



# TE WAKA POUNAMU

OUTRIGGER CANOE CLUB • OTAUTAHİ • AOTEAROA

## WHAKARAUPÖ

LYTTELTON WAKA AMA OCEAN  
CHALLENGE RACE

2017

2<sup>nd</sup> Panui

## REGISTRATION PACK

**Venue:** Naval Point, Lyttelton, Christchurch

**Date:** Fri 17<sup>th</sup> & Sat 18<sup>th</sup> March

**Distances:** 5km, 10km, 20km

Te Waka Pounamu Outrigger Canoe Club would like to invite you to compete in the Whakaraupō Ocean Challenge. This year the races will be held on **Friday 17<sup>th</sup> March & Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> March 2017**. The race venue is at the Naval Point Yacht Club, Lyttelton Harbour. The prize giving and kai will be held after the last race. This is the first year that we will run the singles and doubles on the Friday evening.

A provisional race programme is outlined. This is open to change depending on entries. Waiver form also provided below. All paddlers must sign the entry form to confirm they have read and agree to the waiver.

All questions can be directed to [tewakapounamu01@gmail.co.nz](mailto:tewakapounamu01@gmail.co.nz)

**ENTRIES CLOSE on Saturday 11<sup>th</sup> March, paddlers confirmed by Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> March**

**ENTRY FEE:** \$40 per paddler and Rangatahi \$20 (includes a meal – additional food tickets available at \$20 per person)

**Payment Options:**

*1. Direct Credit*

'Te Waka Pounamu Outrigger Canoe Club' SBS: **03 1355 0801178 00**

Include, Club, Team name as a Reference, then email details to : [tewakapounaum01@gmail.com](mailto:tewakapounaum01@gmail.com)

*Please send completed entry and waiver forms by email.*

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## RACE INFORMATION

### Friday 17<sup>th</sup> March OC1/V1, OC2 (10km)

3.30pm	Registrations open & Safety checks begin
3.30pm	Registrations for W6 races on Saturday open
4.40pm	Race Briefing
5.00pm	Race Start

### Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> March

8.00 am	Registrations open - Waka Strapped/saftey checks
8.30 am	Karakia

#### **RACE 1: Novice & Rangatahi W6, (5km or 10km)**

8.35 am	Race Briefing
9.00 am	Race Start

#### **RACE 2: Women's W6, Mixed W6 (20 km)**

10.15 am	Safety Checks
10.30 am	Race Briefing
10.45 am	Race Start

#### **RACE 3: Men's W6 (20 km)**

1.30 pm	Safety Checks
1.45 pm	Race Briefing
2.00 pm	Race Start

6.00pm	Prize Giving
6.30pm	Kai

## RACE RULES

- ❖ **ENTRY FEES:** \$40 per paddler, which includes a kai after the last marathon. Teams must be registered and have paid the full fee prior to racing day.
- ❖ **WEATHER:** Races will be postponed to Saturday/Sunday if weather is an issue.
- ❖ **GENERAL:** Standard Ngā Kaihoe Rules apply, except where otherwise indicated.
- ❖ **WAKA:** Clubs are asked to provide and transport own waka to the venue or make arrangements to use another clubs. Spray skirts will be optional unless advised by race director due to weather conditions.
- ❖ **SAFETY EQUIPMENT:** All waka should be fitted with 2 bailers, tow rope. It is Lyttelton Harbour's by-laws that one MSA approved life jacket must be carried onboard all waka for each crew member (6 in total). At least 1 spare paddle must be strapped to kiato.
- ❖ **DRESS:** Appropriate clothing must be worn, as weather conditions can change dramatically. Polypropylenes are recommended.
- ❖ **SAFETY:** The race officials have control over the events. They have the discretion to withdraw any competitor or waka, which in their opinion is or will be endangering their own safety or the safety of others.

- ❖ **SAFETY BOATS:** Naval Point will be providing support waka. If conditions change during the race, the support waka will inform waka on the water to head directly back to Naval Point Yacht Club.
- ❖ **ASSISTANCE:** Should a waka require assistance during the race, paddlers must hold their paddle up so the support waka or any passing waka can render assistance.
- ❖ **MIXED CREW:** Will consist of a minimum of three women for W6 events.
- ❖ **RAKATAHI AND NOVICE CREW:** All entries in these categories must include an experienced steerer and may have one other experienced paddler who meets the criteria stated above. NOVICE paddlers must be at least 17 years old and RAKATAHI paddlers must be 14-16 years old. RAKATAHI paddlers must wear MSA approved life jackets.

## ENTRY FORM

Club Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Team Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Contact Person: \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

### EVENTS:

(Please tick the categories you wish to enter)

<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>W6 Open Men</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>W6 Novice Men</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>V1 Men</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>W2 Men</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>W6 Open Women</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>W6 Novice Women</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>V1 Women</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>W2 Women</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>W6 Open Mixed</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>W6 Novice Mixed</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>W1 Men</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>W2 Mixed</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>W6 Master Men</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>W6 Master Women</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>W1 Women</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>W3</b>
<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>W6 Masters Mixed</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>	<b>W6 Rakatahi</b>	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>	

### PADDLERS NAMES:

(Please enter the names of crew members for the team entered in a category above)

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## WAIVER FORM

Name of Club \_\_\_\_\_

Crew Name \_\_\_\_\_

Event Category          Te Waka Pounamu Whakaraupo Ocean Challenge 2017

These are the terms and conditions for participation in the Whakaraupö Ocean Challenge.

We, the above participants agree to abide by the rules in the Ngä Kaihoe o Aotearoa rulebook and accept that risks of injury or damage to property and person may arise from participation in the Whakaraupö Ocean Challenge and agree that Te Waka Pounamu and their appointed officials will not be liable or held responsible whatsoever for any injury, loss, damage or expense suffered or incurred by any participant during the racing or in any other way in connection with the participation of that person as a team member in the marathon.

We also agree that the race organisers will have the final decision on withdrawing any entry due to inadequate experience and we understand that during the course of any races the race officials may withdraw a team if in the official's opinion it is considered that the crew is in danger or is likely to endanger others.

We agree to take responsibility for being dressed appropriately for the conditions and that we must be confident swimmers and be able to swim at least 50 metres. (If any crew members are not confident swimmers that crew member must wear a lifejacket at all times while competing).

We have read, understood and agree to the terms and conditions set out above, and as a condition of and in consideration for the entry and participation in the race we hereby (i) agree to abide by the race rules, (ii) accept and agree to be bound by and observe the terms and conditions set out above and (iii) waive any claim I may otherwise have against Te Waka Pounamu and their officials in respect of any injury, loss, damage or expense suffered or incurred by any participant during the racing or in any other way in connection with the participation of that person as a team member in the marathon.

Paddlers Signatures:

1. \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_

3. \_\_\_\_\_

4. \_\_\_\_\_

5. \_\_\_\_\_

6. \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

**PLEASE COMPLETE AND RETURN WITH ENTRY FORM**

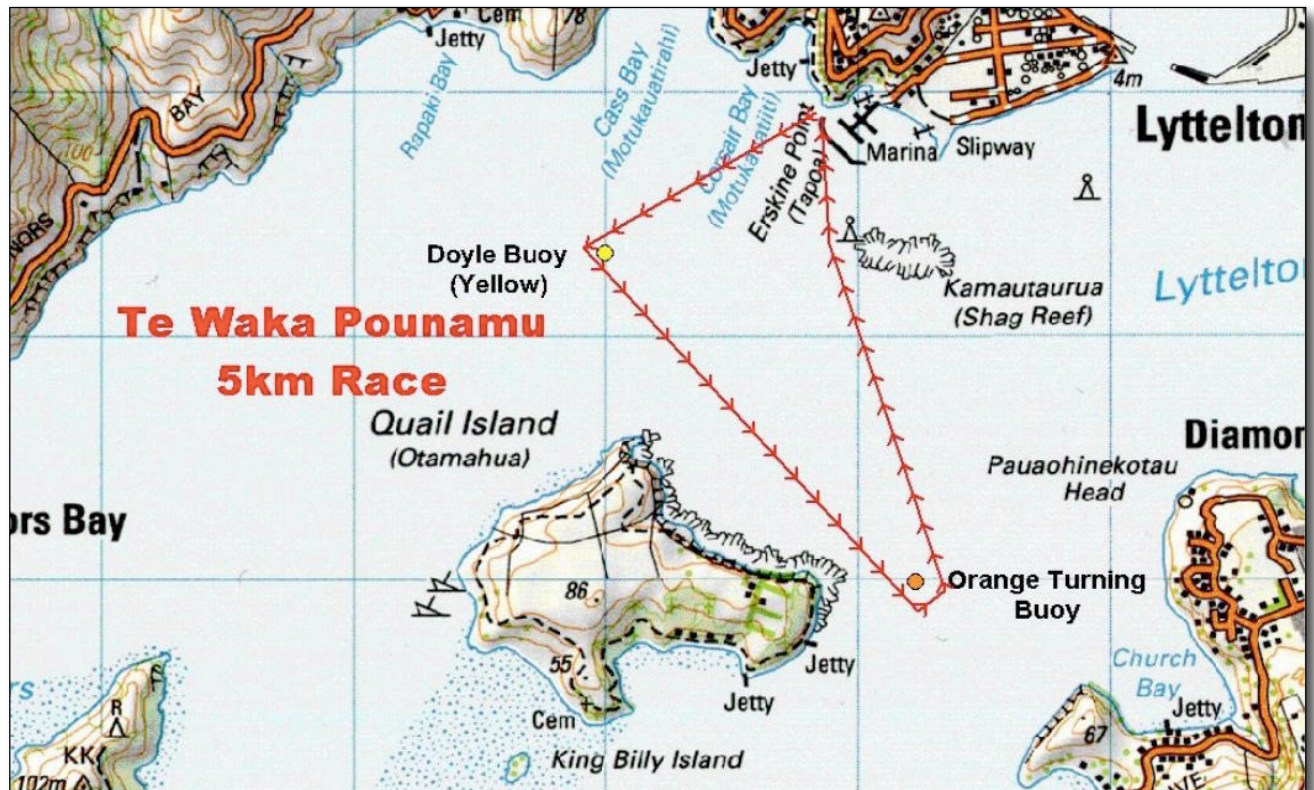


## COURSE MAPS (May change according to weather)

### V1/OC1 & OC2 & W3 Races (Friday night)



### Novice/Rangatahi / Singles / Doubles (Option of 1 or 2 laps)



## W6 Races

