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## Congratulations

### Eclipse Mascots

(Marching Canterbury)  
1<sup>st</sup> Open Free Choice Team to register for  
the 2018/2019 season

### OPEN FREE CHOICE TEAMS

Eclipse Mascots – Canterbury  
Allstar Starlets – Canterbury  
Pioneers of Canterbury – Canterbury  
Manaia Buccaneers – Wellington  
Royal Empire Guards – Canterbury  
Blue Jay Kiwi – Southland  
Southern Stars Gemz – Southland  
Burlington Bears – Hawke's Bay  
Onyx Allstars – Otago  
Mania Robins – Wellington  
Railfreight Cavaliers – Waikato  
Madison Blues Mamas – Waikato  
Madison Blues Babes – Waikato  
Monarch – Waikato



## NZ CHAMPIONSHIPS

2019 NZ Championships to be hosted by  
Marching Canterbury on 14/15/16 March 2019 at the  
HORNCastle ARENA, CHRISTCHURCH  
Official Opening Thursday, Qualifying March for all  
Grades Friday, Championship/Plate March Saturday.  
ENTRY FEE U/12 \$450, U/16/Snr/Masters \$560



## SPORT NEW ZEALAND

Marching New Zealand is very grateful to  
**Sport New Zealand**  
for their continued investment in our sport

### SHARED SUBSCRIPTION

This season those members who introduced a friend under the shared subscription incentive last season will have 50% of their membership refunded IF they and the friend they introduced both register for the coming season. If you want to be part of the Shared Subscription incentive, 'introduce a friend' to marching. How it works; where an existing Marching NZ member introduces someone new in to the Sport of Marching, and that that person is a full paying member, Marching NZ, through the Association Membership Privacy Officers, refund 50% of their Marching NZ subscription in the following year. This is to be conditional upon both the existing and new member renewing after one year. A full paying member is represented by way of an individual registration other than as an Associate Member, and the 50% discount is to apply to the type of membership paid in year one. A member's discount is limited to 50% only regardless of the number of new members introduced.



### THANK YOU to our Volunteers

**Karrie Edminstin & Mel Canning**  
(Marching Southland)

Karrie and Mel willingly served as Committee members for Marching Southland, often giving up family time events to attend meetings to contribute to administering the sport in the south. Both Mel and Karrie hold other busy roles of Coach and Chaperon, respectively. The skills and knowledge of each role were able to guide Mel and Karrie in their decision making, of what was best for our teams.

Thank you, Karrie and Mel for all you do for Marching Southland.

## CHAMPIONSHIPS

South Island	2 <sup>nd</sup> Dec	Christchurch
North Island	9 <sup>th</sup> Dec	Hamilton
Taranaki	10 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Inglewood
Southland	17 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Invercargill
Nelson	24 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Nelson
Hawke's Bay	24 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Napier
Wellington	24 <sup>th</sup> Feb	Wellington
Waikato	2 <sup>nd</sup> March	Hamilton
Canterbury	2 <sup>nd</sup> March	Christchurch
Auckland	3 <sup>rd</sup> March	Auckland
Otago	3 <sup>rd</sup> March	Dunedin
NZ	14 <sup>th</sup> March	Christchurch
NZ	15 <sup>th</sup> March	Christchurch



In the Diary  
Coming up

### NOVEMBER

- 3 Waikato Competition
- 3 Nelson Competition
- 3 March & Stay competition in Canterbury
- 4 2 in 1 Competition in Hawke's Bay
- 4 Local Competition in Wellington
- 4 Southland/Otago combined Champs @ Gore
- 10 Waikato 2 March Competition
- 10 March & Go in Canterbury
- 11 Auckland Extravaganza Marching Competition
- 11 March & Go at Taranaki
- 11 Southland host Foveaux Champs
- 17 Waikato Competition in Rotorua
- 17 Opening Day Double March in Marlborough
- 18 Local March & Go competition in Wellington
- 18 Christmas March (twice) in Southland
- 20 Twilight March in Nelson
- 24 Competition in Auckland
- 24 March & Stay competition in Canterbury
- 25 March & Stay competition in Taranaki
- 25 Marching Hawke's Bay competition
- 25 Local Competition in Wellington
- 25 Double March in Marlborough
- 25 Christmas March in Milton, Otago

### DECEMBER

- 1 Waikato Competition
- 1 Trophy Day in Canterbury
- 2 Auckland Competition
- 2 South Island Championship in Canterbury
- 8 North Island Championship in Hamilton

## RISK MANAGEMENT

1. Time to look at the RISK MANAGEMENT check list for your competitions
2. Time also to check the validity of officials FIRST AID CERTIFICATES
3. Has the Association a FIRST AID KIT?



## Congratulations

### Eclipse

(Marching Canterbury)

1<sup>st</sup> Introductory Team to register for the  
2018/2019 season

### OPEN FREE CHOICE TEAMS

Eclipse - Canterbury  
Blue Ja Fernz – Southland  
Madison Blues Gems – Waikato



## Congratulations

### Eclipse

(Marching Canterbury)

1<sup>st</sup> Under 12 Team to register for the  
2018/2019 season

### UNDER 12 GRADE TEAMS

Eclipse – Canterbury  
Pioneers of Canterbury – Canterbury  
Skellerup Royal Kilties – Canterbury  
Allstars – Canterbury  
Glennette – Wellington  
Manaia Guards – Wellington  
Sharelle Guards – Taranaki  
Empire – Canterbury  
Te Arakamu Royal Guards – Taranaki  
Hokonui Militaires – Southland  
Southern Stars – Southland  
Buckingham Guards – Hawke's Bay Burlington  
Kilties – Hawke's Bay  
Clutha Guards – Otago  
Onyx Militaires – Otago  
Miltonettes – Taranaki  
Cordeaux Renwick – Marlborough  
Railfreight Cavaliers – Waikato  
Fusion – Waikato  
Madison Blues – Waikato  
Ignite – Waikato  
Waikato Majorettes – Waikato

## New Zealand Coach Magazine

Read online at

[www.sportnz.org.nz/get-into-sport/coaching-guide](http://www.sportnz.org.nz/get-into-sport/coaching-guide)

## TECHNICAL RESOURCES



1. JUDGES TRAINING KIT a resource for judges contains DVD's and a folder of judging sheets. Both new and experienced judges will benefit and should contact their Chief Judge for information.
2. New Zealand Coach Magazine online at [www.sportnz.org.nz/get-into-sport/coaching-guide](http://www.sportnz.org.nz/get-into-sport/coaching-guide)
3. Technical Drills, release date 1<sup>st</sup> July (and updates) all available from the MNZ website

### The Policy & Operations (Technical) Manual or The Manual

is **available online** to either download and print off or store and use direct from your own technical device; PC, laptop, phone or tablet.



Copied from an Association Chief Judge Report ....

*My goal is not to be better than anyone else,  
but to be better than I used to be*



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**GREAT NEWS .....KorKers  
are now making marching boots**

## Congratulations

### Pioneers of Canterbury

(Marching Canterbury)  
1<sup>st</sup> Under 16 Team to register for the  
2018/2019 season

### UNDER 16 GRADE TEAMS

Pioneers of Canterbury – Canterbury  
Eclipse – Canterbury  
Skellerup Royal Guards – Canterbury  
Allstars – Canterbury  
Ashton – Nelson  
Hokonui – Southland  
Blue Jay – Southland  
Burlington – Hawke's Bay  
Onyx Militaires – Otago  
Glennette – Wellington  
Railfreight Cavaliers – Waikato

### Coach Incentive

After three consecutive years as a practicing Coach receive a \$50 voucher in recognition of your leadership, time and energy in this role. (Coaches previously rewarded will be eligible again after three more consecutive years of Coaching).

### Coaches should

- Be treated with **respect** and **openness**
- Have access to **self-improvement** opportunities
- Be **matched** with a level of coaching **appropriate** to their ability



### ISLAND CHAMPIONSHIPS

#### South Island

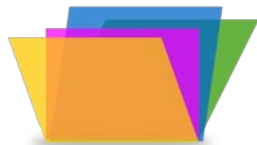
hosted by Marching Canterbury on 2<sup>nd</sup> December  
@ Nunweek Park, Harewood, Christchurch

#### North Island

hosted by Marching Waikato on 8<sup>th</sup> December  
@ Claudelands Event Centre, Hamilton

A BIG Thank You to  
Marching Canterbury & Marching Waikato  
for hosting the Island Championships

# ASSOCIATION NOTES .....



## STRATEGIC PLAN

Many strategic plans express laudable aims and visions. However, they are not supported with milestones designed to measure whether these aims are being achieved in line with the chosen strategic direction. Traditional financial indicators on their own are poor measures of desirable outcomes because financial success is a by-product of other achievement.

## RAC21.1 WEATHER CONDITIONS

Should inclement weather prevail in respect of an Association Championship or Competition, the President, Secretary, Coaching Co-ordinator, Chief Judge and Chief Marshal will confer and decide on appropriate action. Should such conferral result in an inconclusive decision (equal number of opinion for and against) then the Secretary will make the decision.

## ENVIRONMENTAL ANALYSIS

The following questions should be asked

- What are the major changes currently occurring?
- What impact are these changes having on us or similar organisations?
- What further or related changes are likely to occur in the future?
- Which of these impacts represent threats to be managed or opportunities to be exploited?

## A16.2 MEMBERSHIP & REGISTRATIONS

Members, (other than Marchers, and Individual (Associate) Members if a parent/guardian of a Team (Competitive) Member who has not reached the age of sixteen (16) years of age), are to be a member (other than as an Individual – Associate Member) of the Association in whose area they reside and may also additionally be a member of any other Association.

## Congratulations

### Skellerup Militaire Guards

(Marching Canterbury)

1<sup>st</sup> Senior Grade Team to register for the 2018/2019 season

## SENIOR GRADE TEAMS

Skellerup Militaire Guards – Canterbury  
Eclipse – Canterbury  
Glennette – Wellington  
Taranaki Squad – Taranaki  
Buckingham Guards – Hawke's Bay  
Onyx Militaires – Otago  
Clutha Guards – Otago  
Empire – Canterbury  
Misfits – Taranaki  
Storm – Wellington  
Railfreight Cavaliers – Waikato  
Madison Blues – Waikato

## JUDGE UNIFORMS

Splice Polo shirt.	\$30.00
Reversible black Vest	\$54.50
'Flash' design Jacket	\$67.50
Ladies ¾ sleeve Blouse	\$46.00
Men's short sleeve shirt	\$45.00
'Flash' track pant	\$43.00

'Flash' Jacket is slightly different from the previous design (a black colour not white collar) and it is not necessary to replace existing jackets with the new design. All orders are + freight charges. Order forms are available from your Association Chief Judge.

## Congratulations

### Eclipse

(Marching Canterbury)

1<sup>st</sup> Masters Grade Team to register for the 2018/2019 season

## MASTERS GRADE TEAMS

Eclipse - Canterbury  
Pioneers of Canterbury – Canterbury  
Ashton – Nelson  
Argent – Auckland  
Te Arakamu Queen Guards – Taranaki  
Blue Jay – Southland  
Rosedale – Southland  
Bandolier – Wellington  
Onyx Militaires – Otago

## Volunteers want more structure...

Volunteers recognise that they are not in the paid environment when volunteering and make allowances for this. However, many hope for a good level of operation and organisation. The trade-off for sport organisations with policies and processes is not to formalise things so much that the risks for people volunteering become so high, or become so intimidating, that they won't participate. One way of keeping policies and processes within the informal tradition of sport volunteering is to make them verbal and optional where applicable. The following policies and processes represent good practice and could be implemented without overstepping the formality levels people are expecting

- Short written job descriptions
- Induction programmes
- Professional development programmes
- Verbal feedback
- Health & Safety briefings
- Access to Mentors

Organisations must plan how they will manage their volunteers and determine what policies and process to use. Implementing more formal systems and processes will provide volunteers with a sense of security and order and not every process will need to be applied to all volunteers.

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Finding and Keeping Volunteers – what the research tells us