

# 08/09 Race Results

## WDBA Super 12 (H'tron)

Race 1	Perry Metalers just beating <b>EW Villains</b>	EW Rocks!
Race 2	<b>EW Heroes</b> over Showtime	
Race 7	<b>EW Villains</b> over Lion Nathan	from 10 races
Race 10	<b>EW Heroes</b> over Peachgrove Intermediate RUA	
Race 14	<b>EW Villains</b> over Waikato Treasure Chests	6 Wins
Race 16	Whanua 605 beat <b>EW Heroes</b>	3 Seconds
Semi 23	<b>EW Heroes</b> over Becaneers	1 Third
Semi 24	HCWS just beat <b>EW Villains</b>	
FINAL	<b>EW Villains</b> trashed HCWS and <b>EW Heroes</b> in Fire Dragons Final	

## Turangawaewae Corporate Challenge (Ngaruawahia) Sprints

Heat 1	Second	Waka Rockers!
Heat 2	<b>!!! Win !!!</b>	
Semis	Second (0.6 seconds off qualifying)	1 Wins
Ranking	Fourth overall from 16 competitors	2 Seconds

## Tauranga Super 12 Sprints

Claytons	<b>EW Cupid and the Valentines</b> destroy all comers in the fastest time for the races that didn't count.	EW Love-in!
Heat 1	3 <sup>rd</sup> behind BNZ Busy and Aristocraps	2 Wins
Heat 2	<b>! Win !</b> in the fastest time for the races that <b>did</b> count.	1 Second
FINAL	<b>!!! SILVER !!!</b> going down by just 14/100ths of a second to LION in the Super Dragons Final. <b>EW Cupid and the Valentines ranked 2<sup>nd</sup> of 35 teams.</b>	1 Third

## Regionals Lake Pupuke, North Shore, 580m Races

Claytons	<b>EW</b> by 13-odd seconds in the 2 <sup>nd</sup> fastest time.	EW Rocks!
Heat 1	<b>EW</b> by 7 seconds over Lion. Payback for the Tga S12s	
Heat 2	<b>EW</b> thrash the other councils (ACC, NSCC, ARC) by 6 seconds, coming home in 2:43.05	3 Wins
Heat 3	Beaten by Open Champions HCWS and Airforce, <b>EW</b> comes home 3 <sup>rd</sup> in 2:44.08	1 Second
FINAL	<b>!!! SILVER !!!</b> (2:41.05) going down to the Airforce. <b>EW ranked 2<sup>nd</sup> of 15 corporate teams.</b>	1 Third

## Wellington, Paddlegate, Windy City Festival on the Wellington Waterfront, Sprints

Claytons	MEDevil beat <b>EW</b> (1.19.98) by 2/100s of a second in something of an upset result.	EW Paddleless!
Heat	<b>EW</b> charged home to win in 1:19.09 but then Paddlegate went down, a 2 sec penalty and back to 2 <sup>nd</sup> .	1 Win
Quarters	3 <sup>rd</sup> behind the Titans and PSC in 1:20.14. <b>EW</b> was fastest 3 <sup>rd</sup> place-getter and qualified for semis in 9 <sup>th</sup> place (though they were faster than many of the seconds and were actually the 6 <sup>th</sup> fastest time. <i>I have had all memory of this race surgically removed.</i>	2 Seconds
Semis	The second level of finals "The Petite" and <b>EW</b> went down to PSC, coming home 2 <sup>nd</sup> in 1:20.35 to <b>rank 7<sup>th</sup> of the 20 competing corporate teams.</b>	1 Third
FINAL		1 Fifth

## Rotovegas, Blue Lake, 502 mtr, Nationals

Heat 1	Tu Meke (Open Class) beat <b>EW</b> (2.12.66).	EW Shark Attack!
Heat 2	<b>EW</b> battled home in 2:17.32, holding out Mainfreight.	
Heat 3	Not a hope of beating the NZ Open Champions (they were on the way back to shore before the other boats finished) but <b>EW</b> scored a solid 2 <sup>nd</sup> in 2:16.99	2 Win
Heat 4	<b>EW</b> slaughters the opposition in the <b>Councils Cup</b> coming home in a personal best for the day of 2:10.03. That's around 13.9kph.	3 Seconds
FINALS	Qualifying for the <b>500m Runner Up 'B' Final</b> EW faced off against 4 boats, all of whom had faster qualifying times, but in a hard fought race <b>EW held 2<sup>nd</sup></b> just 4/100s of a second clear of Interger. <b>EW ranked 3<sup>rd</sup> of 18 corporate teams.</b>	

<b>15 Races in 3 major Regattas, and.....</b>	WINS!	6	40.0%
	Seconds	6	40.0%
	Thirds	2	13.3%
	Fourths	0	
	Fifths	1	6.7%