

Kerikeri Cruising Club Keelboat Race Courses 2025-2026

All courses are to be read in conjunction with the relevant sailing instructions.
Course numbers marked with an asterisk (*) may be shortened at the Outer Distance mark.

	Course distances in n.m.		
1* (E) Start / Green Buoy S / Kent P / Brothers P / Outer Distance P / Western S / Finish .	3.9	5.1	
2* (W-E) Start / Western P / Outer Distance P / Western P / Outer Distance P / Western P / Outer Distance P / Western P / Finish . When this course is shortened, finish taking the Outer Distance mark to S.	1.2	2.3	3.5 4.6
3* (NW) Start / Green Buoy S / Kent S / Green Buoy S / Kent S / Green Buoy P / Finish .	1.2	2.3	3.5 4.6
4* (S-SW) Start / Western P / Brothers S / Kent S / Green Buoy P / Outer Distance P / Western S / Finish .	5.1	6.3	
5* (N-NE) Start / Green Buoy S / Kent P / Brothers P / Outer Distance P / Western P / Outer Distance S / Western P / Finish .	3.6	5.1	6.6
6* (W) Start / Western P / Outer Distance S / Green Buoy S / Kent P / Brothers P / Outer Distance P / Western P / Finish .	4.9	6.4	
7* (S-W) Start / Western P / Reidy's P / Te Puna S / Reidy's S / Outer Distance P / Western S / Finish .	5.0	6.5	
8* (SE) Start / Reidy's P / Te Puna S / Brothers S / Kent S / Green Buoy P / Outer Distance P / Western S / Finish .	6.4	7.9	
9* (NW-SE) Start / Green Buoy S / Kent P / Brothers P / Te Puna P / Reidy's S / Outer Distance P / Western S / Finish .	6.1	7.6	
10 (E-NW) Start / Brothers S / Flat Is P / Brothers P / Finish .			6.8
11 (E-NW) Start / Brothers S / Flat Is P / Te Puna P / Reidy's S / Finish .			8.3
12 (SW) Start / Western S / Brothers S / Flat Is P / Motuterakihi Is P / Brothers P / Finish .			8.2
13 (E-W-NE) Start / Brothers S / Motuterakihi Is P / Te Puna P / Reidy's S / Finish .			8.7
14* (SW-NE) Start / Green Buoy S / Kent P / Motuterakihi Is P / Kent S / Brothers P / Outer Distance P / Western S / Finish .	7.9	9.1	
15* (NE-SW) Start / Green Buoy S / Kent P / Motuterakihi Is P / Brothers P / Outer Distance P / Western S / Finish .	6.9	8.1	
16* (E-SE) Start / Green Buoy S / Kent P / Brothers P / Outer Distance S / Reidy's P / Te Puna P / Reidy's S / Outer Distance P / Western S / Finish .	4.1	8.2	9.4
17 (SW-E) Start / Brothers S / Moturoa Is P / Black Rocks P / Motuterakihi Is P / Brothers P / Finish .			10
18* (NW-SE) Start / Brothers S / Brampton P / Brothers P / Outer Distance P / Western S / Finish .	9.3	10.5	
19* (SW-E) Start / Brothers S / Black Rocks S / Moturoa Is S / Brothers P / Outer Distance P / Western S / Finish .	9.4	10.6	
20* (E - NW) Start / Brothers S / Flat Is P / Te Puna P / Brothers S / Kent S / Green Buoy P / Outer Distance P / Western S / Finish .	10.4	11.6	
21 (NE-SE) Start / Green Buoy S / Brampton P / Black Rocks P / Motuterakihi Is P / Finish .			11.7
22* (E - W) Start / Brothers S / Motuterakihi Is S / Flat Is S / Brothers P / Outer Distance P / Brothers S / Kent S / Green Buoy P / Outer Distance P / Western S / Finish .	7.3	11.3	12.1

Additional shortened course procedures for course numbers 22 to 42:

When the leading boat decides that the shortened course time limit applies to the course being sailed it shall inform other boats racing that the course has been shortened via VHF on Channel 77.

NORTH

- 23 Start / Brothers S / Black Rocks S / Northern Channel Markers P / Black Rocks P / Flat Is S / Motuterakihi Is P / Kent S / Brothers P / Finish.** 15.7
If the leading boat is not at Flat Island 3 hours after the start, then Motuterakihi Is P and Kent S shall be deleted.

NORTH EAST

- 24 Start / Brothers S / Nine Pin S / Black Rocks S / Moturoa Is S / Green Buoy P / Finish.** 14
- 25 Start / Brothers S / Black Rocks S / Brampton S / Moturoa Is S / Motuterakihi Is S / Flat Is S / Brothers P / Finish.** 15.8
If the leading boat is not through Kent Passage 2½ hours after the start, then Motuterakihi Is S and Flat Is S shall be deleted.
- 26 Start / Brothers S / Brampton P / Motukiekie Is P / Moturoa Is S / Motuterakihi Is P / Brothers P / Finish.** 22
If the leading boat is not through Kent Passage 3 hours after the start, then Motuterakihi P shall be deleted.

EAST

- 27* Start / Brothers S / Flat Is P / Motuterakihi Is S / Black Rocks S / Brampton S / Brothers P / Outer Distance P / Western S / Finish.** 14.2 15.4
If the leading boat is not through Kent Passage 3 hours after the start, then Brothers P shall be deleted.
- 28 Start / Brothers S / Motuterakihi Is S / Motukiekie Is S / Robertson Is S / Black Rocks P / Brothers P / Finish.** 19.5
- 29* Start / Brothers S / Black Rocks S / Brampton P / Motukiekie Island P / Black Rocks P / Brothers P / Outer Distance P / Western S / Finish.** 22.3 23.5
If the leading boat is not at Brampton 2 hours after the start, then Motukiekie Is P shall be deleted.

SOUTH EAST

- 30* Start / Green Buoy S / Brampton P / Black Rocks P / Motuterakihi Is P / Black Rocks S / Moturoa Is S / Brothers P / Outer Distance P / Western S / Finish.** 15.6 16.8
If the leading boat is not at Motuterakihi Is P 2 hours after the start, then Black Rocks S and Moturoa Is S shall be deleted.
- 31 Start / Brothers S / Black Rocks S / Motukiekie Is S / Moturoa Is S / Brothers P / Finish.** 19
- 32* Start / Brothers S / Motuterakihi Is S / Motukiekie Is S / Brampton S / Brothers P / Te Puna P / Reidy's S / Outer Distance P / Western S / Finish.** 20 23
If the leading boat is not at Brothers P 3 hours after the start, then Te Puna P, Reidy's P, Outer Distance P, Western S shall be deleted.

SOUTH

- 33* Start / Brothers S / Black Rocks S / Brampton S / Moturoa Is S / Motuterakihi Is P / Brothers P / Outer Distance P / Western P / Finish.** 13.4 14.6
If the leading boat is not through Kent Passage 2½ hours after the start, then Motuterakihi Is P shall be deleted.
- 34* Start / Brothers S / Motuterakihi Is S / Flat Is P / Black Rocks S / Both Northern Channel Marks P / Black Rocks P / Motuterakihi Is P / Kent S / Green Buoy P / Outer Distance P / Western P / Finish.** 17.5 18.7
If the leading boat has not reached the Northern Channel Marks 2½ hours after the start, then Black Rocks P, Motuterakihi Is P and Kent S shall be deleted.

SOUTH WEST

- 35* Start** / Western P / Brothers S / Motuterakihi Is S / Flat Is P / Black Rocks S / Brampton S / Brothers P / Outer Distance P / Western S / **Finish.** 13.8 15
If the leading boat is not through Kent Passage 3 hours after the start, then Brothers P shall be deleted.
- 36* Start** / Western P / Brothers S / Motuterakihi Is S / Flat Is P / Black Rocks S / Brampton P / Black Rocks P / Motuterakihi Is P / Kent S / Brothers P / Outer Distance P / Western S / **Finish.** 16.5 17.7
If the leading boat is not at Black Rocks P 3 hours after the start, then Motuterakihi Is P and Kent S shall be deleted.
- 37* Start** / Brothers S / Flat Is P / Nine Pin P / Flat Is S / Motuterakihi P / Brothers P / Outer Distance P / Western S / **Finish.** 17.8 19
If the leading boat is not at Flat Island P 1½ hours after the start, then Nine Pin P and Flat Is S shall be deleted.

WEST

- 38* Start** / Western P / Brothers S / Brampton P / Black Rocks P / Flat Is S / Kent S / Brothers P / Outer Distance P / Western S / **Finish.** 13.5 14.7
If the leading boat is not at Flat Is S 2½ hours after the start, then Kent S shall be deleted.
- 39 Start** / Western P / Green Buoy S / Kent P / Black Rocks S / Brampton P / Black Rocks P / Brothers P / **Finish.** 16
- 40 Start** / Western P / Brothers S / Black Rocks S / Brampton P / Paramena Beacon P / Black Rocks P / Brothers P / **Finish.** 23.2
If the leading boat is not at Brampton 2 hours after the start, then Paramena Beacon P shall be deleted.

NORTH WEST

- 41* Start** / Brothers S / Black Rocks S / Brampton S / Brothers P / Te Puna P / Brothers S / Kent S / Green Buoy P / Outer Distance P / Western P / **Finish.** 15.8 17
If the leading boat is not at Brothers P 2½ hours after the start, then Te Puna P, Brothers S and Kent S shall be deleted.
- 42* Start** / Brothers S / Flat Is P / Motuterakihi Is S / Black Rocks S / Both Northern Channel Marks S / Black Rocks P / Te Puna P / Brothers S / Kent S / Green Buoy P / Outer Distance P / Western S / **Finish.** 22 23.2
If the leading boat is not at Black Rocks P 3 hours after the start, then Te Puna P, Brothers S and Kent S shall be deleted.
- 43 Start** / Western P / Brothers S / Black Rocks S / Motukiekie Is S / Moturoa Is S / Brothers P / **Finish.** 19.7

LONG RACES within Bay of Islands Harbour limits (as defined by NZ Navigational Safety Bylaw 2017)

- 44* Start** / Western S / Brothers S / Flat Is P / Motuterakihi Is S / Black Rocks S / Both Northern Channel Marks S / Brampton S / Paramena Beacon P / Motukiekie Is P / Motuterakihi Is P / Kent S / Brothers P / Outer Distance P / Western S / **Finish.** 28.5 29.7

Other Long Races outside bay of Island Harbour limits

- 45* Start** / Brothers S / Bird Rock P / Nine Pin P / Outer Distance P / Western S / **Finish.** 26.8 28
- 46 Start** / Brothers S / Nine Pin P / Cavalli Islands S / Nine Pin S / **Finish.** 48
- 47* Start** / Brothers S / Nine Pin S / Bird Rock S / Outer Distance P / Western S / **Finish.** 26.8 28
- 48 Start** / Brothers S / Bird Rock P / Nine Pin P / Brampton S / Black Rocks P / Brothers P / **Finish.** 30
- 49 Start** / Brothers S / Nine Pin S / Motukiekie Is S / Paramena Beacon S / Brampton S / Black Rocks P / Motuterakihi P / Kent S / Green Buoy P / **Finish.** 27

Note: References to **Kent P** or **Kent S** in the above courses refer to the **Kent Passage Buoy** and **NOT Kent Passage.**

