Tracking tunnels are used to identify what is walking around in the ngahere/forest. On Tiritiri Matangi they are used as a biosecurity tool for detecting invasive predators. The cards in the tunnel are marked with ink in the centre and peanut butter is used as a lure. When an animal is attracted into the tunnel as a result of the smell, it walks across the inked area. With ink on their feet, the animals leave footprints as they walk out. There are 65 tracking tunnels on Tiritiri Matangi and these are checked once a month by a team of volunteers. Match the footprints with the photos. Have fun!

