

25 MC's briefing notes.

Briefing notes for the MC will reflect the race course, the number of races, finishing etc etc. Anything which the Race director deems important.

This is in addition to any other information regarding sponsors, raffles food etc.

MC's briefing notes Re racing requirements

General reminders:

Please try and come relatively close to the jetty as you finish your race for ease of recording and photo finishes!

If you change your mind about paddling and wish to withdraw please let registration clerks know.

Call for briefing of 12 km long courses 06:45 and OC1, OC2 and V1 8km races

Call for briefing of u12/u14 OC1, OC 2 & V1 at 06:45 at the other park.

Race 1 07:15 mixed OC6 long course 12km

Mixed crews please get your canoes ready whilst your steerer is at the briefing as the race will start soon after the end of the briefing.

Remind everyone of the wave pattern (to be advised along the lines of "wave 1: black hats, wave 2:red hat, wave 3 blue hats")

Race will start when all canoes are lined up in correct waves.

Remind crews to sanitise canoe on exiting the canoe.

Race 1 (b) 07:25 u12 & u14 OC1/2

Canoes under the control of dep race director.

Line up after last wave of mixed race .No hats and no waves... all at start line together with usual flag start.

U12 turn at first buoy

U14 two laps/one turn at about the Boat House

Race 2(a) 08:45 OC1,OC2 and V 1 Women's and mixed 8km

This information to be relayed well before the mixed get back

All OC 1 and OC 2 plus V 1 please go to other park and be ready to launch once the marshall allows (need to wait for all mixed crews to finish)

Race 2 (b) 08:45 OC 6 Minnows and Mighty minnows

Briefing on beach before the women get back

Go after the OC1, OC2 and V1s

Race 2 (c) 09:00 Men's OC6 long course 12km

Please wait until the OC1, OC2, V1s and minnows have finished
Announce "Men get on the water"

Remind everyone of the wave pattern (to be advised along the lines of “wave 1: black hats, wave 2:red hat, wave 3 blue hats”

Race will start when all canoes are lined up in correct waves.

Race 3(a) 10:30 Women’s OC6 Long course 12km

Please wait until last men’s team has finished

Remind everyone of the wave pattern (to be advised along the lines of ““wave 1: black hats, wave 2:red hat, wave 3 blue hats”

Race will start when all canoes are lined up in correct waves.

Race 3(b) 10:30 Men’s OC 1, OC2 and V1 race (8km)

All canoes line up after the last wave of the women’s OC 6 race.

Briefing for Race 4 at 11:00 whilst Race 3 in progress

Race 4(a) noon 12 u OC6

Race 4(b) 12:20 Minnows and Mighty Minnows

Race 4(c) 12:35 14 U OC 6 and young Gun dash (4km)

Briefing for races 5,6 and 7 short courses (6km) whilst Juniors are racing at 12:30

Race 5(a) 13:00 Mixed OC6 Short Course (6km)

Remind everyone not to go past the canal entrance due to yacht races

Remind everyone of the wave pattern (to be advised along the lines of “wave 1: black hats, wave 2:red hat, wave 3 blue hats”

Race 5(b) 13:00 16u OC1,OC2 and V1 (6km)

All OC 1 and OC 2 plus V 1 please go to other park and be ready to launch once the marshall allows and line up after the last wave of the mixed event.

Race 6 13:45 Women's OC6 short course (6km)

Please wait until previous race has finished. An announcement will be made.

Remind everyone of the wave pattern (to be advised along the lines of “wave 1: black hats, wave 2:red hat, wave 3 blue hats”

Race will start when all canoes are lined up in correct waves.

Race 7 14:30 Men's OC6 short course

Please wait until the previous race has finished. An announcement will be made.

Remind everyone of the wave pattern (to be advised along the lines of “wave 1: black hats, wave 2:red hat, wave 3 blue hats”

Race will start when all canoes are lined up in correct waves.