



In it for life

Papamoa Junior Carnival 2018

Date: Saturday 20th January 2018
Venue: Papamoa SLSC, Papamoa Beach

Event Overview

Given that most junior events tend to prioritise individual events over team events, this year's Papamoa Junior Carnival will flip this and focus on team events for all ages with a particular emphasis on rescue events for the Under 12 and Under 14 age divisions in preparation for the Eastern Region Junior and Oceans 2018 events that follow. To assist the smaller clubs, mixed club teams as well as composite club teams (a mixture of 2 or more clubs) will be allowed to race, though competitors may only race once in any one event, e.g. an under 12 boy competing in a male board relay, is not permitted to also race in an under 12 mixed board relay. So bring the family down for a day of fun and action packed racing. All clubs are welcome to register.

Event Information

Registration:	Event registrations open 12 noon 21 Dec on the SLSNZ Enternow system. Entry close at 5pm Thursday 12 th January 2018. Entry \$15 per competitor.
High Visibility Vests:	High Visibility Vests are compulsory for all water event competitors. This includes all warm-up and warm-down sessions. No orange vests are to be worn.
Racing Uniform:	Club caps are compulsory.
Officials Briefing:	7.15am - Officials also to be present at team managers briefing – please be prompt so there is no delay to the event start time.
Team Managers Briefing:	7.30am – please be prompt so there is no delay to the event start time.
Marshalling Time	8:10am
Start Time:	8.30am
High Tide:	10.33am
Low Tide:	4.35pm

IMPORTANT INFORMATION: Please note that Papamoa Beach Road is closed on this date for the Port of Tauranga Ironman event from 7:15 am which had to be rescheduled after this carnival was booked with Tauranga Council. Please ensure all club gear trailers are in the domain by 7.15am at the latest to ensure there are no issues with the traffic management for the Ironman event. There will be marshals on the Papamoa Domain roundabout who will open the Domain access for your families and their vehicles to get into the event however please leave yourselves plenty of time.



Age Groups by Arena: (U8 & U9) (U10) (U11 & U12) (U13 & U14)

Please note that the age groups listed are dependent upon the number of entries and surf/weather conditions. Age group is determined by the competitor's age as at midnight on 30th September 2016. For example if you are 11 on the 30th September 2017, you will race in the U12 age group.

Missing Persons at Sea Protocol

Any lifeguards/parents who are competent swimmers please bring fins, goggles, wetsuit jacket or wetsuit so they can assist if there is a missing person at sea. Please ensure all Team Managers, coaches and parents are familiar with the missing persons at sea system.

200M BADGE

All junior members who wish to use foam or fibreglass paddleboards and/or swim beyond waist depth must hold their 200m safety badge. This is a mandatory safety requirement which demonstrates that junior members are confident in the ocean and capable of returning to shore if they are separated from their equipment.

Events

- The events listed are dependent upon the number of entries and surf/weather conditions.
- The rules for each of these events can be found in the [Surf Sports Competition Manual](#).

U8, U9 and U10 Events (Proposed Schedule of Events – subject to change) Racing will commence immediately after the finish of the 2km beach relay for Under 11, 12, 13 & 14 competitors.

Event:	Age Group:	Gender:
Beach Relays	U8, U9, and U10	Mixed – 4 person teams 2 x Male and 2 x Female
Flag Teams Race	U8, U9, and U10	Male, Female and Mixed – 3 person teams
Run Wade Run Relay	U8 and U9	Male, Female and Mixed – 3 member teams
Surf Teams Race	U10	Male, Female and Mixed – 3 member teams
Body Board Relay	U8 and U9	Male, Female and Mixed – 3 member teams
Board Relay	U9 and U10	Male, Female and Mixed – 3 member teams
Cameron Relay (3 or 4 competitors)	U9 and U10	Male and Female (1 or 2 Runners, 1 Swimmer, 1 Board Paddler) {a single runner would run both legs}



U11, U12, U13 and U14 Events (Proposed Schedule of Events – subject to change)

Event:	Age Group:	Gender:
2km Beach Relay	One each of U11, 12, 13 &14	2 x Females and 2 x Males
Surf Teams Race	U12 and U14	Male, Female and Mixed – 3 person teams
Board Relay	U12 and U14	Male, Female and Mixed – 3 person teams
Tube Rescues	U12 and U14	Male, Female and Mixed – 2 person teams
Board Rescues	U12 and U14	Male, Female and Mixed – 2 person teams
Grand Cameron Relay (6 Person)	U12 and U14	Mixed (1 Male Runner, 1 Female Runner, 1 Male Swimmer, 1 Female Swimmer, 1 Male Board Paddler, 1 Female Board Paddler)
Beach Relays	U12 and U14	2 x Male and 2 x Female
Flag Teams Race	U12 and U14	Male, Female and Mixed – 3 person teams

Board Sizes

Age Group:	Description:	Max. Length:	Min. Weight:
U8	Body Boards	N/A	N/A
U9	Body Boards	N/A	N/A
U9 & U10	Foam 'Nipper' Boards (soft fin)	2.7m (8'10")	N/A
U11	Fibreglass or Foam 'Nipper' Boards	2.7m (8'10")	4.5kg
U12	Fibreglass or Foam 'Nipper' Boards	2.7m (8'10")	4.5kg
U13	Full Length 'Malibu' Boards	3.2m (10'6")	7.6kg
U14	Full Length 'Malibu' Boards	3.2m (10'6")	7.6kg

Club Requirements to Provide Officials/helpers

In lieu of officials all clubs must provide at least one parent helper, qualified lifeguard, or official with good knowledge of the events in order to assist our officials based on the ratio of one official/helper per 10 athletes. Please let us know names in advance and what age group they would like to assist. Send to Poppy Crouch (poppycrouch@icloud.com). Clubs with under 10 participants are not required to provide assistance unless they have capacity to do so. Unfortunately athletes are not be permitted to participate unless they have the required parental/adult support ratios.

Club Points and Presentations

Club points will be allocated for all finals as follows - 1st place – 5 points; 2nd place – 3 points; 3rd place – 1 point. The Beach Flags Team event will be scored as per the surf teams race, i.e. the combined total of the 3 members finishing places.



Notes

Club gear trailers can be parked at allocated spaces on Papamoa Domain – refer to attached site plan and details for early entry to Papamoa Domain. Entry into the Domain is required by 7:15 am at the latest.

Event Managers

Event Manager	– Robynne Cabusao
Event Referee	- Jo Miller
Event Safety Officer	- Ross Merrett

If you require any further information on this event, please do not hesitate to contact Papamoa Junior Surf Committee;

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Papamoa Junior Team Competition Site Plan

