



## **2015 STAGE DESCRIPTIONS**

### **STAGE 1 & 3: Utuwai 19.71km (not used in the configuration before)**

Starts with a gently climb then travels across the top of the ridge then down through a twisty gorge then opens to a fast finish. Hard based gravel

### **STAGE 2 & 4: Ridge Rd 30.98km (new finish from previous years)**

The infamous Ridge Rd. Working your way across the ridge top to a tricky downhill finish. Hard based gravel

### **STAGES 5 & 7: Mangaoranga. 14.41km (last used in 2008)**

Fast open and flowing, narrows down hill, fast and flowing to finish. Solid metal base

### **STAGE 6 & 8: North Rd. 12.87km**

Fantastic stage. Fast and flowing, 5.5kms of seal mixed within the stage. Fastest stage of the Rally with some tricky corners that will catch some out. Hard based gravel.