



2016 Oceania week of BMX

Saturday 23 to 31 January 2016 - General & Helpful Information

BMX New Zealand presents the 2016 Oceania BMX Continental Championships. Based in Auckland, New Zealand biggest city, the following information covers helpful detail and extra ideas on what to see & do in Auckland while you are here.

EVENT LOCATION:

Venue - Sunset Coast BMX Club
Address - Puni Memorial Park, 80 Attewell Road, Puni , Pukekohe

REGION:

Auckland is the biggest city in New Zealand, with 1.5 million people, an urban environment where everyone lives within half an hour of beautiful beaches, hiking trails and a dozen enchanting holiday islands. Add a sunny climate, a background rhythm of Polynesian culture and a passion for outstanding food, wine and shopping, and you're beginning to get the picture of Auckland.

ACCOMMODATION:

Auckland accommodation has something for everyone, from luxurious resorts and 5-star international hotel chains to charming bed and breakfasts and beautiful holiday homes. Choose from all types of accommodation throughout the whole Auckland region, from the CBD to island retreats
Pukekohe is the closest township, so use this as a start point. Check out options at;

- www.aucklandnz.com/accommodation
- [booking.com](http://www.booking.com)

RENTAL CARS:

There are a huge amount of options for hiring a car or van in Auckland, it is the best way to get around with bike in the back.
See - www.aucklandnz.com/transport/category/rental-cars

TRAVEL & DIRECTIONS:

The Sunset Coast BMX Event center is 45 km & 1 hour (depending on traffic) south of Auckland International Airport & can be found, by using the address above on Google Maps or your navigation unit.

GENERAL ATTRACTIONS:

There are so many things to do in Auckland, from the mild to the wild. Experience Auckland's fantastic food and wine, world-class shopping and exciting adventure activities.
Get out on the harbour, bungee-jump, check out the galleries or hop on your bike to explore.
See - www.aucklandnz.com/things-to-do

RIDING & TRAINING:

If you want to experience Auckland & ride, there are lots of opportunities to be had on two wheels

Most club tracks in Auckland are open to the public so access is generally unrestricted when there is not club events on.

Clubs in Auckland that are available;

North Harbour

- Bush Road, Albany, Auckland 0632
- Club night - Monday
- <http://www.nhbm.org.nz/>

East City

- Merton Reserve, 54 - 64 Howard Hunter Ave, St Johns
- Club night - Wednesday
- <http://www.eastcitybmx.com/>

Mountain Raiders

- Bells Road, Lloyd Elsmore Park, Pakuranga
- Club night - Friday
- <http://www.sportsground.co.nz/mtrbmx/>

Papakura

- Keri Downs Park, Dominion Road, Papakura
- Club Night - Thursday
- <http://www.sportsground.co.nz/papakurabmx>

Sunset Coast

- Puni Memorial Park, 80 Attewell Road, Puni , Pukekohe
- Club Night - Wednesday
- <http://www.sunsetcoastbmx.co.nz/>

There is a BMXNZ NQM event at the Paeroa Club Track, which is approx. 1 hour and 15min south of Auckland on Saturday 23rd January. A smaller old school track, but one of the fun-est events on the NZ BMX calendar, a must do.

Entry at this web address-

http://www.cyclingnewzealand.nz/Event?Action=View&Event_id=2982

Other Cycling

Auckland City has a expansive waterfront & so perfect for exploring on two wheels. From downtown to beaches there is lots to see on your bike on the cycle ways.

If you want to go further into the wild, Auckland Region has some excellent MTB parks to shred.

- Woodhill MTB Park - <http://www.bikeparks.co.nz/>
- 440 MTB DH Park - <http://www.fourfortymtbpark.co.nz/>

BMXNZ would love for you to come over to experience Auckland & New Zealand, with everything it has to offer.

See you soon

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