

## **NEW ZEALAND ORIENTEERING CHAMPIONSHIPS 2016 EMBARGO**

Two areas are embargoed for the 2016 New Zealand Orienteering Championships to be held in the Nelson Tasman region at Easter.

### **Sprint Distance** - See aerial photo A

Competitors and other persons, who, through knowledge of the terrain, may influence the results of the competition, are permitted to access the embargoed area until further notice. However, use of orienteering maps, running training of all kinds and route choice testing is not allowed in the area. The only exception is for those competitors who may live or work within the area covered by the map for running training only while going to and from their place of work or residence.

From 29 December 2015 until the start of the sprint on Friday 25 March 2016 the above embargo conditions apply to the area defined by: Grove Street, Tasman Street, Brook Street, Bronte Street, Rutherford Street, Selwyn Place and Collingwood Street, Nelson.

### **Long, Middle and Relay Distances** - See aerial photo B

Within the township of St Arnaud, competitors and other persons, who, through knowledge of the terrain, may influence the results of the competitions, are permitted to access the embargoed area until further notice. However, use of orienteering maps, running training of all kinds and route choice testing is not allowed in the area. The only exception is running training for those competitors who may have a holiday home, are vacationing in or work within the area covered by the maps.

A strict embargo on the area around the village of St Arnaud, in the Tasman District is in force, including the areas known as Teetotal Flat, Kerr Bay, Black Hill and Big Bush Forest.

From 29 December 2015 until the start of the Middle Distance event scheduled for Saturday 26 March 2016 the above embargo conditions apply to the area to the west of Kerr Bay Road, south of St Arnaud–Kawatiri Highway and east of Mt Robert Road.

From 29 December 2015 until the start of the Long Distance event scheduled for Sunday 27 March 2016 the above embargo conditions apply to the area to the north of St Arnaud–Kawatiri Highway and Wairau Valley Highway (SH63) and the area east of Kerr Bay Road. The exceptions to these embargoes are for the purposes of attending the event and associated activities including accommodation within the village, use of any commercial premise and attendance of any sanctioned function over the Easter Weekend. Also, upon completion of the Middle Distance event, the area east of Kerr Bay Road is open until 12am on Sunday 27 March 2016 except for the use of orienteering maps, running training of all kinds and route choice testing is not allowed in the area.

From 29 December 2015 until the start of the Relay Distance event scheduled for Monday 28 March 2016 the above embargo conditions apply to the area to the north of St Arnaud–Kawatiri Highway and west of the location known locally as The Ice Skating Pond at the carpark for Teetotal Flat.

**Aerial Photo A - Sprint Distance**



**Aerial Photo B - Long, Middle and Relay Distances**

