



LMYC 90th BIRTHDAY

COMBINED CLUBS

PULBAH RACE 2019

NOTICE OF RACE

Saturday 12th October 2019

The Organising Authorities will be:

Lake Macquarie Yacht Club (LMYC), Royal Motor Yacht Club Toronto (RMYCT), and Wangi Amateur Sailing Club (WASC)

Under the authority of Australian Sailing (AS)

Hosted by LMYC located at ADA Street Belmont NSW 2280 Australia

RMYCT located at 6 Arnott St Toronto 2051

WASC located at 275 Watkins Rd Wangi Wangi NSW 2267

1.0 RULES

- 1.1 The races will be governed by the 2017 – 2020 Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) of World Sailing and the Prescriptions and Special Regulations of Australian Sailing (AS).
- 1.2 Appendix T will apply

2.0 ADVERTISING

- 2.1 Advertising is unrestricted as permitted by World Sailing Regulation 20.

3.0 ELIGIBILITY

- 3.1 Entry is open to ballasted mono-hulled and multihull yachts resistant to capsize, which shall have a current Equipment Audit Form for Category 7 or above.
- 3.2 A yacht shall have current Third Party Insurance for not less than \$10 million.
- 3.3 The event is open to yachts using spinnakers, and non-spinnaker yachts.

4.0 ENTRY

- 4.1 An Entry shall be lodged through the Top Yacht Entry System (TES) on-line at <https://lmyc.com.au/online-race-entries>
- 4.2 A boat shall nominate on the on-line Entry Form if the boat intends if using a spinnaker or not, and the nomination shall not be changed.
- 4.3 The race entry nomination shall be paid through the on line system for the amount of \$0. With entries closing at 1700 on Thursday 10th October 2019 .
- 4.4 Series entrants for the 2019-20 RKR or LMYC, RMYC, WASC Saturday Pointscores series are automatic entrants for this series at no cost.

5.0 SCHEDULE OF RACES

- 5.1 Saturday 12th October 2019:
Warning signal for Division 1 is scheduled for 1315 hours.

NOTE: The Race will be run conjointly with the LMYC, RMYC and WASC Summer Pointscores.

6.0 COMMUNICATIONS

- 6.1 Signals made ashore will be displayed from the Race Committee Box on the SW end of LMYC marina and the Race Committee Box on North East end of RMYC marina and the Flag mast on shore in front of WASC clubhouse.
- 6.2 The Official Notice Board will be situated in the LMYC Racing office.
- 6.3 A boat retiring before, during or after the race shall notify the RC of its intention to do so by calling the RC : on mobile 0414 450 022 or VHF (Channel 71), at the earliest possible opportunity.

7.0 DIVISIONS AND SPINNAKERS

- 7.1 The number of Divisions will be in line with the R K Robertson series.
- 7.2 All Divisions will be mixed spinnaker and non-spinnaker.

8.0 SCORING AND RESULTS

- 8.1 Scoring will be in accordance with RRS Appendix A.9
- 8.2 The Race Committee will assign a TCF handicap to each boat. For boats competing in the RKR series, the Calculated Handicap after RKR 2019/20 Series Race 1 will be used. A boat's result will be its elapsed time x TCF to determine its corrected time. The boat with the lowest corrected time shall be scored first, subject to penalties, retirement or redress, if any, the second lowest, second, and so on.

9.0 DISCLAIMER

- 9.1 Each competitor participates in the LMYC 90th Birthday race entirely at his or her own risk and subject to the RMS Risk Warning. LMYC, RMYC, and WASC will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with, prior to or after the Regatta.

10.0 PRIZES

- 10.1 Prizes will be determined by the LMYC Sailing Committee

11.0 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS AND FURTHER INFORMATION.

- 11.1 Sailing Instructions will be available on the LMYC website http://www.lmyc.com.au/site/sailing_instructions_and_regattas by Monday 30th September 2019
- 11.2 For further information contact LMYC sailing office at racing@lmyc.com.au or phone 0411652533

NOTE:

The race will be preceded by:

The official unveiling of the LMYC club refurbishments at 1100 (all welcome)

Sail past of yachts representing all clubs from Lake Macquarie before a combined review committee of Commodores representing the various clubs at 1215.

Refreshments will be available to all participants after the race at the LMYC club

Steven Ford
Rear Commodore LMYC
On behalf of
Combined Clubs Sailing Committee
Date 20st September 2019