



Whangarei RC
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RSN Roofing Christmas at the Races Wednesday 18 December 2024

Approx time: 1pm-6pm

Ruakaka | Northland

The perfect way to end the year with a Christmas party at the Races. Bring your workmates, friends or family and come celebrate with an afternoon of thoroughbred racing action at this idyllic beachside location and let us look after all the details including themed spaces, live entertainment, Christmas fare and if you're lucky a visit from Santa.

Six races during the afternoon provides a great entertainment backdrop to your work function and allows colleagues to mix and mingle. The centrally located big screen brings all the back straight action up close with live music between races in the grandstand undercroft. There is a free return race day bus service from Whangarei.

PACKAGES

A: SANTA'S TRACKSIDE MARQUEE VILLAGE - \$1,700 per Group (10)

You're right in the heart of the racing action in the premium Santa's Trackside Marquee Village. Located on the front lawn of the home straight. This is the perfect location to enjoy the excitement of the races and feel the horses thundering past the Winning Post.

Your package includes:

- Reserved 3m x 3m mini marquee for 10 guests with table and 10 chairs.
- Racebooks and pens at table.
- Two beverage vouchers per guest.
- Antipasto platter to start the day followed by a Christmas themed buffet BBQ with dessert platter to your table.
- Dedicated Bar and TAB Facilities in this exclusive trackside village with cash bar (or corporate bar tab an option for businesses).
- Big screen located directly opposite so that you don't miss the action down the back straight.

NB: Bookings are for 10 guests per marquee group. Marquees can be joined together for larger groups. A table and umbrella with seating for up to 8 additional guests can be added to the front of your marquee for \$135 per person.



B: BONECRUSHER and SURFBREAK LOUNGE (up to 110 guests) - \$90 per person

Highly sought- after premium elevated track viewing and views over Bream Bay from this function area at the northern end of the grandstand. View the racing from the comfort of your table on the flat screen TV's or step out the door to watch the horses thunder past from the elevated grandstand.

Your package includes:

- Reserved seating in the Bonecrusher or Surfbreak lounge – Tables of 10, 8 or shared
- Racebooks and pens on your reserved table
- Christmas themed buffet followed with dessert, tea and coffee
- Two beverage vouchers per guest
- Dedicated TAB services and bar facilities available in the room with cash bar (or corporate bar tab an option for businesses).

C: BEACHSIDE BAR - \$70 per person

Ideal for small businesses or groups of friends; reserve seats or tables in the Christmas themed Beachside Bar and share in the end of the year and Christmas celebrations. This room is centrally located in the grandstand with views over Bream Bay. View the racing from the comfort of your table on the flat screen TV's or step out the door to watch the horses thunder past from the elevated grandstand.

Your package includes:

- Reserved seating in the Beachside Bar – Tables of 10, 8 or shared
- Racebooks and pens on your reserved table
- Christmas themed buffet followed with dessert, tea and coffee
- Dedicated TAB services and bar facilities available in the room with cash bar (or corporate bar tab an option for businesses).

D: BREAM BAY LOUNGE 20-30 guests – Booked out

- Intimate room located at the rear of the grandstand overlooking the Hen and Chick Islands in the Bay. Suitable 20-30 guests who want a private base but are happy to wander out for a bet. TVs for race viewing and betting odds. Flexible catering options.

All prices are GST inclusive.



General Admission: Free

Ample undercover bench seating in the grandstand or sit on the grassy hill that provides an amphitheatre for great viewing of the races. You may bring your own food, just leave the booze at home. Ruakaka Racecourse is a NO BYO venue. Cash Bar and food options available.

HELPFUL HINTS

- Pick your choice of location to suit your numbers and budget. We may be able to slightly vary numbers but the per person fee is fixed, unless you wish to upgrade.
- Decide how and/or who will pay for the beverages on the day. A cash bar for individual purchases or a corporate bar tab (pre-arranged with the office).
- Email info@ruakakaracing.co.nz with your request and details. We will advise of availability and email a tax invoice. Booking will be confirmed on receipt of payment.
- Remember this is an outdoor event and may be impacted by weather conditions – in adverse weather, event times or set up may be varied.
- More details can be found at the website www.ruakakaracing.co.nz including the Terms & Conditions of entry.