



Newsletter April 2006

After some less than inspiring results at the Melbourne Commonwealth Games we surfski paddlers have reason to be proud...

Aussie beater No. 1

Congratulations to Mike Walker for his win on in the Air Tahiti Nui King of the Harbour. Dave Kissane of Australia 2nd, Tom Woodriff of Australia 3rd. Results are now on www.surfski.co.nz Some great photos are on <http://www.picturenz.co.nz/>

There will also be a King if the Harbour site on www.sportzhub.com, with photos, video, results and a race report.

Over the next few weeks a long pay Air Tahiti Nui King of the Harbour TV package will play on TV ONE sports and Sky Sports.

Aussie beaters Nos. 2 and 3

James Clarke and Erin Taylor did the near impossible and won both the male and female under-19 surfski title at Aussie surf lifesaving titles in early this month. That is huge!!

Ferg's Kayaks Race No. 1 Sunday April 23.

First race in this new autumn paddle series. Race distance will be about 10km – from Ferg's in Okahu Bay around Brown's Island and return. Race start at 12 noon, entry fee just \$5. Lifejacket hire for \$5 for those without.

Contact Alan Ferguson for details alan@fergskayak.co.nz or 021 2103016.

Coaching Clinics

Check out www.surfski.co.nz for the new coaching clinics. Fraser at Point 5 for beginners and novice. Alan Ferguson for intermediate and Mike Walker for advanced.

Enjoy the autumn paddling.

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