



# Malanuka Outrigger Canoe Club

welcomes you to our

## MACKAY REGATTA

on

Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> June 2019  
at Harbour Beach, Mackay

Race Program and maps only – to be read in conjunction with the AOCRA Regatta and Training Rules August 2017 and Matters for Attention 2018.



Australian Government  
Department of Social Services

# Racing Program

## **IMPORTANT NOTICE:**

The Race Program will run on time, or at the discretion of the Race Director. Clubs must provide adequate canoes for competitors in each division. For our Regatta to run on time be ready for your event.

***Please note that races may be brought forward on the day so it is important to listen for changes over the PA system.***

If your club requires the use of a canoe please let Malanuka know before the Regatta.

All canoes are required to carry one PFD per paddler, and must be easily accessible.

Always be sun smart.

**Race Director: Maata Strecker 0400 190 063**

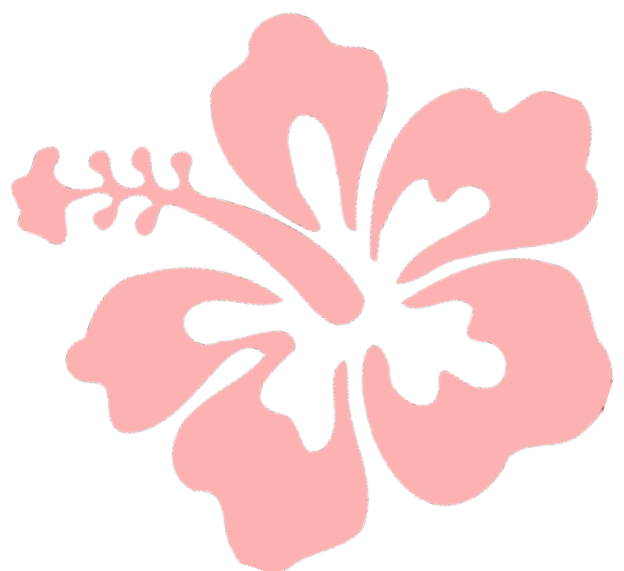
**Regatta Coordinator: Christine Den Elzen 0409 766 805**

## **THE VENUE**

The regatta will be held at Harbour Beach, Mackay, on the southern side of the Mackay Surf Lifesaving Club. In the event of inclement weather, the alternate regatta site will be Eimeo Beach. The alternative site will be communicated to clubs.

## **REFRESHMENTS**

Malanuka will be selling food and cold drinks throughout the day.



## PARKING

Trailer parking is available towards the southern end of Harbour Beach. Proceed down East Point Drive, past Mulherin Park, to the gravel area in front of the beach. Trailer parking will be signed.

Vehicle Parking is available in the car park off East Point Drive south of the Surf Club and also in the Trailer Parking Area.



General view of Regatta Location



## PRESENTATIONS

*Location:* Breakwater Bar and Restaurant (downstairs function room)

*Time:* 6.30pm pre-dinner Drinks  
7.00pm Dinner  
7.45pm Presentations  
8.30pm Let your hair down and show us your Dance Moves



## **DRESS CODE: Bold and Bright to show off your CLUB colours**

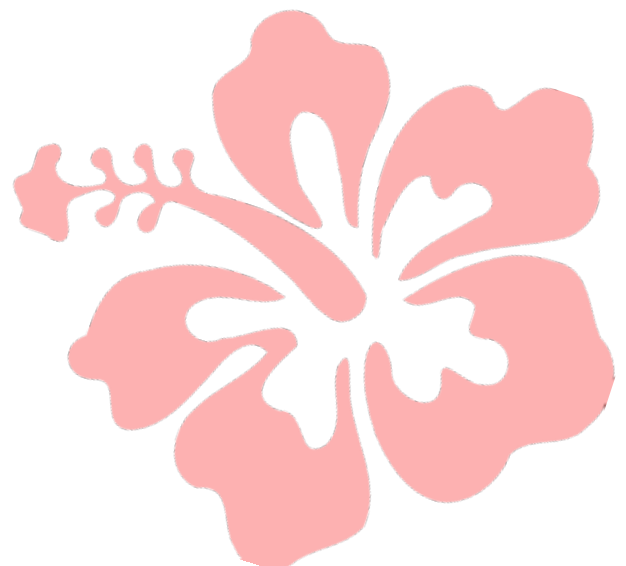
Meal tickets are \$25 (\$12.50 for children under 12) and need to be pre-purchased via the AOCRA website.

*Meal - Buffet Meal with Dessert*

## ACCOMMODATION

There is a range of accommodation available close to the regatta site. Please book directly.

- Riviera Mackay Hotel, River Street, Mackay CBD – (07) 4914 2460 or [info@rivieramackay.com.au](mailto:info@rivieramackay.com.au)
  - Use code 'Regatta' to receive a 10% discount
- Clarion Hotel, Mackay Marina - (07) 4955 9400
- Big 4 Caravan Park, Harbour Road - (07) 4955 1496
- Various Airbnb's in the area





## NOMINATION FEES

		Senior Paddlers	Junior Paddlers
OC6	Per Crew Per Division Per Event	\$78	\$25 flat fee per regatta for Junior Events only
OC1/2	Per Crew Per Division Per Event	\$13	

## CLUB NOMINATIONS

**Club Nominations include all OC6 events and all individual events**

All clubs must lodge a CLUB NOMINATION with payment, performed online, at [www.aocra.com.au](http://www.aocra.com.au).

Individuals wishing to compete in an OC1/2 event can either lodge a “CLUB NOMINATION” with payment by credit card, at [www.aocra.com.au](http://www.aocra.com.au)

**All Regatta Nominations close at 5pm Friday 14 June 2019.**

## TEAM AND INDIVIDUAL EVENTS

The names of individuals eligible to paddle in each race, in each division, must be lodged online at [www.aocra.com.au](http://www.aocra.com.au) no later than **5pm Friday 21 June 2019.**

Late nominations will be accepted with an additional late fee of \$10 per senior paddler for all events.

If insufficient/no nominations are received for certain divisions, the race director will combine divisions or delete from the schedule of events.

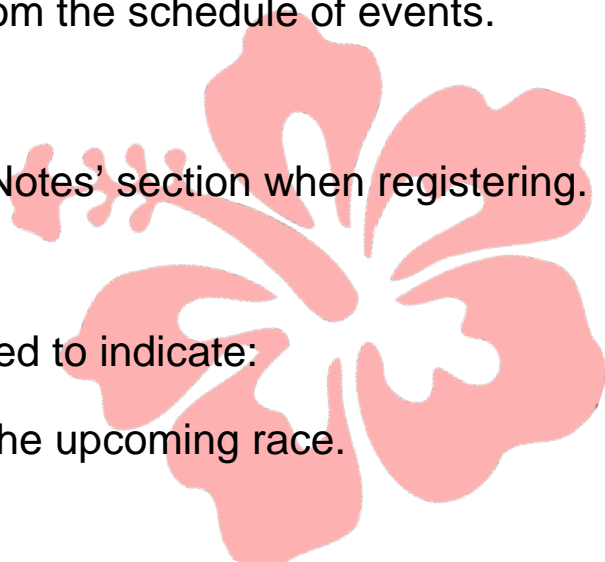
## CANOE NUMBERS

Canoe numbers must be included in the ‘Notes’ section when registering.

## SIGNING IN ON RACE DAY

When signing in for OC6 events, clubs need to indicate:

- Which individuals are in each crew for the upcoming race.



- The canoe number (and any identifying feature, e.g. sponsor name, colour, ama colour etc).
- Crew name (if applicable).

When signing in for OC1/2 and V1/3 events, individuals need to:

- Confirm the division is correct.
- Indicate which individual/s is paddling.
- The canoe number (and any identifying feature, e.g. sponsor name, colour, ama colour etc).

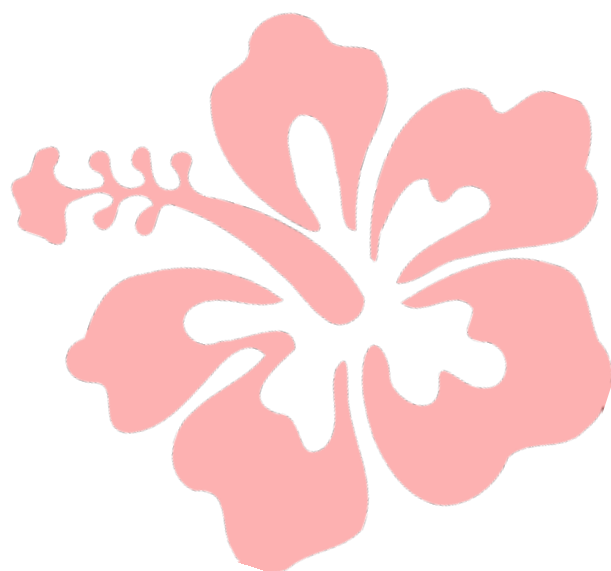
It is appreciated that paddlers do not approach the Sign In desk until they have all of the above information.

### **MORE INFORMATION**

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Issues when registering via the AOCRA website: Kat Sullivan, AOCRA Registrar (contact details are on website)



# Regatta Schedule of Events

**SATURDAY, 29 JUNE 2019**

Sunrise: 6.45am

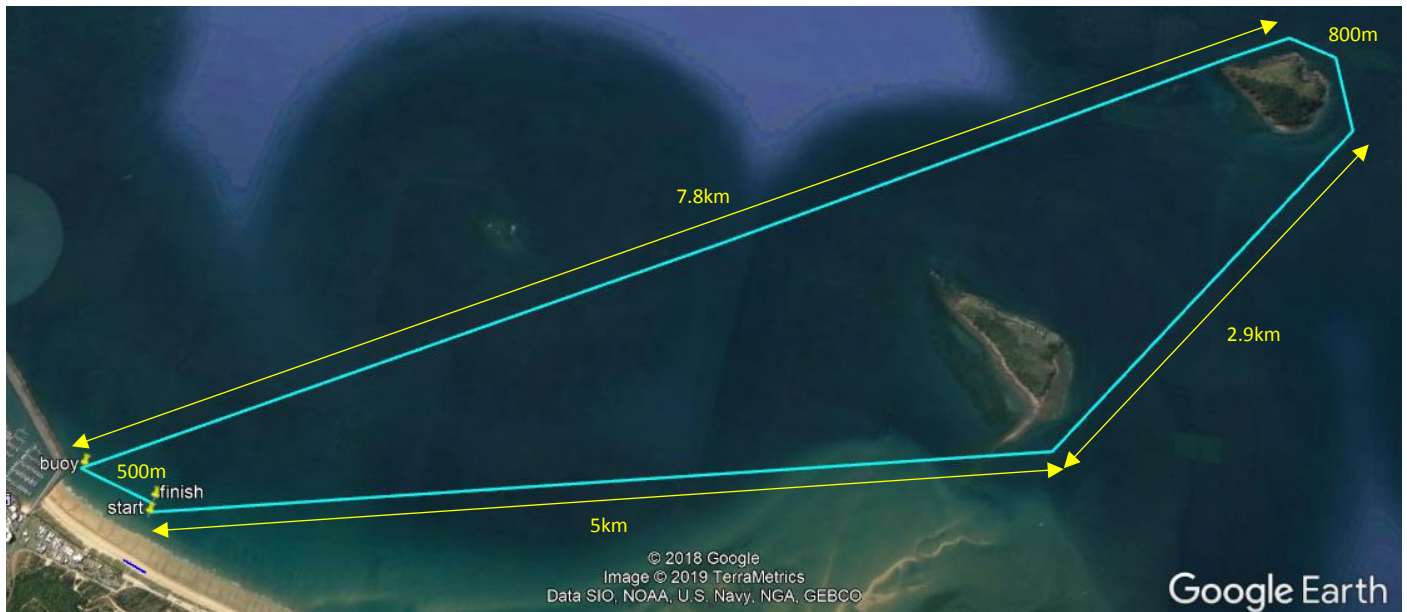
Sunset:

High Tide: 0802 (4.54m)

Low Tide: 1424 (0.88m)

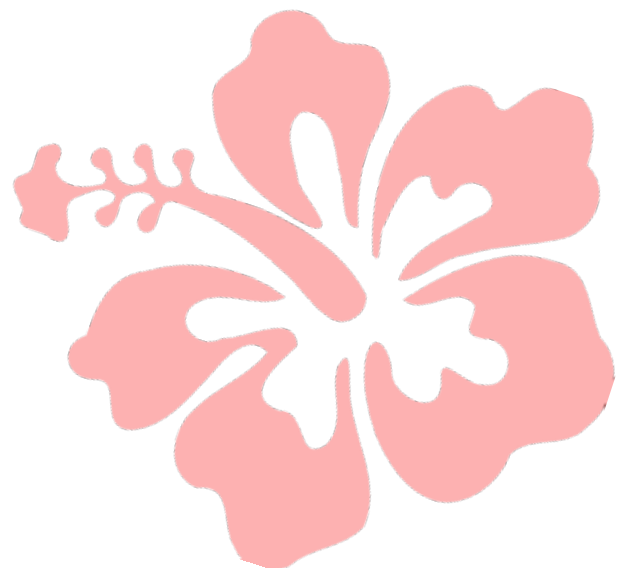
Event #	Time	Event	Distance
	0630	Blessing	-
	0645	<b>Briefing: All Senior OC6 Long Distance Events</b>	
1	0700	All Women - All Divisions Marathon	17km
2	0705	All Mixed - All Divisions Marathon	17km
3	0710	All Men - All Divisions Marathon	17km
	0720	<b>Briefing: All Junior OC1/2/V1/V3 Events</b>	
4	0735	U12/U14 OC1/V1	2km
5		U16/U19 OC2/V3	4km
	0915	<b>Briefing: Senior OC6 Novice &amp; Open Mx Marathon</b>	
6	0930	Novice Marathon OM/OW/OMx	6km
7		Mx Marathon- All Divisions	
	1000	<b>Briefing: All Junior OC1/2/V1/V3 Events</b>	
8	1015	U16/U19 OC1/V1	4km
9		U12/14 OC2/V3	2km
	1100	<b>Briefing: All OC6 Sprint Events</b>	
10	1115	OM	500m
11	1130	OW	500m
12	1145	U12/U14	500m
13	1200	MM	500m
14	1215	MW	500m
15	1230	U16/U19	500m
16	1245	SMM/GMM	500m
17	1300	SMW/GMW	500m
18	1315	MX (all divisions)	500m
	1345	<b>Briefing: All Senior OC1/2/V1/V3</b>	
19	1400	Women OC1/V1 (U19 and all senior divisions)	6km
20		Men OC2/V3 (U19 and all senior divisions)	
	1430	<b>Briefing: Junior OC6 Events</b>	
21	1445	U12/U14 Mixed Marathon	2km
22		U16/U19 Mixed Marathon	4km
23	1530	Men OC1/V1 (U19 and all senior divisions)	6km
24		Women OC2/V3 (U19 and all senior divisions)	
25	1615	Mixed OC2/V3 (OMx/MMx/SMx/Novice)	4km
	1645	<b>Ends</b>	

## Women, Men and Mixed – All Divisions OC6 17km Marathon Course



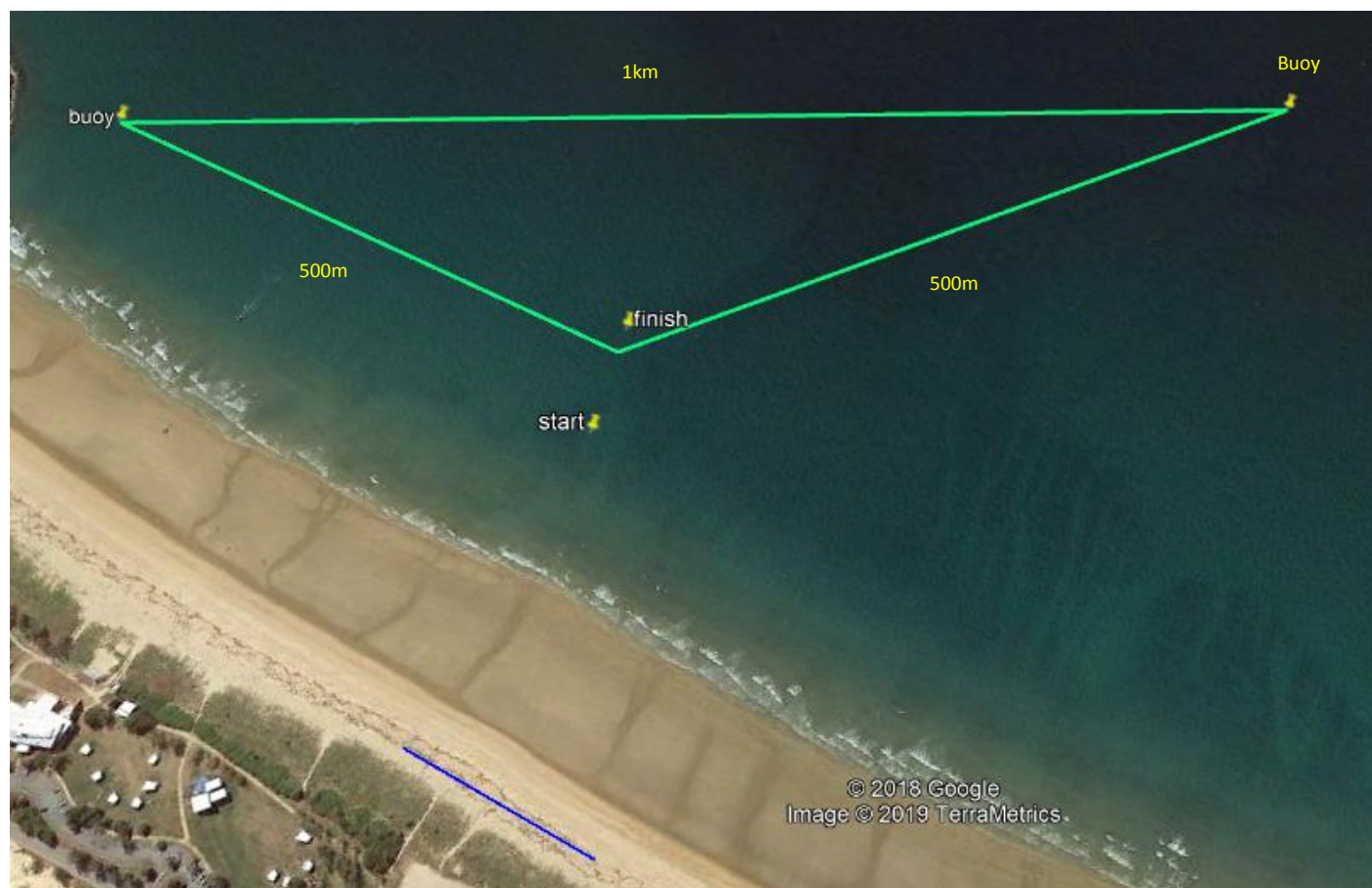
The 17km marathon will start between two buoys in front of the regatta site. Crews will proceed 5km towards flat top island, keeping the island on the leftside. Crews will continue paddling around the end of Flat Top Island and proceed East towards Round Top Island. Crews will round the back of Round Top Island keeping the Island on their left. Once around the Island crews will head 7.8km towards a buoy at the breakwall end of the beach, make an ama turn and paddle parallel to the beach, to the start/finish line.

Note, the course direction may differ on the day, to take advantage of the prevailing wind conditions for the leg home.



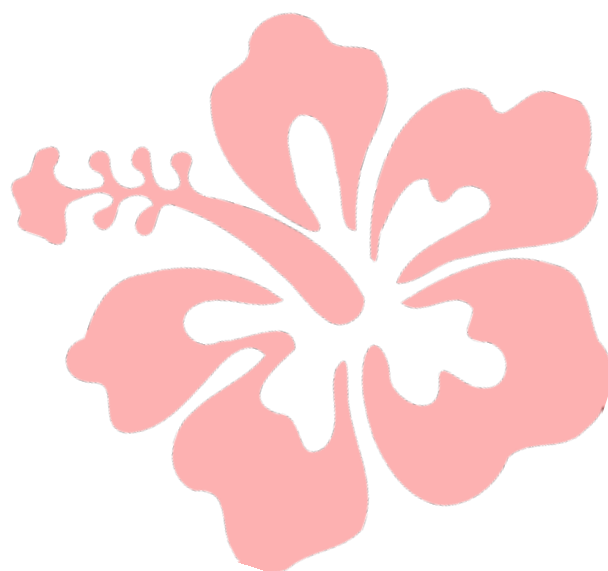


## U12/U14 OC1/OC2 V1/V3 OC6 Mixed Marathon 2km Course



The 2km course will start between two buoys in front of the regatta site. Crews will proceed 500m in South East direction to turn buoy 1, make an ama turn and proceed 1km South to the turn buoy located at breakwall end of the beach, make an ama turn and paddle parallel along the beach towards the start/finish line.

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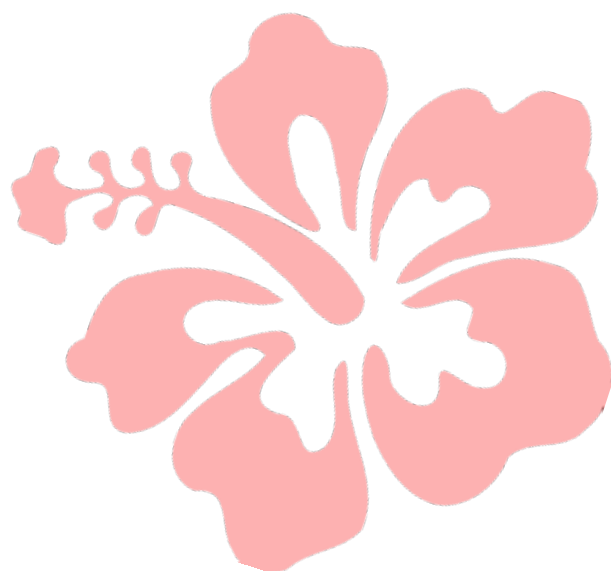


## U16/U19 OC1/OC2 V1/V3 OC6 Mixed Marathon and Mixed OC2/V3 (OMx/MMx/SMx/Novice) 4km Course

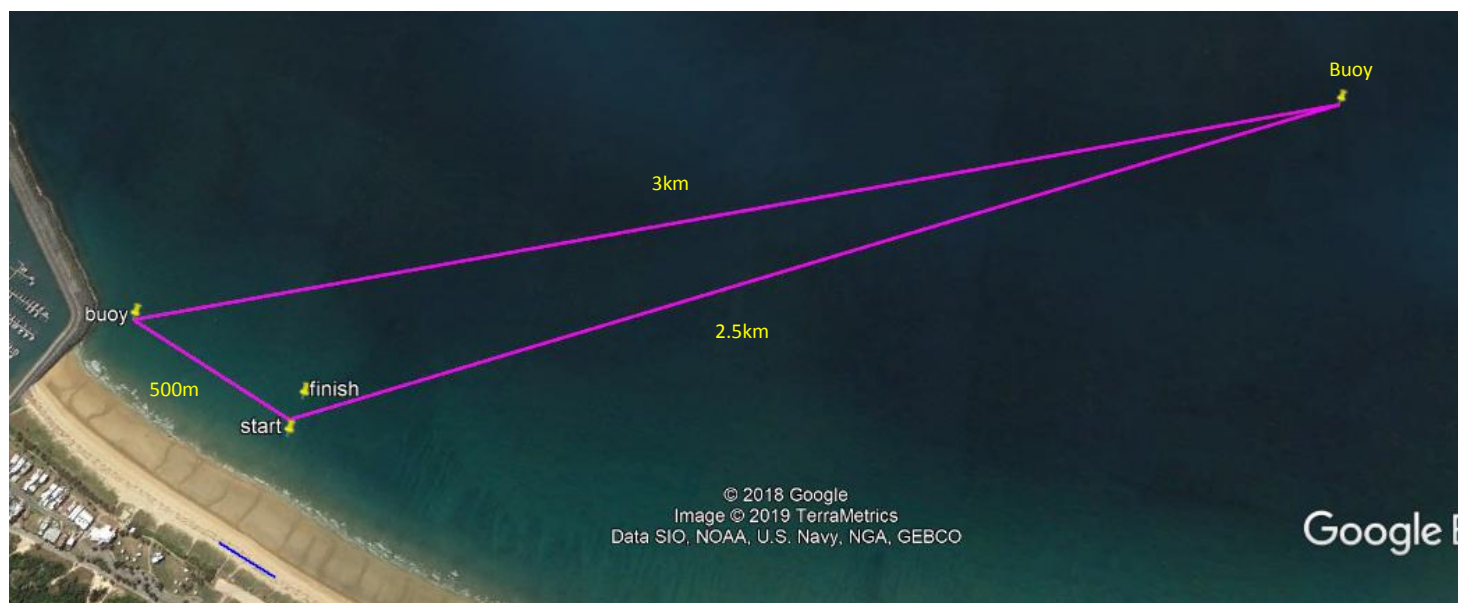


The 4km course will start between two buoys in front of the regatta site. Crews will proceed to the 1.5km turn buoy, make an ama turn and proceed 2km to the turn buoy, make an ama turn and paddle parallel along the beach towards the start/finish line.

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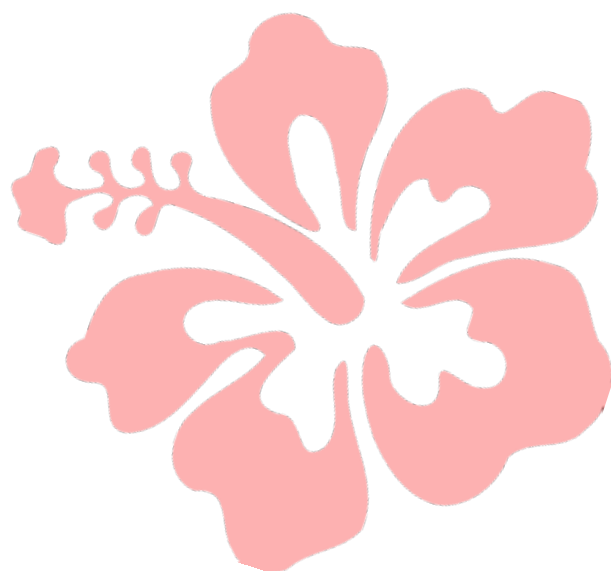


## OC6 Novice Marathon (OM/OW/OMx) and OMx Marathon and All Women and All Men OC1/OC2/V1/V3 6km Course



The 6km course will start between two buoys in front of the regatta site. Crews will proceed to the 2.5km turn buoy, make an ama turn and proceed 3km to the turn buoy, make an ama turn and paddle parallel along the beach towards the start/finish line.

Note, the course may differ on the day, to take advantage of the prevailing wind conditions for the leg home



## All OC6 Sprints:



All senior and junior OC6 500m short course events will take place in front of the regatta site.

Crews will paddle out 500m. Sprint will be directly back towards the beach to the finish line- marked by two buoys, in front of the regatta site.

