



COASTAL SHIPWRIGHT SERVICE
PIRTEK NEWCASTLE
MARINE OUTLET
COMBINED CLUBS
WINDWARD LEEWARD SERIES 2021-22

NOTICE OF RACE

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 2283

WASC located at 275 Watkins Rd Wangi Wangi NSW 2267

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, 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 A yacht shall be familiar with their participating Club's Covid-19 Safety Plan and have submitted an appropriate Skipper Declaration.
- 3.4 The event is open to yachts using spinnakers and non-spinnaker yachts.

4.0 ENTRY

- 4.1 An Entry shall be lodged through the On-Line Entry Systems via LMYC, RMYCT and WASC.
- 4.2 A boat shall nominate on the on-line Entry Form if the boat intends not to use a spinnaker and the nomination shall not be changed during the Series.
- 4.3 The race entry fee shall be paid through the on line systems for the amount determined by each club, casual entries closing at 2400 on Thursday before each race. Series entries close at 2400 hours Monday 18th October 2021.
- 4.4 Series entrants for the 2021-22 RKR or LMYC, RMYCT and WASC Saturday Pointscores series are automatic entrants for this series at no cost.

5.0 SCHEDULE OF RACES

- 5.1 Saturday 23th October 2021: Races 1 and 2
Warning signal for all divisions for first race is scheduled for 1315 hours.
- 5.2 Saturday 11th December 2021: Races 3 and 4
Warning signal for all divisions for first race is scheduled for 1315 hours.
- 5.3 Saturday 12th February 2022: Races 5 and 6
Warning signal for all divisions for first race is scheduled for 1315 hours.
- 5.4 NOTE: The Races in the Regatta will be run conjointly with the LMYC, RMYCT 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 flag masts on the shores in front of RMYCT and WASC.
- 6.2 The Official Notice Boards will be situated in the LMYC Racing office, the RMYCT notice board and WASC notice board.
- 6.3 A boat retiring before, during or after a race shall notify the Race Committee (RC) of its intention to do so by calling the RC for Course A: on mobile 0414 450 022 or VHF (Channel 71) (LMYC), for Course B: 0407 455 935 or VHF (Channel 77) (WASC), for Course C: 0414 652 484 or VHF (Channel 73) (RMYCT) 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 races and Divisions will be mixed spinnaker and non-spinnaker.
- 7.3 All boats will display a pennant on their backstay showing which division they are racing in (White for Div 1, Green for Div 2, Blue for Div 3).

8.0 SCORING AND RESULTS

- 8.1 Scoring will be in accordance with RRS Appendix A.4, A5.3.
- 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 2021-22 Series Race 2 will be used. A boat's result will be its elapsed time x TCF to determine its corrected time in each race. 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 Coastal Shipwright Service, Pirtek Newcastle and Marine Outlet - Combined Clubs Windward Leeward series entirely at their own risk. LMYC, RMYCT 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 Combined Clubs 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
Or links set up on RMYCT and WASC websites
by Wednesday 30th September 2021
- 11.2 For further information contact LMYC sailing office at racing@lmyc.com.au or phone 0411652533

Issued under the authority of
Combined Clubs Sailing Committee.
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LMYC Rear Commodore
30th August 2021