

Final Competitor Notes

Welcome to the City to Surf and Surf to Surf events. This year we have a field of 1400 competitors across the three events. We trust that you will enjoy your event. *A few final points...*

Registration – Mitre 10 Mega Tauranga 21km City to Surf

Venue Tauranga Yacht Club, Sulphur Point
Sunday 7.00 – 8.30am

Registration – United Airlines 11km City to Surf

Venue Tauranga Yacht Club, Sulphur Point
Sunday 7.00 – 9.30am

Registration – Bay of Plenty Times 5km Surf to Surf

Venue Event Promotions marquee on grass area adjacent to the Mount Surf Club
Sunday 7.30 – 9.30am

Race numbers/ Timing Transponders

Please ensure that you attach your race number to the front of your shirt. Pins are in your race bag. Your timing transponder is attached to the back of your race number; please do not bend your number as it will break your transponder and you will not receive a time. Transponders are disposable so no need to hand them in at the finish line.

Starts and Race Briefing

21km City to Surf - Start is located in the car park adjacent to the Tauranga Yacht Club. Briefing is at 8.50am.

Runners start is at 9.00am.

Walkers start is at 9.05am.

11km City to Surf - Start is located in the car park adjacent to the Tauranga Yacht Club. Briefing is at 9.50am.

Runners start is at 10.00am.

Walkers start is at 10.05am.

5km Surf to Surf – Start is located on the Main Beach outside the Surf Club, Mount Maunganui. Briefing is at 9.50am.

Run/Walk start is at 10.00am.

Shuttle Bus Service

There is a shuttle service from the Mount Surf Club to the start line of the Half Marathon and 11km City to Surf events. The Half Marathon shuttles will leave from 7.15am and the 11km shuttles will leave from 8.15am. Those who have pre-purchased a shuttle ticket, your name will be on a list at the buses with the marshal, please see the marshal and tick your name off the list.

Shuttle tickets will be available for purchase on the day from the marshal at the buses for \$5 (cash only).

Gear drop off and collection (21km and 11km only)

All 21km and 11km competitors will have a bag tag attached to the bottom of their race number which they can tear off and place around their bag to then be placed on the Mainfreight truck at the start line. The truck will be there from 8am. Collection is from the Mainfreight Truck outside the Mount Surf Club, near the finish line.

Prize giving

Prize giving for all events will take place on the main beach near the Mount Surf Club at 1.15pm.

Results and online certificates

A full set of results will be available from Sunday afternoon.

Road safety

All participants must run/walk inside the line of road cones on the course at all times. No roads are closed for the event, road rules apply at all times. Extra caution must be taken when running / walking down Totara Street when approaching intersections and train tracks, there are three train tracks and ALL competitors must stop if there is a train. Additional caution is required when completing the Mount track section of each event as the track is open to other users. At all times, obey instructions given to you by the Police, Event Officials and Marshals, thank you.

Walkers – Half Marathon and 11km City to Surf

Walkers are requested to walk no more than two abreast so as not to impede the progress of the runners or to create a traffic hazard. Please show courtesy to others at all times allowing others to pass, especially on the Mount Base Track as this is only narrow. We rely on the integrity of walkers to walk so please; in the spirit of the event abide by the walking criteria. Walkers in the Half Marathon and 11km event only will receive red bib numbers to help distinguish their category. If you are going to run/walk please enter as a runner.

Aid Stations

21km City to Surf - These are located at 6km mark, 11km, 14km mark, 18km mark and the finish line

11km City to Surf - These are located at 4km mark, 8km mark and the finish line

5km Surf to Surf - These are located at start, 1.5km mark and the finish line

Water only will be available on the course. You will be given a Loaded Sports Drink on the finish line.

Toilets

Toilets are situated at both start lines, at Coronation Park (on the Half Marathon and 11km course) and at the finish line. Toilets at the finish line will be beside the Mount Surf Club and within the Campground, these will be signposted.

We hope you enjoy the event!