

Profile

Wepiha Te Kanawa



Gender: Male

Age Range: 30–40

Iwi Affiliations: Ngāti Maniapoto / Tauranga Moana

Height: 180cm

Base Location: Auckland

Languages: Te reo Māori, English

Skills: Presenting, journalism, kapa haka, singing, triathlon, endurance sport

Hair: Black

Eyes: Brown

Agent: Tūturu Talent

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Biography

Wepiha is an Auckland-based presenter, former television journalist and digital content creator with extensive experience in front of the camera.

Beginning his television career with Māori Television, Wepiha worked as a reporter across Te Kāea and the award-winning current affairs programme Native Affairs, as well as presenting news for Rereātea. His journalism earned him the Sir John Wells Sports Journalist Scholarship in 2016.

Now working as a police detective, Wepiha continues to build his on-screen experience through commercial advertising, modelling and digital content creation. A passionate triathlete and endurance athlete, he creates content spanning fitness, sport, food and lifestyle.

Fluent in te reo Māori, with skills in kapa haka and singing, Wepiha brings a natural confidence, versatility and authentic Māori perspective to his work.

Credits

Television & Journalism

Te Kāea | Reporter | Māori Television

Native Affairs | Reporter | Māori Television

Rereātea | News Presenter

Commercial & Digital

2026 | Modelling | B.Illst Clothing

2019 | Presenter | NZ Police Vlog

2018 | Commercial | NZ Police

Awards

2016 | Sir John Wells Sports Journalist Scholarship