

Elite J19 Men World Sprint Championship 2024

Selection Plan and Process Outline

Elite J19 Men Sprint Coach: Paddy Rimene

Manager: Kath Rimene - Albrett

INTENT PROCESS:

Anyone who meets the Eligibility Criteria may trial.

Paddlers wishing to trial and be considered for the squad and ultimately the team should complete the attached Intent form and return it to Waka Ama NZ worlds@wakaama.co.nz no later than **10th January 2024**.

Please note: the coaches of the campaign are entitled to invite paddlers to be part of the trial process, should you be contacted by the coaches directly they will inform you of your invitation to take part and will require that you confirm your acceptance of the invitation and attendance at the trial.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA:

To be considered for the J19 Men's team athletes must:

- Be male
- Be a current or affiliated Waka Ama New Zealand member
- Be a New Zealand Citizen or have resided in New Zealand for 6 months or longer at the time of the event.
- Be at least 14 in the year of competition
- Be endorsed by their club, Intent form must be signed by Club Rep.
- Be committed to the process and attend all required trainings.
- Communicate with the Coaching/Management in a timely fashion
- Meet all financial obligations
- Be the best you can be and train for performance.
- Adhere to the Waka Ama New Zealand Code of Conduct
<https://www.wakaama.co.nz/pages/read/1004720>

SELECTION CRITERIA:

The coach will be looking for physical, technical and leadership abilities in combination with athlete commitment and attitude. The Waka Ama NZ Performance Advisory Committee along with the CEO of WANZ will oversee this campaign including selections and planning.

Paddler selections must fit into at least two of the following categories:

- Outstanding Individual performance e.g. OC1 results, individual fitness etc
- Individual/s qualities and attributes e.g. leadership, seat combination
- Seat specific attributes e.g. Steerer/Seat 1
- Value added by individual to crew combination.
- Part of the selection criteria for trials will also include V1 or OC1 and W6 water testing skills and techniques and land base consisting of aerobic testing eg running, strength testing

Note: At any time throughout the selection period, paddlers can be bought into the squad until final team is named.

TIME FRAMES AND KEY DATES

Dates	Description	Location	Required
10 January 2023	J19 Mens Intents Close		
14-20 January 2024	National Sprint Championships 2024 Club V1 Sprint Nationals finalist invited to trails	Karāpiro	
30th March 2024 Easter weekend	Trail 1 FULL DAY <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Off water testing – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Strength – Cardio ○ 1” push – pull- core, beep test ● Water Testing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ W1 – Time Trial ○ W6 – Blend/ Combinations 	Auckland	Own V1, Travel & Accommodation
13 April 2024	Aito Aotearoa	Tāmaki Makaurau	
14 April 2024	Trial 2 FULL DAY <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Off water testing – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Strength – Cardio ○ 1” push – pull- core, beep test ● Water Testing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ W1 – Time Trial ○ W6 – Blend/ Combinations 	Tāmaki Makaurau	Own V1, Travel & Accommodation
11-12 May 2024	Trial 3 - FULL 2 DAYS <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ● Off water testing – <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ Strength – Cardio ○ 1” push – pull- core, beep test ● Water Testing <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ○ W1 – Time Trial ○ W6 – Blend/ Combinations ○ W6 – Time trials 	Whakaoriori	Own V1, Travel & Accommodation
20 May 2024	NZ Elite J19 Men’s team named		
1-3 June 2024	Joint Worlds Training Camp	Lake Karāpiro	
15-16 June 2024	Training Camp 1	Tāmaki Makaurau	Own V1
29-30 June 2024	Training Camp 2	Whakaoriori	
13-14 July 2024	Training Camp 3	Hamilton/ Karāpiro	Own V1

26-27 July 2024	Training Camp 4	Tāmaki Makaurau	Own V1
13-24 August 2024	IVF World Sprint Championship	Hilo	
<p>Please note: During the Pre-Selection, any accommodation, travel and Kai should be co-ordinated directly by individuals. Post selection this will be done via management.</p> <p>Note: Travel for camps is the responsibility of individual paddlers. Accommodation will be organised through the manager for the team.</p>			

COSTS:

In an effort to provide you with as much financial information as possible we have attached below a best estimate breakdown of the cost per paddler.

Note: There may be additional costs for training camps for resources IE: Canoe hire, Support Boats.

PER PADDLER COSTINGS FOR IVF WORLD SPRINT CHAMPIONSHIP 2024

		Per paddler (NZ Dollars)
Return airfare to Hawaii (Ex Auckland)		\$2100
Accommodation at event <i>Based on 7 nights</i>		\$1500
Food at event		\$500
Transport at event		\$290
Travel Insurance (<i>Estimate awaiting group quote</i>)		\$300
Total		\$4690
Waka Ama NZ Contribution per paddler		-\$500
Total Estimated cost per paddler		\$4190
<i>Entry fee per paddler</i>	<i>Covered by Waka Ama</i>	<i>\$150 US (\$250NZ approx.)</i>

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Please Note:

- Airfares will be booked by Waka Ama New Zealand
- Accommodation will be booked by Waka Ama New Zealand
- Airfares are all ex-Auckland (paddlers will need to arrange connecting flights or transport to and from Auckland)
- Paddlers who withdraw from the team after airfares have been confirmed will not receive a refund for the airfare cost.
- *Payments can be made by credit card.*