



ALKIRA BOAT SHED
LAUGHLAN BUILDING SERVICE
MARINE OUTLET
COMBINED CLUBS
PULBAH SERIES 2020-21
NOTICE OF RACE

The Organising Authorities will be:
Lake Macquarie Yacht Club (LMYC), Royal Motor Yacht Club Toronto (RMYCT)
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

1.0 RULES

- 1.1 The races will be governed by the 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 and minimum crew of two (2).
- 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 either LMYC or RMYC
- 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 specified by LMYC or RMYC 2020-21 Race fees.
- 4.4 Series entrants for the 2020-21 RKR or LMYC, RMYC Saturday Pointscores series are automatic entrants for this series at no cost.

5.0 SCHEDULE OF RACES

- 5.1 Saturday 12th September 2020
Saturday 7th November 2020
Saturday 6th February 2021
Saturday 20th March 2021
Warning signal for Division 1 is scheduled for 1315 hours.

NOTE: The Race will be run conjointly with the LMYC, RMYC 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.
- 6.2 The Official Notice Boards will be situated in the LMYC Racing office, and RMYC notice board.
- 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 Allocated Handicap for RKR 2020-21 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 series entirely at his or her own risk and subject to the RMS Risk Warning. LMYC and RMYC 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 Combined 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](http://www.lmyc.com.au/site/sailing_instructions_and_regattas) or an equivalent link at RMYC by Monday 31st August 2020
- 11.2 For further information contact LMYC sailing office at racing@lmyc.com.au or phone 0411652533

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On behalf of
Combined Clubs Sailing Committee
Date 20st August 2020