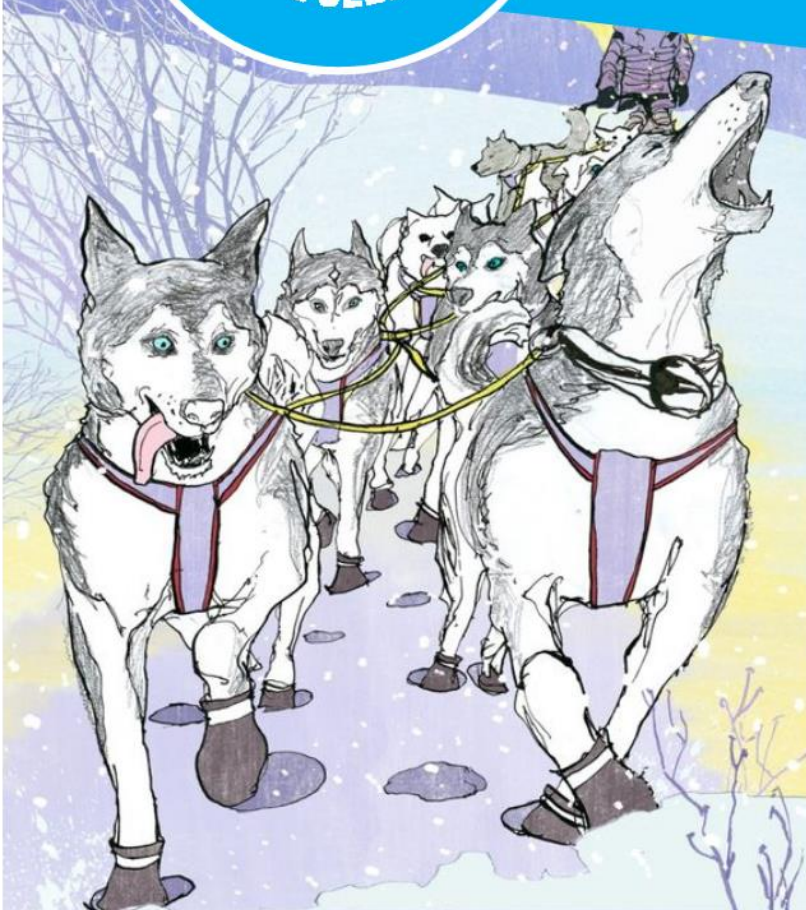


MIDNIGHT MADNESS 2019



ENTRY PACK 14 September 2019

Gwavas Forest



**25km Feature
Event**

With Hills
It'll feel like 40km!



**10km Minor
Event**

Yep, this one's got
Hills too!



**3 Dog Rig
Minimum**

One class, Rigs only, 3 dog
minimum no exceptions



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1. EVENT DETAILS

This is a Non-Sanctioned Event run under NZFSS Distance Race Rules.

1.1. EVENT DATE

Saturday, 14th September 2019

Registrations open at 11.00 am and close at 1.00 pm on Saturday 14th September 2019

1.2. LOCATION

Event Headquarters: Forestry Camp, Carlyon Road (off Gwavas Road), Tikokino, Central Hawke's Bay

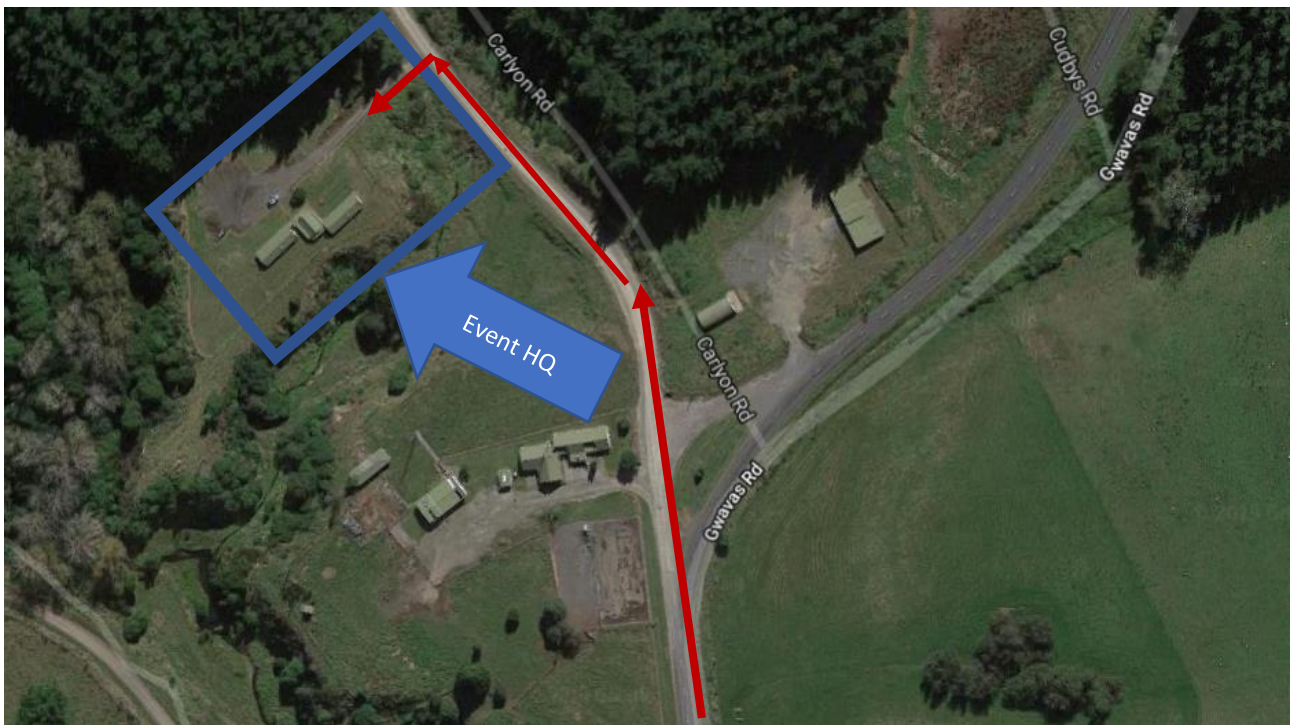
Event Venue: Gwavas Forest, Central Hawke's Bay

Directions: Turn off SH50 onto Gwavas Road. Travel for 7km and turn left into Carlyon Road

Hi-Vis Clothing: Please note, a Hi-Vis Reflective vest/top must be worn by every person while in the forest

Dogs Must Be On Leads: Dogs must be on leads and under control at all times within the Forest and Forest Camp

Rubbish To Be Removed: All rubbish must be removed from the forest, including dog poo (except when on the trail)



1.3. EVENT & TRAIL DESCRIPTION

Goal: To run a well organised, fun distance event in the North Island that encourages renewed interest in distance mushing. We also aim to provide our new committee members, event officials and helpers with the opportunity of gaining hands on practical experience running this event in a safe and supportive environment with the goal of building solid foundations for running regular distance events in the future.

Philosophy: **This is an Event not a Race.**
The philosophy of the Midnight Madness is to provide mushers and their teams with the opportunity to experience a trail that is longer and more challenging than the average sprint trail, a small taste of distance mushing in New Zealand. This event is about the journey, not the destination. Success is getting your team across the line happy, healthy

and ready to keep going, as for the mushers, we're happy if you cross the line standing, tired but feeling like you've achieved something with your team. In this event, the final team off the trail deserves as much kudos as the first team across the line.

Trail Description: While the trail distances don't seem very long, the hills will make them feel much longer! Yes, there are hills on both trails, real hills. Some are long gentle inclines while others are, well let's just say more challenging. You will need to make sure your dogs are mentally as well as physically prepared to pull consistently uphill, wouldn't hurt to prepare yourself either.

Trail surfaces are hard packed gravel forest roads, nice and wide and comfortable for teams passing. There are plenty of places at the side of the trail teams can stop and rest.

These trails are not designed to be sprinted. Teams with well controlled dogs who pull and continue to work when the pace slows will do well on this trail, malamutes will probably love it.

The 25km Feature Trail starts on a flat and moves quickly into a long gentle hill. The trail then turns sharply to the left and immediately drops into a steep 700m downhill section, you will need good reliable brakes on this section. Coming off this steep downhill the trail is mostly moderately undulating. You will encounter several short steep downhill sections, several short but challenging uphill climbs and some more long gentle climbs. From the Checkpoint the trail is moderately undulating and then a gentle downhill run to the finish line.

The 10km Minor Trail starts on a flat and moves quickly into a gentle hill leading into a 1.5km climb with the occasional downhill. After this the trail is moderately undulating through to the Checkpoint which is located at approximate trail distance 5km. At this point most of the hard work is done. After leaving the checkpoint the trail is moderately undulating and then a gentle but steady downhill run to the finish line.

Please note, trails may be subject to change. Logging is active in this area which may affect trail surfaces. Changes may be required to the trail immediately prior to the event to ensure teams are provided with the best trail surfaces available.

Enquiries: Please direct all enquiries to the Event Secretary by emailing info@nzdsdc.co.nz

1.4. DISTANCES OFFERED

The following event distances are being offered:

- 25km Feature Event
- 10km Minor Event

1.5. CLASSES OFFERED

There is only one class offered in each event. Team size is a minimum of 3 dogs and a maximum of 8 dogs.

1.6. ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

To be eligible to enter the Event all teams must meet the eligibility requirements and team size requirements set out in Section 3. The NZDSDC reserves the right to refuse entry to any team who does not meet these eligibility requirements. Any such decision will be made by the Club Committee and shall be final.

Refer to the Event Rules in Section 3 for full details of entry and eligibility requirements.

1.7. EVENT OFFICIALS

The event officials are listed below:

Event (Race) Marshall:	Nardine Theodore
Event Secretary:	Sheryll Cornforth
Trail Boss:	Tony Turner
Timekeepers:	Paula Rowe, Marie Bowie, Heather Wald
On-Site Veterinarian:	Rhea Hurley
On-Site Vet Nurse:	Lucy Anderson
On-Site First Aiders:	Marie Bowie, Olivia McLaren, Chris Jolly
Registration Co-ordinator:	Chris Jolly
Start/Finish Co-ordinator:	Deane Wald
Checkpoint Co-ordinator:	Jess Gibb

1.8. ACCOMMODATION OPTIONS

You will need to arrange your own accommodation. Event HQ is approximately 10km from Tikokino. The closest accommodation is located in Tikokino.

Accommodation	Address	Additional Info
Tikokino Country Hotel (Sawyer's Arms) www.tikokinocountryhotel.co.nz	388 Highway 50, Tikokino RD 3, Waipawa Ph 06 856 5446	This is where the Awards and Buffet Breakfast Brunch will be held. Event participants will be welcomed here and there is space for dog trailers.
Tikokino Event Campground www.tikocamp.business.site	390 Highway 50, Tikokino, RD 3, Waipawa Ph 027 570 5035	Right next door to the Sawyer's Arms

Other accommodation options can be found in Waipawa which is approximately 20km from Event HQ, Waipukurau 26km from Event HQ, Otane 27km from Event HQ and Hastings 50km from Event HQ.

2. EVENT PROGRAMME

The following event programme provides the order of event activities. Timings on Event Day will be confirmed at Registration on 14th September 2019. Event Day timings are temperature dependant and subject to change.

2.1. ENTRY CLOSING & PAYMENT DATES

Entry Closing Date: 5.00pm, Wednesday 14th August 2019

Payment Due: Payment is due by Friday 16th August 2019

No late entries will be accepted.

Your entry will not be confirmed until payment has been received in the NZDSDC bank account. If we don't receive your payment by the payment due date above, your entry will not be accepted

2.2. ENTRY CONFIRMATIONS

Entry Confirmations will be sent out within one week of entries closing. Please ensure you supply a valid email address as all confirmations will be sent electronically.

2.3. BIB DRAW

The bib draw will be held during the weekend prior to the Event (7th & 8th September 2019) and posted on Facebook as the draw takes place. Bibs will be drawn in the order entries are received for each event. The Minor Event will be drawn first followed by the Feature Event.

2.4. REGISTRATION

Registration is mandatory for all teams and will be held at Event HQ. Registration opens at 11.00 am and closes at 1.00 pm on Saturday 14th September. Teams will be assigned their vet & gear check time at registration and receive their bib and event info pack.

2.5. VET & GEAR CHECKS

Vet & gear checks are mandatory for all teams. Times will be assigned at registration, teams will be checked in the order in which they register. Please note, all teams crossing the finish line will be subject to a mandatory finishers vet and gear check.

2.6. MUSHERS MEETING & SAFETY BRIEFING

The mushers meeting and safety briefing will be held at 2.30pm at the Event HQ. All mushers, handlers and those who will be going to the staging area must attend.

2.7. CONVOY TO STAGING AREA

The convoy to the event staging area will leave Event HQ at 3.00pm. Gates to the forest will be locked once the convoy has passed through and will not re-open until all teams have left the chute and vehicles convoy to the Finish Area.

2.8. START

The first team will leave the chute at 4.00pm (temperature dependant). Start interval will be 2 minutes between teams. The Minor Event teams will start first, followed by a 10-15 minute break before the first Feature Event team leaves the chute.

2.9. CONVOY TO FINISH AREA

Once all teams have cleared the start chute all vehicles will convoy from the staging area to the finish area located back at Event HQ. Please be aware that this means all teams will need someone to drive their vehicle back to Event HQ. If you are travelling alone and require someone to drive your vehicle back to Event HQ for you, please indicate this on your entry form and we will make arrangements to provide someone to drive your vehicle back to Event HQ.

2.10. FINISH

The finish area is located approximately 200m from Event HQ. Finished Teams will be required to remain at Event HQ until all teams are off the trail, this is so teams coming off the trail do not encounter and have to pass vehicles leaving Event HQ.

2.11. EVENT AWARDS BRUNCH

The Event Awards Brunch will be held at the Sawyers Arms Tavern in Tikokino from 9.30 am on Sunday 15th September 2019. We will kick off with a well-earned buffet brunch followed by Moira Shepherd of Sled Dog Life Lessons who will share some of her experiences at SP Kennel (Alaska) with us. We'll wrap things up with the presentation of the Event Awards.

The kitchen will be opening early specifically for us, so please pre-order your buffet brunch (including for those attending with you) on the entry form. Cost is \$20.00 per person, payment will be required with your entry. Tea and Coffee are included, other Hot and cold beverages can be ordered upon arrival at the Tavern. The buffet will include bacon, eggs, sausages, hash browns, baked beans, tomatoes and toast. If you choose not to order as part of your entry and decide on the day you can't resist the yummy food you will need to wait until after the awards have been presented and order your food from the main tavern which opens at 10.30am.

3. EVENT RULES

This is a Non-Sanctioned Event run under NZFSS Distance Race Rules. Please ensure you are familiar with these rules. Where there is variation between the NZFSS Rules and the Event Rules, the Event Rules shall apply.

3.1. ELIGIBILITY

The NZDSDC reserves the right to refuse entry to any team or person who does not meet the eligibility requirements, does not meet the minimum health and safety requirements applicable to accessing the forest, whose past conduct is considered by the NZDSDC Committee to be detrimental to the sport or club, or who in the opinion of the NZDSDC Committee does not possess an appropriate level of experience, skill or demonstrated dog care to safely participate in this distance event. Any such decision will be made by the Club Committee and shall be final.

- Team Size:** Minimum team size is 3 dogs starting and finishing
Maximum team size is 8 dogs starting
- 25km Feature Event:** To enter this event you must have previously successfully completed a distance event or distance event qualifier of at least 15km, and meet the 3 dog team minimum requirement.
- 10km Minor Event:** To enter this event you must meet the 3 dog team minimum requirement.
- Rig:** All teams must use a rig (refer to Section 3.8 of the Event Rules for further gear requirements). Sorry but No Scooter, No Bike, No Quad Bike/ATV, No Canicross entries.
- Age:** All mushers must be 16 years or older by the event date
All dogs must be 18 months or older by the event date
- Other Requirements:** All teams must meet all other requirements as set out in the Event Rules. Teams not meeting these requirements will either:

1. Have their entry declined if they do not meet the requirements at the time their entry is submitted, or
2. Have their entry disqualified and not allowed to participate in the event if they do not meet the requirements at the time of registration and vet & gear checks

3.2. TEAM SIZE & IDENTIFICATION

The maximum number of dogs a team may start with is 8 dogs. The minimum number of dogs a team may start with is 3 dogs. A team must finish with a minimum of 3 dogs on the line. The Event Marshall may reduce the size of any team that he/she determines is too large for the musher of that team.

No dogs may be added to the team after the team has entered the start chute. Dogs may be added to the team up until the time the team enters the start chute provided the team does not exceed the maximum of dogs allowed as a result. Only dogs that have completed the mandatory vet check conducted at registration may be added to the team.

Dogs will be identified by the Event tag issued to them at registration. Event tags must be worn by each dog from the time of the pre-event vet checks until the completion of the finishers vet checks. Tags may be kept by the musher at the end of the Event.

Mushers are required to wear their Bib from the start of the Event to the end of the Event. The Bib must be visible at all times. Bibs must be returned to the club before the end of the Awards Brunch on Sunday 15th September 2019.

3.3. VET CHECKS & DOG WELFARE

The following Vet Checks are mandatory for all teams. Any team refusing to undertake a mandatory Vet Check will be disqualified. No dog will be allowed to enter the start chute that has not passed the mandatory Vet Check held at Registration.

- Pre-Event Vet Checks held at Registration
- Post-Event Vet Checks held upon completion of the Event

Dog welfare is paramount in this Event.

Any dog becoming unfit after departure may be carried on the rig to the next Checkpoint or Pit Stop if safe to do so. The Event Marshall or a member of the Event Vet team may detain a team which is deemed in need of rest, and may withdraw a team that is deemed unfit to continue the event.

Failure for the musher to administer any medical or preventative care (such as requirement to wear booties, undertake rest or receive treatment) to any dog or dogs in their team as specified by any member of the Event Vet team irrespective of whether the Musher believes it is necessary will result in the entire team being disqualified.

Should the official Event Vet deem it necessary to administer veterinary treatment including drugs or supplies to any dog(s) during the running of the event upon the Vet's instruction the dog or dogs must be dropped, the musher and/or owner of the dog concerned is liable for the cost of said treatment, drugs/supplies.

No dog shall be brought to this event that has been exposed to any contagious disease, particularly kennel cough and will provide proof of vaccination if requested. If the Event Vet diagnoses any dog present in the Event area to have a contagious disease that team shall be disqualified and must immediately leave the Event area.

3.4. HANDLERS

All teams are required to have at least one handler accompany their team from the Staging Area and into the Start Chute, and are expected to have enough handlers to control their team within the Staging Area and Start Chute. The Handlers level of involvement with the team is determined by the Musher, however the Handler must be prepared to, and is expected to, step in and provide assistance to ensure teams approaching the Start Chute and in the Start Chute are under adequate control. Teams failing to achieve an acceptable level of control will be provided with additional

assistance as determined appropriate by the Start/Finish Co-ordinator. Failure to accept this assistance may result in disqualification.

Any team reporting to the start chute without their handler will be provided with a handler before entering the chute. No team will enter the chute without a handler, if this means the team misses their start time they will be required to wait until all other teams reporting to the start chute at their scheduled time have left the chute, their trail time will be timed from their original start time.

Any team who knows at the time of submitting their entry that they will be attending without a Handler must indicate this on their entry form. A handler will be provided to assist the team to the Start Chute.

3.5. START & FINISH PROCEDURES

Start interval will be 2 minutes between teams. The Minor Event teams will start first, followed by a 10-15 minute break before the first Feature Event team leaves the chute. Any team reporting to the start chute without their handler will be provided with a handler before entering the chute (refer Section 3.4 of the rules). No team will enter the chute without a handler, if this means the team misses their start time they will be required to wait until all other teams reporting to the start chute at their scheduled time have left the chute, their trail time will be timed from their original start time.

Each team crossing the finish line must stop, sign in and wait for officials to complete the mandatory gear checks. Teams can then continue back to Event HQ, take care of their dogs and wait for the mandatory finishers vet checks to be completed. We encourage finishing mushers, once they have taken care of their teams, to join us at the finish line to welcome fellow teams across the line until all teams are off the trail. Teams will be required to remain at Event HQ until all teams are off the trail, this is so teams coming off the trail do not encounter and have to pass vehicles leaving Event HQ.

3.6. CHECKPOINT, PIT STOPS & RESTS

There are no mandatory rest stops in this Event, however Mushers are expected to display excellent team management and take all steps necessary to ensure the welfare of their team including taking frequent rest stops. Any member of the veterinary team may detain a team deemed in need of rest, or remove a dog deemed unfit to continue in the Event.

There will be one official Checkpoint. All teams are required to check in and check out of the Checkpoint before proceeding on the trail. This means that teams will be required to stop and sign in and out of the Checkpoint. Teams wishing to stop and rest must indicate this to the Checkpoint Official upon arrival. Once signed in the resting team will be led to the designated rest area located off the side of the trail. A resting team must give at least 2 minutes notification to the Checkpoint Official of their intention to leave the Checkpoint and must sign out of the Checkpoint before proceeding on the trail. The official Checkpoint is located at approximate trail distance 5km on the 10km trail and approximate trail distance 20km on the 25km trail. Dogs may be dropped at the Checkpoint. A vet official will be stationed at the Checkpoint.

Due to the 25km trail containing several challenging hills the 25km trail will be further supported by a Pit Stop. A Pit Stop is a designated point along the trail where an Event Official will be located and where Dogs may be dropped before the Official Checkpoint. Teams may choose to rest at a Pit Stop, any such rest must be taken off the main trail. The only assistance the Event Official will provide at a Pit Stop is to accept and care for dropped dogs, hold a team at the request of the musher, or lead a resting team in/out of the Pit Stop.

3.7. DRUGS & ALCOHOL/ SMOKING & FIRES

Alcohol or illegal substance are not allowed in the forest, on any forestry premises, inside any forestry buildings or inside any vehicles while within the forest or at Event HQ. Any person suspected of being intoxicated (over the legal limit to drive) or under the influence of illegal substances will be refused entry to the forest and Event HQ. Any person found to be in the possession of alcohol or illegal substances in any of the areas where these items are prohibited will be required to leave the area and the Event.

Smoking in the forest is not allowed. Fires or naked flames are not allowed in the forest.

3.8. MANDATORY GEAR & GEAR CHECKS

The gear listed below is mandatory and must be carried at all times either on the rig or on the musher. This is the gear that will be checked during pre-start and post-finish gear checks.

Rig – 3 or 4 wheeled with brakes capable of slowing, stopping and holding your team	<input type="checkbox"/>	Booties – one full set of booties for each dog in your team, either on the dog or carried	<input type="checkbox"/>
Headlight – forward facing white light that is clearly visible, attached to rig, musher or both	<input type="checkbox"/>	Safety Line – attached to your rig where the gang line is secured to your rig	<input type="checkbox"/>
Tail Light – rear facing red light (not flashing) that is clearly visible, attached to rig	<input type="checkbox"/>	Stake Out lines – Suitable lines to securely fasten dogs at the checkpoint/pit stop	<input type="checkbox"/>
Water – at least 1L per dog and a suitable container which allows a dog to drink	<input type="checkbox"/>	Spare gangline/gangline sections, harnesses and necklines	<input type="checkbox"/>
Protective Clothing – Waterproof jacket, thermals	<input type="checkbox"/>	Hypothermia Blanket	<input type="checkbox"/>
Helmet – this must be worn at all times on the trail	<input type="checkbox"/>	Bib – this will be provided by the NZDSDC	<input type="checkbox"/>
Hi-Vis Reflective Vest/Top – to be worn under your bib at all times	<input type="checkbox"/>		

The following equipment is optional but recommended:

Protective Clothing – boots, gloves, socks, beanie, dry clothes, wet weather gear	<input type="checkbox"/>	Shelter – If the weather is bad resting mushers may find this & a ground tarp handy	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sleeping Bag – to provide warmth for resting mushers	<input type="checkbox"/>	Spare Batteries – for your headlights	<input type="checkbox"/>
Food – 1 days food ration for each dog, and one days food for the musher	<input type="checkbox"/>	Snub Line – to tie off your team on the trail if needed	<input type="checkbox"/>

3.9. SPORTSMANSHIP & GOOD SAMARITAN RULE

All mushers must conduct themselves in a civil and sportsmanlike manner throughout the Event. Abusive treatment of any form toward people or dogs is prohibited. A breach of this rule may result in disqualification.

A musher will not be penalised for aiding another musher in an emergency. Any such assistance must be reported to an Event Official at the earliest opportunity, or upon arrival in the finish chute at the latest.

3.10. UNMANAGEABLE OR LOOSE TEAMS

A musher may seek the assistance of others to control an unmanageable team. Dogs demonstrating aggressive behaviour and deemed by the Event Marshall to be a risk to other people or dogs will be withdrawn from the Event.

A loose team or loose dog may be stopped and secured by anyone. A loose team or dog may resume the trail without penalty provided the team or dog has completed the entire trail and the musher has received only authorised outside assistance. Authorised outside assistance is limited to holding a loose team or dog once it has been stopped until the musher claims the team or dog. Should the musher require outside assistance to secure the team or dog, for example has sought assistance from another musher or an event official, the loose team or dog may resume the trail and complete the event but will forfeit any awards associated with the teams finishing position. In the absence of a musher an event official may claim the team or dog.

3.11. OUTSIDE ASSISTANCE

Teams are expected to be self-sufficient on the trail. Outside assistance is not allowed other than in an emergency situation. All teams may receive similar assistance at designated points along the trail, at Checkpoints and at Pit Stops.

3.12. DROPPED DOGS

Mushers will be able to drop dogs at a Pit Stop or at the Official Checkpoint. Event Officials will care for dropped dogs and transport them back to Event HQ where they can be collected upon arrival. Dropped dogs may be subject to a vet check upon arrival at Event HQ.

Any team after dropping a dog that no longer meets the required minimum of 3 dogs will be disqualified if they have not already withdrawn their team.

3.13. TRAIL TIME & SUFFICIENT PROGRESS

Trail time shall start at the team's designated start time and end when the first dog on the team crosses the finish line at the end of the trail. All time on the trail shall constitute trail time, including time incurred if a team misses their designated start time, all rest time and lost time on wrong trails or reclaiming lost dogs or teams. If a team crosses the line without its musher that team shall be deemed to have finished when the musher crosses the line.

Any team not making sufficient progress along the trail may be withdrawn from the Event at the discretion of the Event Marshall.

3.14. MUSER PROFILE & PHOTO

All Mushers are asked to provide with their entry a brief profile and photo of themselves which will feature on the NZDSDC Facebook page leading up to the Event.

3.15. DISQUALIFICATION & DISQUALIFIED DOGS OR TEAMS

Any musher, dog or team disqualified at any point during the Event is not eligible to compete in the remainder of the Event.

- Any musher accepting a ride after leaving the start chute from any vehicle or other team will be disqualified.
- Late starting teams who miss their second scheduled time of departure will be disqualified.
- Any team falling below the 3 dogs on the line minimum at any point during the Event will be disqualified.
- Any team refusing to participate in pre-event or post-event vet or gear checks will be disqualified

3.16. PROTESTS & DISPUTES

If a musher wishes to raise a protest they must indicate this to an Event Official at the Finish Line. Full details will be gathered once all teams involved have crossed the finish line and tended to their teams. The Event Marshall and/or RGO's decision will be final and binding.

Mushers will not protest any decision relating to dog welfare irrespective of whether they believe it is unwarranted or unfair or for any other reason. The Event Officials and RGO's decision will be final and binding and no discussion will be entered into.

4. ENTRY FORM

Please complete one entry form per team. Entries close 5.00pm Wednesday 14th August 2019. Payment in full is required by Friday 16th August 2019. Your entry will not be confirmed until your full payment has been received.

Email your entry form and profile photo to: info@nzdsdc.co.nz

4.1. EVENT & CLASS DETAILS

There is only one class in each event. Each event requires a 3 dog minimum. Rigs only.

Which event are you entering, tick one box only:

25km Feature Event

Please provide details of your most recent qualifying event below (refer Section 3 of the rules)

Event Name	Organising Club	Distance Run	Did You Finish	Date
			<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

10km Minor Event

Is this the first time you have ever entered a Distance event?

Yes No

4.2. TEAM DETAILS

Please provide the details of your team below:

Musher Name: _____ NZFSS Musher No: _____

The Musher will be aged 16 years or older by the Event Date

	Dog Name	Breed	Dog/Bitch	DOB
1				
2				
3				
4				
5				
6				
7				
8				

4.3. HANDLER DETAILS

As per Section 3.4 of the Rules all teams must have at least one handler at the start line, please provide details of your handler below:

I will provide my own handler/handlers

I don't have a handler, please assign me a handler/handlers, I will need _____ handlers

4.4. ASSISTANCE RETURNING VEHICLE TO EVENT HQ

As per Section 2.9 your vehicle will need to return to Event HQ after the last team has left the start chute. Please let us know below if you require assistance getting your vehicle back to Event HQ.

- I will have someone with me to drive my vehicle back to Event HQ from the staging area
- I require assistance getting my vehicle back to Event HQ from the staging area

4.5. MUSHER PROFILE

We will be posting a profile for each musher who enters Midnight Madness 2019 on our Facebook page with your bib draw. Please provide a brief profile for you and your team below and send us a digital photo with your entry form:

4.6. EVENT T-SHIRT

The entry fee includes one Event Competitor's T-Shirt. Please indicate your size below, sizing is Unisex.

Competitor T-Shirt Size: S M L XL 2XL 3XL 4XL 5XL

ADULTS	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL	4XL	5XL
CHEST	53.5	56	58.5	61	63.5	66	68.5	71
SP LENGTH	70.5	73	75.5	78	80.5	81.5	82.5	83.5

4.7. PERMIT & INSURANCE DETAILS

The following details are required for your forest access permit and for insurance purposes. You must provide all details. You also need to provide the names of any people attending the Event with you who will be travelling in your vehicle while driving within the forest. Changes to these details and names will be accepted up to Monday 9th September 2019.

Vehicle Details			
Make:		Model:	
Registration Expiry Date:		Wof Expiry Date:	
Fire Extinguisher in Vehicle:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	First Aid Kit in Vehicle:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
Driver Name:			
Number of Passengers in Vehicle:		Number of Dogs in Vehicle:	
Names of Passengers:			
Trailer Details:			
Registration Expiry Date:		Wof Expiry Date:	
Insurance Details:			
My Vehicle is fully insured:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Copy of Insurance Certificate Provided:	<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No

4.8. BUFFET BRUNCH ORDER DETAILS

Please complete your buffet brunch order details below. Cost per person is \$20.00.

Enter the number of people you are ordering for:

Or I do not want to order brunch

4.9. PAYMENT DETAILS

Payment must be made in full and received into the NZSDSC bank account by Friday 16th August 2019. Payments or entries received after this date will not be accepted and will be returned.

	Fee	Quantity	Amount
Feature Event Entry Fee	\$60.00		\$
Minor Event Entry Fee	\$50.00		\$
Non-NZFSS Club Members Fee (if applicable)	\$15.00		\$
Buffet Brunch Order Payment	\$20.00		\$
Total Entry Fee Payable:			\$

Please make electronic payment into our bank account by Friday 16th August 2019 as detailed below:

Bank Account Name: NZSDSC
Bank Account Number: 38-9020-0318842-00
Reference: MM2019 & Your Full Name

4.10. DECLARATION

By signing this Entry Form I agree to be bound by the rules and requirements set out in this Entry Pack and the items listed below in this declaration.

1. The organisers of this Event, the New Zealand Distance Sled Dog Club (NZSDSC) and the Committee of the NZSDSC cannot be held responsible or liable for accidents, injury to people, dogs or equipment that may occur as a result of participating in this Event,
2. The organisers of this Event cannot be held liable for events that occur which are outside the control of the organisers and which may cause disruption to or cancellation of the Event.
3. Suitable alpine clothing appropriate to the conditions must be worn by each musher and numbered Event Bibs must be worn.
4. I will not bring any dog to this event that has been exposed to any contagious disease, particularly kennel cough and will provide proof of vaccination if requested.
5. Brand advertising by each individual musher acknowledging their team/kennel sponsor(s) is at their discretion but shall not interfere with Event Sponsors or other individual mushers same rights.
6. The advertised trails and start times are subject to conditions at the time of the event.
7. I give NZSDSC permission to use any photographs or video footage taken at the event for use of promotion of the event in media and press releases. (Strike out if you do not give permission)
8. Any entry accepted from a musher is deemed to include all assistants/handlers/passengers/people attending with the musher and also includes all dogs in their care whether racing or not. The musher is responsible for the behaviour and wellbeing of all these people and/or dogs.
9. All entrants are expected to be familiar with the Event Rules (including the NZFSS Distance Rules) and in any dispute ignorance of these rules will not be accepted as an excuse. This includes rules specified by the NZSDSC in this Entry Pack including all provisions relating to dog welfare.
10. Bearing in mind the overall intent of this Event is for it to be a positive experience, if teams are withdrawn from the Event, the decision of the Event Marshall, Event Vet or Trail Boss shall be final.

Signed By: _____ on _____
(Musher Name) (Signature) (Date)

Email your entry form & profile photo to: info@nzdsdc.co.nz