



Whitianga Waka Ama



## HAURAKI SUMMER SERIES 2020

RACE 2 - Cooks Beach

7 March 2020

Hosted by Whitianga Waka Ama

**Venue:** Cooks Beach, Mercury Bay

**Distance:** Novice/Junior W6 and W1/W2 8km, Senior W6 15km

**Type:** W1/W2/W6

**Divisions:** Men/Women/Mixed/Novice/Junior

**Cost:** Online Entry \$20 per senior, **\$25 to enter on day** \$15 per junior (one fee even if racing multiple times)

**IMPORTANT REMINDER:** Any races sanctioned by our national body requires that all paddlers are registered online before race day. We have been advised that this is a requirement and not a choice.

Because of this ANY ENTRIES made on the day will;

1) be \$25 per adult. (Online entry \$20)

2) require that you verify paddlers affiliation to Waka Ama NZ by producing your Waka Ama NZ ID at rego on race day. If we are unable to verify your affiliation you will not be able to race.

Race 1 8km : Novice/Junior W6, all W1/W2

Race 2 15km : Women/Mixed W6

Race 3 15km : Men W6

### Event Schedule:

8.30am Registration

9.15am Karakia

9.30am Race 1 briefing

10.00am Race 1 start

11.30am Race 2 briefing

12.00pm Race 2 start

1.30pm Race 3 briefing

2.00pm Race 3 start

**How to enter:**

Your club rep can enter you online, **this is our preferred option for safety**. once entry is in please make payments to:

Whitianga Waka Ama 02 0496 0127653 000

Please use your team name, race number and division as reference

**Hauraki Summer Series Events:**

1ST. Sat 22 Feb

Te Whanau Waka Ama O Whangamata - Whangamata

2ND. Sat 7 Mar

Whitianga Community Waka Ama - Cooks Beach

Te Āputa Tira Hoe - Te Puru

3RD. Sat 14 Mar

Hauraki Waka Ama - Waihi

4TH. Sat 4 Apr

Te Āputa Tira Hoe - Te Puru

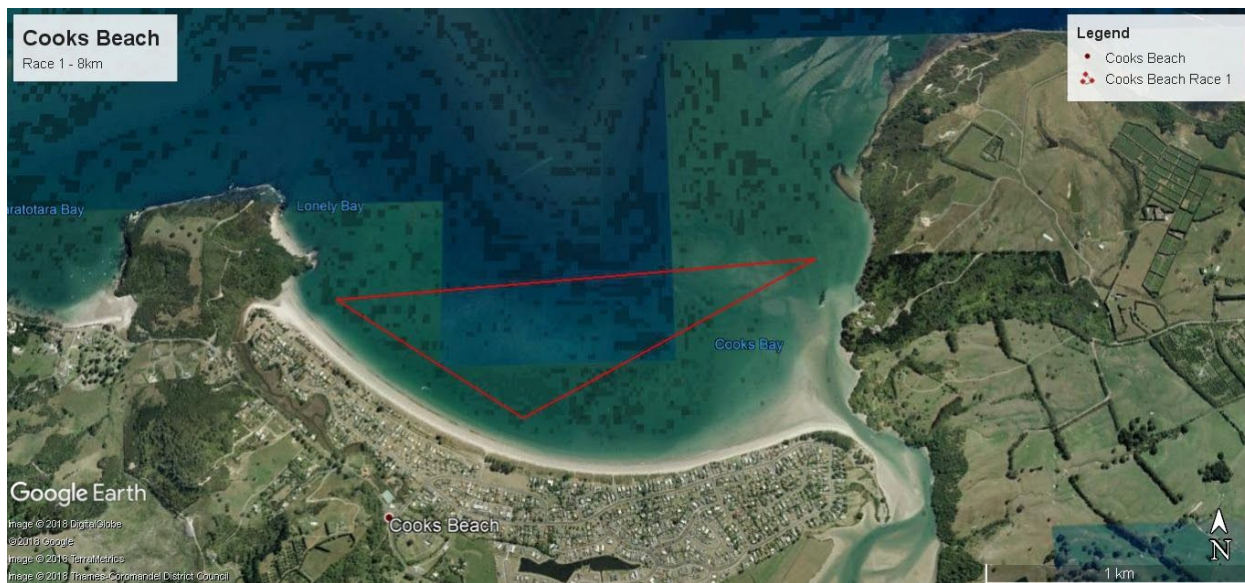
**Series Points System:**

1st 4 pts, 2nd - 3 points, 3rd - 2 points, 4th+ - 1 point

Teams have to participate in a minimum of 3 events to be eligible for series points.

Teams must race **under the same team name and same division** for all events to accumulate points. Series prizegiving will be hosted by Te Āputa Tira Hoe at the conclusion of the 4th event.

## Race Course: Race 1 8km - go around course twice



## Race Course: Races 2 & 3 16km - loop, go around course twice



### Tides:

High 05:52 1.96 m

Low 11:59 0.69 m

### Safety Equipment:

The following equipment must be carried by all waka and will be checked before racing

- 1 life jacket per paddler (must fit correctly)
- 2 bailers all W6 and 1 bailer for any non self draining W1/W2
- 2 spare paddles W6 and 1 spare paddle W1/W2
- Spray skirts - may not be required depending on conditions
- Cell phone or VHF Radio
- **High Vis gear** (shirt/hat or flag to assist visibility)