



CALLIOPE CAPERS

3 OCTOBER 2018

CLUB EVENTS

Wed 3 October

EYRES TEAM RACE – This is a handicapped mass start race. It is run around Hinemoa and Palmerston Roads loop. Club singlets must be worn.

Sunday 7 October

BATHURST RACE – This is a club race that is run from our President's, Greg Arnold home, 6 Paramu Avenue, Birkdale. Meet at the Arnolds at 1pm. Club uniform to be worn. Please bring food and drinks for a BBQ after the race. Details of race below.

Wed 10 October

CLAYWORTH PAIRS – Two person team cross country race. Club uniform. Mr Clayworth, a prominent English harrier, took interest in the club and presented a silver cup for this competition. For many years the pairs ran together with the stronger runner encouraging the other. Sometimes, the stronger runner followed the first runner. On many occasions the pairs ran in opposite directions, met, then turned and ran back to the start. This is how the race is run today. The pairs are handicapped and there is a staggered start. Both runners start outside the club on the sports field and run in opposite directions around the loop. When they meet, usually somewhere in Birkenhead Avenue, they return to the start. When they meet, one runner does an additional loop of the course. One loop is approximately 1.9km. Here is the link for the map of the race http://www.calliopeahc.org/uploads/4/6/3/2/4632467/clayworth_pairs.pdf

Volunteers: Allan Lamb and Sarah Murdin

Wed 17 October

KING and QUEEN of the MOUNTAIN (Under 16 Prince and Princess)
This was introduced in 1994. The race is the culmination of the winter season and it is a steep climb from the Chelsea Sugar Works at the bottom of Colonial Road to the top. The race is handicapped and there is a staggered start. Recently, the title of Prince and Princess has been included for junior male and female competitors and the title of Sultan and Sultana for the first male and female walkers. Here is the link for the map of the race http://www.calliopeahc.org/uploads/4/6/3/2/4632467/king_queen_mount_ain.pdf

Volunteers: Naomi Pocock, James Clendon + 2 helpers at the finish.

Wednesday 24 October Summer Season Track and Field commences.

NORTHCOTE TAVERN RUN/WALK has commenced

This kicks off on Mondays at 6.15pm for walkers and 6.30pm for runners. Gold coin donation and spot prizes. This is organised by Calliope and it would be good to see you all there.

Devonport Half Marathon

Sunday was the Devonport Marathon, and the weather conditions were perfect for an epic battle for Calliope 1st and 2nd place to take place. Steve hot on Martin's tail for most of the 21k, with a late push to sneak ahead at the 18km point at north head and Martin hard on Steve's tail trying to pull back the lead. Steve held out to get a new PB and Martin also flying in with a super fast time. Well done to all Calliopes out there.

Results

Steve G - 01:34:54 (new PB)

Martin - 01:35:24

Mike S - 01:48:21

Saz M - 01:52:47

Sandra - 02:18:36 (pacing 02:20)

Michael J - 02:18:36 (pacing 02:20)

Associates

Tim M - 02:09:00

Nadia C - 02:16:26

Walkers – Auckland Winter Xterra Series

Murray Stevens(at the tender age of 77) received an age group prize (60+) for the Auckland Winter Xterra Series.

This was a series of six trail events at different locations around Auckland and he was competing in the Mid distance walk. (10 to 15k).

This was achieved more by persistence than ability as the normal outright walk winner was in his age group. However this person only competed in four events and five were required to qualify.

Murray competed all six events and received a medal along with all others that were keen (or crazy enough) to finish all six.

Taranaki Steelformers Around The Mountain Relay

Are there any teams out there up for the challenge, or just get a team together and have a fabulous weekend in the Naki with over 1600 other participants?

Kind regards

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Please note new email address: cyclechallenge@outlook.com

Barb Ward <wardb929@gmail.com>

I have fond memories of Calliope even though I was not a member for long, 1993 or 4 till maybe 1998 or so. I don't recognise many faces and was sad to hear of Graeme's passing. Hugh might remember me though. Still plodding along, mostly walking due to foot problem and with Jogging the Powerpoles here in Rotorua. Happy days with you lot!

EYRES TEAM CUP 2018, Wednesday 3 October 2018 at 6.30pm

Meet at Cricket Club rooms at 6.30pm. Handicapping to be done BEFORE 6.40pm. Head down to start at 80 Hinemoa Street, Birkenhead to start at 7pm.

Teams consist of 3 or 4 people. Each team member will complete 2 laps, total 3.6km (each lap is 1.8km). Depending on the number of athletes at the time, this will determine if teams consist of 3 or 4. Due to the number of athletes on the day, a team may not have a full complement of athletes. In this scenario the team shall nominate a member before the race, whose result shall be used twice, the athlete does not run/walk twice.

Mass start with handicapping applied at the end to give team final result.

Club uniform and membership required to qualify for the cup. Any late arrivals after 6.40pm will not be valid for competition. Non uniform, non-membership or late arrivals can only run as a guest runner. Any team with a guest runner will not qualify for the cup.

Handicapping Times: There are recorded times for some, these times will be used to apply the handicap. For those who do not yet have a recorded time please have an estimate for your 5km road race time, so handicapping can be done (while a race data on members is building up). Your estimates need to be honest, if you are 10% faster, it may result in a team disqualification.

Volunteers: Sara Duggan & Georgina O'Sullivan

BATHURST 1000 (2018)

Race Name: Bathurst 1000

Date: Sunday 7th October 2018

Time: 1pm

Meeting Point: 6 Paramu Avenue, Birkdale (Greg's House)

Race Volunteers: **Greg & Mike S**

Event Details:

1pm meet at Greg's House - **Don't be late**

Handicapping to be done BEFORE 1:10pm

Head down to the start 1:15pm @ 215 Birkdale Rd, Birkdale

Race kick-off 1:30pm

Race Type:

Individual

Each Athlete will complete 2 laps - 6km total distance

Race start:

Delayed handicapped starts.

Race Map:

<https://www.calliopeahc.org/uploads/4/6/3/2/4632467/bathurst.pdf>

Race Rules:

Club uniform & membership required to qualify for the cup.

Any late arrivals after 1:10pm will not be valid for competition - **Don't be late**

***Non-uniform, non-membership or late arrivals can only run as a guest runner.**

Handicapping Times:

We have recorded times for some, these times will be used to apply the handicap.

For those who do not yet have a recorded time, please have an estimate for your 5km road race time, so handicapping can be done (while we are building up race data on members).

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