

SECONDARY SCHOOLS GRADES FINALS DAY NORTH HARBOUR DOMAIN 1 AND 2 OVALS SATURDAY 31 AUGUST 2019

Date	Time	Team A		Team B	Venue	Grade	Notes:
31/08/2019	9:30	Rosmini	VS	Westlake	NHD: Oval 1	6th	F 1 (1st/2nd)
						Grade	Championship
31/08/2019	9:30	Westlake	VS	Orewa	NHD: Oval 2	7th	F 1 (1st/2nd)
						Grade	Championship
31/08/2019	11:00	Massey	VS	Rosmini	NHD: Oval 1	5th	F 1 (1st/2nd)
						Grade	Championship
31/08/2019	11:00	Westlake 3 rd XV	VS	Whangaparaoa 1 st	NHD: Oval 2	Open C	F 1 (1st/2nd)
				XV			Championship
31/08/2019	12:30	Mahurangi 1 st XV	VS	Kaipara 1 st XV	NHD: Oval 2	Open B	F 1 (1st/2nd)
							Championship

Access

Entrance to the Secondary Schools Grade Finals Day is free.

Access to the NORTH HARBOUR DOMAIN 1 AND 2 OVALS will be from 8.30am.

Oval 1 & 2 ACCESS

Spectator access to Oval 1 & 2 can be made via the main entry A or entry C (Off Oteha Valley Road). Patrons/spectators will be able to stand around field 1 and 2.

Car Parking

Car Parking is **FREE** (limited parking only via Entry A & H).

Car parking is also available via Entry H - patrons will be required to walk around the Ring Road of the Stadium to access the fields/facilities (as Gate H into the Stadium will be closed).

There is additional parking in **Hootons Reserve** for patrons - Oteha Valley Road, Mills Lane, Albany.

Changing Room Allocation

Teams will have access to the changing rooms at North Harbour through the tunnel 60 minutes prior to game time. The North Harbour Changing Rooms can be accessed via the tunnel next to Oval 1.

Teams and Referees will use changing rooms as per allocation below. (Only players/team officials/referees permitted).

1. All teams will use the North Harbour 2 & 3 Changing Rooms on a shared basis.

Teams should change then remove their belongings and place them in a secure area/vehicle nearby.

2. Open B Teams

Open B Teams will have permanent access to their changing rooms. Teams may leave their belongings in the changing rooms which will be locked by a North Harbour Rugby Staff member.

Allocation Room & Times below

	7 th Grade	6 th Grade	5 th Grade	Open C	Open B
<u>8.30</u>	H3 – Rosmini V3 - Westlake	H2 – Westlake V2 – Orewa			
10.00			H3 –Massey V3 - Rosmini	H2- Westlake V2- Whangaparaoa	
<u>11.30</u>					H2 – Mahurangi V2 - Kaipara

3. Referees

Officials Changing Room

Game Arrangements

 Only the Assistant Referees & team officials and players are to be inside the ropes. Physio's and medical persons may cross the ropes to attend injured players and water bottle carriers may cross the ropes when a try is scored or during an injury stoppage.

Please see attachment "Field Layout" Diagram

- Please note, reserve benches will be on the side-line for all games, not on the dead ball as per regular season.
- Substitution is through the referee for 7A, 6A, 5A and Open C.
- Open B subs will be through the sub-controller located on the half way line
- Half- A-Game Rule applies to 7A, 6A, 5A and Open C changing at half-time.
- The MyRugby App must be used as Team Sheets and scoring for each game. Scoring for all Championship games will be done by NHRU staff on the day by the referee cards handed in.
- The completed team list for all games is to be submitted 90min prior to your kick off online via the MyRugby app or via team sheets to Sachin Lal, Denis Henderson or Jared Letham
- In the event of a draw at full time, No extra time to be played. Under 2019 NHSSRU Bylaw17 Semi-finals and Finals Rules, the winner shall be determined as follows:

If at the end of any Championship final both teams are level,

- team that scored the most tries in the match
- if this is equal, the team that scored the first try in the match
- if neither team scored a try, the team that scored first points
- In the case of no points then the higher ranked team going into the final based on the preceding competition.
- All Teams are to warm-up on the ends of the fields (NOT ON THE PLAYING FIELDS THEMSELVES OFF THE FIELD AREA AT THE TWO ENDS D ZONES.

Please See Diagram Below

- Photographic Team Sheets are to be provided for all teams and a check of players will be conducted by Union staff.
- Managers meetings will be conducted outside the Harbour caravan half hour prior to kick off for each game. 9.00am, 10.30am & 12.00pm.

Balls

All teams are to supply their own rugby balls for the fixtures.

Haka Protocol

Both teams must be on the field as instructed by the referee and to observe the following protocol:

- 1. Any team performing the haka is required to inform the opposition, the referee and the union that they will be performing a haka a minimum of 30 minutes before the game.
- 2. The haka will be performed before the starting time of the game and not infringe on game time.
- Each team will stay behind their own 10 metre line i.e. neither team is permitted to advance beyond their 10 metre line when the haka is being performed.
- 4. If the above guidelines are not adhered to, the referee prior to the match may issue appropriate sanctions.

Refreshment Purchase

Food trucks will be available onsite by Oval 1 on the concourse.

Trophy Presentations

Trophies and Medals – Medals and a Trophy will be presented to the winning team.

The presentation of the Championship trophies and medals will be made near the half-way line on the side-line closest to the spectators of each field immediately after the completion of the game by Union and Secondary School Rugby Officials. **Team Captains and Referee's** will be invited to say a few words before the presentations.

<u>NB:</u> All teams and officials are reminded of the importance of moving promptly to and from the trophy presentations so that the following games can start on time.

Public Toilets

Toilets will be located on the concourse above the tunnel.

First Aid/Medical

St Johns will be in attendance during the finals day and located by the harbour caravan.

Contact Details

For any further information or contact on the day. Please contact

Sachin Lal (021) 542 975 Denis Henderson (027) 647 3685

We look forward to seeing you all on Saturday 31/8.

Regards,

Sachin Lal Competitions Manager North Harbour Rugby Union

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Attached:

- 1. Venue and Access Map
- 2. Attached document Field Layout



