



Mokotahi Hoe 2020

Hosted by Adventure Wairoa Incorporated

Saturday 21st March 2020

Low tide at 10.37 am

High tide at 4.43pm

Location: Mokotahi, Te Mahia. Mahia Peninsula

**6a.m. Arrive, Rigging,
Registration opens at 7am**

Karakia 7.30am

Race briefing 21 km 8am

**Race start 21 km 8.30am
Start with one paddler on the beach**

Race briefing 10 km 10.30 am

**Race start 10km 11.00am
Start with one paddler on the beach**

Race Briefing W12 5km sprint 12.30pm

**Race Start W12 5k sprint 1pm
Start with one paddler on the beach**

For all races, one runner finishes between the flags on the beach

Prizegiving 2.00pm or 20 mins after last waka arrives



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Safety Check List

This equipment is required for your safety, cheating the safety checks only endangers you and/or your crew. Any waka found racing without required equipment will be disqualified.

Required Safety Equipment

W6 1 x Cellphone in Waterproof Bag, or 1 x Flare.

2 x spare paddles per W6. 2 x bailers per W6.

1 x 25 - 30m Tow Rope attached to Waka.

Sprayskirts are compulsory for W6.

Waka must carry one lifejacket or personal flotation device (PDF) for every person on board (Junior 16yrs must wear jackets during race).

Waiver form - please print, read and sign the waiver form to hand in to registration on the morning before your race.

Entry Fees

W6 10km race \$90 per waka/\$15 per paddler

W6 21km race \$150 per waka/\$25 per paddler

W12 5km race \$60 per waka/\$5 per paddler

Please pay your entry fee to:

CJ Stockman 03-0785-0486636-002 and reference your crew.

Send an email to stockman.mohaka@hotmail.com to confirm your deposit and races you have entered. You will receive a confirmation email.

Waka Hire

If you are racing the 21k and then the W12, let us know if you want to hire your waka for the 10k race to another crew while you wait. We will advertise it and connect you up.

Prizes: first waka in for the 10km and the 21km race will receive their entry fee back. In the event of a draw the prize money will be shared between the waka who arrive first.

Spot Prizes: will be drawn at the prizegiving, approx. 2.00pm

Please note that if you wish to paddle in all races, all race fees will apply.



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Accommodation

If you wish to take the opportunity to stay and explore Te Mahia, Svamr Creswell, at the **Mahia Beach Motels and Holiday Park** (06 837 5830) has offered paddlers discount of 15% off for a one night stay and 20% discount off for two nights or more. Check them out at this link: <https://mahiaholidaypark.nz/>

Local highlights

One of our spot prizes is a team pass into the Morere Hot Pools. Those travelling from the north of Te Mahia will pass by the pools. Don't forget to stop in on your way home and soak away the paddling fatigue. <http://morerehotsprings.co.nz/>

While you are in Te Mahia, if you climb to the top of Mokotahi, you will get a spectacular view of the race and the coast line. The Department of Conservation has recently restored and renewed the track to the top.

Nā Christina rāua ko Sonya



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