

# OMOKOROA DASH 2020 PAANUI



<b>Host Club</b>	Tauranga Moana Outrigger Canoe Club – <a href="http://www.tmooc.co.nz">www.tmooc.co.nz</a>	
<b>Date:</b>	Saturday 29 <sup>th</sup> February 2020	
<b>Race Fee:</b>	<p>\$20.00 per paddler for 10km Races (covers all races – 2 x 10km and 1 x 5km)          \$5.00 per paddler for 5km Race only.          Each paddler only pays one fee (<i>if doing both races it is the higher of the two</i>)</p>	
<b>Registration</b>	<p>W1 / W2 – <b>Register Intent by 15<sup>th</sup> February 2020</b>          Race Registrations taken on the day only.</p>	
<b>Venue:</b>	Omokoroa Domain, Omokoroa, Bay of Plenty	
<b>Directions:</b>	From SH1 into Omokoroa Road, towards the end of the point approx. 5km, turn left into Harbour View Road, continue to the northern end of the Omokoroa Domain. Directional signage will be visible from Harbour View Road.	
<b>Parking:</b>	<p><b>NOTE ALL VEHICLES -</b> Please do not park cars, or trailers in the main carparks around the shop and boat ramp. All waka parking will be within the designated parking area within the reserve, accessed off Harbour View Road.</p>	
<b>Facilities:</b>	Toilets, a shop, cafe and playground at the Domain. It's perfect for a family day out. Bring chairs, blankets and have. Want to stay a night? There is a campground nearby too.	
<b>Food:</b>	Free Sausage sizzle will be available for all paddlers	
<b>Programme:</b>	Saturday 29 <sup>th</sup> February 2019	Low Tide: 6.34am      High Tide: 12.50pm
9.30am	Registration   Safety Checks	
10.30am	Karakia   Race Briefing	
11.00am	Race 1 – W6 Women & Mixed	10km – 1st Wave
11.05am	Race 1 – W1 / W2 / Surf Ski – Men & Mixed	10km – 2 <sup>nd</sup> Wave
12.50pm	Race 2 – W6 Junior, Novice and Whanau	5km – 1st Wave
12.55pm	Race 2 – W1 Junior – Men and Women	5km – 2 <sup>nd</sup> Wave
1.40pm	Race 3 – W1 / W2 / Surf Ski – Women & Mixed	10km – 1st Wave
1.50pm	Race 3 – W6 Men and Mixed	10km – 2 <sup>nd</sup> Wave
3.00pm	Finish	

**Note:** Mixed can race in either of the 10km W6 races | Junior = J16 and J19

## RACE RULES

- W6 canoes must have 2 bailers and 6 lifejackets and 1 spare paddle.
- W1 / W2 canoes must have 1 bailer (for sit in canoes), 1 x lifejacket per person and 1 spare paddle.
- All waka will have to pass a safety check and be marked before racing. Any boats not marked will not be permitted to race. (Refer to NKOA Rules for safety equipment requirements). NOTE: Buoyancy Aids/Tubes do NOT constitute a lifejacket.
- Junior Teams constitute actual J16 and J19 crews (Intermediate crews and below are not eligible). Must be a minimum of 12 years of age.
- All W6 Canoes must have a towrope fitted to the canoe. The rope must be at least 12mm diameter and a minimum length of 25 metres.
- All boats must have spray skirt available on the day. Race organiser's reserve the right to make spray skirts compulsory if required.
- The Race Organisers have the discretion to cancel the race, refuse entry to crews for any reason related to safety of participants.
- All steerers and team captains must attend the race briefing.
- Should a waka require assistance during the race, the paddler in No.3 seat must hold their paddle up vertically so that an official rescue boat or any passing waka can render assistance.
- In all races W1/W2 must give way to W6. The lead canoe will have right of way.
- On-coming waka and craft must approach 'port to port' or ama to ama'.
- Competitors should dress appropriately for the conditions (including cooler conditions if required - wet suits/ polypropylenes recommended)
- The Race Director and his/her officials have absolute control of the event. They have the discretion to withdraw any competitor or waka which in their opinion is or will be endangering his/her or others safety.
- Race organisers will arrange official support boats, which will be marked with orange flags.

**Novice** Novice paddlers are considered to be first time members, friends, partners etc. Novice races will commence if weather conditions are suitable.

**Whanau** The Whanau Race is for members of the same family to compete together for a **fun 5km race**. Family members must be related or living in the same household. Yes bring some of the young ones too (lifejackets must be worn for J16 below).

**Race Fee:** \$20.00 per paddler for 10km Race  
\$5.00 per paddler for 5km Race  
Each paddler only pays one fee (if doing both races it is the higher of the two)

**Notification:** In the event of poor weather conditions, please phone 07 5703261 or 0274 399936 and check the answer phone for an update on any possible changes or cancellations.

**W1 / W2 REGISTER INTENT TO RACE BY EMAIL:  
[tmoccnz@gmail.com](mailto:tmoccnz@gmail.com) by 15<sup>TH</sup> February 2020  
REGISTRATIONS & PAYMENT ON THE DAY**

**Contact** Rebecca Ryder  
Ph:0274 399936  
Alex Ryder  
Ph: 0210 787 328  
**Email:** [tmoccnz@gmail.com](mailto:tmoccnz@gmail.com)

# RACE 1 = 1<sup>st</sup> Wave WOMEN & MIXED W6 REGISTRATION FORM

Club Name: .....

Team Name: .....

Contact Person: .....

Phone number: .....

Please **Circle** the Category Your Team wishes To Enter

Open Women

Master Women

Senior/Golden Master Women

Open Mixed

Master Mixed

Senior/Golden Master Mixed

*Mixed crews please indicate which of the two races your crew will be racing in.  
Race (excludes Junior Mixed).*

## Paddlers' Names:

1) ..... 4) .....

2) ..... 5) .....

3) ..... 6) .....

## COMPLETE WAIVER FOR ALL PADDLERS ON THE REVERSE SIDE OF THIS ENTRY FORM

Signed:

Team Captain.....

Club Official.....

Date: 29/02/2020

# RACE 1 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Wave W1/W2/W3 MEN & MIXED REGISTRATION FORM

Club Name: .....

Name: .....

Contact Person: .....

Phone number: .....

Please **Circle** the Category Your Team wishes To Enter

Open Men

Master Men

Senior/Golden Master Men

Open Mixed

Master Mixed

Senior/Golden Master Mixed

*Mixed crews please indicate which of the two races your crew will be racing in.  
Race (excludes Junior Mixed).*

## Paddlers' Names:

1) ..... 4) .....

2) ..... 5) .....

3) ..... 6) .....

## COMPLETE WAIVER FOR ALL PADDLERS ON THE REVERSE SIDE OF THIS ENTRY FORM

Signed:

Team Captain.....

Club Official.....

Date: 29/02/2020

**RACE 2 – 1<sup>st</sup> Wave**  
**W6 JUNIOR/NOVICE/WHANAU RACE**  
**REGISTRATION FORM**

**Club Name:** .....

**Team Name:** .....

**Contact Person:** .....

**Phone number:** .....

Please **Circle** the Category Your Team wishes To Enter

Junior Men (5km)

Junior Women (5km)

Junior Mixed (5km)

Novice (5km)

Whanau

**Paddlers' Names:**

1) ..... 4) .....

2) ..... 5) .....

3) ..... 6) .....

**COMPLETE WAIVER FOR ALL PADDLERS ON THE  
REVERSE SIDE OF THIS ENTRY FORM**

Signed:

Team Captain.....

Club Official.....

Date: 29/02/2020

**RACE 2 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Wave  
W1JUNIOR  
REGISTRATION FORM**

**Club Name:** .....

**Team Name:** .....

**Contact Person:** .....

**Phone number:** .....

Please **Circle** the Category Your Team wishes To Enter

Junior Men (5km)

Junior Women (5km)

Junior Mixed (5km)

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**Paddlers' Names:**

1) .....

**COMPLETE WAIVER FOR ALL PADDLERS ON THE  
REVERSE SIDE OF THIS ENTRY FORM**

Signed:

Team Captain.....

Club Official.....

Date: 29/02/2020

**RACE 3 – 1<sup>st</sup> Wave  
MEN & MIXED  
W6 REGISTRATION FORM**

**Club Name:** .....

**Team Name:** .....

**Contact Person:** .....

**Phone number:** .....

Please **Circle** the Category Your Team wishes To Enter

Open Men

Master Men

Senior/Golden Master Men

Open Mixed

Master/Senior Mixed

Senior/Golden Master Mixed

*Mixed crews please indicate which of the two races your crew will be racing in.  
Race (excludes Junior Mixed).*

**Paddlers' Names:**

1) ..... 4) .....

2) ..... 5) .....

3) ..... 6) .....

**COMPLETE WAIVER FOR ALL PADDLERS ON THE  
REVERSE SIDE OF THIS ENTRY FORM**

Signed:

Team Captain.....

Club Official.....

Date: 29/02/2020

**RACE 3 – 2<sup>nd</sup> Wave  
W1/W2/W3 WOMEN & MIXED  
REGISTRATION FORM**

**Club Name:** .....

**Name:** .....

**Contact Person:** .....

**Phone number:** .....

Please **Circle** the Category Your Team wishes To Enter

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|------------|--------------|----------------------------|
| Open Women | Master Women | Senior/Golden Master Women |
| Open Mixed | Master Mixed | Senior/Golden Master Mixed |

*Mixed crews please indicate which of the two races your crew will be racing in.  
Race (excludes Junior Mixed).*

**Paddlers' Names:**

- |          |          |
|----------|----------|
| 1) ..... | 4) ..... |
| 2) ..... | 5) ..... |
| 3) ..... | 6) ..... |

**COMPLETE WAIVER FOR ALL PADDLERS ON THE  
REVERSE SIDE OF THIS ENTRY FORM**

Signed:

Team Captain.....

Club Official.....

Date: 29/02/2020



**WAKA AMA NEW ZEALAND  
EVENT WAIVER and AUTHORITY FORM**

**I declare that:**

1. My accepted entry will not be transferred to another entrant.
2. In the event of any “act of God” conditions causing a cancellation of the event, my total entry fee is not transferable or refundable.
3. I acknowledge that there are risks involved with Waka Ama and fully realise the dangers of participating in an event such as this and fully assume the risks associated with such participation and my wellbeing during the event.
4. I understand and agree that situations may arise during the event, which may be beyond the immediate control of officials or organisers, and I must continually participate in a manner that does not endanger either myself or others.
5. Neither the organisers, the sponsors nor other parties associated with the event shall have any responsibility, financial or otherwise, for any risk incident that might arise, whether or not by negligence, from any direct or indirect loss, injury or death that might be sustained by me or any other party directly or indirectly associated with me, from my intended or actual participation in the event or its related activities.
6. I authorise my name, voice, picture and information on this entry form to be used without payment to me in any broadcast, telecast, promotion, advertising, or any other way pursuant to the Privacy Act 1993.
7. I agree to comply with the rules, regulations and event instructions of the (*name of event*).
8. I consent to receiving medical treatment which may be advisable in the event of illness or injuries suffered during the event.
9. I confirm that I can swim 50 Metres/OR if I cannot swim 50 Metres I will wear a PFD during the race

Full Name	Date of Birth	Signature	<i>If Competitor is under 18 the Waiver must be signed by Parent or guardian:</i>	Parent / Guardian Signature

Date: 9/02/2019

## THE RACE:

The Race will start from the Omokoroa Domain Beach, adjacent to the Omokoroa Boat Ramp. The race will be a deep water start facing north in the channel. Canoes will travel directly up the channel toward Matakana Island. Then head along Matakana Island turning left on your ama at the yellow buoy your team will collect an orange block from the beach off Rangiwaea Island. You will then return along the same course keeping all approaching waka to your **ama side**.

**Junior / Novice teams / Whanau** will line up in the BEACH and head towards Motuhua Island along the channel and turn around a yellow buoy. They will do an Ama turn and return to the Omokoroa beach recording their time with their runner's number. No blocks are collected on this race.

W6 crews ONLY - Return the block to the timekeeper to log finish time. The numbered paddler to show/ their number at finish line to the time keepers.

## CHECKLIST

- ✓ 1 lifejacket per paddler
- ✓ Spray Skirt available (all waka except W1/W2 sit on top)
- ✓ Tow rope of 12 mm diameter x 25m long affixed to the waka (W6 Only)
- ✓ 2 x bailers W6 / 1x bailer W1/W2
- ✓ Spare paddle/s



Omokoroa Domain

OMOKOROA BEACH

Omokoroa

Motuhoa Island

Omokoroa Golf Club

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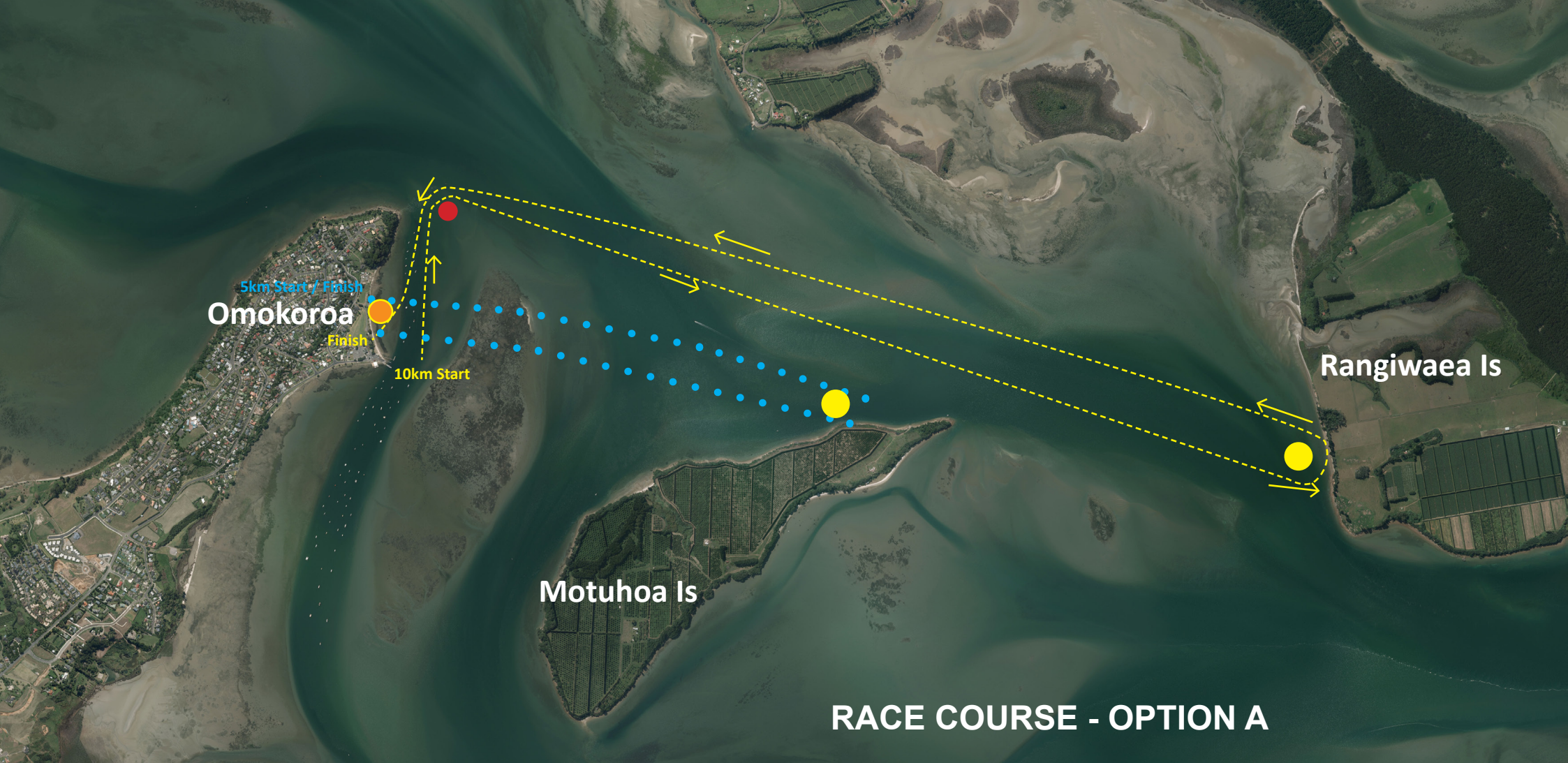
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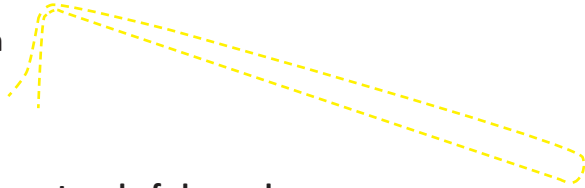
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Omokoroa Dash Outrigger Canoe Event  
Plan of Event Set Up Area**



## RACE COURSE - OPTION A

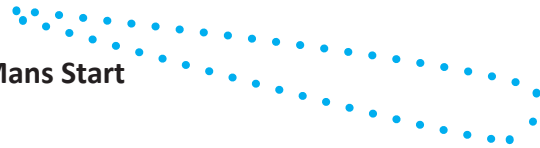
### 10km Course

1. Line up in channel facing north
2. Start on flags
3. Avoid moored boats
4. Avoid Ferry
5. Turn right at Red Channel marker at end of channel
6. Head east to Rangiwaia Island
7. Turn left around Yellow bouy - leaving it on your ama side
8. Pick up block from beach (beach should be on right hand side of canoe)
9. Return along same course - leaving all approaching waka on your ama side.
10. Finish at beach at bouy- run to timekeepers on beach



### 5km Course

1. Line up on BEACH for LeMans Start
2. Start on flags
3. Avoid moored boats
4. Avoid Ferry
5. Head straight across channel to northern end of Motuhora Is
6. AMA turn around Big Yellow Bouy
7. Return along same course - leaving all approaching waka on your ama side.
8. Finish at beach by Bouy- run to timekeepers on beach





## RACE COURSE - OPTION B

### 10km Course

1. Line up in channel facing north
2. Start on flags
3. Avoid moored boats
4. Avoid Ferry
5. Turn right at Red Channel marker at end of channel
6. Head east to Rangiwaea Island
7. Turn left around Yellow bouy - leaving it on your ama side
8. Pick up block from beach (beach should be on right hand side of canoe)
9. Return along same course - leaving all approaching waka on your ama side.
10. Finish at beach at bouy-- run to timekeepers on beach



### 5km Course

1. Line up in channel facing north
2. Start on flags
3. Avoid moored boats
4. Avoid Ferry
5. Head straight along channel due north to Big Yellow Bouy
6. AMA turn around Big Yellow Bouy
7. Return along same course - leaving all approaching waka on your ama side.
8. Finish at beach - run to timekeepers on beach

