



# The Trailblazers Sled Dog Club

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# Westport Scooter Derby 2018!

### When:

16th & 17th June 2018

### Where:

- \* Westport North Beach (Derby St)
- \* Patterson Park Racecourse
- \* Lost Lagoon Cycle Tracks

### Classes:

- \* 1+2 Dog Scooter
- \* Bike Jouring
- \* Canicross
- \* Junior

### Race Marshall:

Nathan Boshier

### Head Time Keeper:

Anthea Whitley

### Track Marshall:

Steve Potter

This will be the third running of the Westport Scooter Derby. The aim is to be able to throw 1 or 2 dogs in the car, scooter or bike on the back and come for a fun, social outing with your dogs in a controlled environment. The course will be short for some but long for others but all should be fun!

It will be run over two days with three separate races on three separate courses. Trails will vary from shady leaf mould, grass, sand and packed gravel. All trails are flat but a few tight corners and few fun obstacles have been thrown in (Race 3). Distances are from 1.8km- 3.0km.

### Entries Close:

Entries close on the **8th of June** if you want your name in the 'Program'. Although entries are being accepted up to the 14th of June. Entries will only be accepted with payment of entry fees.

## **Weekends Format**

All classes will have three separate races, all timed and combined to one overall time. To be eligible for 'overall' times and prizes, you must keep the same dogs and musher in all three races.

At this stage, only the first two races will be mass starts for scooters and bike jouring but all three races for canicross will be mass start except Junior/Peewee, so please be aware of you and your dogs capabilities.

All tracks are on public domain so although we will do our best to prevent the situation, please be aware that you may encounter members of the public and their dogs. Race 1 will run partly on a gravel road, so you will also need to be aware of traffic.

### **Scooters**

We will run heats in 1 and 2 dog scooter, if numbers are too great in either class, or if people want to race one or more sets of dogs in multiple entries. For example, a six dog team could effectively be split into three 2 Dog teams, or two 2 Dogs and two 1 Dog teams.

If classes are too large we may break them down to more heats to manage the mass starts. There will also be First Siberian Team and First Malamute Team prizes in scooter and bike classes.

### **Bike- Jouring/Cani-Cross**

Bike-Jouring and Cani-Cross will have three heats to be combined into one score. Sorry but we are only offering 1dog in both Bike-Jouring and canicross, and are not accepting multiple entries.

### **Prizes:**

To be eligible for Overall Prizes you must run with the same musher and dogs in all three races. First Siberian Teams and First Malamute Team prizes are also available in scooter and bike classes.

## Race Details:

1 & 2 Dog Scooter - \*R1= Mass Start (Bibs by order of entry)  
\*R2= Mass Start (Same Bib)  
\*R3= Timed Starts (Same Bib)

Bike Jouring - \*R1= Mass Start (Bibs by order of entry)  
\*R2= Mass Start (Same Bib)  
\*R3= Timed Start (Same Bib)

Cani-Cross – ALL MASS STARTS! (Bibs by order of entry)  
Juniors – To be decided on the day, likely to be 15 second starts.

### Please Note:

We are becoming known for providing a challenging weekend and although these tracks are relatively short, they will provide a challenge in the least likely places. Please be careful, whilst also enjoying yourselves!

### Race 1: Westport North Beach

Car parking will be situated off the end of Derby Street (Beach Road). Simple square providing it is dry the week before-hand, otherwise do plenty of swimming practice. We also now have wee mounds that you will need to be careful overcoming.

### Race 2: Patterson Park

Westport Trotting Clubs track, complete with grandstand so you will be under scrutiny all of the way. Shorter on the inside, longer on the outside. Be aware that this is the race that the public like to watch.

### Race 3: Lost Lagoon Cycle Track

Car parking will be situated at the Shingle Beach off Coates Street.

**PLEASE BE CAREFUL** this track has very tight and windy corners, especially the middle portion, which contains some added challenges. It contains leaf mould, that can be very slippery under wheel.

\*Make sure your brakes work.

\*Take care passing. If you are caught, let the other team/s pass and get going!

### Refreshments:

Hopefully we will have some local fundraisers at some of the race meets so please throw some change in your glove box for coffee ect.

# Timetable:

## Race 1

Saturday 16th June

2.8km Total

07:00 – Mushers meeting at North Beach. Bibs will be by order of entry.  
(Derby Street/Beach Drive Entrance).

07:30 – \* 2Dog Scooter followed by 1Dog Scooter (Heat 1)

\* 2Dog Scooter (Heat 2) followed by 1Dog Scooter (Heat 2)

\* Followed by Bike Jouring then Cani-Cross.

\* Followed by Juniors.

## Race 2

Saturday 16th June

1.8 Inside

2.2 Outside

16:00 – Mushers Meeting at Patterson Park (Westport Rugby Clubrooms).

16:00 – \* Juniors

\* 2Dog Scooter followed by 1Dog Scooter (Heat 1)

\* 2Dog Scooter (Heat 2) followed by 1Dog Scooter (Heat 2)

\* Followed by Bike Jouring and Cani-Cross and Juniors.

19:00 – Barbecue and social evening, followed by the rugby.  
Feel free to bring your own - some will be provided.

## Race 3

Sunday 17th June

1.6km

08:00 – Quick mushers meeting at Shingle Beach.

08:30 – \* 2Dog Scooter followed by 1Dog Scooter (Heat 1)

\* 2Dog Scooter (Heat 2) followed by 1Dog Scooter (Heat 2)

\* Followed by Bike Jouring, Cani-Cross and Juniors.

11:00 – Prize Giving at the Westport Rugby Clubrooms (Racecourse).

## **Terms and Conditions of Entry:**

By signing your entry form you have agreed to the following. All entry forms must be signed prior to the start of racing, or you will not be permitted to compete.

**Helmets will be compulsory in all classes except for Cani-Cross.** Any musher without a helmet will not be permitted to race.

Class changes will only be permitted prior to **12pm, 15<sup>th</sup> of June 2018** by notification to the Race Secretary. The only exception to this will be mushers required to drop down a class due to dog injury or illness and is at the discretion of RGO.

Dogs must be on a leash or securely restrained at all times, at the race venues and headquarters.

**All dog poo** is to be disposed of by owners, all holes filled in, and **all rubbish** removed from the forest and race headquarters.

**Please do not**, bring any dog to this event that has been exposed to any contagious disease, particularly kennel cough.

The RGO reserves the right to eject or cancel any entries for unsportsmanlike or unsporting like behaviours during the event, at our discretion.

**Neck lines** are compulsory for double lead dogs.

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I have read and agree to abide all the conditions set out in this race entry.

**I am familiar with the NZFSS rules ([www.nzfss.org.nz](http://www.nzfss.org.nz))** and agree to abide to those rules, and accept to the decisions of the Race Marshall as final.

I understand that participating in this activity organised by Lupa kennels and the Trailblazers Sled Dog Club carries with it the inherent risk of physical injury, including serious injury such as permanent disability, paralysis and even death. In consideration of being allowed to participate in this activity, I hereby agree to release and hold harmless the Trailblazers Sled Dog Club & Lupa Kennels, in the event of my injury.

I have read and fully understood this waiver and agree to release the Trailblazers Sled Dog Club & Lupa Kennels, from any liabilities for any injury or other losses that I incur, including the clubs acts of negligence, to the fullest extent permitted by law.

By signing I have also agreed to become a temporary member of the Trailblazers Sled Dog Club for insurance purposes.

**Signing the entry form indicates your agreement with all of these points.**

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed:

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_

Signed:

**Mailing Address:** \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**Cell Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Race entries to:** Lupa Kennels  
22 Shelswell Street  
Westport 7825

**Or Email to:** [scnbpotter@xtra.co.nz](mailto:scnbpotter@xtra.co.nz)

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# **SATURDAY – RACE 1**

\*IF ENTERING THE SAME CLASS MORE THAN TWICE, PLEASE JUST ADD AT THE BOTTOM OF THE PAGE, AND INDICATE FOR WHICH CLASS PLEASE.

## **2 Dog Scooter**

Musher	
Dogs Names	

Musher	
Dogs Names	

## **1 Dog Scooter**

Musher	
Dogs Name	

Musher	
Dogs Name	

## **1D Bike Jouring**

Musher	
Dogs Name	

## **1D Cani-Cross**

Musher	
Dogs Name	

## **Junior/PeeWee**

Musher	
Dogs Name	

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Extras:

**\*Just do this page if you are entering all three races with same entrants on each day.**

# **SATURDAY – RACE 2**

\*IF ENTERING THE SAME CLASS MORE THAN TWICE, PLEASE JUST ADD AT THE BOTTOM OF THE PAGE, AND INDICATE FOR WHICH CLASS PLEASE.

## **2 Dog Scooter**

Musher	
Dogs Names	

Musher	
Dogs Names	

## **1 Dog Scooter**

Musher	
Dogs Name	

Musher	
Dogs Name	

## **1D Bike Jouring**

Musher	
Dogs Name	

## **1D Cani-Cross**

Musher	
Dogs Name	

## **Junior/Peewee**

Musher	
Dogs Name	

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Extras:



# **SUNDAY – RACE 3**

\*IF ENTERING THE SAME CLASS MORE THAN TWICE, PLEASE JUST ADD AT THE BOTTOM OF THE PAGE, AND INDICATE FOR WHICH CLASS PLEASE.

## **2 Dog Scooter**

Musher	
Dogs Names	

Musher	
Dogs Names	

## **1 Dog Scooter**

Musher	
Dogs Name	

Musher	
Dogs Name	

## **Bike Jouring**

Musher	
Dogs Name	

## **Cani-Cross**

Musher	
Dogs Name	

## **Junior/PeeWee**

Musher	
Dogs Name	

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Extras:

## Entry Fees:

<b>RACE 1</b>	<b>Number Of Entries</b>	<b>Fee</b>	<b>Amount</b>
2 Dog Scooter		@ \$10.00	
1 Dog Scooter		@ \$10.00	
1 Dog Bike Joring		@ \$10.00	
Cani-Cross		@ \$10.00	
Junior/PeeWee Race		Free	N/A
<b>RACE 2</b>			
2 Dog Scooter		@ \$10.00	
1 Dog Scooter		@ \$10.00	
1 Dog Bike Joring		@ \$10.00	
Cani-Cross		@ \$10.00	
Junior/Peewee Race		Free	N/A
<b>RACE 3</b>			
2 Dog Scooter		@ \$10.00	
1 Dog Scooter		@ \$10.00	
1 Dog Bike Joring		@ \$10.00	
Cani-Cross		@ \$10.00	
Junior/PeeWee Race		Free	N/A
		GRAND TOTAL*	

\* Club Membership is included in race fee.

**Payment to be made Direct Debit:** Lupa Kennels [ANZ 060705032984200](https://www.anz.com/au/060705032984200)  
(Please include your name as reference.)

Please make all cheques payable to: Lupa Kennels  
22 Shelswell Street  
Westport 7825

**Accommodation:**

**ALL** Races will be within 2 Minutes of Westport Town Centre, so any accommodation will be close. Carters beach is approx. 5 Minutes from town, for anybody out there.

There is no organized accommodation for this event, but here are some dog friendly places:

[www.mcmanushotel.co.nz](http://www.mcmanushotel.co.nz) 03-789-6304

[www.westportholidaypark.co.nz](http://www.westportholidaypark.co.nz) 03-789-7043

[www.holidayhomes.co.nz](http://www.holidayhomes.co.nz)

<http://www.ascotmotorlodgemotels.co.nz/>

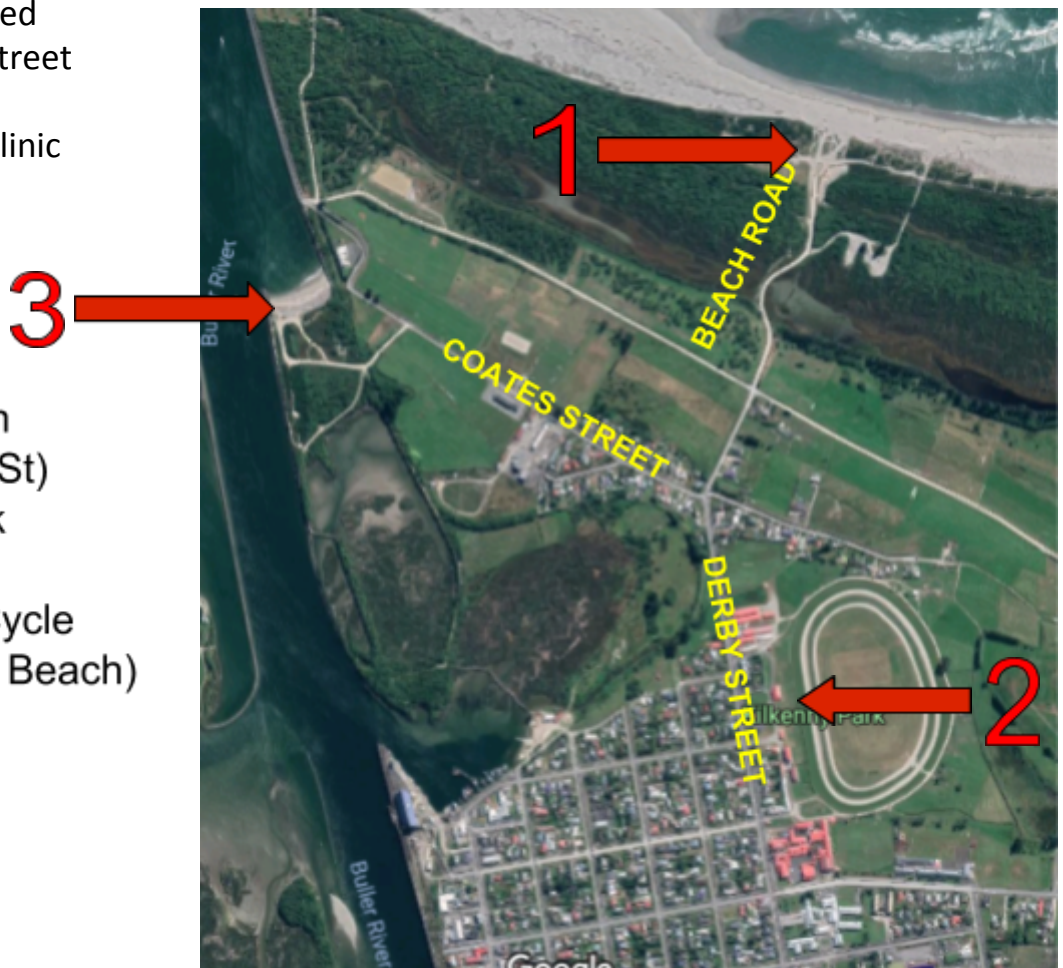
**Race Headquarters:**

The Race Headquarters for this event will be the Westport Rugby Clubrooms at Patterson Park (Racecourse) From 12pm on Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> June.

**On Call Vet:**

Buller Vets Limited  
71 Palmerston Street  
03-789-7934  
ON CALL 24HR Clinic

- 1 = Westport North Beach (Derby St)
- 2 = Patterson Park (Racecourse)
- 3 = Lost Lagoon Cycle Trails (Shingle Beach)



### **Race Contact Details:**

RGO: Steve Potter 027 214 0156

Christie Potter 027 226 8889

(03) 789 7750

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22 Shelswell Street

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[scnbpotter@xtra.co.nz](mailto:scnbpotter@xtra.co.nz)

### **Equipment Needed:**

Helmets will be compulsory in all classes except cani-cross.

Dogs MUST run in harness, not on collars, (½ harness or full harness)

Lights should not be needed but at your discretion.

**Scooter Classes:** → You will need a scooter with at least 16" wheels, or a bicycle with the chain removed or pedals tied together.

→ Tug line/s of at least 2 metres long, with a bungy cord attached or added in the line.

→ Neck lines if more than one dog.

→ Brakes on at least rear wheel, that work.

**Bike Jouring:** → Bike with brakes, that work.

→ Tug line of at least 2 metres long, with bungy cord attached or added in the line.

→ Tug line MUST be fastened to the bike or waist belt.

**Cani-Cross:** → Waist belt with tug line of 2 metres with bungy cord attached or added in the line.

→ Good Shoes.

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