

PaddleNSW Marathon Series Race 8

Hosted by Hunter Valley Paddle Sports Club

Saturday 2nd September 2023

at Teralba Bowling Club 2A York St Teralba NSW 2284

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"I would like to acknowledge the Traditional Custodians of the land on which we are meeting, the Awabakal People, and acknowledge the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander people who now reside in this area. I extend that respect to Elders – past and present – and future cultural knowledge holders."

Directions

From south to north on M1 to Newcastle. Take Toronto overpass off M1. Drive to Toronto. At Caltex turn left at traffic lights, sign reads Newcastle Wallsend. B53. From traffic lights go straight for 5 kms. At roundabout veer left, sign reads Teralba, York St. Go straight to Teralba bowling club 2.5 km

Facilities

The adjacent Teralba Bowling Club has a bar and restaurant open following the race.

Coffee van will be on site

Toilets are available to use at the bowling club and portaloos adjacent to the race .

Course Outline

5km loop. Head upstream (keeping the red buoys on your left) to the old railway bridge pylons turn anticlockwise around buoys head back downstream past the start line (keep red buoys on your left) to the buoys just before the Five Islands Bridge turn anticlockwise. (Course map attached)

On your final lap after rounding the 3 yellow buoys go into the finish gate marked by the green buoys continue down the center of the creek to finish between the Blue finishing buoys. (Finish gate close up map attached)

Entries

There will be no provision for new race registrations on the day.

Lifejackets: Must be worn

Check-in opens: 08:30am

Check-in closes: 09:25am.

All paddlers must have completed check-in and number collection before 09:25am.

Race starts:

- . 9.30 am Div7.
- . 9.40 am Div6.
- . 9.50 am Div5.
- .10 am Div1.
- . Subsequent Divisions (2,3,4,8,9,10,11,12,13)

Safety Boats:

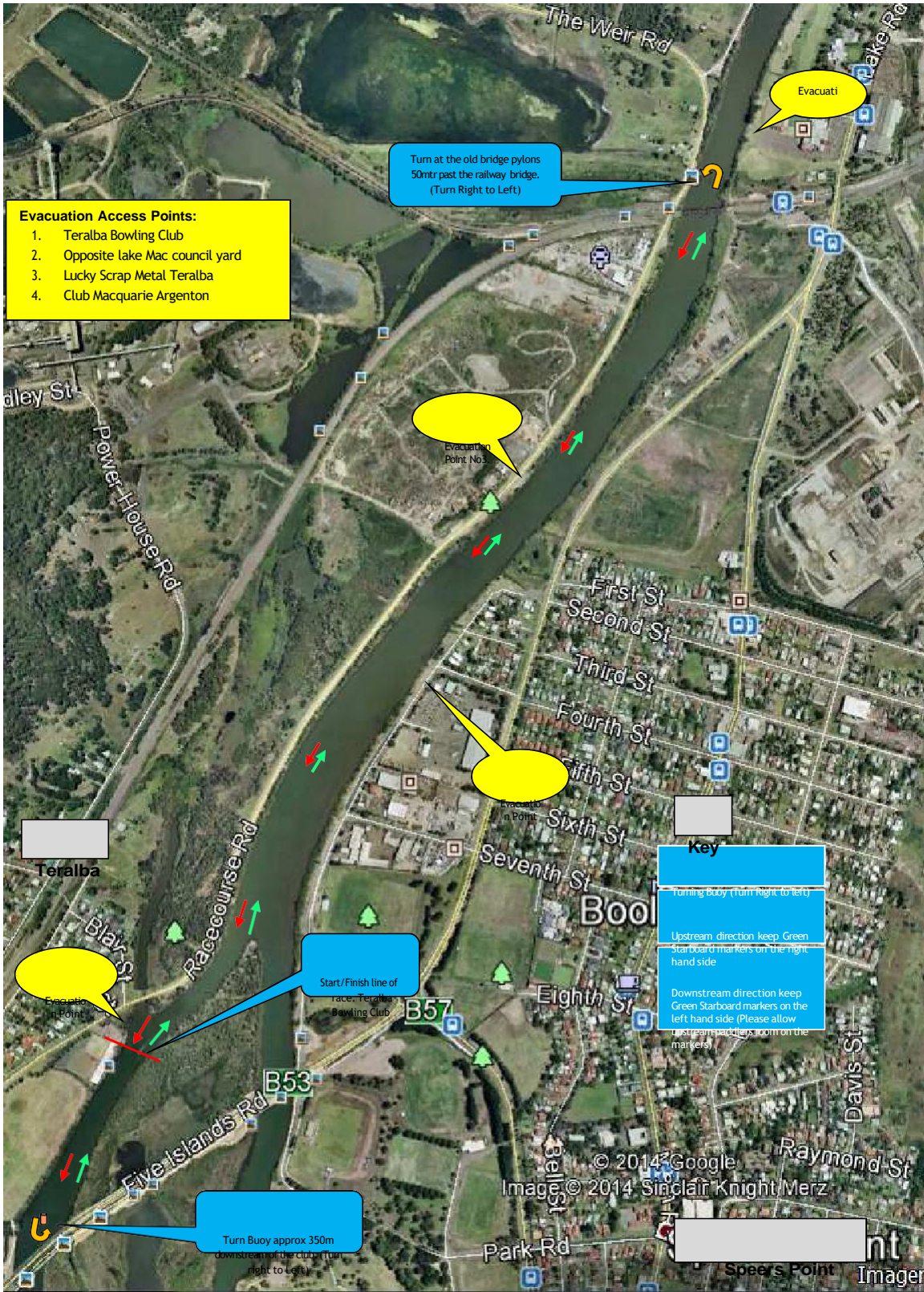
There will be 3 SES safety boats attending the race who will be there to assist paddlers.

Please assist if anyone is struggling during the race. Adjustments in race times will be made for those who have stopped to help out.

Presentation:

Presentation will be made to Division winners at the completion of all races.

Teralba NSW HVPC 5km Course



Finish Detail

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