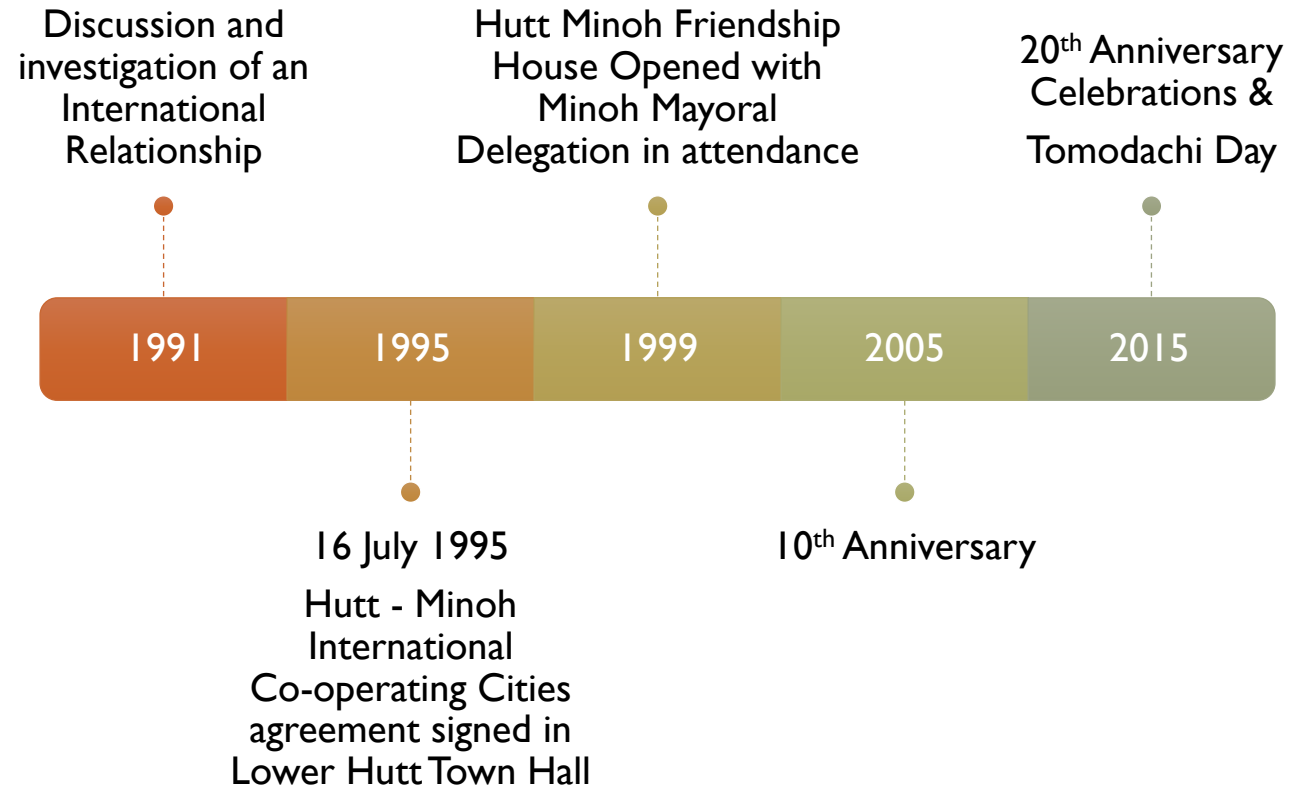
A large, detailed image of the Earth from space, showing the Western Hemisphere. The Americas, Europe, and Africa are visible, with city lights glowing at night. The Earth is set against a dark, starry background.

25TH ANNIVERSARY HUTT - MINOH INTERNATIONAL CO-OPERATING CITIES

July 1995 – July 2020

HUTT - MINOH INTERNATIONAL CO-OPERATING CITIES





OFFICIAL SIGNING:
MAYOR EVANS , MAYOR
HASHIMOTO, HSCF
SANDRA GREIG AND
MINOH OFFICIAL



GIFT EXCHANGE AFTER SIGNING IN 1995



MANY FRIENDSHIPS HAVE GROWN
FROM THIS RELATIONSHIP



LOWER HUTT AND MINOH VISITS



SPECIAL MEMORIES



WAIWHETU MARAE VISIT



OPENING OF MINOH HOUSE 1999



MAYOR HASHIMOTO RECEIVES A LOWER HUTT CIVIC
AWARD FROM MAYOR JOHN TERRIS
FOR HIS WORK IN ESTABLISHING THE
INTERNATIONAL CO-OPERATING CITIES AGREEMENT



MANY FRIENDSHIPS MADE
MAYORS ODGEN, TERRIS AND EVANS
WITH MAYORESS'S AND MRS HASHIMOTO
HOLDING FRAMED PHOTO OF
MAYOR HASHIMOTO



MAYOR DAVID OGDEN OFFICIALLY OPENS
THE HASHIMOTO WALK IN RIDDIFORD
GARDEN WITH MRS SETSUKO HASHIMOTO



OPEN DAY AT MINOH HOUSE



MINOH HOUSE LOCATION SIGN IN NORMANDALE ROAD



20TH ANNIVERSARY IN MINOH JAPAN 2015

Hutt Delegation members arriving at
Osaka Airport



Two Mayors enjoying Japanese dinner in
open air restaurant next to Minoh River



20TH ANNIVERSARY IN MINOH JAPAN

Mayor Wallace and Mayor Kurata sign the Teacher Exchange Programme agreement



The Hutt Delegation at the Signing Ceremony



20TH ANNIVERSARY IN MINOH JAPAN

Hutt Delegation visit Minoh's famous Temple



Mayor Kurata receives a formal Maori greeting with Yuzuru looking on with interest.



20TH ANNIVERSARY IN MINOH JAPAN

Hutt Delegation at the MAFGA Multi-Cultural Centre in Minoh



Opening of the Sake barrel to start the 20th Anniversary celebrations



20TH ANNIVERSARY – MINOH

Lunch time at Epuni's Skype Sister School,
Todoromi no mori Gakuen



Hutt Delegation ready for a day at school



20TH ANNIVERSARY MINOH

HCC TEAM AT MINOH WATERFALL



NEW ZEALAND DAY FESTIVAL IN MINOH
WITH STUDENTS PERFORMING A
TRADITIONAL JAPANESE TEA CEREMONY



20TH ANNIVERSARY MINOH CITY

CHILDREN AT EPUNI'S SISTER
SCHOOL



TWO MAYORS AND THEIR FAMILIES AT
NZ FESTIVAL IN MINOH



20TH ANNIVERSARY MINOH CITY

MAYOR KURATA AND HIS TEAM
CHALLENGE MAYORESS LINDA
WITH A GAME OF CHECKERS



MAYORESS LINDA AND MAYORESS
SETSUKO AT NZ FESTIVAL



20TH ANNIVERSARY MINOH CITY

HUTT DELEGATION VISIT TUI GLEN'S SISTER
SKYPE SCHOOL, SAITO NO OKA GAKUEN IN
MINOH



THE KIDS LOVED HAVING THE
DELEGATION VISIT AND PRACTISING
THEIR ENGLISH



20TH ANNIVERSARY MINOH CITY

SOME OF THE HUTT DELEGATION
VISITING ONE OF THE LOCAL
TEMPLES IN MINOH



SPECIAL TAIKO DRUMMING
DISPLAY FOR HUTT DELEGATION



20TH ANNIVERSARY MINOH CITY

MAKING A WISH AT THE LOCAL
MINOH TEMPLE



MAYOR KURATA TAKES HUTT
DELEGATION FOR DINNER AT
TRADITIONAL JAPANESE RESTAURANT



20TH ANNIVERSARY MINOH CITY

MAYOR WALLACE AND MAYOR KURATA
SIGN TEACHER EXCHANGE
PROGRAMME AGREEMENT



MAYOR WALLACE RECEIVES GIFT FROM
KURATA-SAN RECOGNISING THE TWO
CITIES STRONG FRIENDSHIP



20TH ANNIVERSARY MINOH CITY

A DAY OF BUSINESS AT MINOH CITY OFFICE



“SAYONARA” FRIENDS MINOH MEMBERS WAVE THE HUTT DELEGATION FAREWELL



MINOH DELEGATIONS TO LOWER HUTT

MINOH ART DELEGATION VISIT THE
HASHIMOTO WALK IN LOWER HUTT



MAYORESS LINDA GOSS-WALLACE
TEACHES MAYOR KURATA CHECKERS
IN PETONE



MINOH ART EXHIBITION 2017 IN LOWER HUTT

MINOH ARTISTS AT THE ODLIN
GALLERY FOR THE OPENING OF THE
EXHIBITION



MAYORESS LINDA WELCOMES
THE MINOH ART DELEGATION



2017 MINOH ART DELEGATION

DEPUTY MAYOR BASSETT SHOWS
MINOH DELEGATION AROUND
REFURBISHED COUNCIL BUILDINGS



OPENING OF THE OFFICIAL MINOH ART
EXHIBITION AT HUTT ART SOCIETY'S
ODLIN GALLERY



MINOH ART DELEGATION

MAYORESS LINDA GOSS-WALLACE
SHOWS MINOH ARTIST VIEW FROM TOP
OF THE WAINUIOMATA HILL



ART DELEGATION ON THE
PUKEATUA BRIDGE





2018 - MAYOR KURATA AND SENIOR MEMBERS OF MINOH
CITY COUNCIL ATTENDED SISTER CITIES NEW ZEALAND
NATIONAL CONFERENCE HELD IN LOWER HUTT

MINOH MAYORAL DELEGATION 2018

MINOH DELEGATES ATTENDING SCNZ
CONFERENCE IN LOWER HUTT



Sister Cities NZ Conference 2018
Lower Hutt

MINOH DELEGATION WELCOMED
BY MAYOR WALLACE



MINOH ASSUMPTION SCHOOL VISIT 2018

SACRED HEART'S INTERNATIONAL DEAN,
SARAH KNOWLES SHOWS MAYOR WALLACE
AROUND ASSUMPTION SCHOOL



MAYORAL DELEGATION AND TEACHER
EXCHANGE MEMBERS FROM LOWER
HUTT



WAINUIOMATA HIGH SCHOOL VISIT TO MINOH 2018

WAINUIOMATA KAPA HAKA
ROOPU AND WHANAU



KAPA HAKA TEACHER MATAURANGA,
WITH MRS HASHIMOTO



WAINUIOMATA HIGH KAPA HAKA PERFORMANCES IN MINOH 2018

KAPA HAKA PERFORMING AT
NZ FESTIVAL IN MINOH



KAPA HAKA PERFORMING AT THE
MINOH EVENTS CENTRE



WAINUIOMATA HIGH KAPA HAKA AND MAYORAL DELEGATION TO MINOH 2018



MRS HASHIMOTO'S PRIVATE VISITS TO LOWER HUTT

MAYOR GLEN AND MAYORESS
BARBARA EVANS



MAYOR JOHN AND
MAYORESS KATIE TERRIS



MAYOR RAY WALLACE
AND MAYORESS
LINDA GOSS-WALLACE



MINOH TEACHERS VISIT TO LOWER HUTT

FUN ON TOP OF WAINUIOMATA
HILL 2015



FORMAL WELCOME IN COUNCIL
CHAMBERS 2017



HUTT MAYORAL VISIT TO MINOH 2018



TOMODACHI- (FRIENDS)

MAYOR WALLACE AND MAYOR KURATA
SHARE A DRINK TOGETHER AFTER A
DAY OF FORMALITIES



MINOH & LOWER HUTT'S
INTERNATIONAL RELATIONS MANAGERS:
NORIKO UENO &
LINDA GOSS-WALLACE



EDUCATION REPRESENTATIVES: SARAH, FABRIANNE AND ASHLEY IN MINOH 2018



EDUCATION AND EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT DISCUSSIONS

LONGTIME MINOH FRIENDS:
AMY & LENA MAEDA



MEETING WITH MAFGA
MANAGEMENT



SHARING IDEAS ON EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

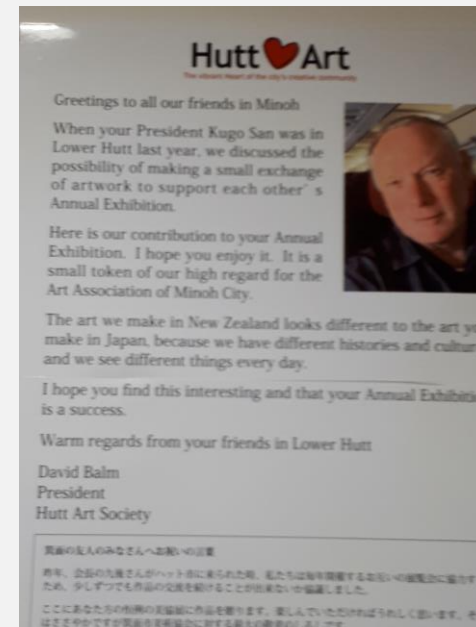


DISPLAY OF HUTT ART EXCHANGE

DISPLAY OF THE SIGNIFICANCE OF THE ART EXCHANGE



DAVID BALM'S MESSAGE DISPLAYED IN MAFGA



ART WORKS FROM HUTT ART CENTRE DISPLAYED IN MINOH MULTI-CULTURAL CENTRE



EDUCATIONAL EXCHANGES: MINTEX AND JET

2016, 2017 & 2018 MINTEX -
TEACHER EXCHANGE DELEGATES



2018 MINTEX AND JET
REPRESENTATION FROM LOWER HUTT



MEETING MAYOR KURATA AND HIS SENIOR TEAM

GIFTS EXCHANGED AS PART OF
THE FRIENDSHIP



DISCUSSIONS ABOUT
EDUCATIONAL OPPORTUNITIES



KATSUOJI TEMPLE IN OSAKA



FINAL NIGHT DINNER – JAPANESE STYLE

KURATA-SAN, SARAH, MICHELLE
AND AMY



NORIKO, HIROMI AND LINDA



MINTEX (MINOH TEACHER EXCHANGE)

2016 & 2017 MINTEX



2018 & 2019 MINTEX



OSAKA PROFESSORS VISIT LOWER HUTT 2019



ARIGATO GOZAIMASU
MINASAN

Thank you !!!

















