

# Illustrations and photos from the day

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# Weaving Our Strengths - working together for child wellbeing





**POLITICIANS SHOULD BE HELPING NEW ZEALANDERS FIND JOY**

**COMMUNITY SAFETY**  
KNOWING YOUR STREET IS SAFE TO WALK AROUND.

**GROWING UP IN THE 80s**  
I FELT SAFE - TIGHT-KNIT COMMUNITIES

**JACINDA: DID WE DO ANYTHING RIGHT?**  
Umm... FREE EDUCATION?

**BUDGETING COURSES HELPED HEAPS**

**TRYING TO RAISE 2 GIRLS ALONE IS REALLY HARD WORK**  
PHONE, FOOD, JOB, POWER

**GARDENING, BUDGETING, COOKING, SHARING LIFE SKILLS**  
ADULTS CAN TALK, BUT KIDS SAY they need to PLAY Joy ability to be a child

**IT'S HARD TO THINK LONG TERM WHEN YOU'RE JUST TRYING TO PUT KAI ON THE TABLE**

**BRING HELP TO THE FAMILIES INSTEAD OF PARENTS CHASING HELP!**

**AN ADULT THAT CARES FOR EACH & EVERY KID**

**HOW DO WE MAKE CHILD POVERTY THE FLOOR - NOT THE CEILING**

**FOR BETTER Wellbeing WE NEED TO KNOW THE SERVICES THAT ARE AVAILABLE. PUT THEIR HANDS UP**

**STRESS IS \$20 OF PETROL TO VISIT 5 DIFF. SERVICES**

**MEANINGFUL PURPOSEFUL RELATIONSHIPS**

**WHAT CAN WE DO TO SUPPORT PARENTS & CAREGIVERS**

**DOING WELL**

**WORK + INCOME Just treat people as HUMAN**

**WHEN FOOD WAS LOW WE WENT DIVING ME + MY OLDEST DAUGHTER**

**I learned HOW TO SPENT \$6.50**

**STRUGGLING FALLING OFF THE EDGE**

**MOVING PEOPLE ALONG THE CONTINUUM**

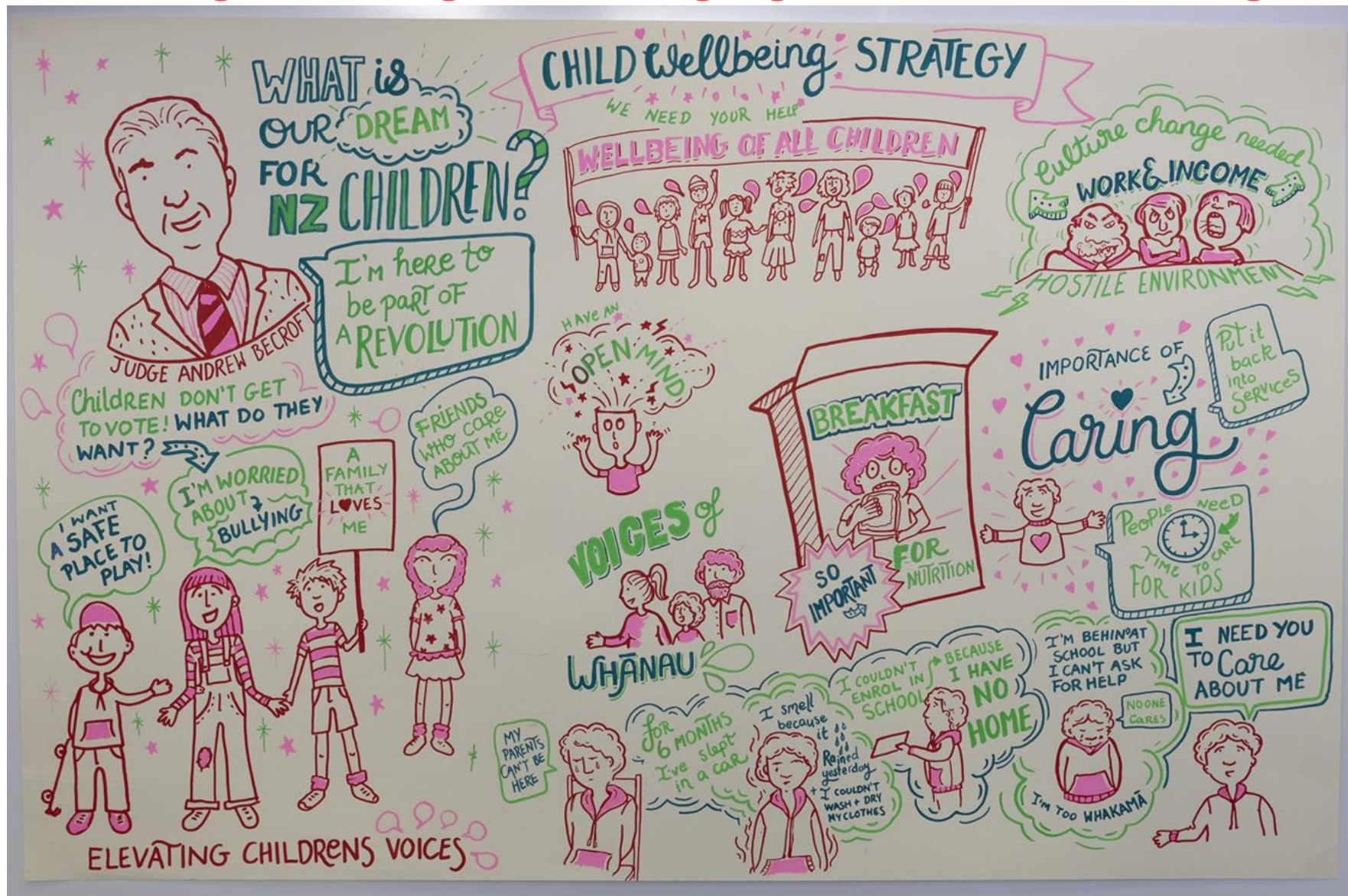


**COMMUNITIES ARE CREATED BY**

- Value Home** - PEOPLE STAYING AT HOME TO MIND CHILDREN & CREATE COHESIVE COMMUNITIES
- CONVENTION ON THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD**
- NO SENSE OF HOPE FOR THE FUTURE** - Let's Change that
- SOCIAL ENTERPRISE**
- DON'T GIVE A KID A FISH - TEACH THEM HOW TO FISH**
- STRENGTH OF WHĀNAU** IS WHAT MAKES THE DIFFERENCE
- COMMUNITIES KNOW** HOW POVERTY IS AFFECTING THEM + WHAT THEY NEED TO FIX IT: THEY JUST NEED THE RESOURCES
- GIVE COMMUNITIES RESOURCES** - EG: FRUIT & VEG Co-OP, TIMEBANKS
- ADDRESS POVERTY**
- REDUCE STRESS** FOR FAMILIES REDUCE POVERTY
- ALTERNATIVE locally owned INFRASTRUCTURE**
- MAKE IT WORK FOR MĀORI**
- FUNDAMENTAL RESTRUCTURE OF DISTRIBUTION**
- LOAN COMMUNITY HUBS** - REACH PEOPLE, WHY CAN'T SERVICES
- SAFE INCLUSIVE SPACES** - BREAKFAST CLUB
- Value** - PEOPLE STAYING AT HOME TO MIND CHILDREN & CREATE COHESIVE COMMUNITIES
- TRUCK STOPS**
- STUDENT LOAN**
- GOVT.**
- LOAN SHARKS**
- FAMILY DEBT**
- AFFORDABLE WARM DRY HOUSING**
- MANY OF OUR WHĀNAU ARE IN THE SAME PLACE THEY WERE IN THE 80's**
- SEND IT AWAY**
- HONOUR YOUR PARENTS**

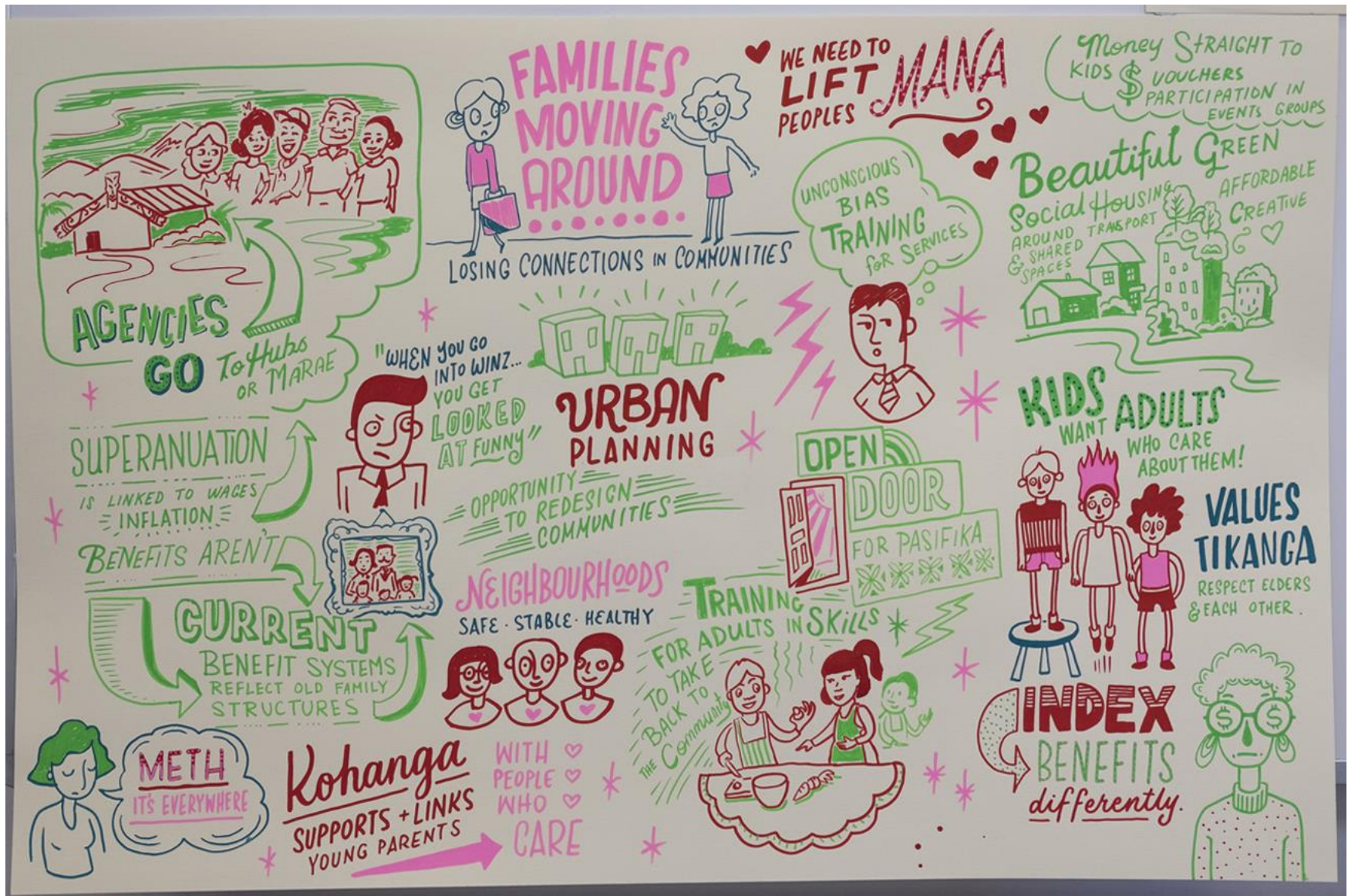


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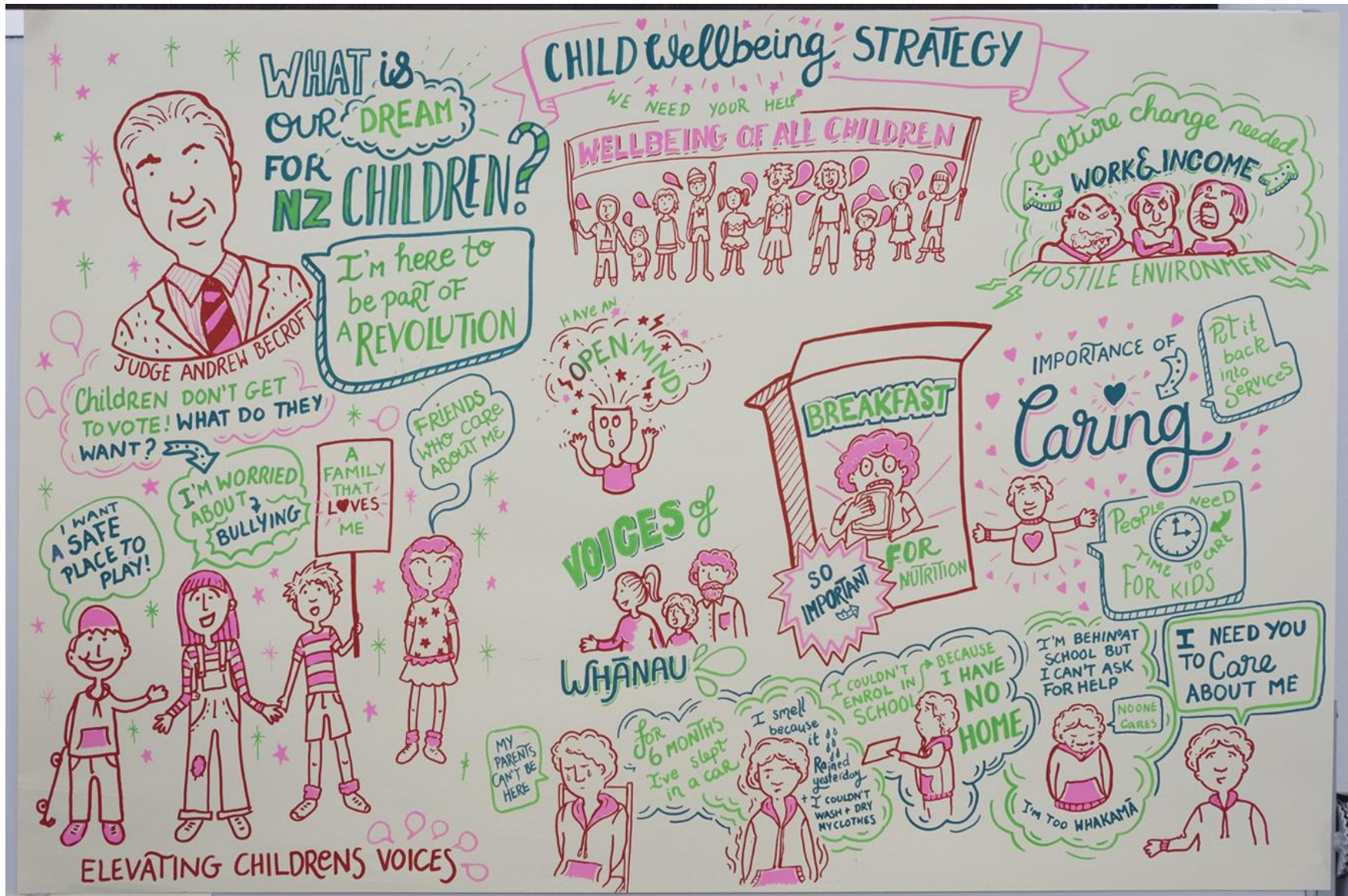


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