



# RACE BOOK



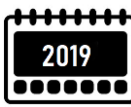



## GIANT Toa Enduro presented by CamelBak

March 24, 2019

Enduro World Series Round 1




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**UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED, INFORMATION APPLIES TO BOTH EWS AND EWS100 RACERS**

	<p><b>LOCATION</b></p>  <p>Rotorua, New Zealand (<a href="#">google map</a>)</p> <p>Race Village, Race Office and course start/finish will be at Skyline Rotorua  <a href="#">DOWNLOAD</a> Skyline venue map          Course will include stages at both Skyline Rotorua and the Whakarewarewa Forest.</p>
	<p><b>EVENT SCHEDULE</b></p> <p>Sunday March 17   Course Release [all stages closed for riding until training]          Friday March 22   Training Whakarewarewa Forest stages          Saturday March 23   Training Skyline stages          Sunday March 24   Race  <a href="#">DOWNLOAD DETAILED SCHEDULE</a></p>
	<p><b>REGISTRATION</b></p> <p><b>EWS</b>          Prequalified riders (based on EWS rankings / results from the 2018 and 2019 seasons) and riders on EWS teams.</p> <p><b>EWS100</b>          Non-Members and EWS Members without sufficient ranking points.          Entries open on a space available, first come basis  <a href="#">REGISTER</a></p>
	<p><b>ENTRY FEE</b></p> <p>127.25 GBP</p> <p>Entries include all taxes and processing fees          Entries will be processed through the centralized Enduro World Series entry system in Pounds Sterling (GBP).          The Enduro Sports Organization Limited is acting as agent for Mountain Bike Events Ltd <sup>SEP</sup>/C/O Rotorua Lakes Council for this event</p> <p>Entry fee includes 1 day race, 2 days of closed course marshalled training, full course medical coverage on training and race days, Skyline Rotorua lift access during training and race days, race day transfers from Skyline Rotorua to the Whakarewarewa Forest, race day feed zone, live timing, backup timing.</p> <p>Racers will also receive Crankworx Athlete Accreditation which will provide spectator access to the Skyline Rotorua venue for the duration of Crankworx (March 20-24). Value : \$75.00 NZD.</p>
	<p><b>CANCELLATION POLICY</b></p> <p>Registration fees are refundable (less an administrative fee) up to 3 weeks prior to the race.          Cancellation request must be sent to <a href="mailto:athletes@enduroworldseries.com">athletes@enduroworldseries.com</a> by 23:59 GMT March 1.          Entries are no longer refundable after March 2.          Registrations are not transferable.</p>








	<p><b>EWS MEMBERSHIPS</b> EWS memberships are valid for a calendar year (January-December). 2019 memberships can be renewed / purchased at: <a href="#">LINK</a> Cost 31.99GPB (subject to VAT where applicable)</p> <p><b>EWS</b> EWS Memberships mandatory for eligibility and event entry.</p> <p><b>EWS100</b> EWS memberships are optional for EWS100 racers, but:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Only EWS members will be eligible to collect EWS Global Ranking points at the EWS 100 (as well as EWS Continental Series and EWS Qualifier Series events). A rider must hold a valid EWS membership prior to starting the race in order to collect EWS Global Ranking points. No points will be awarded retrospectively should a rider purchase an EWS membership after an event.</li><li>• Only EWS members will be added to the EWS Reserve List and offered priority registration for the following season.</li></ul>
	<p><b>RACE LICENSES</b> <b>EWS</b> The EWS is a UCI Category 3 race. All racers must have a UCI license issued by their own national cycling federation. Riders will be required to present their UCI licenses at the onsite checkin. Photos or electronic copies are acceptable.</p> <p><b>EWS100 NEW ZEALAND RESIDENTS</b> New Zealand residents can have either a race license issued by the New Zealand Cycling Federation or can purchase a New Zealand Cycling Federation one event license at the onsite checkin. Cost for a one event license is \$10NZD and subject to the CNZ Terms and Conditions.</p> <p><b>⚠️ EWS100 NON NEW ZEALAND RESIDENTS</b> One event licenses are not available from the New Zealand Cycling Federation for foreign riders.</p> <p>Foreign riders competing in the Rotorua EWS100 must either have an international UCI license issued by their own national federation. Alternatively, unlicensed international riders will also have the option to race providing they have the following insurance coverage in place (which is the UCI requirements to obtain an international licence):</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Insurance for bodily injury (in and out-patient hospital expenses and medical care, transport costs, permanent disablement, death) and material damages (loss of earnings) in case of accident on the occasion of a cycling competition or during training.</li><li>• Third-party liability insurance for material damage or bodily injury caused to others in the course of a competition or cycling event or during training.</li></ul>
	<p><b>ONSITE CHECKIN / PLATE COLLECTION</b> Skyline Management Offices (next to the Gondola Building)</p> <p><b>HOURS</b> Thursday   13h00-14h00 (EWS Team riders only) and 14h00-19h00 Friday   07h00-10h00 Saturday   07h30-10h00</p>





	<p>Checkin Deadline. Riders who have not collected plate / checked in by 10h00 Saturday will not be included on the Start List.</p> <p>Crankworx Athlete Accreditation (valid for Skyline access) can be collected in advance of the registration hours: Wednesday   07h00-13h00 Thursday   07h30-12h00</p> <p>Altering, cutting, or placing of unauthorized stickers or sponsor logos on race plate is not permitted.</p>
	<p><b>RIDER BRIEFING</b> Thursday 19h30 [new time] Location: stage behind the Skyline Management Office just past main spectator entrance gate to Skyline</p> <p>Changes to the rules, course, timetable etc and details of course marking, technical assistance zones and feed station will be communicated at the Rider Briefing. Non-attendance at the Rider Briefing will not be accepted as an excuse for any rule violation by any rider.</p> <p>Visit the Facebook Event Page / Rider Forum for up-to-date race information or to ask any questions. <a href="https://www.facebook.com/events/2240842912643512/">https://www.facebook.com/events/2240842912643512/</a></p>
	<p><b>TIMING</b> Timing system: SPORTident AIR+ system</p> <p>Timing chips will be issued from the timing tent on Sunday morning. EWS racers should arrive at least 15minutes prior to their start time. EWS100 racers will be provided with a scheduled time range to collect the chips on Sunday morning.</p> <p>Each rider will be issued two chips (the second unit provides backup in case of loss or a crash). One chip should be worn on each wrist.</p> <p>Timing transponders will be collected in the finish of the race. Racers who withdraw or do not complete the race should return the chips to the finish.</p> <p>Lost or damaged transponders will be assessed a 100 GBP replacement fee.</p>
	<p><b>BIKE MARKING</b> Racers must use the same bike (frame, fork and wheels) for Sunday's race.</p> <p>If one of these parts break (frame, fork, rear swingarm and wheels), riders have to report it to the race director. In the case of a replacement of a part or the entire bike, a 3-minute penalty will be given if the rider reports it to the race director (with the penalty assigned to the Stage when the replacement is made). If not reported, the rider will be disqualified.</p> <p>Official event bike marking stickers (5 total) will be included in the race package. Stickers need to be applied to the top tube of the frame, right side of the rear swing arm, right crown of the front forks and each wheel rim.</p> <p>Do not affix the stickers until the race day. Racers who lose their bike marking stickers prior to the race start may be assessed a time penalty.</p>

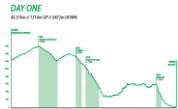




**COURSE**

**DESCRIPTION and ELEVATION PROFILE**

- SP1: *Tax Man – BYO – Debt Collector – CWX Pumptrack*
- SP2: *Tumeke*
- SP3: *Tihi O Taha – Te Mouna – Moonshine*
- SP4: *Tuhoto Ariki – Katore*
- SP5: *Crankworx Downhill, Larches alternative line, The Fuzz*



Total Stages: 5  
 Elevation: 2076m (includes Skyline Gondola and shuttle transitions)  
 Total descent: 1662m  
 Total Distance: 46.5km (including 27.6k of shuttles)  
 Approximate total race time: 07:48 hours



Technical Physical Grading Score

MAP: <http://admin.enduroworldseries.com/uploads/documents/races/1552806851.pdf>

TRAILFORKS GPS MAP: <https://www.trailforks.com/event/3755/>

All stages are closed for riding until official training.

**TRAINING**



Race stages are closed during official training to all but racers, accredited media and official EWS Team staff. All riders on course during practice must have plates on their bikes. Any rider training without a plate or outside the official schedule will be disqualified.

Racer will be limited to 1 training run on each Special Stage.





To manage congestion on the tracks during training, there will be separate training times for EWS and EWS100 riders.

**Friday March 22**

08h00-10h00	EWS	Stage 2
08h00-10h00	EWS100	Stage 3
10h00-12h00	EWS	Stage 3
10h00-12h00	EWS100	Stage 2
12h00-14h00	EWS	Stage 4
14h00-16h00	EWS100	Stage 4

**Saturday March 23**

08h00-10h00	EWS	Stage 5
10h00-12h00	EWS100	Stage 5
13h00-15h00	EWS	Stage 1
15h00-17h00	EWS100	Stage 1

**COURSE WALK - SKYLINE**

Riders will have an opportunity to walk Stage 1 on Thursday between 18h00-19h30. Stage 5 course walk is Friday after 18h00. But, taping will be happening on Stage 5 at the time due to the swap over from the DH race.

Last upload on the Skyline Gondola is at 18h00

**UPLIFTS**

Entry fee includes Gondola access at Skyline for training and race days. On race day, racers will have a priority loading entrance. Gondola will be available for the training day – but there will be no lift line priority for EWS racers and the Skyline bike park will be open to the public.

On race day, riders will be shuttled to / from Skyline to the Whakarewarewa Forest.



For the training day in Whakarewarewa Forest – racers will be permitted to use the Southstar Adventures public shuttle bus service - but the uplift cost is additional to the event entry fee. Single uplift is \$10 NZD. Discounted multi uplift cards also available : 5 uplifts \$40 NZD, 16 uplifts \$100 NZD, 50 uplifts \$260 NZD, and 50 uplifts (40 individual plus 10 share) \$200 NZD. Shuttle tickets can be purchased with cash from the SouthStar shuttle drivers or online with credit cards <https://www.southstaradventures.com/>

Private vehicles are not permitted in the Whakarewarewa Forest.

Riders are also not permitted to use the private Southstar Land Rover shuttle service during the training day.

Riders are not permitted to shuttle the mountain access road to stages 1 or 5.

**FEED ZONES**








Riders will pass Whaka Feed Zone on transition to Stages 2, 3, and 4.

Following will be available at the Feed Zone: fresh and dried fruti, nuts, bars, bread, savoury, sweets, electrolytes and water.

Water will be also available at the Skyline venue.







	<p><b>TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE ZONES</b> EWS Riders will pass Whaka neutral Tech Zone on transition to Stages 2, 3, and 4. The Neutral Tech Zone is the Whaka Forest is simply to patch people up and keep them in the race to get them back to Skyline where they can get help from the team/supporter/pit area. Neutral Tech supplies (pumps, basic tools, tape, ...) are available to all racers. Riders would be required to do any repairs / mechanicing work themselves.</p> <p>Technical Assistance is only permitted in the Technical Assistance Zone. Racers will pass through the team pits after Stage 1 and before Stage 5.</p> <p>EWS100 Outside assistance is permitted. Riders will pass Whaka neutral Tech Zone on transition to Stages 2, 3, and 4.</p>
	<p><b>TOILETS</b> Toilets will be located in the Skyline Rotorua Crankworx Event Village or in the Gondola Terminal.</p> <p>There will also be toilets located in the Whakarewarewa Forest Feed Zone, shuttle pick up area and shuttle drop off area</p>
	<p><b>PROTECTION RULES</b> Full face mandatory during the special stages. A helmet with a detachable mouth piece is acceptable. Open face helmets can be worn during transitions. Protection rules applies to both training and race days.</p>
	<p><b>RACE RULES</b> Riders are expected to read and understand the Race Book and Rule Book. Unfamiliarity will not be accepted as an excuse for any rule violation by any rider <a href="http://www.enduroworldseries.com/ews-general/rules-and-resources/">http://www.enduroworldseries.com/ews-general/rules-and-resources/</a></p> <p>The Race Director is authorized to give additional penalties that are not listed in the EWS rules in the case of a rider who fails to respect the other riders, the spirit of the sport, the environment or the organization.</p> <p>Protests and complaints regarding the race, results, behavior of the other racers and any other sort of issue must be presented to the Race Director or Chief Commissaire within 15 minutes from the posting of the results. RULE BREAK REPORT FORM: <a href="https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc-FhoIqP7w0Jf8m_2ZQbp6nHAKUPnHQvp_IMDbJy2-5PpkMw/viewform">https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSc-FhoIqP7w0Jf8m_2ZQbp6nHAKUPnHQvp_IMDbJy2-5PpkMw/viewform</a></p> <p>Race Director: Tim Farmer +64 021 0299 4907 UCI Chief Commissaire: Jeremy Christmas +64 21 304 872</p>
	<p><b>CRANKWORX ATHLETE AGREEMENT</b> By registering for the EWS/EWS100, riders are deemed to have agreed to the terms and conditions of the Crankworx Athlete Agreement. <a href="https://www.crankworx.com/rotorua/athlete-info/">https://www.crankworx.com/rotorua/athlete-info/</a></p>





	<p><b>IMAGE RELEASE</b></p> <p>As a condition of my participation in Crankworx Rotorua, I hereby unconditionally and irrevocably consent, authorize and grant Crankworx Events Inc. ("CEI"), the event organizers of each event, and their respective affiliates, sponsors, promoters, advertisers, broadcasters, webcasters, contractors, agents, representatives, licensees and assigns (together, the "Releasees") all the necessary authority, right and license and permission to use photographs, audio or video recordings, or other forms of recordings that capture my image, likeness, voice or performance (or all of these) (collectively hereinafter referred to as "Images"), in which I may be included in whole or in part, in any manner or media, including print, broadcast, internet media, direct marketing channels, downloadable content and applications, and all other technologies now known or hereafter developed. The Images may be used or exploited for any commercial or non-commercial purpose whatsoever, and may be altered, modified, changed, combined or incorporated into other works I hereby relinquish any rights I may have in the Images (including privacy, personality and publicity rights). In no event shall I seek or be entitled to injunctive or other equitable relief in connection with the use of the Images. No fees or other compensation whatsoever will be provided to me for or in connection with the use of the Images. I hereby release the Releasees from any and all claims which I may now or in the future have relating to the ownership, reproductions, display, distribution or other use of the Images.</p>
	<p><b>CATEGORIES</b></p> <p>WOMEN WOMEN   Under 21 (1999-2002) WOMEN   Master 35+ (1984+) MEN MEN   Under 21 (1999-2002) MEN   Master 40+ (1979+) <i>Age calculation date: December 31 2019. Minimum age 17 (Year of birth 2002)</i></p>
	<p><b>START ORDER and SEEDING</b></p> <p><b>EWS</b> Riders in the EWS will have individual preassigned start times for the race Riders will be seeded based on a combination of their final 2018 Enduro World Series rank, final 2018 EWS Global Ranking, current 2019 EWS Global Ranking and EWS team status. MEN   Master 40+ WOMEN (<i>outside top 15</i>) WOMEN   Under 21 WOMEN   Master 35+ MEN   Under 21 MEN (<i>outside top 30</i>) WOMEN (<i>top 15 EWS rank plus EWS team riders</i>) MEN (<i>top 30 EWS rank</i>)</p> <p><b>EWS100</b> The riders in the EWS100 start group will not have seeding, preassigned individual start times or fixed start intervals. Instead, the EWS100 racers will have a specific time period to complete each individual stages but they can start in any order within their group.</p>







## START LIST and START PROCEDURES

Any racer who has not checked in / collected their race plate by 10h00 Saturday will be removed from the start list.

### EWS

Start List (with individual start times) will be published after onsite checkin closes (10h00 Saturday). Riders will be issued a sticker with their individual stage start times on Sunday at the Skyline start platform

Racers will have preassigned start times for all 5 stages.

Late racers will be given the following penalties:

up to 5 minutes late = 1 minute penalty.

5+ minutes late = 5 minutes penalty

Any racers arriving at the start of a race stage later than 30 minutes after their specified start time, or once all other racers in their category have started, will be assigned a DSQ for the race and should not complete any other stages.

A 1-minute interval will be added every 20-30 riders to allow a clear gap to start riders who have missed their start. All late riders must start, under instructions from the official starter, within each 1-minute gap. There is no fixed start interval between late starters as the goal is to keep late riders racing, without affecting other riders on course. Late starters will receive a fixed penalty

If a racer is delayed reaching the start as a result of assisting an injured rider or due to some other exceptional circumstances beyond the racer's control (which the rider can provide evidence for), the time penalty may be waived and / or the racer may be permitted to repeat the stage.

Any racer affected by a 'significant incident' during a transition or special stage should immediately report to the finish or start official of the affected stage (as applicable).

The Race Director has the final right to change start times during the race in case of any unforeseen circumstance.

### EWS100

EWS100 racers will have a specific time period to complete each individual stage but they can start in any order within their group.

Opening / closing times for each stage will be published on Saturday.

## LIVE TIMING and RESULTS

Live Timing : <https://www.enduroworldseries.com/race/ews-round-1/giant-toa-enduro-presented-by-camelbak/201876/>

Official Results (with penalties): <https://www.enduroworldseries.com/race/ews-round-1/giant-toa-enduro-presented-by-camelbak/201876/results/>

## AWARDS

Sunday 18h00

Separate podiums for EWS and EWS100

Top 3 from each race categories will be awarded – as well as the overall EWS teams and EWS overalls (Women, Women U21, Women Master 35+, Men, Men U21 and Men Master 40+)



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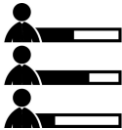



WOMEN | Under 21

Village: 8:00:00  
Stage 1: 9:00:00  
Stage 2: 10:00:00  
Stage 3: 11:00:00  
Stage 4: 12:00:00  
Stage 5: 13:00:00  
Stage 6: 14:00:00









	<p><b>PRIZE MONEY</b> EWS \$9000 NZD total 1st Men and Women: \$1,750.00 NZD 2nd Men and Women: \$1,200.00 NZD 3rd Men and Women: \$ 950.00 NZD 4th Men and Women: \$400.00 NZD 5th Men and Women: \$200.00 NZD Prize money will be paid by electronic transfer – subject to withholding tax where applicable.</p>
	<p><b>RANKING POINTS</b> EWS Points are listed in Appendix 1 of the EWS Rules. <a href="https://www.enduroworldseries.com/ews-general/rules-and-resources/">https://www.enduroworldseries.com/ews-general/rules-and-resources/</a></p> <p>EWS100 EWS Rules - Section 14.4 EWS100 riders who are valid EWS Members will score Global Ranking points using the following calculation: EWS Series points equating finish place in scratch format with all EWS racers minus 20%.</p>
	<p><b>QUEEN STAGE</b> EWS SP4: Tuhoto Ariki – Katore The winner (per category) of the Queen Stage (SP4 Tuhoto Ariki – Katore) will be awarded bonus EWS series points. Men: 40 Point Bonus Women: 40 Point Bonus U21/Master Men: 20 Point Bonus U21/Master Women: 10 Points Bonus</p>
	<p><b>EVENT FIRST AID</b> Emergency Dispatch: Peak Safety: 0800WHAKA1 (backup Race Director Tim Farmer +64 021 0299 4907)</p>
	<p><b>MEDICAL FACILITIES</b> Emergency Clinic: Lakes Prime Care +64 (0)7 348 1000 Hospital: Rotorua Hospital +64 (0)7 348 1199 Ambulance Services: 111</p>
	<p><b>CONCUSSION PROTOCOL</b> Any racer who fails a concussion assessment by a qualified medical practitioner, during that event, will be removed from the current practice session or race and will be prohibited from further participation in any practice session or race until cleared in writing by a medical doctor to resume such activity. Should a concussion be confirmed by a medical doctor, the athlete is responsible for completing a 'graduated return to activity' plan.</p>











	<p><b>INJURY/ILLNESS PERFORMANCE PROJECT</b></p> <p>During all EWS/EWS100 events, medical staff may collect preliminary rider injury and illness data, in order to monitor the magnitude of issues that occur. As part of your participation this will include your medical data should you sustain an injury (or illness) during the event. You will not be identifiable at any stage during any collection of this data, and any data collected on you will be anonymized and kept strictly confidential at all times. The information gathered may be used by the EWS to help guide and direct future rider health and injury/illness prevention initiatives. You do not need to do anything as part of this data collection.</p>
	<p><b>INSURANCE</b></p> <p>Travel, medical and personal liability insurance coverage is not provided by Crankworx Rotorua or the Enduro World Series.</p> <p>All individuals are covered by New Zealand's public insurance company - Accident Compensation Corporation (ACC) - for treatment for injuries sustained while in New Zealand. Details at <a href="http://www.acc.co.nz">http://www.acc.co.nz</a></p> <p>ACC does not cover travel or treatment if an injured person leaves New Zealand and therefore is not a replacement for a racer's own personal travel / medical insurance.</p>
	<p><b>MASSAGE / PHYSIOTHERAPY</b></p> <p><b>PHYSIOTHERAPY</b></p> <p>The Physiotherapy service is provided by local Physiotherapy clinic Te Ngae Physiotherapy and Pilates and will be led by Nathan Clarricoats. Nathan is an experienced and fully qualified Physiotherapist, also currently completing a Masters. He looks forward to keeping you on your bike!</p> <p>Services on offer include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Diagnosis and Treatment of injuries</li><li>• Strapping and Taping service</li><li>• Fitting for braces and other orthotic supports</li><li>• X-ray referrals</li></ul> <p>The Physiotherapy tent at Skyline can be found near the dome tent adjacent to the Kidsworx zone / event medics. Appointments can be arranged by calling Nathan directly on 0211457732, or you can book through the clinic by calling 07 2822047.</p> <p>The main Te Ngae Physiotherapy Clinic is located nearby at the Redwoods Centre, Corner of Te Ngae and Tarawera Roads. Telephone 07 2822047 . <a href="http://www.globalrehabilitation.co.nz">www.globalrehabilitation.co.nz</a></p> <p>NB: Where an injury is a result of an accident the above services are subsidized by the ACC insurance scheme. A co-payment is required.</p> <p>Cost for ACC injuries (including assessment and treatment/strapping): \$25 surcharge</p> <p>Strapping only (without assessment or treatment): \$30</p> <p>Cost of braces / orthotics – POA</p> <p>Cash and Eftpos payment available onsite.</p> <p><b>MASSAGE</b></p> <p>Therapists from Lara Bodywork Massage will be onsite offering massage services based in a dome tent near the Kidsworx zone / event medics.</p> <p>2019 Pricing: TBC . Cash &amp; Visa/Mastercard.</p> <p>Lara Hooper also has offices in Rotorua if you'd like to organize something outside of the Crankworx days / hours. Please visit <a href="http://www.larabodyworkmassage.co.nz">www.larabodyworkmassage.co.nz</a> for details.</p>





	<p><b>CASH OUT</b> Location of closest bank machines: Skyline: BP Gas Station - 80 Fairy Springs Road Whakarewarewa Forest: BP Gas Station - 420 Fenton Street</p>
	<p><b>GROCERY STORES / MARKETS</b> Rotorua has a full range of shops and services. There are three main supermarket chains in Rotorua: Pak n Save, Countdown (3 locations) and New World. The closest supermarket to Skyline Rotorua is Countdown - 54 Fairy Springs Road.</p>
	<p><b>BIKE WASH</b> There are two main bike wash locations at Skyline: a) Next to the bike entrance of the main Skyline gondola terminal. b) Next to Expo site 40. There is also a public bike wash station at Waipa – Whakarewarewa Forest.</p>
	<p><b>BIKE SHOPS</b> Mountain Bike Rotorua – Waipa State Mill Rd Whakarewarewa Forest and 1215 Fenton Street Rotorua Cycle Centre - 1111 Hinemoa Street Evo Cycles Rotorua - 1081 Amohau Street Bike Culture Limited - 1133 Pukuatua Street Bike Barn Rotorua - 1109 Eruera Street NZO Ride Central - 1131 Amohau Street Cyclezone Rotorua - 1299 Fenton Street Bike Fix Direct - 84 White Street Planet Bike - Waipa Bypass Road</p>
 	<p><b>TRAVEL / TRANSPORTATION</b></p> <p><b>FLYING</b> Auckland AKL is the closest international airport to Rotorua.</p> <p>Rotorua has direct flights to and from Auckland, Wellington and Christchurch. The two major domestic carriers are:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <a href="#">Air New Zealand</a></li><li>• <a href="#">Jetstar</a></li></ul> <p><b>⚠ TRAVEL ADVISORY</b> Please note that space for bikes may be unavailable on domestic flights due to the limited cargo space and the high volume of traffic of air travel into Rotorua during the Crankworx dates.</p> <p>New Zealand has strict biosecurity procedures at airports and ports to prevent the introduction of unwanted pests and diseases. Make sure your bike frame/tires and riding shoes/clothing are totally clean and free from soil and other contaminants.</p> <p><b>DRIVING</b> Driving time from Auckland is approximately 2.5-3 hours.</p>



A number of major international rentals car agencies which have offices at the AKL airport terminal building. There are also a number of locally operated / independent rental companies with offices close to the airport:

RAD Rent a Dent: <https://www.radcarhire.co.nz/>

NZ Rent a Car: <https://www.nzrentacar.co.nz/>

The following commercial shuttle companies offer scheduled services from AKL to Rotorua.

Luxury Shuttle <https://www.luxuryairportshuttles.co.nz/>

Naked Bus <http://www.nakedbus.com/nz/home/>

InterCity [www.intercity.co.nz](http://www.intercity.co.nz)



## TRAVEL DOCUMENT REQUIREMENTS

Travellers must have a passport valid for at least three months beyond their intended departure date, and if required, a valid New Zealand visa.

Please refer to <http://www.newzealand.com/int/visas-and-immigration/> for travel document requirements for entry to New Zealand.

## PARKING

### SKYLINE ROTORUA



Athlete parking is available in the Rowi Street Reserve and along Kawaha Point Road on a first-come first-served basis.

Access to the upper Rowi Street Lot (which has access to the Skyline venue through a gate next to pumptrack) requires Crankworx Accreditation.

For the first visit to the venue, park in the temporary loading/unloading zone at the bottom of the Rowi Street Reserve and walk to the Skyline Race Office to collect your accreditation. Once you have the accreditation you can relocate your vehicle to upper lot and access Skyline.






### WHAKAREWAREWA FOREST

Main access gates to the car parks are open:

5:30am to 8.30pm at the entry to The Redwoods on Long Mile Rd











6:00am to 8.30pm at the entry to the Rotorua Mountain Bike carpark on Waipa State Mill Rd



	<p><b>ACCOMMODATION</b> <a href="https://www.crankworx.com/rotorua/accommodation/">https://www.crankworx.com/rotorua/accommodation/</a></p>
	<p><b>CAMPING</b> There is no overnight parking at the Skyline venue.</p> <p>There are a number of reserved and overnight parking spots in Rotorua for self contained vehicles (no water/power). See <a href="https://www.rotorualakescouncil.nz/our-city/Parksandreserves/motorhome/Pages/default.aspx">https://www.rotorualakescouncil.nz/our-city/Parksandreserves/motorhome/Pages/default.aspx</a> for details</p> <p>Recommendations for commercial parks that have facilities (with power/water) Blue Lake Holiday Park - 15 mins out of town and quiet with a wonderful, calming atmosphere in the forest. <a href="http://www.bluelaketop10.co.nz/">http://www.bluelaketop10.co.nz/</a> Rotorua Thermal Holiday Park - 5 mins from Skyline, Whaka Forest, City Centre and has onsite geothermal hot pools <a href="http://rotoruathermal.co.nz/">http://rotoruathermal.co.nz/</a></p>
	<p><b>OTHER RIDING OPTIONS</b> Riding options for teams/racers arriving in advance or staying after the EWS race:</p> <p>Whakarewarewa Forest: features an extensive network of trails (130kms total). Impact of race stage closures will be minimal. Visit <a href="http://redwoods.co.nz/bike/">http://redwoods.co.nz/bike/</a> for details.</p> <p>Skyline Rotorua: closures will also be in effect for AirDH, Crankworx DH, Hipster Kidsworx DH and Sprint Warrior Kidsworx DH training and races. Please refer to <a href="https://www.skyline.co.nz/en/rotorua/things-to-do/rotorua-mountain-biking/">https://www.skyline.co.nz/en/rotorua/things-to-do/rotorua-mountain-biking/</a> for ticket information, lift operating times, Crankworx trail closure details.</p>
	<p><b>OTHER ACTIVITIES / EVENTS</b> Crankworx Whistler is a 6 day Festival (March 19-24) featuring competitions, races, concerts, multimedia shows, ... Please visit <a href="https://www.crankworx.com/festival/rotorua/">https://www.crankworx.com/festival/rotorua/</a> for a full schedule of events.</p> <p>Online registration for the Dual Slalom (March 19) and AirDH (March 20) will be available at <a href="http://www.crankworx.com">http://www.crankworx.com</a> starting January 21. Crankworx races typically sell out several weeks in advance – preregistration is essential.</p>
	<p><b>SKYLINE ROTORUA TICKETS / SPECTATOR ACCESS</b> Racers will receive Crankworx Athlete Accreditation - which will provide access to Skyline on training and race days and spectator access for the duration of Crankworx (March 20-24).</p> <p>If you have friends and family that want to come watch you compete at Skyline, they will need tickets to access to the Skyline venue. General Admission Tickets can be purchased onsite or online at <a href="http://www.crankworx.com/rotorua/tickets/">http://www.crankworx.com/rotorua/tickets/</a> . General admission to the Skyline venue starts at 10am.</p> <p>General Admission Tickets are also required for team managers, mechanics, coaches, parents... but any Athlete Support that will need earlier access to the Skyline venue will be able to exchange their General Admission Tickets for an Athlete Support Pass. Only available for Adult General Admission Ticket holders – doesn't apply to General Admission Family Pass holders. Exchange can be made at the Skyline Athlete Registration office.</p> <p>Free Spectator access for the Whakarewarewa Forest stages.</p>





	<p><b>ACTIVITIES FOR NON-RACING PATNERS and PLACES OF INTEREST</b> Visitor Guide: <a href="https://www.rotoruanz.com/visit/home.aspx">https://www.rotoruanz.com/visit/home.aspx</a></p>
	<p><b>EVENT MERCHANSIDE</b> Event merchandise will be available for purchase at Skyline Rotorua on the event weekend.</p> <p>EWS Shop. <a href="https://shop.enduroworldseries.com/">https://shop.enduroworldseries.com/</a> EWS jerseys, gloves, goggles, socks, tshirts and sweatshirts available online.</p>
	<p><b>EWS</b> <a href="http://www.enduroworldseries.com/">http://www.enduroworldseries.com/</a></p> <p>  </p> <p><b>CRANKWORX ROTORUA</b> <a href="http://www.crankworx.com">www.crankworx.com</a></p> <p>  </p>
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