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You can visit the 2011 Queens Birthday Carnival website.

Updates:

- Results and Routegadget for Day 1, 2, and 3 available in Results
- Levent Programme VERSION 2 as at 3/6/10 is available now for download (354KB PDF).
- Allocated Start Times List UPDATED VERSION 2 as at 4/6/10 is available now for P download (119KB PDF).
- A Google map of the event locations is available for Saturday/Sunday and Monday. Please note there are special driving instructions for Monday in the Event programme that must be followed.
- Follow AKLOrienteering on Twitter. Depending on coverage and availability, some occasional tweets may be made from

Highlights of Queen's Birthday 3-day Orienteering Carnival:

- Five Races in Three Days
- Pine forest on sand dune terrain and challenging gully-spur terrain
- A level NZOF status for main events
- Incorporating
 - SuperSeries races for elites
 - Australia vs. New Zealand Test Match
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Results are available for Day 2 of the Queens Birthday Orienteering Carnival





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Day 1 Results and Routegadget available now

Posted by Roger on 6 June 2010 | 0 Comments

The results and routegadget links for Day 1of the Queen's Birthday Orienteering Carnival are available now on the Results page. http://www.navevent.co.nz/QB2010/results/





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Start Times Updated

Posted by Roger on 4 June 2010 | 0 Comments

An updated copy of the start times allocated for all events are available on the home page of the website.





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Trans-Tasman Orienteering Test Match is just the beginning for orienteers down under.

Posted by Mick Finn on 3 June 2010 | 0 Comments

See the full news article at http://www.maptalk.co.nz/news/default.cfm?id=53159





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Event Programme Version 2 available

Posted by Roger on 3 June 2010 | 0 Comments

The Event Programme has been updated to remove an incorrect statement about the Schools Regional challenge and add important information for some red courses on Saturday Woodhill Forest event. Here are the details....





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Event Programme available for download

Posted by Roger on 1 June 2010 | 0 Comments

The Event Programme for the 2010 Queens Birthday Orienteering Carnival in Auckland, New Zealand is now available for download. Visit http://www.navevent.co.nz/QB2010/ to download.





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Previous Maps Available

Posted by Roger on 27 May 2010 | 0 Comments

Check out the terrain and features of the areas we are navigating around over Queens Birthday weekend. The resources section on the website now includes a copy of the previous version of maps for the event areas.





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Accomodation- Bunks Available

Posted by Roger on 15 May 2010 | 0 Comments Tags: QBDay Accomodation

Plenty of accomodation is still available at Houghtons Bush Camp, Muriwai Beach.





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Online Entry Form is now live

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The online entry form is now live for the 2010 Queen's Birthday Orienteering Carnival, Queens Birthday weekend June 5-7th in Auckland NZ. Enter now on the events website http://www.navevent.co.nz/QB2010/





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Event Website Launching Soon

Posted by Roger on 22 March 2010 | 0 Comments

Tags: Queens Birthday, orienteering, events, super series, elites, Auckland

The event website for Queens Birthday has been established and will launch soon. The three Auckland Region orienteering clubs have teamed up again to bring you an awesome weekend of orienteering over Queens Birthday weekend 2010. - Four Orienteering races in three days - Sat 5th June - Monday 7th June 2010. - Three A-grade events in pine forest terrain. supporting Sprint event brought to you by the Junior New Zealand Orienteering Team - as fundraiser towards their JWOC campaign. - International Australia vs New Zealand Challenge - Super Series Races for New Zealand Orienteering elite competition





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Article by Mick Finn Monday, 7 June 2010. The New Zealand Pinestars edged out the Australian Bushrangers by the narrowest of margins today– just one point apiece for the men and women.

Steep hills, lower visibility forest and 3-minute start intervals gave the race a different flavour, with more individual running and a tougher physical challenge than seen on the first two days of racing.

Winning the individual challenge was Auckland junior Toby Scott who gave the top elites of both New Zealand and Australia something to think about for the second time in three days. Scott was one of several NZ Juniors on fire over the weekend, taking the scalp of Australian champion David Shepherd by 9 seconds, with Oceania champion Simon Uppill in third. Fellow NZ junior Jourdan Harvey took 4th place ahead of past and present NZ Champions Darren Ashmore and Ross Morrison; another impressive effort from our juniors, alongside Matt Ogdens two third places and Angela Simpson's win on day 1.

"It's great to see!" said Morrison, who will be coaching the Junior Worlds team of which Scott and Harvey are part. "This Junior Worlds team is hitting top form at just the right time. They're going to do really well in Denmark; the sandhill terrain there is a lot like Woodhill" added Morrison. Scott's kilometre rates on the weekend were not just better than the top elites competing; they were faster even than those of former World Champion Carsten Joergensen when he won the 2009 Nationals in the same area.

With Scott not part of the official New Zealand Pinestars team taking on the Australian Bushrangers it was up to the minor placing Kiwis to pick up enough points to counter the 2nd and 3rd placed Shepherd and Uppill. It was a close call but with solid runs by Ashmore, Morrison and James Bradshaw the men just pipped the Aussies by one point, 28 to 27. After the close sprinting finish and 2 second loss of the previous day, NZ and Oceania champion Lizzie Ingham was navigating clean and mistake-free to beat Aussie Kathryn Ewels by 42 seconds.

"This time I was more definite with my route planning and execution" commented Ingham.
"I'm pleased to be up there with Kathryn before we head to Europe!" she added. Both Ewels and Ingham are known for their ability to perform at their best in big races, but with Ewels picking up a 5th in a World Champs at elite level in 2009 and Ingham only racing in her first World Champs in August this year, it's hoped that the World Champs may be fruitful for both the elite and the junior elite New Zealand orienteers. The Junior World Championships are to be held in Aalborg, Denmark from July 4 and the World Orienteering Championships will be in Trondheim, Norway from August 7. With Aislinn Prendergast (Bushrangers) in third and teammate Laurina Neumann in 4th, it was a close fought team challenge between the two

countries. The Pinestar women eventually edged out the Bushrangers by just1 point, (28:27) giving New Zealand the win for the day of 56 to 54 points and an overall win in the Test Match of 189 points to 141.

Results - Australia New Zealand Test Match Round 3 New Zealanders unless noted otherwise

Elite women: 1 Lizzie Ingham (NZ Pinestars) 57:59, 2 Kathryn Ewels (Australian Bushrangers) 58:41, 3 51:12, 3 Aislinn Prendergast (Australian Bushrangers) 62:49, 4 Laurina Neumann (Australian Bushrangers), 5 Angela Simpson, 6 Penny Kane (NZ Pinestars).

Elite men: 1 Toby Scott 60:48, David Shepherd (Australian Bushrangers) 60:57, 3 Simon Uppill (Australian Bushrangers) 61:09, 4 Jourdan Harvey 63:41, 5 Darren Ashmore (NZ Pinestars), 6 James Bradshaw (NZ Pinestars), 7 Ross Morrison (NZ Pinestars).

Test match points, Round 3 NZ Pinestars men win 28 points to 27, NZ Pinestars women win by 28 points to 27. Overall NZ wins Round 2 56 to 54.

Total: New Zealand Pinestars 189, Australian Bushrangers 141.

Source: http://www.maptalk.co.nz/news/default.cfm?id=53281

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Aussie foxes chase down Kiwis in second trans-Tasman Orienteering Test Match. Article by Mick Finn InfoNews.co.nz Sunday, 6 June 2010

An action packed two-race round of trans-Tasman orienteering in Woodhill Forest saw mixed fortunes for both Kiwis and Aussies.

Kiwi orienteers Ross Morrison and Lizzie Ingham won the preliminary race of the second Test Match round only to set themselves up as sacrificial rabbits - to be hunted down by fierce chasing packs. Leading the men's pack chasing Morrison's 45 second lead in the final race – a chasing start - was Aussie champion Dave Shepherd, along with Aucklanders James Bradshaw and Matt Ogden. All it took was a minor navigational error in the open forests for NZ Middle distance champion Morrison, and the pack caught sight of him and closed in like hungry foxes, eating up his lead like a Tour de France peleton. A peleton which swept through the contours, collecting up Morrison and spitting him out the back before rushing the finish line en masse. With the Australians yet to win a round of the NZ based Test Match, Shepherd put everything and more into his finish, to prevail over the strong Bradshaw by just 3 seconds. Young Matt Ogden showed the most consistency of the men to finish 6 seconds back and in third place two days running, with Morrison in 4th place.

With just a one minute head start over the women's elite field, NZ number one Lizzie Ingham was also feeling the pressure. Heading into the 4th control, Ingham lost over two minutes on a bearing up a vague hillside – enough for the pack to catch sight and pounce. "I'm kinda annoyed about that" she said "The train caught me and I stayed in front to number 8 then overshot it. It was catchup time then!" Refusing to surrender Ingham and Penny Kane regained the lead at the 11th control holding it right up until the very last. But Kathryn Ewels, tucked into the chase pack along with countrywomen Shannon Jones, Aislinn Prendergast and Anna Sheldon, and Pinestar Lara Prince, had one last card to play. "She steamed past at the last control, and my legs had nothing left" rued Ingham, who took on Ewels in one last gutsy sprint for the finish. After the dust had cleared it was Ewels in front by two seconds, with the first six strung out over just 17 seconds in the first-past-the-post final.

The two individual wins for Shepherd and Ewels were not enough however to claw back the NZ Pinestars Test Match lead, even with the Bushrangers women winning the second day by 30 points to 25.

A collective Pinestars tally of 57 points to the Australian Bushrangers 53 stretched out the overall lead for New Zealand to 46 poinst (133:87) putting them into a commanding position with one round remaining in the Test Match.

Results - Australia New Zealand Test Match Round 2

Elite women: 1 Kathryn Ewels (Australian Bushrangers) 51:10, 2 Lizzie Ingham (NZ Pinestars) 51:12, 3 Shannon Jones (Australian Bushrangers) 51:20, 4 Lara Prince (NZ Pinestars) 51:24, 5 Aislinn Prendergast (Australian Bushrangers) 51:26, 6 Penny Kane (NZ Pinestars) 51:27, 7 Anna Sheldon (Australian Bushrangers).

Elite men: 1 David Shepherd (Australian Bushrangers) 46:46, 2 James Bradshaw (NZ Pinestars) 46:49, 3 Matt Ogden 46:55, 4 Ross Morrison, (NZ Pinestars), 5 Karl Dravitzki, 6 Simon Uppill (Australian Bushrangers), 7 Darren Ashmore (NZ Pinestars), 8 Chris Naunton (Australian Bushrangers), 9 Gene Beveridge.

Test match points, Round 2 NZ men win 32 points to 23, Australian women win by 30 points to 25. Overall NZ wins Round 2 57 to 53. Total: New Zealand Pinestars 133, Australian Bushrangers 87.

source: http://www.maptalk.co.nz/news/default.cfm?id=53259

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Toby Scott led the juniors charge, scooping the top podium place along with JWOC teammates Thomas Reynolds and Matt Ogden. Best of the elites was the Australian champion over the Long and Sprint distances, Dave Shepherd, in 4th place ahead of Kiwis Darren Ashmore and Michael Adams.

It was a similar result for the elite women with NZ Junior Champion Angela Simpson defeating Australian Jo Allison and NZ Champion Lizzie Ingham. There was more good news for the NZ elite as they piled on the minor placings to defeat the Australians soundly by 76 to 34 points in the first round of the three day Test Match.

"It was fun, fast and furious racing" commented Darren Ashmore. "The juniors were flying through the forest." "We all had good runs, with a few minor navigational hiccups, but those youngsters were fit, fast and in tune with the dunes" he added. "I had to dig deep to catch up to the pack after rolling my ankle but couldn't break free after that" said Ashmore, who is expected to feature in the Middle distance, his favourite discipline, on Saturday, Two minute start times and open forest meant that the preferred technique for finding the 28 checkpoints on the men's course was to run as hard and as straight as possible through the technical sand-dunes, with other racers easily visible. Oceania Champion and Australian representative Simon Uppill in 7th couldn't match his reputation as their best technical orienteer ever seen, but did edge out rising NZ star Ross Morrison by 49 seconds. Similarly Australian star Kathryn Ewels (5th at World Championships in 2009) was outside the top 5, with NZ Pinestars Lizzie Ingham, Penny Kane, Rebecca Smith and winner Angela Simpson all ahead, along with 2nd placed Aussie Jo Allison. Consolation for the elites from both countries comes in the form of knowing that this is just the start of their extensive builduo for the World Championships, while the juniors are near the end of their buildup which has consisted of many weeks of hard training in Woodhill Forest. And it is quite likely that the elites will find a little bit extra in the next two days of racing. Round two of the Test Match is a two-race chasing start Middle Distance in the Woodhill Forest, with the fastest from race 1 starting first in the 2nd race.

Results - Australia New Zealand Test Match Round 1

Elite women (8km): 1 Angela Simpson (NZ Pinestars) 1:02:50, 2 Jo Allison (Australian Bushrangers) 1:03:08, 3 Lizzie Ingham (NZ Pinestars) 1:04:05, 4 Penny Kane (NZ Pinestars), 5 Rebecca Smith (NZ Pinestars), 6 Kathryn Ewels (Australian Bushrangers), 7 Anna Sheldon (Australian Bushrangers), 8 Lara Prince (NZ Pinestars), 9 Shannon Jones (Australian Bushrangers), 10 Kate Morrison.

Elite men (11.8km): 1Toby Scott 1:08:12, 2 Thomas Reynolds (NZ Pinestars)1:09:23, 3 Matt

Ogden 1:09:30, 4 David Shepherd (Australian Bushrangers), 5 Darren Ashmore (NZ Pinestars), 6 Michael Adams, 7 Simon Uppill (Australian Bushrangers), 8 Ross Morrison, (NZ Pinestars) 9 Gene Beveridge, 10 Tane Cambridge (NZ Pinestars). Test match points, Round 1. (Overall winner will be determined from cumulative points over 3 days.) New Zealand Pinestars 76, Australian Bushrangers 34.

Source: Maptalk.co.nz http://www.maptalk.co.nz/news/default.cfm?id=53243





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The Event Programme will full event information is available now for download on the home page.

Saturday 5th June 2010

Woodhill Forest: Long Distance (Multi-day length)

- NZOF A-Grade event
- Open pine forest on sand dune terrain, mostly complex contour detail.
- Previous use: NZ National Champs 2009
- Map Scale: 1:10,000, Contours 2.5m
- Start times: from 11:00 am
- Planner: Rudy Hlawatsch, Controller: Scott Vennell
- Host Club: Auckland Orienteering Club

Social Dinner and Fun Muriwai Golf Course Night Relay Orienteering Race

- Format:
 - Two Person Relay.
 - Two loops each person.
 - Individual entries accepted.
 - Most loops will be done under 10 minutes.
 - Advise Teams by Saturday 1pm.
- Entry Categories: Highly Competitive or Casual Competitive
- Note: No spiked shoes permitted.
- Previous Use: TONIC 2009
- Map Scale: 1:5,000 Contour Interval: 2.0m
- Start times: from 6:00 pm (tentative subject to change depending on golf usage)
- Dinner served approximately from 7:00 pm.
- Course Planner: Gene Beveridge Controller: Jordan Harvey
- · Organisers/Fundraiser for: Auckland members of New Zealand Junior Orienteering Team

Sunday 6th June 2010

Woodhill Forest: Double Short Distance event with chasing afternoon start. (A-Grade event)

- NZOF A-Grade event
- Using the area immediately north of Day 1.
- Open pine forest on sand dune terrain, mostly complex contour detail.
- Map 1:10,000, Contours 2.5m
- Start times:
 - Race One: from 9:30 am.
 - $\bullet \ \ \text{Race two: Chasing Start from 1:00 pm. Start times based on morning race, with fastest running first. }$

Planner: Geoff Mead, Controller: Mark LawsonHost Club: North West Orienteering Club

Monday 7th June 2010

Plantation Forest, Maramarua: Long Distance (Multi day length)

- NZOF A-Grade event
- Pine forest on retired farmland with gully-spur character and varying visibility.
- Previous use: NZ National Champs 2007.
- Map 1:10,000, Contours 5.0m
- Start times: from 10:00 am.
- Planner: Brian Long, Controller: Ross Brighouse
- Host Club: Counties Manukau Orienteering Club

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Online Entry form

Online Entries have closed. A few additional maps have been printed for a selection of courses for "entry on the day" on a first come - first served basis. Normal fees apply. Enquire at event registration.

Closing Date for Entries: Closing date for entries was Thursday 20th May 2010. After this date, controllers will do the start draws and later entries are unofficial and accepted at organisers' discretion.

Entry Details:

A-Grade Events Courses and Classes:

Course	Men	Women	Approx. Day 1&3 Winning Times:	Difficulty
1	M21E		70 mins	Red
2	M20A, M21A	W21E	60 mins	Red
3	M18A, M40A, C3 Open	C3 Open	50 mins	Red
4	M16A, M50A, C4 Open	W18A, W20A, W21A, W40A, C4 Open	40 mins	Red
5	M60A, C5 Open	W16A, W50A, C5 Open	40 mins	Red
6	M70A, M80A, C6 Open	W60A, W70A, W80A,C6 Open	40 mins	Red
7	M14A, Open Orange Long	Open Orange Long	40 med	Orange
8	Open Orange Short	W14A, Open Orange Short	30 med	Orange
9	M12A, Open Yellow	W12A, Open Yellow	30 med	Yellow
10	M10, Open White	W10, Open White	30 med	White

A-Grade Events Fees:

	Saturday 5 June	Sunday 6 June	Monday 7 June		
	Woodhill Multi-day Distance	Woodhill Double Short	Plantation Multi-day Distance	All Three Days	
Senior	\$22.00	\$22.00	\$22.00	\$54.00	
Junior (below 21 yrs)	\$11.00	\$11.00	\$11.00	\$27.00	
Family	\$55.00	\$55.00	\$55.00	\$135.00	
Sport Ident Hire	Per Day: \$3.00 (Free for age 10 and under).				
NZOF Levy for participants not affiliated with an orienteering club or federation	Per Day: Senior \$9.00, Junior \$5.50, or family \$23.50.				

Golf Course Night Relay Classes:

Fundraiser Event Fees:

	Dinner	Golf Course Night Event	All Events: Refunds for	
Senior	\$15.00	\$15.00	withdrawals at controller's discretion	
Junior (6 - 20 yrs)	\$12.00	l '	Closing Date for Entries: Closing	
Child (5 yrs and under)	\$6.00	Free to participate	date for entries is Thursday 20th May 2010 . After this date,	
Family		\$38.00	controllers will do the start draws and later entries are unofficial and	
Sport Ident Hire	\$3.00 per perso	on if not hiring for Saturday/Sunday Woodhill event	accepted at organisers' discretion. Event Website:	

www.navevent.co.nz/QB2010/
Visit the event website for event program, online entry form, start times, results, detailed information and supporting

- Course Lengths: Details will be available on website when finalised.
- Super Series: M/W21E elite entrants will be included in the Super Series.
- **Overall Winners:** Combined time of three A-Grade events. Entrants must enter the same class on all days to be eligible for overall competition. Note: dinner is optional, fun night relay event organised by Auckland JWOC team members does not count towards overall competition.
- **Secondary School Students**: Entries from Secondary School teams are being made by local Secondary School representatives. If students intend to represent their school in competition, they need to run in the school grades. If students decide to enter and run in their age grade they will not be included in schools competition.
- Programme: Available on website. Programmes will not be posted by mail.
- **NZOF Event Levy:** Competitors who are not members of a NZ orienteering club or an IOF member organisation must pay, with their entry, a registration fee of \$9.00 per senior, \$5.50 per junior, or \$23.50 per family, for each day. (Excludes Fundraiser Saturday golf course event.)
- Accommodation and Locality: No accommodation is being arranged. There is a handy camping ground that adjoins the south end of the golf course at Muriwai. Muriwai Beach Motor Camp is a privately run campground. Phone 09 411 9262, http://www.muriwaimotorcamp.co.nz
- Forest Entry and Drive times: See event programme and website.
- **SportIdent:** The SportIdent electronic punching system will be used for all events. Please enter the number of your SportIdent Card on the entry form. If you don't own a card you may either purchase a SportIdent 5 card @ \$65 or hire one @ \$3 /day.

Contacts and Enquiries

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- Entries Enquiries and Coordinator: Rolf Wagner +64 (9) 427 8524 rolf@cnacomputers.co.nz
- Send Postal Entries to: Rolf Wagner, PO Box 76, Red Beach 0945, New Zealand

Payment options:

- Cheque payable to: North West Orienteering Club
- Direct Credit: Westpac, Acc No 03-0243-0247251-00
- Credit Card payments accepted online only through AOC Paypal payment account. http://www.orienteeringauckland.org.nz/payments/payment.html

Please Include reference "QB2010" "Surname", "SI number" of primary entrant on all payments.

Age qualifications for classes for events held in 2010

Class Juniors	born in or after year	Class Juniors	born in or after year	Class Seniors	born in or before year	Class Seniors	born in or before year
M/W 10	2000	M/W 16	1994	M/W 21	1989	M/W 60	1950
M/W 12	1998	M/W 18	1992	M/W 40	1970	M/W 70	1940
M/W 14	1996	M/W 20	1990	M/W 50	1960	M/W 80	1930





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Saturday 5 June - **Day 1 Long Distance** (Multi-day length) results, splits, winsplits, RouteGadget, Splitalyzer

Saturday 5 June - Day 1 Night Relay | Team Results, individuals Results

Sunday 6 June - Day 2 AM Short Distance results, splits, winsplits, RouteGadget, Splitalyzer

Sunday 6 June - Day 2 PM Short Distance results, splits, winsplits, RouteGadget, Splitalyzer

Sunday 6 June - Day 2 Short Distance overall results

Monday 7 June - **Day 3 Long Distance** (Multi-day length) results, splits, winsplits, RouteGadget, Splitalyzer

Queen's Birthday 3 Day Overall Results

Thanks to HighBeam and Inov-8 for supporting our event and donating spot prizes. Please visit them...



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www.highbeam.co.nz - NZ distributor

Inov-8 USA - Inov-8 information site

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A useful resource for the Muriwai area:

http://www.arc.govt.nz/albany/main/parks/our-parks/parks-in-the-region/muriwai/

Aerial photos (and contours) for Woodhill can be seen at this web site: http://maps.auckland.govt.nz/Alggi/. Do a search on "Puketapu Road" to view. The "Plantation" area for Monday is just outside the Auckland Regional boundary. Try Google for images.





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Plenty of accomodation is still available at Houghtons Bush Camp, Muriwai Beach. See http://www.parc.co.nz/houghtons.htm for location and photos. Bunk Beds \$18.00 per night. Own cutlery / plates required. Contact Phillip Herries, Hawkes Bay Orienteering Club to book a bed or find out more. secretary@hborienteering.com

For Day 1 and 2 there is a camping ground at Muriwai, although forest entry will be through the Restall Rd (headquarters) gate. For more information phone 09 411 9262, http://www.muriwaimotorcamp.co.nz





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Woodhill Forest day one race - Previous map of area JPG (378KB)

Most of this area has been used previously for NZ Champs 2009. Other parts have been used for QB 3-Day 2004 and for a number of OY and other events since.

Muriwai Golf Course Race - Previous map of area (coming soon)

Sunday 6th June 2010

Woodhill Forest day two races. Previous map of area JPG (554KB)

Monday 7th June 2010



Plantation Forest day three race - Previous map of area PDF (751KB)

New Zealand's Route Gadget site is located at: http://www.routechoice.co.nz/

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Red courses will be using the pictorial IOF control descriptions. Here are some resources to help with understanding IOF pictorial control descriptions:

- IOF Control Descriptions E-Book (PDF 1.2MB) Recommended
- Maprunner IOF Control Descriptions resource page
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Spectators are welcome to attend at all the Queens Birthday orienteering carnival events. Please note spectators do need to follow instructions given to competitors and must not enter out of bounds areas without permission from the event controller. Ask at event registration for advice where you may go.

Event Programme

Download the Event Programme from the home page for information on the events, including:

- Directions to the events
- What is happening at the events
- Additional useful information

Google Map and Directions to events

A Google map of the event locations is available for Saturday/Sunday and Monday

To obtain approximate driving directions from your start location, click on the marker for the event on the map and click on "directions".

Saturday/Sunday Note:

At the end of the North Western Motorway there are roadworks. To head towards Woodhill forest you will be turning left to continue onto SH16 and then passing through two sets of lights. At the roundabout, SH16 is the second-exit of the roundabout (a right turn).

Special Directions for Monday

The entrance to the event centre is off one of the most dangerous roads in New Zealand.

DO NOT ENTER FROM THE NORTH

Travelling from the north go past the farm and take the turn toward THAMES. There are several turning points along this road but we advise you to travel 2k to a café on the left where you can turn safely. It will be signed from this turn back to the event centre.

ONLY ENTER THE EVENT CENTRE FROM THE SOUTH

START IS 10 MINUTES FROM THE PARKING.

Start List

You may like to download the start list on the home page to see when competitors are starting on their run.

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