



# FRAME/SHAMANIC DRUM MAKING

WĀNANGA WITH JONÁŠ KOUKL

14 SEPTEMBER, 2024

GLADSTONE SPORTS  
AND SOCIAL COMPLEX,  
WAIRARAPA, NZ

ALL AGES

NO EXPERIENCE  
REQUIRED



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## MAKE A FRAME DRUM FROM DEER HIDE AND STEAM-BENT ASH

Frame drums go by many names and have roots in many traditions, including the Slavic culture of my tīpuna - ancestors. I run these workshops with the belief that these simple, ancient instruments can help us to live a calmer, more connected life by encountering our inner landscapes and other perspectives and sources of wisdom.

**Programme:** We will start at 9.30 am with whānaungatanga (establishing and strengthening relationships) followed by a ritual of gratitude to the animals and trees whose parts we will be using. We will spend most of Saturday creating the drums, either individually or in small groups. In the evening, we will welcome the new drums at a ceremony by the campfire. We will also explore the effects of musical vibrations on ourselves and our environment. Please arrive on time and expect to finish at about 9 pm.

**Facilitator:** Ko Jonáš taku ingoa. I am a primary music teacher and multi-instrumentalist with over 15 years of experience facilitating music-based workshops, camps, and festivals for people of all ages. Since 2008, I have helped hundreds of drums to come into the world through workshops in my native Czech Republic, and I feel encouraged and honoured to share my experience and passion for this mahi in Aotearoa.

**Cost:** \$396 per drum and one attendee. If you bring along an additional person/to work on the drum together, we will ask you to pay an extra \$80 per adult or \$40 per child. \$260 deposit upon registration. This deposit is non-refundable unless you can fill your place or it can be filled from the waiting list. Tea/Coffee is included, but food is not provided to keep the price as low as possible - please bring your lunch, snacks, and dinner, or there is a great restaurant just around the corner (<https://www.gladstoneinn.co.nz/>).

**Venue:** Gladstone Sports & Social Complex,  
585 Gladstone Rd, Gladstone, Wairarapa, NZ

**Registration Form:** [www.connecting-music.nz](http://www.connecting-music.nz)

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