Nau mai, haere mai ki

Matariki on Mokotūāraro (Clive River) Heretaunga Matariki 2023

Race Venue:

Ngaruroro Mokotūāraro (Clive River) Hawkes Bay – at the Hawkes Bay Rowing Club off Farndon Road, Clive, Hastings

Date:

Saturday 22 July 2023

This year we are excited to include **W1, W2 and W3** paddlers to the event once more!

Please take note of our start times – as we are reliant on the tide for good paddling water we will have to stick to our schedule and begin races ON TIME

As always you will be well fed with complimentary delicious food on the day – homemade soup and Andy's gourmet burgers! Vegetarian burgers available also (please bring a cup with you for soup)

REGISTRATION:

\$120 Adult W6 \$60 Junior (19yrs and under) W6 \$15 Adult W1, W2, W3 **OR** \$10 if also paddling in a W6 crew

Course:

W6

• 10 km: Junior and Novice

• 15 km: Senior (Men, Women and Mixed)

W1, W2, W3

• 7/8 km Senior (Men, Women)

PROGRAMME/HŌTAKA

	Ruruku waka / lash waka	
6.30am	Registrations and waka checks	
7.00am	Welcome / Open karakia	
7.15am	RACE 1 briefing	
7.30am	RACE 1 START	
	W6 Juniors / Novice 10km	
	W1 – W2 – W3 Men / Women 7km	
8.45am	RACE 2 briefing	
9.00am	RACE 2 START	
	W6 Women / Mixed 15km	
10.30	RACE 3 briefing	
10.45	RACE 3 START	
	W6 Men 15km	
12.30	Prizegiving, karakia, whakawātea / pack up	

IN ADDENDUM/HE KÖRERO TĀPIRI

Safety Waiver

The Waiver MUST BE SIGNED BY EACH CREW MEMBER.

ALL steerers MUST attend race briefing. This is an essential part of a paddler/team's safety check, so non-attendance means that a paddler/team will not be allowed to race.

Junior/novice paddlers

- Junior: 13-19 years of age, paddling in J16 or J19 division
- All paddlers must wear a PFD when racing.
- In the spirit of fair competition the novice race is intended for new-ish paddlers to compete with other new-ish paddlers. Apart from one or two experienced/competitive paddler/s, who can provide steering and general support, please respect the kaupapa of this race

HOW TO ENTER AND MAKE PAYMENT

Contact your Club Representative to register your team online

Entries are online ONLY

IT IS PREFERRED THAT PAYMENT IS MADE AS A TEAM: Payments can be made (with Team Name as reference) to HERETAUNGA WAKA AMA 03 0642 0845726 00

Please make TEAM payments, not individual payments please

Checklist:

W6 Waka	W1, W2, W3
2 spare paddles	PDF
6 PFDs	Bailer
• 2 bailers	
 25m tow rope (secured to taumanu) 	
 Spray skirt (UNLIKELY TO BE REQUIRED) 	

Enquiries:

Race Director: Gaylene Moore Email: gaylene.twa.ecc@gmail.com

How to find the venue:

From Napier – travel south on SH1 towards Clive. Just before the Clive bridge turn right onto Farndon Rd. Drive past the swimming pool and Rugby clubrooms – look for driveway on left marked Hawkes Bay Rowing Club.