

TE POU HERENGA WAKA
AMA INC.

GEORGE POMANA

Memorial Regatta

2021



He mihi maioha ki a koutou katoa. Nau mai, haere mai ki te tautoko te kaupapa o te rā nei, kia whakanui tā tātou RANGATIRA a George Pomana me tōna aroha mō Waka Ama.

It is through the initiative of FAI VA'A that we are inspired to continue hosting this event to celebrate our RANGATIRA. To acknowledge George's passion for Waka Ama and his tireless work with many youth in our community over the years. FAI VA'A has generously donated a V1 Waka to be used at our discretion and will be drawn at prizegiving. See further in the pānui for more information.

Ngā mihi maioha ki a koe Matua Joe Bunton and FAI VA'A.

Event Details

Host Club	Te Pou Herenga Waka Ama Club Inc.	
Contact Person	Modesty Tautuhi	
Mobile	021 02817686	
Email	tepou.wakaama@gmail.com	
Entries	WANZ Online System - ONLY!	
Race Events	Race 1 - W1 8km	J16 J19 Men/Women
	Race 2 - W1 12-15km	Senior Women / Men ONLY!
	Race 3 - W6 10km	J16 J19 Men/Women/Mixed (Race dependant on entries)
Paddler Fees	Juniors	\$5 per event (\$10 for both events)
	Seniors	\$20
	Registration includes kai pack at conclusion of race/s	

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COVID-19

**ALL PARTICIPANTS, ORGANISERS AND
SPECTATORS MUST CHECK-IN AT ADMIN**

**IF YOU HAVE BEEN UNWELL
PLEASE STAY HOME**

Race Programme		LT: 08:20 (1.0m) HT: 14:30 (3.4m)		
8.30am	Registrations open			
9:30am	Mihi whakatau			
10:00am	Safety Boat Briefing			<u>Race Start</u>
10:15am	Race 1 Briefing and Safety Checks	J16 / J19 Girls & Boys	10:45am	
11:15am	Race 2 Briefing and Safety Checks	Senior women/men	11:45am	
1:00pm	Race 3 Briefing and Safety Checks	J16 / J19 Girls & boys	1:15pm	
3:00pm	Prizegiving			
	V1 prize draw			

Site Instructions

Waka Drop Off/Rigging/Trailer Parking

Hazard Road carpark for all waka drop off and trailer parking. The Traffic Management team will be there to guide you.

General Parking

Parking is available around the neighbouring street. Our neighbours are expecting you in the community. Be considerate and park safely. You can walk to the event location by following the arrows from Greers and Beihlers Roads.

Registration

The Registration tent will be situated on the boat ramp reserve. Check In upon arrival and submit your team waiver forms.

All competitors, volunteers, spectators and organisers will have to sign-in on the day as part of our COVID-19 contact tracing procedures.

Mihi Whakatau

Please assemble on the reserve by the Registration tent to start promptly at 9am.

Kai Mo Te Rā

Paddler Kai

All paddlers will receive a kai pack included with Race registration. They can be collected at the conclusion of your race/s.

Limited kai packs will be available for purchase on the day for \$7 each. Orders will be taken at Registration/Admin tent on the day.

Nā te kai, ka whakapiki te oranga, ā, ka ora ai te iwi.

W6 / W1 Waka

Clubs / teams / individuals - will need to provide their own waka and safety equipment for this event.

Disclaimer - TPHWA will not be liable for any damage incurred to waka through the duration of the event. Should the conditions and resources permit, waka may be towed or retrieved by TPHWA safety team if required. In all other circumstances (Coastguard or whomever) will be contacted immediately.

Safety Checks

All safety checks need to be completed 15 mins prior to racing. Checkers will be in high viz jackets. The Checkers will complete a safety check of all waka for each event and will distribute a Waka Number upon completion.

Race Courses

Race 1 - W1 J16 | J19 8km



Race 2 - W1 Seniors (Women) 10-12km



Race 2 - W1 Seniors (Men) 15km



Race 3 - W6 J16|J19 10km



Alt. race course



****Race courses can be altered on the day at the discretion of the Race Director and dependant on weather conditions****

Results

All results will be posted on the day and emailed to WANZ for uploading to the event page.

Prizegiving

Prizegiving will follow soon after the completion of Race 3

The George Pomana Memorial Taonga will be awarded to the club or team that epitomise the values of waka ama - Manaakitanga, Whanaungatanga, Hauora, Tū Tangata, Wairuatanga. Certificates, medals and spot prizes will be awarded for placing and participation.

FAI VA'A V1 Waka

Our sincere gratitude to FAI VA'A for their sponsorship of a V1 waka for our event. The Club has decided to randomly draw a lucky Junior paddler (inclusive of Te Pou Herenga Waka Junior club members) who registers and competes in an event at the regatta. A Junior is defined as a J16 or J19 paddler. The winner must be present at prizegiving and claim the prize promptly. We will redraw until a winner claims the prize.

We look forward to sharing this regatta with you.

Nā te whānau o Te Pou Herenga Waka Ama Club

