

# WAITANGI DAY REGATTA

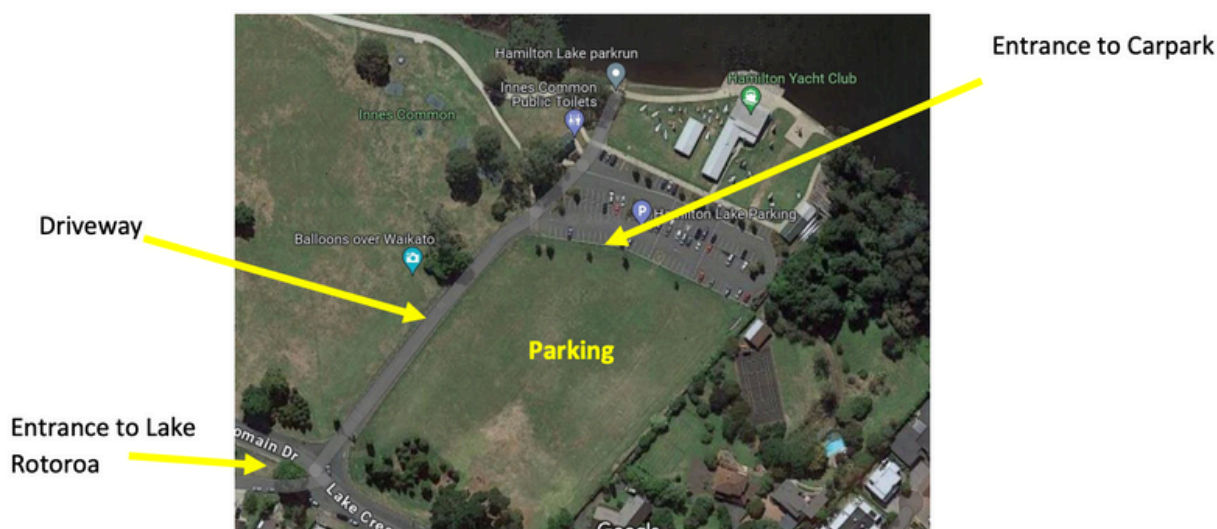
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### PĀNUI #1 FRIDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2026

| EVENT SCHEDULE |                        |   |
|----------------|------------------------|---|
| 7:00am         | Registration           | Registration desk to the left of the Yacht Club |
| 7:15am         | Karakia                |   |
| 7:30am         | Race & Safety Briefing | At the front of the Yacht Club                  |
| 8:00am         | Races Start            |   |
| 4:30pm         | Races Finish           |   |
| 5:00pm         | Karakia                |   |

### RACE DAY INFORMATION



There will be a Parking Warden directing cars to the carpark between 6-8am. If you arrive after this please follow the directions to park on the field.

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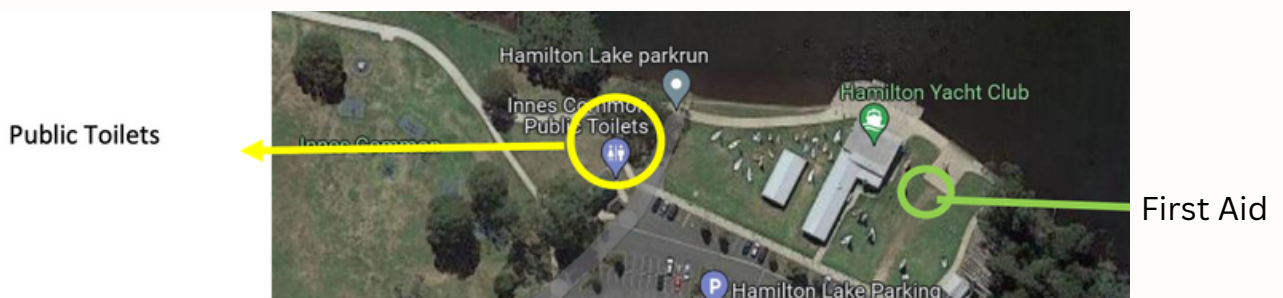


### STALLS:



We have a number of stall holders setting up in the area shown on the map above. Some of them will have access to Eftpos terminals, however the majority of them will be cash based. The nearest money machine will be at Frankton, City Centre or Dinsdale Shopping Mall.

### TOILETS:



Public Toilets are located to the left of the Yacht Club and Portaloos will be near by.

### FIRST AID:

First Aid will be available at the tent to the right of the Yacht Club indicated by the green circle in the map.

### RUBBISH/RECYCLING:

We encourage you to please take what you bring. However, there will be rubbish bins for both rubbish and recycling situated around the venue. Please ensure you dispose of your rubbish in the correct bins.

### ALCOHOL FREE, SMOKEFREE, VAPE FREE:

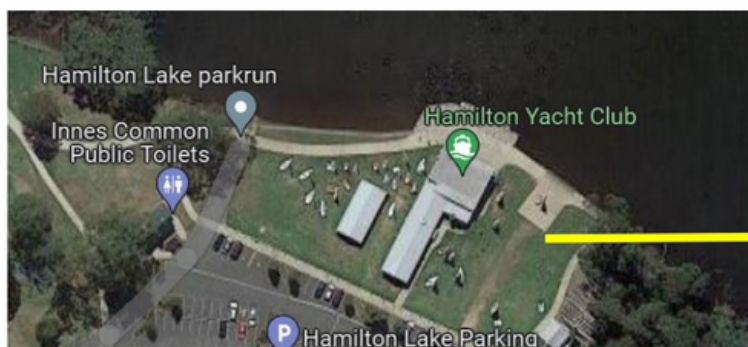
Alcohol, smoking, vaping and any other substance use is not permitted at this event, including all premises of the event. If you wish to vape or smoke please go to the entrance to the event.

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### WAKA DROP OFF: W1



- Waka drop off will be available from 6.00am on the event day
- Waka drop off will be on the right hand side of the Yacht club and will be clearly signed.

### RACE RULES:

All entrants must be familiar with the Waka Ama New Zealand race and safety rules. Refer to the following link for more information: [Waka Ama NZ Race Rules](#)

### AGE DIVISIONS/RACE EVENTS:

| WAKA      | DISTANCE | DIVISION  | GENDER       |
|-----------|----------|---|--------------|
| W1        | 500m     | Intermediates, Juniors, Opens, Masters, Senior Master, Golden Masters and above | Men & Women  |
| W6        | 250m     | Taitamariki   | Boys & Girls |
| W6        | 500m     | Intermediates, Juniors, Opens, Masters, Senior Master, Golden Masters and above | Men & Women  |
| W6        | 1000m    | Juniors, Opens, Masters, Senior Master, Golden Masters and above                | Men & Women  |
| Corporate | 250m     | Corporate Races- minimum 2 women  | Mixed        |

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### FEES:

Fees for this event are per team and by age division. It is preferable that the fees are deposited into the Te Toki Waka Ama bank account, however if you do have cash on the day this can be paid at the registration desk.

Teams will not be able to take the water until their funds have been received.

If you require a receipt please email the club [wakaama@tetoki.org](mailto:wakaama@tetoki.org)

Once entered, Te Toki Waka Ama will invoice you with the total payment for your team/s.

| AGE DIVISION           | COST             |
|------------------------|------------------|
| Taitamariki            | \$60 per team    |
| Intermediates          | \$60 per team    |
| Juniors-Golden Masters | \$90 per team    |
| W1 paddler             | \$10 per paddler |

### PAYMENT:

Payment can be made to:

Te Toki Voyaging Trust  
12-3122-0176411-00

Please reference: WaitangiRegatta and your club name

### SAFETY REQUIREMENTS:

All waka will be provided and have a Safety Check completed by Te Toki Waka Ama.

- All taitamariki and intermediate age divisions must wear life jackets. Races will not be held back for those without, so please ensure you have enough for all your teams.
- All corporate teams must wear life jackets.

### HEALTH WARNING:

- We are encouraging whānau to wash or sanitize their hands before eating and to have a shower on your return home.
- We are encouraging whānau to wash your paddles at the end of the day in the shower by the toilets.

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### INDIVIDUAL & TEAM WAIVERS:

- Individual and Team waivers must be completed by all paddlers/teams
- All paddlers U18 must have their waiver signed by their parent/guardian
  - Waivers can be sent to [tetokiwakaama@gmail.com](mailto:tetokiwakaama@gmail.com) or handed in at the registration desk on the day.
  - Individual & Team waivers can be found here on the WANZ website under the sanctioned TTVT Waitangi Regatta

### RACE INFORMATION:



★ 250m start line for Taitamariki, Corporate & 250m turning buoy.

★ 500m start line

★ 500m & 1000m turns start and finish line

### CLOSING DATES:

- Entries close: **midnight Monday February 2nd**
- Rosters close: **midnight Tuesday February 3rd**
- **NO late entries accepted on the day.**



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### VENUE MAP:

Clubs will be able to set up their club tents along the waterfront in between the Yacht Club and the Playground and in front of the playground. We will ensure you can hear the race calls from where you are set up.



### CONTACT INFORMATION:

- All enquiries please email: [wakaama@tetoki.org](mailto:wakaama@tetoki.org)
- All urgent matters please call:

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