

UPCOMING EVENTS

CLUB AGM & SIMON MELGREN MEMORIAL RACE – Sunday 30 June 2019

Race start: 10.00am (please arrive by 9.30 to register and be ready for start on time)

BBQ after the race

The AGM will get underway at around 11.30am.

KAYAK KRAZY 10KM SERIES 2019

The first of the three Waitemata Canoe & Multisport Club hosted races was held on Saturday 11 May – results and photos further down this newsletter.

This leaves us with two more races in the series; the next one is on the Whau River in Kelston. There is a boat ramp, a new pontoon, and also public toilets. Sean says it's a nice area and somewhere new to paddle.

Organiser: Sean Murphy 021 482 006

More info and online entries: CRNZ <http://www.canoeracing.org.nz/events/kayak>

Sunday 23 June from Archibald Park, Kelston (via Beaubank Rd)

<https://www.google.com/maps/place/Kelston,+Auckland/@-36.8968427,174.6679478,16.75z/data=!4m5!3m4!1s0x6d0d4114dd754841:0x500ef6143a2d4a0!8m2!3d-36.8983504!4d174.66434044>

Registration	9.30am
Briefing	10.00am
Tyros Start	10.25am
All others	11.00am
Entry fees	\$20 for U18 and over; \$10 for U16 and younger
Distances	Tyros 2-3km; U14/U16 5-6km; all other 10km

Sunday 4 August from the club, Taipari Strand, Te Atatu Peninsula

(1 week before the National 10km Champs at Rotorua)

Registration	7.30am
Briefing	8.15am
Tyros Start	8.30am
All others	9.15am
Entry fees	\$20 for U18 and over; \$10 for U16 and younger
Distances	Tyros 2-3km; U14/U16 5km; all other 10km

Other dates and North Island hosting clubs:

25 May	Whanganui		
9 June	BOP	7 July	Hawkes Bay
30 June	Mana	17 Aug	10km Champs Rotorua

MAUNGATAUTARI MISSION MULTISPORT RACE, CAMBRIDGE

26 May 2019

Info and entries: www.theboatshed.net.nz/maungatautari/

WHANGAMATA ADVENTURE & MULTISPORT RACES

10 August 2019 – entries are open now

Options include a 3, 6 or 12 hour adventure race; a Multisport race – kayak, run and MTB; or a 12km Trail run

Info and entries: <http://whangamataevents.co.nz/whangamata-adventure-race/>

MOTU CHALLENGE, OPOTIKI – 12 OCTOBER 2019

www.motuchallenge.co.nz

WAIKATO 100 – 2 NOVEMBER 2019

More info and to enter go to: <https://www.waikato100.kiwi/entry>

RODNEY COAST CHALLENGE – 17 NOVEMBER 2019

Info and entries: www.rcc.org.nz



**SUMMER
CHALLENGE**

WOMEN'S ADVENTURE RACE

SUMMER CHALLENGE – WOMEN'S ADVENTURE RACE

20-22 March 2020, Nelson

This notice is a bit early, but if you want to be in – and take advantage of the Early Bird entry fee – you need to act now. Apparently the last one (Autumn Challenge) sold out within a few days.

It's organised by **Jodie & Nathan Fa'avae**.

www.summerchallenge.c.nz

COAST to COAST 2020

It's sold out; "Not only did we sell out but our wait list is now longer than South Eyre Road! We have decided to shut off the wait list as we really do not want to give people false hope" says Glen Currie.

At the time of their newsletter (13.5.2019) there were only 50 places for the mountain run left – if you hurry might secure yourself a spot for the run.

CLUB MEMBERS AT THE RACES

KAYAK KRAZY 10KM, KARAPIRO

Held on 28 April 2019

Sean Murphy	51.45.1
Peter Lipscombe	54.33.8
Paul Fitchett	54.41.6
Bruce Stuart/Phill Exeter	54.56.3
Stephen Reece	56.52.9
John Nowak	59.17.6
Richard Couchman	1.11.54.9

THE MAURICE TRAPP GROUP NUGGET MULTISPORT FESTIVAL

Held at Waihi on Saturday 11 May 2019

Three club members did the full Nugget Multisport Race as individuals, including our newest member Maurie Abraham.

Vaughan Reed	2 nd in 40-49 division	4.03.51
Andy Franklin	8 th in 40-49 division	4.51.21
Maurie Abraham	4 th in 60+ division	6.01.09

If any club members raced as part of a team I am sorry you don't see your name here as the results show only the team names but not the individuals' names.

KAYAK KRAZY 10KM - WCMC

Held on 11 May 2019

Place	Bib 10km K1	Name	Distance	Time
1	7	Garth Spencer	10km	46:21.6
2	22	Jeremy Kuggeleijn	10km	46:34.9
3	26	Sean Murphy	10km	51:23.5
4	1	Phill Exeter	10km	51:24.9
5	11	Geoff Mould	10km	53:14.0
6	5	John Nowak	10km	54:32.6
7	2	D Stewart	10km	54:55.4
8	8	Thomas Mitchell	10km	1:00:01.6
9	18	Richard Couchman	10km	1:03:00.9
10	27	Peter Coxhead	10km	1:11:14.6
11	21	Kevin Sargent	10km	1:13:00.0

1	23	Danika Mowlem	10km	55:44.0
2	38	Alex Huffadine	10km	1:01:36.6
3	17	Erika Currie	10km	1:12:41.0
4	9	Rosemary Gatland	10km	1:15:39.9
		10km Ski		
1	77	Peter Lipscombe	10km	52:15.4
2	75	Paul Fitchett	10km	53:18.2
3	35	Stephen Reece	10km	56:06.5
4	39	Michael Famularo	10km	1:08:06.3
		Juniors Boys		
1	13	Jaden Collie	6km	37:21.0
		Junior Girls		
1	28	Amanda Coxhead	6km	42:27.0
		Tyro		
1	10	Hayley Coxhead	6km	43:45.2



From top, left to right: Garh, Jeremy, Sean/ Hayley & Amanda Coxland, Jaden Collie/ Paul, Peter/Erika, Alex, Danika/Go the 72s – Rosemary & Erika - sorry Kevin we missed you for this photo.

Photos Erika Currie

NZ CANOE MARATHON CHAMPIONSHIPS - Gisborne, 13 – 14 April 2019

In last issue (April 2019) we published the magnificent achievements of our club members that competed in this event. Now Peter Lipscombe kindly sent in the following photos he took.



From Top, left to right: Overall winner Andrew Mowlem/Glenn Gray and Sean Murphy/Simon McLarin (2 unknown/ Steve Reese/ Vaughan Reed/ Phill Exeter/ Paul Fitchett.

Thanks Peter, and sorry no one took a photo of you winning Gold in the 10km Ski division.

EVENTS CALENDAR

16-19 May 2019	Oceania & Australian Marathon Champs, Perth. W.A. https://marathon.paddle.org.au/#schedule
2 June 2019	3D Rotorua Multisport Festival, http://activeqt.co.nz/event/rotorua-multisport/
26 May 2019	Maungatautari Mission Multisport Race, www.theboatshed.net.nz/maungatautari/
9 June 2019	Kayak Crazy 10km Bay of Plenty
23 June 2019	WCMC Kayak Crazy 10k – on Whau River, Kelston
30 June 2019	WCMC AGM and Simon Melgren Memorial Race
30 June 2019	Kayak Crazy 10km Mana
7 July 2019	Kayak Crazy 10km Hawkes Bay
4 Aug 2019	Kayak Crazy 10km Arawa
4 Aug 2019	Kayak Crazy 10k, WCMC – from Club
10 Aug 2019	Whangamata Adventure Race, http://whangamataevents.co.nz/whangamata-adventure-race/
17 Aug 2019	10km Championships Rotorua
29-30 Aug 2019	Szeged 19 IFC Canoe Sprint Masters World Champs http://szeged2019.hu/masters
28 Sept 2019	Grade 2 practice, Hingaia Bridge, Pahurehure
5-6 Oct 2019	Grade 2 Mohaka River training
19 Oct 2019	Motu Challenge, Opotiki www.motuchallenge.co.nz
19 Oct 2019	Rakaia Salmon Run www.thesalmonrun.nz
2 Nov 2019	Waikato 100, https://www.waikato100.kiwi/entry
14 Nov 2019	Lake Taupo Cycle Race
17 Nov 2019	Rodney Coast Challenge www.rcc.org.nz
14 Dec 2019	Rasdex Classic River Race, 30 th anniversary

High Tides

Wed 22 May 2019	22.17/3.3m
Sat 25 May 2019	12.04/2.9m
Wed 29 May 2019	15.27/2.7m
Sat 1 June 2019	05.31/3.0m
Wed 5 June 2019	21.06/3.4m
Sat 8 June 2019	11.11/3.3m
Wed 12 June 2019	15.02/3.1m
Sat 15 June 2019	05.19./3.2m
Wed 19 June 2019	21.09/3.3m
Sat 22 June 2019	10.50/3.0m
Wed 26 June 2019	13.47/2.8m
Sat 29 June 2019	03.57/2.9m
Sun 30 June 2019	04.49/2.9m

Grade 2 training weekend - Mohaka River

5 – 6 October 2019; Hayden Pirie is organising a trip to the Mohaka River with Ian Mercer for Grade 2 practice/certification. Attendees must be current club members at the time. Limited space, so register your interest on Facebook now: <https://www.facebook.com/groups/waitematacanoeandmultisportclub/>

28 September 2019; Hayden is also organising the Grade 2 training at the Hingaia Bridge, Pahurehure. 11.00am. Same as above, register your interest on the club's Facebook page.

NEW MEMBERS

A warm welcome to: **Lisa Pirie, Jamie Moxon, Maurie Abraham**

Looking forward to seeing you all at the club for training, racing and at the club nights.

Want to keep up with the latest? Join us on Facebook

If you have not yet joined the club's Facebook group, please make a member request to be added – it's the best way to keep up to date with what's going on, last minute changes, and who is doing what and when. For example, if someone posts about doing a river trip it may be your opportunity to join in and get some extra training or put your Grade 2 paddling skills to the test.

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/waitematacanoeandmultisportclub/>

CLUB NOTIFICATIONS

Club Kayak Training

Wednesdays is Club night, **start time is 5.30pm** from now until re-start of daylight saving. **You will need lights for paddling in the dark!**

There usually is a 6km race but this may vary depending on tide.

Saturdays: 8:00am sharp – join a keen group for a good and varied workout. Maybe go for coffee and chat afterwards at a local café. All welcome.

Don't forget to check Facebook for changes, additions and short-notice training changes.

2018/19 MEMBERSHIP & RACK FEES

Individual Membership	\$150	for rest of club year to 30 June now	\$75
Family:	\$200	"	" \$100
Junior (under 18 at 1 June)	\$80	"	" \$40
Rack Fee (kayak storage)	\$150	"	" \$75

Please see website for Membership form and Bank Account/payment details www.wcmc.org.nz/membership

RULES FOR USE OF CLUB BOATS

- Use from the Club (on Henderson Creek) is free. For use elsewhere a per day hire charge applies and must be booked and paid in advance.
- Please treat club kayaks and gear as you would treat your own – or better.
- Please return all club kayaks to their corresponding racks, and club paddles and buoyancy vests to far wall.
- Please do not sit in kayaks when making adjustments while they're on cradles - it will damage them
- Kayaks and surf skis with under-boat rudders require extra care – no sitting in them while on grass, ramp, or gravel – and don't run them up onto mud or sandbanks at low tides. Use pontoon for getting in and out of.

- Daily Hire away from the Club is \$50 per day, with the inclusion of buoyancy aid, paddle and spray deck, though we encourage you to have your own to ensure a good fit.
 - Fibreglass boats must NOT be taken on rocky rivers.
 - Club boats that have an under-boat rudder must NOT be used on Grade 1 or Grade 2 rivers
 - Please report any damage to kayaks or accessories so that arrangement for repairs can be made.
- ❖ To help you select a kayak appropriate for your skill level, please refer to the club boat chart on the club gear wall, or the folder on the club room bench.
- ❖ Boats with the stability rating 1 are the tippiest; the higher the number the more stable.

Hire Rules for club boats

- You must fill out the online form here: <http://wcmc.org.nz/club-info/kayak-hire> or contact the Club President – Vaughan Reed 021 612 753 (this is important to avoid double booking - even for club events.)
- Pay online for the hire before you take the boat and accessories.
- Return all gear promptly after use.
- Report any damage so that it can be fixed and returned back into use
- Air bags are the hirers' responsibility

CLUB EXECUTIVES 2018/2019

President	Vaughan Reed	021 612 753
Vice President	Andrew Mowlem	
Treasurer	Sean Murphy	
Club Captain	John Nowak, with Richard Couchman assisting	
Secretary/Admin	Erika Currie	027 4345946
Multisport	Hayden Pirie	
RIB Manager	Terry Newsome	021 0748485
Email	club@wcmc.org.nz	

New Members: please contact any of the Executive for general information or assistance on club matters.

SUBMARINES

Stephen Reece



Had an unintentional swim lately? Don't forget to tell the club administrator: erika.currie@xtra.co.nz