



WAIKATO BOP SCHOOLS XC MTB RACE

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15TH MARCH 2023

TE MIRO MTB PARK, WATERWORKS ROAD, TE MIRO

#### CHAIRMAN'S WELCOME

Welcome to Te Miro MTB Clubs Waikato BOP Schools XC Race. We hope you have an enjoyable, competitive day and leave with fond memories of our beautiful venue.

Thank you to all those involved in making this event possible especially to our generous sponsor EBBETT VOLKSWAGEN.

Regards Shane Mellow

On Behalf of the Te Miro MTB Club Committee

KEY CONTACT Bjorn Krauer 0221213758 Event Organiser

**PARKING** Parking will be in the farmers paddock opposite the main car park. Please take all your rubbish back with you. There will be Parking Marshals in place, please follow their directions and the signs. There will be a drop off area in the main car park please do not stay parked there while your School registers. There is to be absolutely no parking on the side of the road.

**ENTERING** Please use your School Enter Now account. If your School does not have an Enter Now account, or you home school please use the following Webscorer Link below:

<https://www.webscorer.com/register?pid=1&raceid=305061>

**RACE REGISTRATION AND RACE PLATE COLLECTION** This will be held at the BBQ area below the car park.

**RACE REGISTRATION TIMES** Year 5, 6, 7 and 8

Rego opens at 8am

Rego closes at 9am

U13, U15, U17, U20 Rego opens at 10:30

Rego closes at 12:00pm

## RACE START TIMES

Year 5 and 6 race will start at 9:30

Year 7 and 8 race will start at the completion of the year 5 and 6 race.

U15 and U13 races will start at approximately 12pm - please be ready 30 minutes prior incase we are ahead of schedule.

U20 and U17 races will start at the completion of the previous race.

The cut off for age groups is the 31.12.23 eg. if a child is 14 now but turns 15 towards the end of the year they are to be entered in U17.

All riders must be off the race track by 9am.

## PRIZE GIVING

Junior prize giving will follow the completion of the yr 7 and 8 races

Senior prize giving will follow the completion of the U17 races.

## RACE MARSHALS

Each School is required to provide a Race Marshal with a high vi vest and First Aid Kit. If possible can we please have Marshals with a current 1st Aid Certificate. Please email the Race Marshals name and their email address to [grantandlinley@xtra.co.nz](mailto:grantandlinley@xtra.co.nz) by the 8th of March.

Marshal Briefing will be held on the grass above the BBQ area.

Junior race marshal briefing will be at 8:30 am, the Senior Race

Marshal briefing will be at 11.45am.

## RACE COURSE

The course is approx 3 kms long. It is predominantly a Grade 2 Track with approx 60 metres of vertical climbing. It is suitable for most inexperienced riders.

## RACE DURATION

Year 5 and 6 will complete 2 laps

Year 7 and 8 will complete 3 laps

U13 and U15 will complete 3 laps

U17 and U20 boys will complete 5 laps

U17 and U20 girls will complete 4 laps

These laps are subject to change, ie in adverse weather conditions or time restraints.

## MEDICAL EVENTS

NEMS Medical Services will be on site in case of emergency. They will be positioned at the Registration area.

## MEDICAL CONDITIONS

Please make sure that all participants have any relevant medication with them and that all teachers in charge or parents in charge have a hard copy of emergency names and contacts and any medical conditions for each entrant.

## RIDER APPAREL

Please wear your School riding kit or School colours eg PE top if your School does not have a riding kit.

## SCHOOL TENTS

School tents are welcome to be put up on the grass, please be aware that unfortunately there are only a couple of flat areas above the lake which will be used as part of the race so please make sure no school tents are put up there.

## COMPULSORY EQUIPMENT

Correctly fitted helmets and covered in shoes are a must. No helmet or shoes, no racing.

Bikes must be fit for the purpose and mechanically sound, eg. brakes must be working etc. It is the responsibility of the bike owner to ensure this.

Schools are to supply their own sunblock.

## PROTESTS

Will not be entered into!

## SPECTATORS

Spectators may watch from anywhere on the Reserve, PD, down by the PD Bridge and the bottom 3rd of the Snake Track. Strictly no spectators are to enter Big Willy. If spectators are moving from spot to spot please stay off the race tracks. There will be a spectator map in the map shelter.

## FOOD AND BEVERAGES

There will be food, hot drinks and cold drinks available. Please bring cash and enough of your own water to last the day. The water at the Bike Wash is not drinkable.

## MAPS

Please see the attached Course Map.

## CANCELLATION

In the event that we need to cancel this due to adverse weather conditions or similar we will look at an alternative postponement date.

## QUERIES

Please send any queries to [temiromtbclub@gmail.com](mailto:temiromtbclub@gmail.com)

# WBOP RACE MAP

