

Health & Safety Plan

2024 COLLEGE SPORT AUCKLAND WAKA AMA JUNIOR REGATTA

Auckland Rowing Club, Tamaki River, Auckland Sat 2nd November, 2024

Event Responsibilities

Event Coordination: Shani Clark – College Sport Auckland 021 124 1457

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Administration Support: Liv Patrick - College Sport Auckland

Medic: Chris Griggs – Event Medic

Safety Boat Supervisor: Heremaia Rosieur - AROCA

Volunteer Supervisor: AROCA

Within this event, held on the Tamaki River, there are both natural and unnatural hazards. College Sport Auckland undertakes to take all practicable steps to appropriately manage risks and hazards and wherever possible implement the mitigation strategies identified in this document.

As the main organiser College Sport Auckland undertakes to provide a fun and safe event and expects all those volunteering, participating, and supervising throughout the one-day event, to undertake the same responsibility.

Management & Procedures

Fire

- All College Sport Events are smokefree. No smoking is permitted on the site or open fires or BBQs.
- Fire extinguishers are in the administration area. A hose is in the toilet block areas nearest the terraces and administration area.

Waste

- 12 wheelie bins will be located on site for rubbish, compostables and recycling.
- 6 portaloos will be placed on site.



Health & Safety

- Event Medic on site throughout the event. A direct line to Emergency services will be provided through Event Medic and the event organisers
- Event Medic have an AED on hand. There is also an AED in the Auckland Rowing Club building in the basement outside the men's bathrooms. This can be seen here (address: Ian Shaw Park, Mt Wellington)
- All official staff will be wearing Hi-Vis vests and be in radio contact.
- First Aid location will be identified on site.
- Notices informing the public of any health & safety issues, during the event will be made via the announcer PA. All notices must be first handed to the Event Co-ordinator.
- Access at the southern end of the park is to be out of bounds (close to race start line)
- Prior to the event, a map of the site will be available in the event handbook.



Paddlers			
Risk Identification	Risk Management	Coping with Emergencies	Responsibility
 Personal injury during event. 	Ensure that all Schools are made	Event Medic aid rep will be at the	Event Medic
J	aware of the location of the First Aid area. • Ensure that all foreseeable risks are identified and where possible eliminated.	designated area and other representatives	School Managers
 Medical reaction/ pre-existing medical 	Check if there are any conditions that may be	Contact Lakes Medical rep	Event Medic
condition.	aggravated whilst competing at the event.	immediately. • All Schools to have up to date information on all students.	School Managers
• Over exposure to sunlight and/or heat.	Contact paddlers prior to the event to bring water, sunscreen and a hat via the Panui. Notify Schools that sunscreen will be available.	 Take paddler to First Aid area. Have them sit and consult with Event Medic immediately. Make all managers, volunteers, wardens and security aware of this procedure. 	First to be informed will be responsible. Event Medic School managers
• Lost/stolen property.	 Inform all schools that students will need to be diligent at all times with their personal belongings. 	• Contact wardens, security and police if required.	Managers Event Coordinator Maori Wardens
• Unable to find event organizers in an emergency	Organizers will have vests and orange hi viz vests	Use radiosMake announcement on PA	Event Coordinator
Paddler area over crowded.	 Clearly identify and limit access to paddling area. Have staff within the immediate area of the paddlers. 	 Signage to be erected to read only paddlers past this point. Announcements on PA of paddlers only area 	Race Director Site Manager
Capsizing	• Schools sent capsizing protocol in race booklet – to distribute this, discuss this and train this with their students	 Paddlers carry out capsizing protocol Event Medic on water, as well as safety boat (RIB) 	Schools Event Medic



	Staff & V	olunteers	
Risk Identification	Risk Management	Coping with Emergencies	Responsibility
Personal injury during event	 Ensure that all staff are aware of the correct procedures when operating equipment Safety Boats: o All staff are suitably qualified and that all safety equipment is operational. 	 Ensure suitably age appropriate users are using equipment Ensure there is an emergency boat/outboard available in case of breakdowns. Event Medic will be present at the designated area on the attached map. If there is an emergency the Ambulance will be called for by Event coordinator 	Event Coordinator Site manager
Medical reaction/ pre- existing medical condition.	 Inform all staff prior to the event of their tasks during the event. Check to see if there are any conditions that may be aggravated whilst working at the event. 	 Event Medic will be present. Have staff disclose what conditions they may have if any. 	Individual Event Medic
• Over exposure to sunlight and heat.	Over exposure to sunlight and heat.	 Water and sunscreen available. Allow rotations so staff can have turns in the volunteer staff locations under shaded areas. 	Event coordinator Event Medic
Fire at the event outdoors	 Have a Fire Extinguisher available at the Event Ensure all generators and power cords are checked by a registered electrician and evidence of check has been completed and viewed. 	 Put fire out if possible. Notify Fire Service if unable to control fire. 	Site Manager Event Coordinator
• In the case of wet weather or high winds.	• Review Weather forecasts in the week leading up to the event.	 Meeting will be held with the Race Director and Managers of teams to notify them of cancelations prior to racing and 	Race Director All Staff



	On the morning of the Event, check with weather service for full report on local weather.	weather warnings at start of day. In the event of high winds or extreme wet weather the event will be cancelled. This information will be sent out to all staff and it will be their responsibility to ensure that all participants and equipment are safe/safely secured to minimize injuries and risks.	
• Car parking unavailable to staff members.	 Develop parking plan and list of those permitted to park in the designated area. Issue Parking passes to designated staff. 	 Inform Staff & Volunteers that if they do not have a Parking Pass they will not be permitted entry. Cordone off the Parking Area 	Site Manager Event Coordinator Maori Wardens
• Lost stolen property.	 Remind staff not to bring anything they don't want to lose and of the personal responsibility of belongings 	• Contact wardens, security guards, and police if required.	Site Manager Event Coordinator Maori Wardens
• Unable to find event organizers in an emergency.	 Maps in race booklet as to where people should be at staff briefing. Radios will be issued to the relevant team leaders along with a Communication Plan. Get list of cell phone numbers of key staff 	Refer to the Communication Plan regarding Land and Water radio contact.	Site Manager Event Coordinator Maori Wardens
• Unsure of tasks.	Brief all staff and volunteers prior to the event.	Event organizers to check on staff during the day.	Volunteer Supervisor
Volunteer staff members not present.	 Confirm all staff and volunteers and times required before event. Brief staff managers on times required. Have someone cover area where volunteer is missing 	Managers will try to find missing volunteers.	Volunteer Supervisor

Vendors			
Risk Identification	Risk Management	Coping with Emergencies	Responsibility



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• Time for set up/pack	• Inform vendors setup	 Vendors to stick to 	Vendors
down unsuitable	starts at 7.30am am,	pack in and out times	Site Manager
	pack down at 3pm.		
 Food preparation not 	 Send out info 	 Notify regulatory 	Site Manager
to required standard	provided by council on	service.	Vendor
	food	 Shut down food 	
	preparation/hygiene	preparation aspect of	
	prior to event.	the stall.	

	Spectators			
Risk Identification	Risk Management	Coping with Emergencies	Responsibility	
 Personal injury during the event. 	• Ensure that all foreseeable risks are identified and where possible eliminated within the venue.	• Event Medic will be present.	Individual Teachers	
Medical reaction/ pre-existing medical condition.	• Event Medic in First Aid Area.	 Remove spectator to volunteer tent to consult with Event Medic immediately. Make sure all managers, volunteers, wardens and security are aware of this procedure. First to be informed will be responsible. 	Individual Teachers	
Over exposure to sunlight/heat.	Sunscreen available.Water will be available	Remove spectator to volunteer tent to consult with Event Medic immediately. • Make all managers, volunteers, wardens and security are aware of this procedure. First to be informed will be responsible	Individual Teachers	
• Event venue changed due to weather.	 Review weather forecasts in the week leading up to the event. On the morning of the event, check with weather service for full 	• Contact radio station, performers, managers, wardens and security asap.	Event Managers	



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	report on local weather. • Make final call on event at 7:30 am. • Contact schools performers, staff, wardens and security with change.		
• Unable to access venue.	Street parking only available.Provide instructions in race booklet	 In the event of good weather, encourage spectators to walk as a healthy transportation option. 	Event Managers
Lost/stolen property.	 Allow an area within admin area for lost or stolen property. 	 Contact wardens, security guards and if required Police When property is claimed, take a picture of the claimer and the property 	Event Managers
• Spectators have no knowledge of the venue.	 Brief volunteers on area. MC announce blurb on locations of toilets, lost property, vendors, etc 	Special announcements during breaks.	Event Managers
Volume to loud/quiet.	Watch audience reactions to gauge requirements	 Liaise with PA/radio performers to rectify problem. Sound check before event begins. 	Event Coordinator or Site Manager
Drunk/ disorderly/ disruptive behaviour affecting other spectators.	 Have wardens monitoring crowd behaviour during event. Alcohol free event 	 Security guard to immediately contact the Co-ordinator or Site Manager Contact police. Evict any disorderly people 	Event Coordinator Site Manager
Lost children found by staff.	 Managers and volunteers to wear matching t-shirts or vests. MC to inform spectators of who is staff and security. Contact MC with name of lost child 	 MC to make announcement about lost child during breaks. Bring lost child to admin area, where they will stay until claimed with at least 2 volunteers, at least one 	Event Co-ordinator Site Manager



	Complete lost /	should stay with the	
	vulnerable child	child the whole time.	
	document	Get guardian	
		description from child	
		(best as possible).	
		When child is	
		claimed, take picture of	
		guardian claiming child	
• Lost children (not	 Event staff to wear 	 An announcement to 	Event Co-ordinator
found yet)	bright colourful	be made during breaks	Site Manager
	clothing	by MC.	
	 Contact MC with info 	 First person to find 	
	on lost child.	out about lost child to	
		contact site manager	
		who will contact MC	
• Fights/ Riot	Contact Police.	Call police	Event Co-ordinator
			H & S Officer
			Site Manager

	Venue & Equipment			
Risk Identification	Risk Management	Coping with Emergencies	Responsibility	
• Theft/missing equipment.	 Check off equipment as it is returned. Have all groups understand that there will be a cost involved if equipment is damaged or not returned. 	Missing equipment to be charged out to associated club.	Event Co-ordinator Site Manager	
 Sound equipment failure. 	 Have radio people located near PA system. Have an emergency number available for PA hirer 	Phone emergency number immediately.	Event Co-ordinator Site Manager	
• Sound equipment system not suitable for event.	 Contact and confirm equipment required for event. Provide a list of equipment supplied. Have the PA provider available to be contacted Test PA. 	 Have an emergency contact number of the PA hirer. Will be present to set up PA 	Event Co-ordinator Village Coordinator	
Power failure.	Check operation of power with local council	Contact council	Event Co-ordinator or Site Manager	



	Have a number of electrician via local council		
• Damage to equipment, vandalism/ graffiti.	Wardens and security to roam event.	 Isolate area from public/participants. Inform E & I manager, call parks and recreation: 	Event Co-ordinator or Site Manager
• Run out of resources, ie: toilet paper	 Ensure through prestige loos that toilets are well stocked. Check every 2 hours 	Call Prestige Loos	Event Co-ordinator or Site Manager
Broken glass/sharp objects on the green.	 Have Wardens and Site Manager on the lookout for dangerous objects. 	 Isolate area immediately upon identification. Remove objects to nearest rubbish bin 	Volunteer Supervisor Site Manager Schools
• Rubbish	 Rubbish bins – Green Gorilla Have MC encourage people to use rubbish bins 	• Ensure bins are emptied regularly by volunteers.	Volunteer Supervisor Site Manager Schools
Rubbish bins full.	Book extra rubbish bins.Have extra rubbish bags available.	 Remove full bin bag and replace with new bin bag. 	Volunteer Supervisor Site Manager Schools
 Clean-up at the end of the day 	 Use rubbish bins provided 		Everyone
Overnight security	Ensure gates are lock each night to keep onsite gear safe	 Contact Police and/or event coordinator and/or site manager 	Maori Wardens