so many reservations, accompanied only by my Oar Boy who took me across the Ganges to witness tradition thousands of years old. I was humbled by his youth in tandem with his connectivity to ancient civilizations many many generations removed. The smell, the light and the gentle rock of the surging Ganges are sensations that will never leave me.

#### Item 9 Greg T Brown



Fundraising for Manawatu Supporting Families in Mental Illness - Working with families to better understand mental health and addiction from a place of compassion. Funding supports children's education and resilience programme.



**Greg T Brown** 3mm ACM board Latex on vinyl print 1080mm x 2350mm

Actor & Model, Los Angeles. Where the mind goes the man follows.

"Peace is a state of mind" Greg T Brown

#### Item 10 **Ricky Gervais**



Fundraising for Women's Refuge. A women's organisation for women and their children, here to help prevent and stop family violence in New Zealand. Proceeds will go towards the Levin Youth Service and support group for young people aged 13-20 whose lives have been affected by domestic violence.



**Ricky Gervais** 3mm ACM board Latex on vinyl print 1080mm x 2350mm

It is the day of the LA Marathon. LA is in lock down and cut in half as the runners are going from Dodgers Stadium to the Coast essentially all the way along Santa Monica Blvd, under the 405.

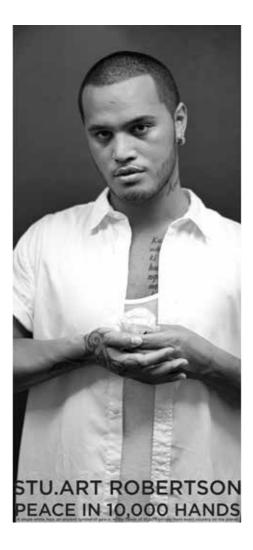
If you look at a map it is a suicide move to drive anywhere on this day. So....Ricky confirms the morning of the LA marathon to photograph him in his Suite at the Beverly Hilton, right on the route. I made it. Ricky is hilarious and generous.

"Peace is worth Fighting For" *Ricky Gervais* 

#### Item 11 **Stan Walker**



Fundraising for Raukawa Whānau Ora - Supporting the health and wellbeing of whānau from Otaki to Foxton. Funding supports post-therapy programmes for victims and perpetrators of domestic and family violence, to help support and educate individuals to achieve better health and wellbeing outcomes for all involved.



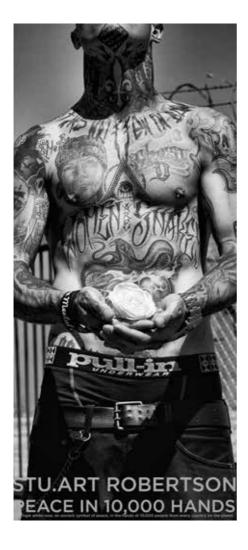
**Stan Walker** 3mm ACM board Latex on vinyl print 1080mm x 2350mm

Fresh from the stage, singing and dancing in perfect synchronized time Stan held the rose next to his beating heart. A beautiful, thoughtful and extremely talented man.

### Item 12 Fleur de Lys



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Fleur de Lys 3mm ACM board Latex on vinyl print 1080mm x 2350mm

His body is the canvas of his life and a tumultuous past and yet Mick makes the greatest impression with his articulate mind, big heart and focus for what is right. His passion for peace and humanity is enormous and it was a real pleasure to spend time with and photograph him.

### Item 13 Stick Collector



Fundraising for Living Well Counselling Centre. Providing a nourishing well in the desert of people's lives. Counselling that increases hope, connectedness and wellbeing. Proceeds will fund relationship counselling; building positive relationships and families.



Stick Collector 3mm ACM board Latex on vinyl print 1080mm x 2350mm

Rajasthan. The Thar dessert. With me forever. Days and days and days of travelling dusty tracks and meeting people with such a sense of humanity, connectivity and a heart larger than the expanse that I covered in all my trekking.

The stick collector is a nod to NZ artist Warren Viscoe, who's sculpture named The Stick Collector I own with my wife, juxtaposed with the hardship of being the stick collector in the Thar dessert for your village where trees and sticks are rare and as treasured as golden nuggets.



Fundraising for Age Concern Horowhenua - Delivering specialist elder abuse and neglect prevention services. Proceeds will help to raise awareness of neglect services through seminars and outreach marketing.



Wisdom of the Harakeke

3mm ACM board Latex on vinyl print 1080mm x 2350mm

"I believe in another beginning. Time, things don't happen quick, you move with caution because if you rush across the ground you're liable to stub your toe on a rock. When you pick a flower you make sure it's not going to fall apart as soon as you pick it".

Whero o Te Rangi, Kuia, Parihaka, Taranaki, New Zealand



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