



# Hauraki Series Race 4 – Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> September 2020

# Hosted by: Te Āputa Tira Hoe

Venue: Te Puru, Thames Coast
Distance: Novice/Junior 8km- Senior 16km
Type: W1, W2, W3, W4, W6
Divisions: Men/Women/Mixed/Novice/Junior/Secondary school

#### Cost:

\$20 per senior paddler \$15 per junior paddler. (One fee even if racing multiple times.)

Race 1: All W1/W2/W3/W4 as well as Novice & Junior 8km (Staggered Starts) Race 2: All 16km W6

#### Tides

High Tide: 8.55am Low Tide: 2.54pm

#### Event Schedule: Saturday 5th September

Time	Race
7am	Rego Open
8.30	Race 1 Brief
8.45am	Race 1 Start for W1, W2, W3 W4
9am	Race 1a Start for W6 Junior and Novice
	Race
10:00am	Race 2 Brief
10:45am	Race 2 Start
12.30pm	Race Prize Giving & Medal Presentation

#### How to enter:

Your club Rep can enter all waka ama entries online.

#### Payment:

Once entry is in please make Payment to: Te Aputa Tira Waka 38 9016 0618893 000. Please use your team name, race number and division as reference.





# COVID 19 SAFETY KORERO for LEVEL 1

We want to ensure that we keep ourselves and all of our whānau safe. Please read this so you are aware of the expectations and practices we will be using for the event.

- If you or any of your paddlers or whanau are unwell or showing symptoms of a cold or flu please stay at home and do not come to the race. If unwell paddlers or whanau do come to the event, we will be asking them to leave the race venue.
- We will have sanitising stations available for use and will be promoting their use throughout the event.
- For any support whānau who attend the race, we will have a "check in" sheet available. Support whānau attending must "check in."

These "check in" sheets will be located:

- at the registration desk
- We will also have a couple of "check in sheets" floating around with our event crew during the event. SUPPORT WHANAU will need to sign the "check in sheet."
- Paddlers will be checked in via their team waivers and the registration process

### **Series Points System**

 $1^{st}$  Place – 4 points  $2^{nd}$  Place – 3 Points  $3^{rd}$  Place – 2 Points  $4^{th}$  + = 1 Point

## **RULES FOR POINTS**

Teams have to participate in a <u>minimum of 3 events</u> to be eligible for series points. Teams **MUST** race under the <u>same team name</u> and the <u>same age division</u> for <u>all events</u> <u>to accumulate points.</u>

Series prizegiving will hosted by Te Aputa Tira Hoe at the conclusion of the 4<sup>th</sup> Event





# Race Course Maps



#### Back up Race course:

The course can be altered to suit conditions should weather be rough. There are 2 alternative courses for each race.

## **Cancellation:**

- Novice/Junior Race will be cancelled if winds are above 25knots
- Mens and Womens W6 Race will be cancelled in gale force conditions or where wind speed reaches over 30 knots.





# SAFETY CHECK EQUIPMENT

## **Compulsory Equipment:**

The following equipment must be carried by all waka and will be checked at gear check

- ✓ 1 life jacket per paddler (must fit correctly)
- ✓ 2 bailers W6
- ✓ 2 Spare paddle W6/ 1 spare paddle W1,W2
- ✓ 25m Tow rope W6
- ✓ Spray skirt may not be required depending on conditions
- ✓ High Vis Gear (Shirt/Hat or Flag to assist with visibility)

#### Recommended

- 1. Cell phone in waterproof bag
- 2. VHF Radio