

Whanganui Schools Mountain Bike Championships 2018

at Pauri Lake, Whanganui

Friday 22nd June 2018

Event Information –

The event will be held at Pauri Lake, Kaitoke. Directions & map to venue attached.

Courses will vary for each grade (primary, intermediate, junior and senior).

Detailed maps for primary, intermediate & secondary are attached.

Individual races:

Primary - Year 6 – 1 small lap

Intermediate – Year 7 & 8 – 1 big lap

Junior – Year 9 & 10 – 2 big laps

Senior – Year 11, 12 & 13 – 3 big laps

All students will be briefed before their race.

Parking: Please park on the right hand side of Pauri Domain Road – DO NOT PARK ON THE PRISON SIDE.

Directions: Follow Pauri Road, turn right onto Pauri Domain Road as if you were going to the Prison, continue until you see water tank on right hand side. Park on the grass verge on the right hand side opposite the Prison. Once you have parked and unloaded bikes, walk straight to the Registration area to sign in and get details for the day.

Volunteers/marshals: Volunteer briefing is at 9.15am underneath Sport Whanganui marquee.

Clothing - We advise that students come dressed in the clothes that they wish to race in plus wear warm clothing on top. As the course is in the forest there are no changing facilities – only 1 x portaloos toilet. Please bring plenty of warm clothing and a jacket for wet weather.

Toilets – 1 x portaloos.

Helmets & Safety – Helmets are compulsory. Schools are responsible for the safety of student bikes ensuring they are safe to ride eg. Breaks/handle bars/head set.

Shoes – Covered shoes are compulsory. You will not be able to race without covered shoes. This will be checked at start line.

First aid – Each school is responsible for their own students so please can each school bring their own first aid kits/ice packs/strapping etc for their own students. Sport Whanganui will have a designated first aid tent and trained first aid staff member onsite to look after injuries in the first instance and will then hand them over to the teacher in charge. There will be a specific Sport Whanganui vehicle tagged as the emergency vehicle and this will be parked next to the entrance way.

Numbers in each race – If numbers exceed 30 in any grade, we will need to split group into 2 or 3 waves. The second and third wave of kids will be issued a coloured race band to put on before race starts – this is so we can time all waves and can record correctly at finish line.

Marshals on the course and Tail end Charlie – There will be a designated person biking around the course after each race to ensure no injuries/make sure everyone is back. They will have a radio/cellphone to report back if need to. There will also be marshals around the course at crucial points to ensure kids do not cheat and also to report back to the headquarters if there are any injuries.

Numbered signs will attach to all bikes for all competitors – Each competitor will be given a numbered sign that easily attaches to their bike and these will be ready for you to pick up on the day with a sheet that will allocate each entry from your school to a numbered sign for bike. Please ensure competitors take this number off their bike at the finish line and put in the bin provided.

Hire a Bike – If students need to hire a bike, please book through the YMCA.

Food – All students must bring there own food and water. There will be some water available to fill drink bottles but NO FOOD available.

Athletes should report to the start 10 minutes prior to the start time.

Entry fee: \$3 per student.

Schools will be invoiced after the event.

Please make cheques payable to Sport Whanganui.

Entries due - On or before 4.00pm Friday 15th June electronically on the excel form provided.

Entries to Clare Lynch at Sport Wanganui - clare@sportwhanganui.co.nz Ph: 06 349 2881 or 027 370 7226

Timetable

* Each school to please sign in at Sport Whanganui marquee as soon as you arrive.

9.30am	Course open for riding
9.50am	Race Briefing for Year 6 - 8 grades
10.00am	Year 6 Boys Race
10.05am	Year 6 Girls Race
10.45 am	Year 7/8 Race Boys Race
10.50am	Year 7/8 Race Girls Race.
11.20am	Prizegiving – Years 6-8
11.25am	Race Briefing for Year 9 – 13 grades
11.30am	Year 9/10 Race – Boys Race
11.35am	Year 9/10 Race – Girls Race
1.00 pm	Year 11, 12 & 13 Race – Boys Race
1.05 pm	Year 11, 12 & 13 Race – Girls Race
2.15pm	Prizegiving – Years 9-13

Age Grades:

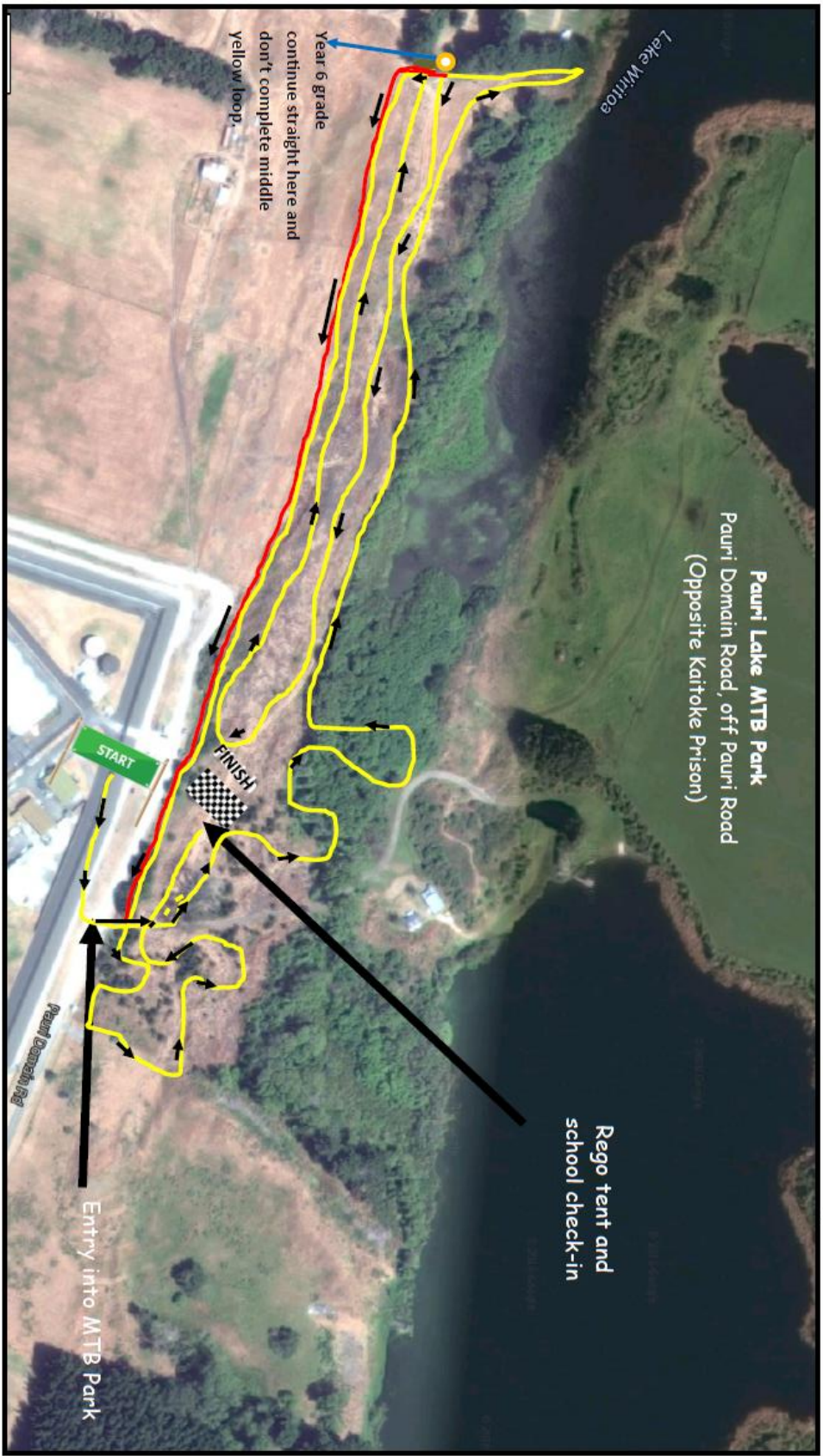
Primary: Year 6

Intermediate: Year 7 & 8 – Girls will start 5 mins after boys.

Junior: Year 9 & 10 - Girls will start 5 mins after boys.

Senior: Year 11, 12 & 13 - Girls will start 5 mins after boys.

WHANGANUI SCHOOLS MTB CHAMPS 2018



Pauri Lake MTB Park
 Pauri Domain Road, off Pauri Road
 (Opposite Karitoke Prison)

Rego tent and
 school check-in

Year 6 grade
 continue straight here and
 don't complete middle
 yellow loop.

Entry into MTB Park

- Year 6 complete Yellow loop then cut across to red
- Year 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12 & 13

PARKING: Please park on the right hand side of Pauri Domain Road when arriving, NOT on the Karitoke Prison side.

- Year 6 = 1 small lap (yellow then onto red)
- Year 7 & 8 = 1 big yellow lap
- Year 9 & 10 = 2 big yellow laps
- Year 11, 12 & 13 = 3 big yellow laps

