

## Canterbury Water Ski Assn.

### Australia vs New Zealand Championships 2014

Friday 24th - Monday 27th January

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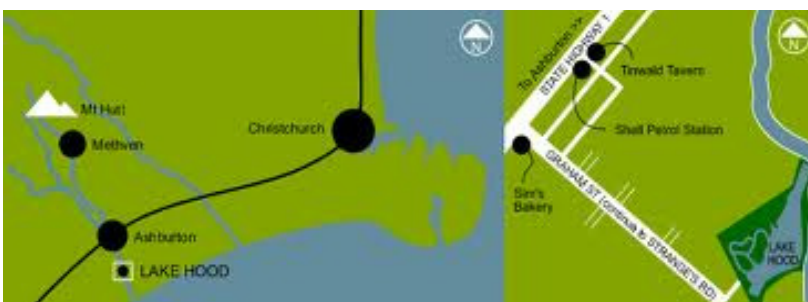
#### Welcome ...

to Ashburton, and to skiing the 2014 Oz-Kiwi Challenge at Lake Hood.

Our committee have the details finalized now so you can all confirm bookings. Then everyone can move on to summer ski schools, tourneys and holidays ... January is fast approaching.

Lake Hood's a purpose built recreational lake 6 km southeast of Ashburton... Through Tinwald, then left on to Grahams road and Stranges road.

With the adjoining Tournament Water Ski Lane on the sheltered river side of the lake.



Lake Hood is only 10 minutes from town, and it is another 5 minutes around the top of the lake, to the Tournament Water Ski Site by the river.

#### Accommodation ...

Some New Zealand skiers have bookings at Coronation Park, 780 East St Ashburton. Ph 03 308 6603 Australian skiers are staying at nearby at the Commodore Motor Lodge, 814 East st, ph 03 308 8050 The Hotel Ashburton, Racecourse rd, ph 03 308 3059, is also a very nice option ... and the Licensing Trust have been generous sponsors of water skiing for many years.

#### Ski Storage ...

The HRL marquee will be on site near the docks for 3 event bag storage.

#### Shelter ...

There'll be a hospitality / spectator marquee at the clubhouse and another at the jump. Feel free to bring along your own deck chairs.

#### Kitchen ...

Our clubhouse canteen will serve the usual range of food for you through the day. Including cooked breakfasts, hamburgers, steak sandwiches etc, plus slices, drinks and treats.

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#### Itinerary and Meals...

- Tuesday 21 Australian team has flights to Christchurch, brief tour thru' earthquake recovery zone, cardboard cathedral  
Approximately 4.30pm tbc, NZ families welcome also.  
Ashburton is an hour south of Christchurch by car  
Motel tea or Takeaways... Indian, KFC, McD, BK, Sub, Thai, Chinese
- Wednesday 22 **Training** for both NZ and Australian teams on Tournament site, 4 hours per team  
Teams meet and greet lunch... gourmet burger combos \$10.  
Robbies Bar & Bistro evening meal, casual family dining on West st
- Thursday 23 **Training** for both NZ and Australian teams,  
2 Nautique - Slalom, Trick, Jump training on Tournament Site, 5 hrs per team  
200's - Tricks/ jump cut on the main lake (closed for training) 3 hrs " "  
Officials meeting, and skiers briefing  
New Caps, and Teams "Off-water Familiarization"  
**Onsite informalities and evening meal in the Marquee**  
\$15 per person, BYO drinks
- Friday 24 **Competition** begins  
**Opening Ceremony & evening meal in the Clubhouse Marquee**  
After days skiing complete. Teams in uniform please  
Formal team welcome, speeches, photos, national anthems  
Flag raising, Dignitaries and sponsors invited  
\$20 per person
- Saturday 25 **Competition** **Lakehouse Restaurant, Lake Hood**  
Buffet 2 course meal, and skiers entertainment  
\$28 per person
- Sunday 26 **Competition** Town Night  
Robbies Bar and Bistro, near motels.  
Alternatively Speights, or Braided Rivers up town  
This booking can be taken once skiers are on site
- Monday 27 **Competition** **Prize Giving Dinner**  
& pack up Hotel Ashburton, Racecourse rd, near the motels  
Dignitaries invited for medals presentation.  
Buffet meal, and complimentary drink on arrival.  
\$25 per person,  
The Ashburton Licensing Trust have very generously sponsored this evening.  
The Hotel has rooms available for anyone out of town or wishing to stay after prize giving.
- Tuesday 28 Flights out



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#### Entry Fees

3 Events \$195 (NZ\$193 last year)  
1-2 Events \$170

**Training** \$230/hr Both teams have a total of 9 hours each, allocated on the Tournament Water Ski Site, to be split over Wed/ Thursday...\$86 each for 22.5mins

We also have the main lake closed Thursday and available for extra training. As time on the water is important to skiers, and we have the opportunity of using two lakes, with up to 3 hours extra per team available... skiers could opt for \$115 for 30 minutes

Team managers to decide how many additional hours you may like to book for your team.

We need to confirm, and advise closure of the lake.

Entry fees, and training payments are to be paid by 10th December, team managers to arrange.

#### Meals

We'll pre book and pay meals on four nights, and the other nights venues are your choice. Thursday, Friday and Saturday night dinners will be at the Lake, at the completion of the days skiing. We'll aim to wrap these nights up earlier, with skiers on the water the next morning.

Please book meals so catering and staff can be arranged over the busy school holiday period. These are to be confirmed by 10th December, and all to be paid in a total sum per team prior to Wednesdays team training commencing.

We are very appreciative of the generous sponsorship of the evening meals by local business'.

**Oz-Kiwi Event Tee shirts** \$24 each

We're expecting good public interest, and you'll have a nice reminder of the 2014 Championships

#### Buddies

We're continuing with last years good idea

Could you please send email with two photos attached...

A current photo

And a photo of you when you were a very young skier.



**Checklist... by 10th December**

**Entry fee and training paid**  
**Meals and tee shirt ordered**  
**Photos sent**

Thank you

We look forward to seeing you all in January.

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#### Entry - Profile

**Name** .....

**Team**    New Zealand    ...            Under 14    ...            Male ...  
               Australia        ...            Under 17    ...            Female ...  
    Under 21    ...

**Birthdate** .....                            Age            ...

**Events**    Slalom            ...  
               Tricks            ...  
               Jump            ...            Ramp height    ...

**PB's**        Slalom            ...  
               Tricks            ...  
               Jump            ...

**Notable achievements** for commentary team

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**Ski Club** .....                            **Region** .....

**Address** .....                            **Phone** .....

.....                            **Email** .....

<b>Entry fee</b>	3 events    \$195 ...	<b>Training</b>	30 minutes \$115 ...	<b>Total</b>	\$ ...
	1-2 events \$170 ...		22 minutes \$86 ...		

#### Entry fee and Training payments due by 10th December

Please make payments to your team manager, who will then deposit team totals to bank accounts  
 Please email this form to your team manager; and Oz-Kiwi coordinator ... [neil.janeen@xtra.co.nz](mailto:neil.janeen@xtra.co.nz)

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**Assistance - Bookings**

<b>Attendees</b>		Tournament
<b>Names</b> .....		Assistance .....
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We appreciate any assistance. If you can help with the tournament please list your skill / judges rating

**Meal Bookings**

Thursday	Onsite Informalities	Number attending .....
Friday	Opening Ceremony	Number attending .....
Saturday	Lakehouse Entertainment	Number attending .....
Monday	Prize giving Dinner	Number attending .....

**Oz-Kiwi Event Tee Shirt Order**

Name .....	Male ...	S...	M...	L...	XL...	2XL...	3XL...	5XL...
Name .....	Female ...	6...	8...	10...	12...	14...	16...	18... 22... 24...
Name .....								
Name .....								

**These meal bookings and shirt orders to be confirmed by 10th December**

Please email this form to your team manager, and Oz-Kiwi coordinator ... [neil.janeen@xtra.co.nz](mailto:neil.janeen@xtra.co.nz)

Please make payments to your team manager, who will pay team total prior to Wednesday training start.