

Hawke's Bay Rowing Club Inc.

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Hawke's Bay Cup Regatta

January 3rd and 4th 2014 Clive River

Start Time 3:00pm on the 3^{rd} (twilight racing on the 3^{rd}) 7:30am on the 4^{th}

The final races of the second day will be a series of shootout races over 250 metres. There will be a Mens Single, Womens Single, Mixed Double, Quad, and Eight. Athletes can be in only one race for the shootout as the races are so quick fire there is no time to get athletes out in a second event. For the winner of each race the Hawke's Bay Rowing Club has put up **one hundred dollars (\$100) Prize Money**

The Regatta Programme will provide heats for all events on day one and finals on day two. Should any crew wish to attend one day only (i.e. heats day or finals day) this will be accepted. On the finals day however one-day competitors will be confined to remaining empty lanes after two-day competitors have been catered for.

Expressions of interest from adaptive athletes welcome and races will be organised according to interest.

Entry fees are \$3 per sliding seat plus GST

PAYMENT IS TO BE MADE TO THE ACCOUNT NUMBER PROVIDED BELOW BY CLOSE OF ENTRIES ON MONDAY 23 DECEMBER 2013 AT 10:00PM PLEASE

Bank: Westpac, Hastings. Name: Hawke's Bay Rowing Club Account number: 03-0642-0796960-01 Reference: please include the club name as reference.

Please send payment confirmation to: Hawke's Bay Rowing Club PO Box 17, Clive E-mail: hbrowingacc@gmail.com

Thank you!



CONDITIONS OF ENTRY

This is a Non-Status Regatta and is conducted under the current Rowing New Zealand Rules of Racing subject to the following Conditions



- 1. All crews and boats must comply with NZRA Safety requirements and specifications including those provisions included in the Rules of Racing
- 2. All crews to row in their club colours.
- 3. All competitors must hold a current NZRA Competition Licence.
- 4. The minimum weight for all coxswains is 55kg.
- 5. Races will be no less than 1800 metres for the general programme. The last races, on Saturday 4 January, will be a series of **Shootout races over 250 metres.**
- 6. There will be shootout races for: Mens Single, Womens Single, Mixed Double, Quad, and Eight. Athletes can be in only one race for the shootouts as the races are so quick fire there is no time to get athletes out in a second event.
- Racing will commence at 3:00pm on Friday 3 January making this a Twilight Event. Racing on the second day begins in the morning and will finish at approximately midday on Saturday 4 January. These times are to make best use of the tides.
- 8. Every effort will be made to maintain the published regatta programme, but the organising committee reserves the right to alter the schedule as deemed necessary.
- 9. Scratchings must be handed to the regatta secretary by 2pm day one and 7:30am day two.
- 10. All boats must be identified by a securely fixed bow number to indicate **lane number**.
- 11. Crews are to be positioned in the lanes shown in the programme or as allocated on the day.
- 12. Crews proceeding to the start must keep to the Clive Township side of the course.
- 13. Crews are to be at the Start Zone a minimum of five minutes prior to the scheduled Start time of their race. Crews late to the Start may be eliminated from the race.
- 14. No time allowance will be granted for a clash of events or boat use. Coaches must select the events to enter without relying on any time allowance.
- 15. All races will be started by horn. A second horn denotes a recall.
- 16. **Points** will be awarded for the Hawke's Bay Cup on the Basis of 3-2-1 for win-second-third.
- 17. **Prize money of \$100** has been put up by the Hawke's Bay Rowing Club for the winner of each shootout race.
- 18. **Entries** for the general programme **must be made online through www.rowit.co.nz** (but entries for the shootout sprints can be made online or at the venue on the day).
- 19. Entries will be taken from any Adaptive Athletes. Please email us and races will be organised accordingly.
- 20. An RPC or the Summer Squad may enter any Open event as a composite crew.

21. Assume there will be divisions in each race. Use crew numbers to self-seed your crews. ~ If your best crew is a division 2 crew start numbering from 2.

 \sim If you use double-digit crew numbers the second digit will be used for seeding e.g. 1=11=21 Where sufficient entries are received to justify dividing the field into divisions, handicapping may be applied to provide crews with quality racing.

- 22. Late entries will be accepted at the discretion of the Hawke's Bay Regatta Committee. Late entries are those received **after 10pm**, **Monday 23rd December 2013**.
- 23. The online entry system may re-open to take late or supplementary entries and/or crew changes and/or scratchings. Entrants will be notified of the details if this happens.
- 23. Entry fees: \$24.00 Eight; \$12.00 Fours & Quads; \$6.00 Doubles; \$3.00 Singles
- 24. All entry fees must be paid prior to Racing. Accounts details:

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- 25. Please send payment confirmation to: Hawke's Bay Rowing Club, PO Box 17, Clive E-mail: <u>hbrowingacc@gmail.com</u>
- 26. Security will be provided for the duration of the event.
- 27. Those arriving earlier than Friday 3 January need to communicate with Boots for access to Farndon Domain to park trailers.
- 28. The Hawke's Bay Rowing Club will not accept any liability for any accidents on race day.

Exclusion of all Tort Liability of Whatsoever Kind

The Hawke's Bay Rowing Club (HBRC) reminds rowing Clubs, Schools and Rowers participating in this Regatta that while every care will be taken by the Regatta Officials to ensure that the Regatta is conducted safely and efficiently, and in accordance with the rules of racing established by NZRA and HBRC, it is the responsibility of Clubs and/or Schools to ensure that those rules are complied with, and of Rowers to comply with them to ensure safe rowing activity.

Further it is a condition of participation in this Regatta that all participants accept and note that no liability either in tort or in any other nature whatsoever is accepted by, or will attach to the NZRA, East Coast Rowing or the HBRC for any harm, damage, loss, costs, expenses, inconvenience, interference of whatever nature and whatever kind, including any damage to equipment or injury to persons of whatever nature incurred in the course of, or in connection with, or in any way related to the Regatta, regardless of whether any error or omission, wrongdoing, oversight, negligence, or other tort whatsoever on the part of any Regatta Official or other person, may be established.

Regatta Secretary:Sam Nichol, sam.nichol@panpac.co.nzRegatta Manager:as always... Steve Cushing, (Boots) 06 8700763Entries Assistance:Andrew Carr-Smith, andrew@rowit.co.nz

PS Need a place to put your stretcher, please give Steve Cushing a call