

Programme Day 2

# Ward

# Middle distance event

Date: Sunday 10 th January 2021

Map: Weld Cone North

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## Location & travel directions:

*From Blenheim:* (35 minutes south of Blenheim via State Highway 1) Travel south along State Highway 1 towards Christchurch for 44km until you reach Ward. Turn left into Ward Street immediately after Needles Stream and the entrance to Ward Domain. Drive 600m and then turn left into Seddon Street. In 1.5km is a Railway Crossing without signals please stop before proceeding.

### Important access notes:

The entrance to the parking area is 50m after the Railway Crossing. But do not proceed over the railway lines unless it is clear to fully cross. There are trains using this track.

Please do not use Ward Beach Road to access the event. This road has a dangerous exit from State Highway 1, is narrow in sections and has a vehicle ford over the Flaxbourne Stream.

Location GPS co-ordinates: Lat -41.825572, Long 174.157333

Scale: 1:10,000 (Red), 1:7,500 (Orange), 1:5,000 (Yellow,White)

### Contour Interval: 5.0m

**Map Description:** Hilly farmland. Mixture of areas with open grassland and scrublands. Scattered areas of pine forest throughout.

*Important map note:* Cliffs, earth banks, pits and erosion gullies located throughout. Red courses have no fences on map. .

Event arena: The arena is around the shearing shed.

**Registration:** Available in the shearing shed. Registration only required for competitors picking up sportident cards for hire.

Parking: Parking located on paddocks to the South/Southwest of the registration.

**Start:** Split start areas. **White and yellow start:** located 200m southeast of parking. **Red and orange start:** take transport vans to start area. Clear and check available at both starts.

Warm-up: Along farm track next to parking.

Toilets: Near registration and one toilet at the start.





10.00

Registration opens: 10:00am

Start times: No allocated start times but from 10:30am - 12:30pm

Course closure: 2:30pm

**Course notes:** All maps are printed on A4 waterproof paper. No fences on red course maps.

Grade	Course length	Number of controls	Scale	Climb
White	2.4 km	14	1:5,000	75 m
Yellow	2.4 km	12	1:5,000	130 m
Orange	2.9 km	11	1:7,500	120 m
Short Red	3.4 km	12	1:10,000	170 m
Medium Red	4.1 km	13	1:10,000	220 m
Long Red	5.1 km	14	1:10,000	255 m