



2025 NATIONAL MĀORI HOCKEY TOURNAMENT

24th October - 27th October
Tāmaki Makaurau, Auckland

Newsletter 1



NAU MAI. HAERE MAI, PIKI MAI

Tāmaki Makaurau Māori Hockey, NZ Māori Hockey & Counties Manukau Hockey are delighted to be hosting teams at this year's 2025 NZ Māori National Tournament in Auckland. We extend a warm welcome to all players, team management, officials and supporters.

Our venues for the tournament will be:

Rosa Birch Park, 33-39 Beresford Street, Pukekohe

ACG Strahallen, 50 Hayfield Way, Karaka



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KEY TOURNAMENT INFORMATION

TOURNAMENT OFFICIALS

Tournament Administrator: Marie Arthur-Worsop



Tournament Director:
Martin Glossop



Umpire Manager:
Max Beech



Assistant Umpire Manager:
Ray Close

TĀMAKI MAKAURAU HOCKEY COMMITTEE

Tina Bell-Kake (Chairperson), Mikaya Hurunui (Secretary), Carissa Makea, Morgan Toki, Dan Kean (Treasurer), David Oakley, Siobhan Cortesi

TĀMAKI MAKAURAU ORGANISING COMMITTEE

Tina Bell-Kake, Tracey Iversen, Tania Rameka, David Oakley, Carissa Makea, Mikaya Hurunui, Siobhan Cortesi, Dan Kean, Manu Gray, Marie Arthur-Worsop

MANAGERS & UMPIRES MEETINGS

The managers at and umpires meeting will be directly after the pōwhiri

SCHEDULE & PŌ WHAKANGAHAU

TOURNAMENT SCHEDULE

Friday: Pōwhiri at 1pm followed by first round of games

Saturday: Games continued

Sunday: Semi-finals & Pō Whakangahau

Monday: Finals, awards & Poroporoaki at 3pm

PŌ WHAKANGAHAU

We want to emphasise the importance of everyone coming together to share tikanga through kapa haka, waiata and kai!

It will include the announcement of the tāne and wāhine selected for the U21 NZ Maori representative team and life members awards

Venue: TBC

Time: TBC

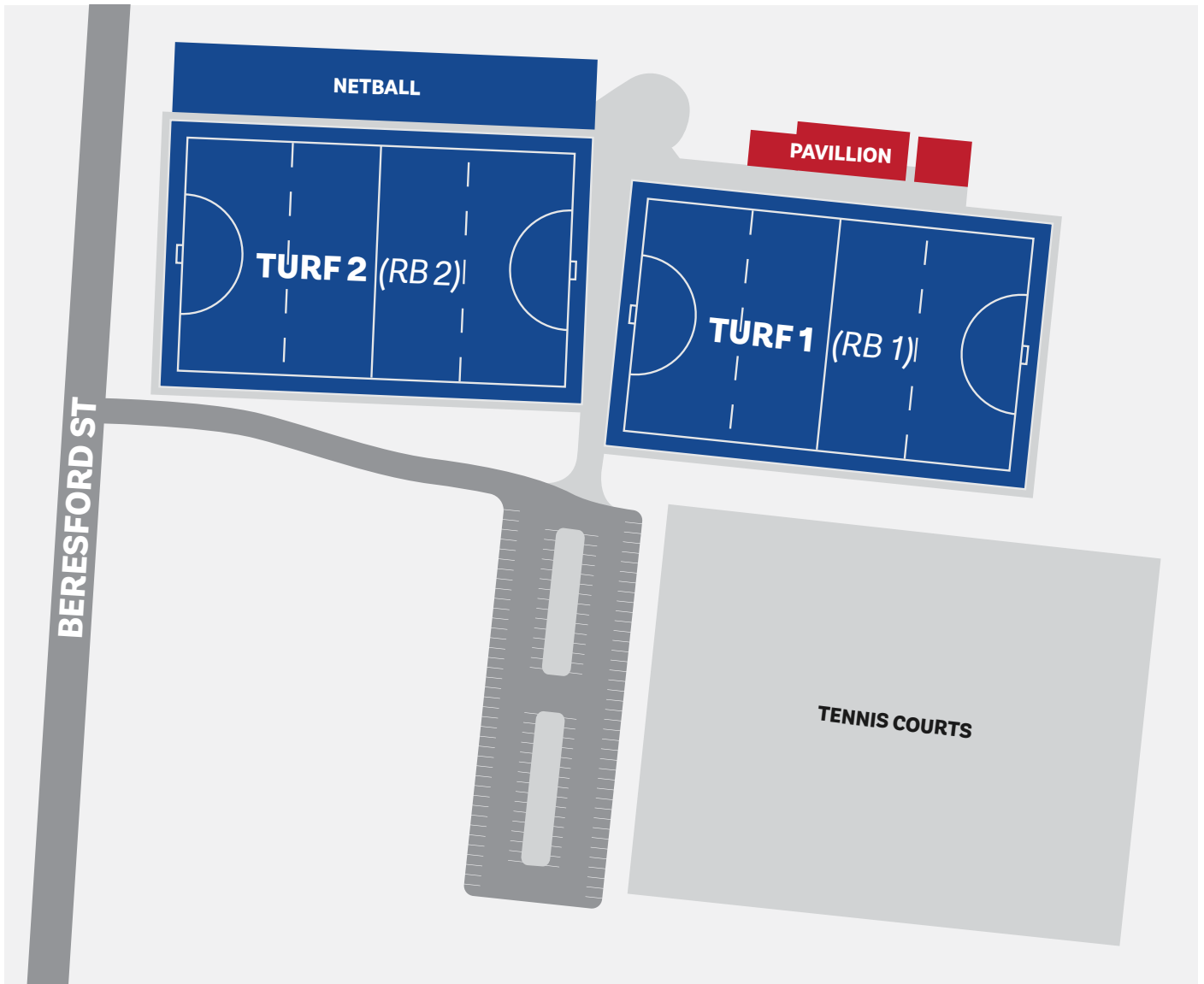


An aerial photograph of Rosa Birch Park in Pukekohe, New Zealand, overlaid with a dark blue tint. The image shows a large sports field with white markings, a building, and surrounding trees and roads.

ROSA BIRCH PARK

Beresford Street, Pukekohe

Nestled in the heart of Pukekohe, Rosa Birch Park is a prominent green space within the Counties Manukau region. This expansive park is centrally located and easily accessible, bordered by Beresford Street and West Street, with additional pedestrian access from Puni Road. It serves as a vibrant community hub, offering a mix of open sports fields, playgrounds, and pathways, making it a popular destination and the perfect location to host this year's tournament



SECURITY & PARKING

Please be aware that Counties Manukau are not responsible for damages to cars that occur from hockey balls leaving the boundaries of the turf. Please also ensure valuables are not left unattended on/around the turf or in your car, there will be security patrolling the area however, we cannot guarantee the safety of your belongings

FOOD & DRINKS

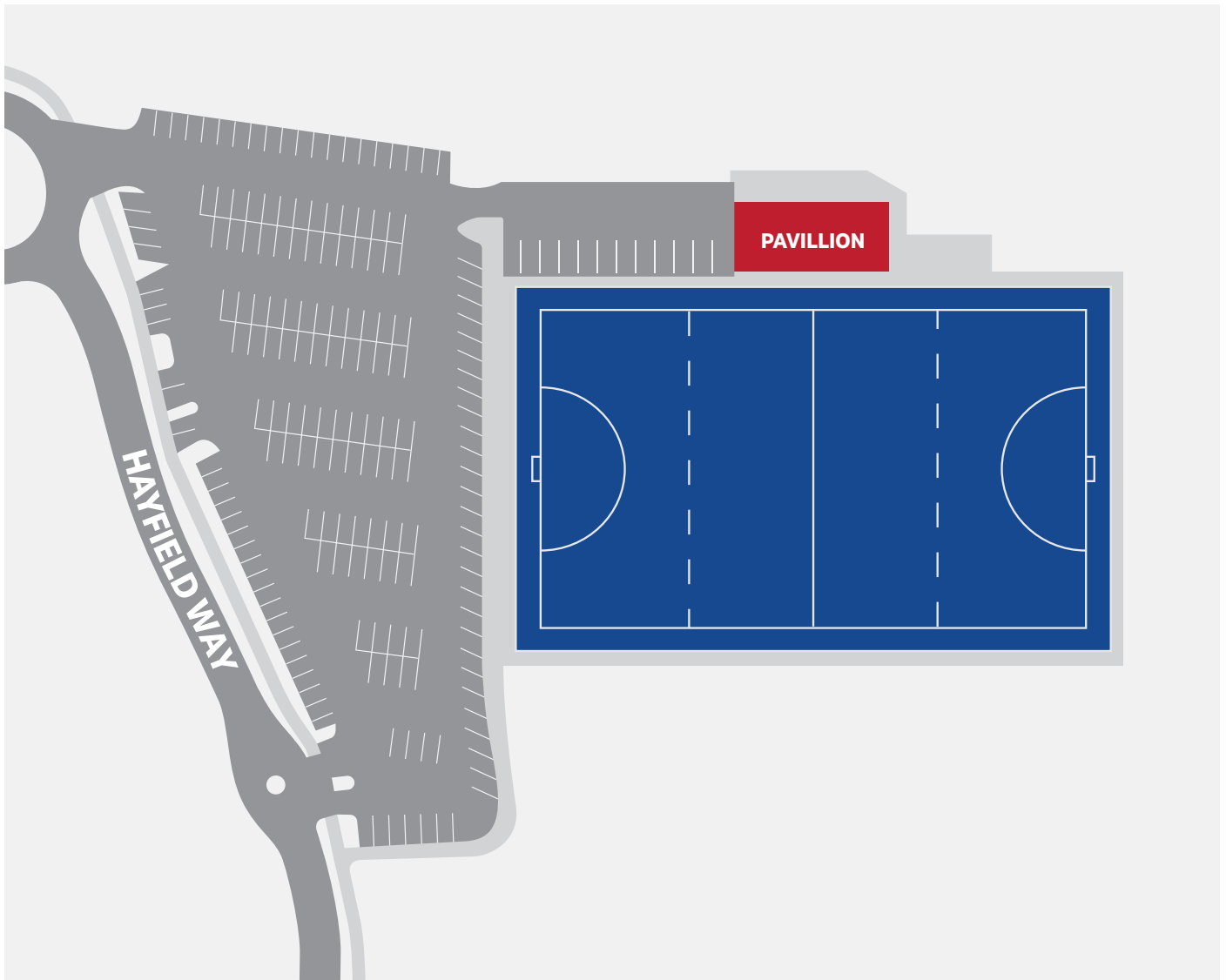
The cafe will be open over the course of the weekend, this is located on the top level of the pavillion. There will also be additional stalls, details on this are still being finalised

An aerial photograph of a large sports field, likely a hockey rink, with various markings and structures. The image is overlaid with a dark blue gradient. The text is positioned in the lower-left quadrant of the image.

ACG STRATHALLAN SCHOOL

50 Hayfield Way, Karaka

ACG Strathallan is beautifully situated in the semi-rural suburb of Karaka, offering a serene and spacious campus environment just south of Auckland. A peaceful setting away from the inner-city bustle, getting to the school is straightforward. Take the Karaka/State Highway 22 exit and from there, head west onto Hingaia Road. Turn right onto Oakland Rd then left onto Hayfield Way and you'll find the turf a short drive down on your left-hand side.



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Food & drink facilities are still be finalised for this venue. Please note this is a school, therefore the turf and grounds have a no alcohol policy

A stethoscope is centered in the background, rendered in a dark blue color that blends with the overall background. The chest piece is at the bottom center, and the earpieces curve upwards and outwards. The background is a solid, dark blue color.

MEDICAL & DENTAL SERVICES

LOCAL MEDICAL & DENTAL LOCATIONS

ACCIDENT CARE

Urgent Care Franklin
(8am - 8pm, 7 days a week)

12 Glasgow Road, Pukekohe
(09) 238 6610

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EMERGENCY CARE

Middlemore Hospital
Hospital Road, Otahuhu
(09) 276 0000

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DENTAL CARE

Tooth Care Pukekohe
(9am - 5pm Mon-Fri, 11am-7pm Sat & Sun)

166 King Street, Pukekohe
(09) 238 2343

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PHYSIOTHERAPIST

Pukekohe Physio
10 West Street, Pukekohe
(09) 238 4303

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SPORTS MASSAGE

Franklin Massage Therapy
57 Seddon Street, Pukekohe
(09) 238 1380

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OTHER SERVICES

Franklin Pools
29 Franklin Road, Pukekohe
(09) 238 5240

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Please note there are no local facilities that provide ice baths



THINGS TO DO IN AUCKLAND & PUKEKOHE

Key activities in and around these locations...

AUCKLAND

RAINBOW'S END

With over 20 rides and attractions, there's something for everyone at Rainbow's End!

2 Clist Crescent, Manukau City Centre

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MOTAT

Visit MOTAT, a science and technology museum for everyone. MOTAT is a great destination to explore, discover, learn, play and spark imaginations

805 Great North Road, Western Springs

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AUCKLAND MUSEUM

Auckland War Memorial Museum tells the story of New Zealand, its place in the Pacific and its people

Auckland Domain, Parnell

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SPOOKERS

Explore spine-chilling thrills and heart-pounding horrors as you navigate through an array of haunted attractions, where live actors and immersive themes haunt your every step

833 Kingseat Road, Kingseat

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PUKEKOHE

PUKEKOHE FARMERS MARKET

Held every Saturday morning. This is a community hub for locals and visitors. Sample free tastings, enjoy live music, and experience the lively atmosphere. Its a great place to meet locals, soak in the vibrant community, and even get come inspiration for a picnic in one of Pukekohe's parks

Corner of Massey & Roulston Street

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PUKEKOHE COSMOPOLITAN CLUB

Ten pin bowling, Time out, Resturant and bistro

78 Nelson Street

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BLUE OX BABE

A combination of Low 'n' Slow BBQ and Asian Fusion BBQ, located in the industrial area of Pukekohe New Zealand

127 Manukau Road

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CINEMA 3

Pukekohe cinemas, catch the latest films

85 Edinburgh Street

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