

A triathlete is shown from the waist up, riding a mountain bike on a dirt trail. The athlete is wearing a white helmet with a race number '1', a colorful triathlon jersey with pink, blue, and yellow accents, and dark shorts. The background is a blurred forest. The text 'Barefoot Triathlon Series Round 1 @ Level 2' is overlaid in white.

Barefoot Triathlon Series Round 1 @ Level 2

The below outlines our commitment to keep you safe during Level 2 restrictions while allowing you to participate in your favourite activity.



4 Key areas of our Safety Plan



Why?



Connecting the parts



Keeping us all safe



Our Community

Why?

- We run events and are dedicated to ensuring you can too.
- Safety is at the heart of everything we do and our Covid-19 planning is no different. We believe in a safe and compliant event.
- We believe mental and physical wellbeing is of extreme importance.
- We believe our community want to be involved in events again.
- We believe we have to start living in a Level 2 environment while supporting our community.
- Businesses have been given a framework of how to come back on-line. This includes events.
- We believe events are an integral part of Aotearoa's society.
- We believe we can be at the forefront of event development while adhering to and surpassing government guidelines.
- We have already run 3 successful events at Level 2 in both defined event facility and limited wave scenarios.

Keeping us all safe

Adhering to government guidelines, Level 2

What are the government guidelines for events at Level 2 if you are not in an event facility?

- An event can have more than 100 people at a time, but there must be no more than 100 people in each defined space
- All participants must practice social distancing of 1 metre from people that they do not know at all times. This means no Hugs or High fives outside people you do not know.
- An event must manage their numbers to ensure that each defined space is separated by a barrier and 2 metres apart.
- All Staff must wear masks and socially distance at minimum of 1m.
- Shared areas (toilets, food, vendors) must have separate access for each defined space.

Businesses and workplaces must operate safely, for us that means:

- Complying with general Alert Level 1 and 2 settings
- Displaying a NZ COVID Tracer app QR code poster and have alternative contact tracing systems.
- There must be multiple QR posters around the venue as well as at the entrance.
- Maintaining hygiene measures, including physical distancing, hand washing and regularly cleaning surfaces,
- If workers or participants have symptoms of COVID-19, they will stay home.
- All our staff and volunteers will wear masks.



Connecting the Parts (how)

- We will restrict numbers to the event to ensure the facility allows participants to socially distance at all times. This means limit of 200 people for a Barefoot Triathlon.
- We will create 2 defined transition areas for 100 people each and waves to further enhance people's ability to socially distance.
- Registration and Finish line will be separated.
- Registration will be contactless and reduce contact with staff.
- Defined areas will be set up to allow safe participation and social distancing.
- Spectators are welcome but must wear masks at all times. If the space has limitations on numbers spectators will be asked to stay out of the start/finish area and only spectate in public places.
- We will encourage all participants and spectators to adhere to current government personal health guidelines.
- Participants will be asked to wear a mask in shared areas.
- If government guidance changes again we can further define areas to keep smaller groups of people separated with appropriate barriers.



How your event day will flow



Participant Flow Start



Participant Flow (Approx. 1 hour) Socially distanced

- Arrive and pick up bib from contactless rego as you enter your designated Transition area.
- Rack bike in designated Zone
- Final Race Gear prep
- Wave A move to warm up. Wave B bike rack – stay in area
- Do those final preps.
- Move to warm up/start area 10 minutes before start.

Area Capacity – Socially Distanced

Zone A : 100 Pax with bike racking
Zone B: 100 Pax with bike racking
Finish Zone A: 100 Pax 1m socially distanced
Finish Zone B: 100 Pax 1m socially distanced

Wear masks and socially distance at all times in shared areas. Toilets and outside designated zones.

All water stations and bib collection will be self serve. There will be water and Tailwind at each fuel station.

Participant Flow Finish



Participant Flow Finish Socially distanced

- Finish your amazing race
- Move into designated finish zone
- Recover with a Tailwind, water and banana
- Follow designated path to transition zone (when open)
- If you are done, make your way to the exit

Area Capacity – Socially Distanced

Athlete Finish Zone 1: 100 Pax

Athlete Finish Zone 2: 100 Pax

NB: At all times you will be able to keep at least 1m from people you don't know. Around the park there are many areas to sit and relax if the park feels too full.

Not to scale.

Appendix 1: Group Start Timetable (May change at Event Directors Discretion)

- **Group 1 – Zone A – 7am – Pick n Mix and early birds**
- 6am Transition opens – Rack and prepare bikes.
- 6:45am Warm up - Start area open (all participants expected at start area)
- 6:55am Beach Briefing
- 7am Start all races
- **Group 2 – Zone A – Olympic Triathlon, Aquabike, Duathlon and OWS**
- 6am Transition opens – Rack Bike.
- 7:15am transition closes.
- 7:30am warm up – Start area open.
- 8am – Beach Briefing all races
- 8:05am Triathlon, Aquathlon, Aquabike, OWS Start.
- 8:10am Duathlon Start.
- **Group 3 – Zone B – All Sprint Distances – Triathlon, Aquabike, Duathlon and OWS**
- 7am Transition Opens
- 8:10 Warm up and Start Area Opens
- 8:35am Beach Briefing
- 8:40 Start - All Sprint Triathlon, Aquabike, Aquathlon and OWS
- 8:55am Sprint Duathlon Start
- **Group 4– Zone B – Give it a Tri**
- 7:00am Transition Opens
- 8:35am Transition Closes
- 8:10am Warm up and Start area open
- 8:40am Beach Briefing
- 8:45am Start – Give it a Tri

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- This is a fluid document and will change as legislation and government guidance changes, or, other circumstances arise.
 - We are continuously working with partners and stakeholders to ensure a safe and compliant event.
 - If you have ideas of how we can improve how this plan is communicated, complaints or would like more information please direct your enquiries to:
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