

# Locals blitz opposition

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Members of the North-West Canoe Club proved too strong for their opponents as they blitzed the coastal visitors in most events during last weekend's 1986 State Marathon Canoe Championships on Lake Moondarra.

Visiting paddlers came from Rockhampton and Mackay and, although some were placed in the events, they were no match for members of the local club.

Conditions on the lake were ideal for the local paddlers with a cooling breeze to offset the high temperatures.

The event was contested over a distance of 39km for the open classes and 21km for the junior and veteran classes.

The single kayak event was held on Saturday and the doubles on Sunday.

National champion Jeff Wilkinson was narrowly defeated by six

seconds by John Van Ryt in the open K1 event with Bart Ven Der Meer from Rockhampton coming third.

The open TK1 class was won by Bruce Hume with Steve McLay second and Greg Dick from Mackay third.

Bruce Hume and John Van Ryt then teamed in the open TK2 class to narrowly defeat Jeff Wilkinson and Steve McLay by eight seconds.

The full results were:  
Open K1, 39km: John Van Ryt 3.20.04 1, Jeff Wilkinson 3.29.10 2, Bart Van Der Meer, Rockhampton, 3.47.57 3.

Open TK1, 39km: Bruce Hume 3.50.52 1,

Steve McLay 3.53.40 2, Greg Dick, Rockhampton, 4.03.10 3.

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Last weekend's medal winners — Lindsay Becks, Glen Keoghan, Allan McOnnon, Keith Billeau, Marilyn Drynan, Malcolm Anderson, John Van Ryt, Bruce Hume, Ricky D'amato.

## Canoe results

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Women's TK1, 39km: Marilyn Drynan 3.57.51 1, Sue Silburn 4.26.59 2.  
Junior K1, 21km: Richard D'Amato 2.01.41 1, Steven Jenje 2.12.58 2, Michael Tsiamis 2.17.55 3.

Veteran 35 TK1, 39km: Linsay Becks 3.52.04 1, Keith Brohman, Rockhampton, 4.01.26 2.

Veteran 45 TK1, 21km: John Price 2.13.58 1, Laurie Fray 2.22.49 2,

Guenter Stein 2.24.34 3.

Open TC2: Allan McConnon and Glen Keoghan 3.55.29 1, Lindsay Becks and Rosco Foreman 4.25.06 2, Richard Mill and Dennis Norrie 4.34.33 3.

Open C2: Keith Billeau and Malcolm Anderson 3.41.14 1.

Open TK2: Bruce Hume and John Van Ryt 3.34.10 1; Jeff Wilkinson and Steve McLay 3.34.18 2; Paul Barker, Mackay, and Keith Brohman, Rockhampton, 3.45.49 3.