



2018

Programme

Saturday 27th October 2018

High Tide: 9:53am Low tide: 3:55pm

8:30 am Karakia

8:35 am Unload, Rig Waka and safety checks for Race 1 and 2

9:00 am Race 1 Briefing (10KM)

• All Junior W6 Divisions.

• All W1/W2

• All W6 Novice (if conditions permit)

9:30 am Race 1 Le Mans Start

11:00 am Race 2 Briefing (18KM)

Open/Master/Snr Master/Gld Master Women W6

• Mixed W6

11.30am Race 2 Le Mans Start

Hot Soup on return

1:00 pm Safety Checks Race 3

1:30 pm Race 3 Briefing (18KM)

Open/Master Men/Snr Master/Gld Master W6

Mixed W6

1:45 pm Race 3 Le Mans Start

Hot Soup on return and prize giving

Please register on-line at the NKOA (Wakaama NZ) website to ensure that the organisers provide sufficient support vessels

REGISTRATIONS CLOSE WEDNESDAY 24th October, 2018 11.59PM

There will be no registration on the day

Entry Fees: Juniors (J19's only) \$20.00 Seniors \$25.00 (one fee even if racing multiple times)



Refer to Hoe Aroha Whanau O Mauao Face Book page for updated race information







Waiver Form Must be completed and signed

Tean	n/Individual e	Club	
Divis enter			
declar	e that:		
1.	My accepted entry will not be transferred to another entrant.		
2.	, , ,		
3.	ntry fee is not transferable or refundable. acknowledge that there are risks involved with Waka Ama and fully realise the dangers of participating in an		
3.	event such as this and fully assume the risks associated with such participation and my wellbeing during the event.		
4.	I understand and agree that situations may arise during the event, which may be beyond the immediate control of officials or organisers, and I must continually participate in a manner that does not endanger either myself or others.		
5.	Neither the organisers, the sponsors nor other parties associated with the event shall have any responsibility, financial or otherwise, for any risk incident that might arise, whether or not by negligence, from any direct or indirect loss, injury or death that might be sustained by me or any other party directly or indirectly associated with me, from my intended or actual participation in the event or its related activities.		
6.	I authorise my name, voice, picture and information on this entry form to be used without payment to me in any broadcast, telecast, promotion, advertising, or any other way pursuant to the Privacy Act 1993.		
7.	I agree to comply with the rules, regulations and event instructions of the Mauao Ocean Series 2018		
8.	I consent to receiving medical treatment which may be advisable in the event of illness or injuries suffered during the event.		
9.	I confirm that I can swim 50 Metres/OR if I cannot swim 50 Metres I will wear a PFD during the race		
	If Competitor is under 18 the Waiver m	ust be signed by Parent or gu	ardian. Please 🗸 if so.
	Paddlers full name	Signed	✓Parent/guardian signed





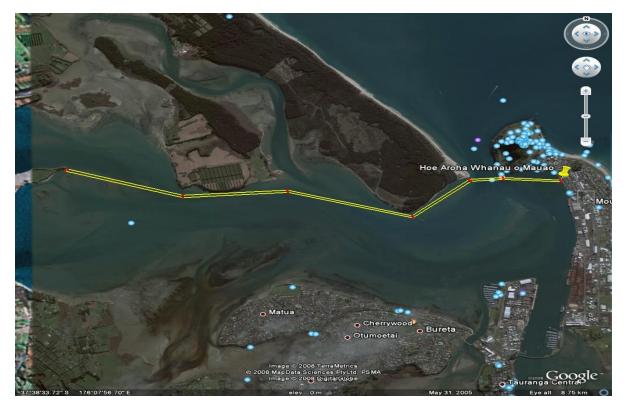
Option 1 - W6 Course - Pilot Bay to Omanu Surf Club return



Option 1 - W1/W2 and Junior Course - Pilot Bay to Motuotau return



Option 2 – W6 Course – Pilot Bay to Motuhoa Return



Option 2 – W1/W2 and Junior Course – Pilot Bay to Rangiwaea Return



Option 3 – W6 Course – Pilot Bay up Matakana Surf Side Return



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Safety Rules

All paddlers must comply with the NKOA safety rules and regulations as follows:

W6 Waka:

- must be of a seaworthy design and construction
- must carry adequate bailers (2)
- must carry one flotation device per paddler (6). Junior paddlers must wear their lifejackets during the race.
- must carry two spare paddles
- must be fitted with sprayskirts
- Kiato and Ama must be securely lashed. Extra lashings in case of repairs are
- necessary.
- must be fitted with a tow rope. One end must be securely fitted to the front taumanu with the rest either in a bag or fastened to the front taumanu

W1/W2 Waka:

- must be of a seaworthy design and construction
- Waka with cockpits must carry bailer and must be fitted with sprayskirts. Rudder optional but recommended for open water / rough water
- must carry one flare
- Must carry one flotation device per paddler.
- W1 and W2 Waka must carry one spare paddle
- All W1 and W2 waka must have leg ropes attached.

Paddlers / Crews:

- must be capable of handling their Waka in the expected conditions
- must be able to swim and be comfortable in the expected conditions
- must be trained in and capable of self rescue techniques e.g. righting a capsized Waka
- must have a degree of skill and fitness to enable them to finish the race in any conditions that might be expected
- must be dressed for the expected conditions

The Race Director has the right during the course of the race to withdraw any team, if in his/her opinion, it is considered that the crew is in danger or likely to be unable to complete the race.

Venue: Pilot Bay, Mt. Maunganui **Date**: Saturday 1st September 2018

Distance: 10/18km **Host**: Hoe Aroha Whanau o Mauao