

RICHMOND YACHT CLUB (Inc)
THE ORIGINAL WEDNESDAY NIGHT RACING 2009-2010

The Original Wednesday Night Racing

NOTICE OF RACE

The Organising Authority is Richmond Yacht Club (Inc)
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1.0 RULES

- 1.1 This series will be governed by the 'rules' as defined in the YNZ Racing Rules of Sailing 2009-2012 and by the Richmond Yacht Club (Inc) General Sailing Instructions 2009-2010.
- 1.2 The Yachting New Zealand Safety Regulations Part 2 Category 5 shall apply to keelers.
The Yachting New Zealand Safety Regulations Category C shall apply to trailer yachts.
- 1.3 The Racing Rules will be changed in accordance with Rule 86 as follows
Rule 44.1 is changed as per Instruction 16.2 of the General Sailing Instructions.
Rule 29.2 is changed as per instruction 11.4 of the General Sailing Instructions.
Rule 42.3(f) is changed as per Instruction 1.9 of the General Sailing Instructions.
Rule 51 is changed as per Instruction 1.8 of the General Sailing Instructions.
Rule 61 is changed as per Instruction 16.1 of the General Sailing Instructions.
- 1.4 Sports boats shall be governed by the rules of the Sport Boat Association.
- 1.5 For protests where only a rule of Part 2 is alleged to have been broken, an arbitration hearing may be offered prior to any formal hearing.

2.0 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 The Series is open to all boats that meet the requirements of 1.2.
- 2.2 Entries will be accepted until 1700 hours each race day.
Eligible boats, including Richmond sail pass entries, may enter by completing the attached entry form and sending it, with the required fee, to Richmond Yacht Club (Inc), P O Box 46-324, Herne Bay, Auckland 1147 or leaving it in the entries box adjacent to the front door of the club. Faxed entries will be accepted provided all information on the entry form has been completed and full payment has been received. Fax number is 360 2379.
- 2.3 To be eligible to compete in this event the skipper must be a financial member of a club recognised by Yachting New Zealand.

3.0 FEES

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| 3.1 Richmond Yacht Club sail pass holders | N/C |
| Richmond Yacht Club members Seasons Entry | \$90.00 |
| Richmond Yacht Club members Individual Entry | \$15.00 |
| Non-Richmond Yacht Club Seasons Entry | \$180.00 |
| (This will be discounted by \$15 if the entry is received by Monday 28 September 2009) | |
| Non-Richmond Yacht Club Individual Entry | \$25.00 |

4.0 SCHEDULE

- | 4.1 Racing Schedule | High Water Auckland | |
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| Race 1 | 30 September, 2009 | 1735 – 2.7m |
| Race 2 | 14 October | 1636 – 3.0m |
| Race 3 | 28 October | 1555 – 2.7m |
| Race 4 | 11 November | 1514 – 3.1m |
| Race 5 | 25 November | 1416 – 2.8m |
| Race 6 | 9 December | 1355 – 3.2m |
| Race 7 | 20 January, 2010 | 2357 – 2.9m |
| Race 8 | 3 February | 2356 – 3.4m |
| Race 9 | 17 February | 2253 – 3.0m |
| Race 10 | 3 March | 2244 – 3.5m |
| Race 11 | 17 March | 2148 – 3.1m |
| Race 12 | 31 March | 2133 – 3.5m |

4.2	Division	Flag	Warning Signal
A	Keelers OPEN – 0.855+	Dark blue	1745
C	Keelers OPEN – 0.77 to 0.854	Orange	1750
D	Keelers OPEN – 0.73 to 0.769	Green/Yellow	1755
B	Sports Boats	White	1800
F	General NO EXTRAS	Green	1805
Q	Ross 930s & Young 88s	Purple	1810
E	Keelers OPEN – 0.63 to 0.73	Black	1815
H	Keelers – up to 26 feet	Yellow	1820

Handicaps are loosely based on PHRF and will be at the discretion of the handicapper.

4.3 The time limit for all divisions will be 2100 hours.

5.0 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Richmond Yacht Club General Sailing Instructions 2009/2010 will apply for this series.

6.0 VENUE

The races will be held on the Waitemata Harbour.

7.0 COURSES

The courses are described in Appendix A - Wednesday Night Courses 2009-2010.

8.0 PENALTY SYSTEM

No alternative penalties apply. Rules 44.1 and 44.2 apply for all Richmond Yacht Club races.

9.0 SCORING

9.1 The low point scoring system of Rule Appendix A4 shall apply. Rule Appendix A9 shall also apply.

9.2 8 races will be required to be completed to constitute a series.

9.3 A boat's worst score will be excluded after 8 races.

A boat's worst 2 scores will be excluded after 10 races.

10.0 PRIZES

10.1 Prizes will be awarded in accordance with the RYC prize allocation guide and as follows:

Gun

1st Handicap Minimum of three boats entered in race or series.

2nd Handicap Minimum of five boats entered in race or series.

3rd Handicap Minimum of eight boats entered in race or series.

10.2 Gun prizes must be collected on the day. If a representative from the gun boat is not present it will be returned to the prize pool.

10.3 Handicap prizes will be held at the Richmond Yacht Club office for 1 calendar month only. Prizes must be claimed within this timeframe otherwise they shall be forfeited.

10.4 Every effort will be made to hold prizegiving by 2130 hours each race evening.

10.5 Series prize giving will be held after the final race on the 31 March 2010.

10.6 Results will be posted on the Club notice board and website (www.richmondyc.org.nz) as soon as practicable.

10.7 A skipper's major spot prize will be drawn at the prizegiving after the first completed race. To be eligible the skipper must be in the clubhouse, must have raced that evening and must have paid for a season entry. The prize will be re-drawn until won.

10.8 A special crew prize will be drawn each race day. The winner must be present in the clubrooms to claim the prize. Skippers are not eligible for the crew prize.

11.0 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in any races entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The Organising Authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after racing.

12.0 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance.

13.0 FURTHER INFORMATION

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Appendix A - Wednesday Night Courses 2009-2010

1	A-C	From the start line to the laid Devonport Buoy (Stbd) to Resolution Buoy (Port) to Flax Point Buoy (Port) to Narrow Neck Buoy (Port) to Orakei Buoy (Stbd) hence to finish line	13.1
	B-D-F-Q	From the start line to the laid Devonport Buoy (Stbd) to Resolution Buoy (Port) to Rough Rock Buoy (Stbd) to Orakei Buoy (Stbd) thence to finish line.	9.7
	E	From the start line to the laid Devonport Buoy (Stbd) to Resolution Buoy (Port) to Torpedo Buoy (Stbd) to Orakei Buoy (Stbd) thence to finish line	7.3
	H	From the start line to the laid Devonport Buoy (Stbd) to Torpedo Buoy (Stbd) to Orakei Buoy (Stbd) thence to the finish line.	6.5
2	A-C	From start line to Motukorea Beacon (Port) to Northern Leading Buoy (Port) to Resolution Buoy (Stbd) to Stanley Buoy (Port) thence to finish line.	13.5
	B-D-F-Q	From start line to Northern Leading Buoy (Port) to Rough Rock Buoy (Port) to Resolution Buoy (Stbd) to Stanley Buoy (Port) thence to finish line.	10.6
	E	From start line to Rough Rock (Port) to Resolution (Stbd) to Stanley Buoy (Port) thence to finish line.	
	H	From start line to North Head Buoy (Stbd) to Resolution Buoy (Stbd) to Stanley Buoy (Port) thence to finish	7.5
3	A-C	From start line to Narrow Neck Buoy (Stbd) to Northern Leading Buoy (Stbd) to North Head Buoy (Stbd) to Flax Point Buoy (Stbd) to Resolution Buoy (Stbd) thence to finish line.	15.2
	B-D-F-Q	From the start line to North Head Buoy (Stbd) to Bastion Buoy (Stbd) to Torpedo Buoy (Stbd) to North Head Buoy (Stbd) to Bastion Buoy (Stbd) to Resolution Buoy (Stbd) thence to finish line.	10.7
	E	From the start line to Torpedo Buoy (Stbd) to Bastion Buoy (Stbd) to Orakei Buoy (Stbd) to Bastion Buoy (Stbd) to Orakei Buoy (Stbd) to Resolution Buoy (Stbd) thence to the finish line.	8.7
	H	From the start line to Torpedo Buoy (Stbd) to Resolution Buoy (Stbd) to Torpedo Buoy (Stbd) to Resolution Buoy (Stbd) thence to finish line.	7.5
4	A-C	From the start line to Torpedo Buoy (Stbd) to Resolution Buoy (Port) to Northern Leading Buoy (Stbd) to Motukorea Beacon (Stbd) to Orakei Buoy (Stbd) to Stanley Buoy (Port) thence to the finish.	15.0
	B-D-F-Q	From the start line to Torpedo Buoy (Stbd) to Resolution Buoy (Port) to North Head Buoy (Stbd) to Orakei Buoy (Stbd) to Stanley Buoy (Port) thence to the finish.	8.9
	E	From the start line to North Head Buoy (Stbd) to Orakei Buoy (Stbd) to Stanley Buoy (Port) thence to the finish.	7.8
	H	From the start line to Torpedo Buoy (Stbd) to Bastion Buoy (Stbd) to Orakei Buoy (Stbd) to Stanley Buoy (Port) thence to the finish.	7.4
5	A-C	From the start line to the laid Devonport Buoy (Stbd) to Resolution Buoy (Port) to Northern Leading Buoy (Port) to Flax Point Buoy (Port) to the laid Western Wall Buoy (Stbd) to Bayswater Buoy (Port) thence to the finish	12.2
	B-D-F-Q	From the start line to the laid Devonport Buoy (Stbd) to Resolution Buoy (Port) to North Head Buoy (Port) to the laid Western Wall Buoy (Stbd) to Bayswater Buoy (Port) thence to the finish.	8.5
	E-H	From the start line to the laid Devonport Buoy (Stbd) to Resolution Buoy (Port) to Torpedo Buoy (Port) to the laid Western Wall Buoy (Stbd) to Bayswater Buoy (Port) thence to the finish.	7.0

6	A-C	From the start line to North Head Buoy (Stbd) to Resolution Buoy (Stbd) to the laid Devonport Buoy (Port) to the laid Western Wall Buoy (Stbd) to Bayswater Buoy (Port) thence to finish line.	8.5
	B-D-F-Q	From the start line Torpedo Buoy (Stbd) to Resolution Buoy (Stbd) to the laid Devonport Buoy (Port) to the laid Western Wall Buoy (Stbd) to Bayswater Buoy (Port) thence to the finish line.	7.0
	E-H	From the start line to Torpedo Buoy (Stbd) to Resolution Buoy (Stbd) to the laid Devonport Buoy (Port) to the laid Western Wall Buoy (Stbd) thence to the finish line.	6.3
7	A-C	From the start line to Torpedo Buoy (Port) to Salt Works Buoy (Stbd) to Orakei Buoy (Stbd) to Horth Head (Port) to Resolution Buoy (Stbd) to Bayswater Buoy (Port) thence to the finish.	13.1
	B-D-F-Q	From the start line to Torpedo Buoy (Port) to Rough Rock (Stbd) to Resolution Buoy (Stbd) to Bayswater Buoy (Port) thence to the finish.	10.0
	E	From the start line to the laid Devonport Buoy (Stbd) to Bastion Buoy (Stbd) to Orakei Buoy (Stbd) to Resolution Buoy (Stbd) to Bayswater Buoy (Port) thence to the finish.	8.5
	H	From the start line to the laid Devonport Buoy (Stbd) to Resolution Buoy (Stbd) to the laid Devonport Buoy (Stbd) to Resolution Buoy (Stbd) to Bayswater Buoy (Port) thence to the finish.	6.5
8	A-C	From the start line to Stanley Buoy (Stbd) to Orakei Buoy (Port) to Narrow Neck Buoy (Stbd) to Northern Leading Buoy (Stbd) to Resolution Buoy (Stbd) thence to finish.	13.2
	B-D-F-Q	From the start line to Stanley Buoy (Stbd) to Orakei Buoy (Port) to Rough Rock (Stbd) to Northern Leading Buoy (Stbd) to Resolution Buoy (Stbd) thence to finish.	10.9
	E	From the start line to Stanley Buoy (Stbd) to Orakei Buoy (Port) to North Head Buoy (Port) to Resolution Buoy (Stbd) thence to the finish.	8.0
	H	From the start line to Stanley Buoy (Stbd) to Orakei Buoy (Port) to Torpedo Buoy (Port) to Resolution Buoy (Stbd) thence to the finish.	6.9
9	A-C	From the start line to Resolution Buoy (Port) to Northern Leading Buoy (Port) to Narrow Neck Buoy (Port) to Orakei Buoy (Stbd) to Stanley Buoy (Port) thence to finish.	13.2
	B-D-F-Q	From the start line to Resolution Buoy (Port) to Northern Leading Buoy (Port) to Rough Rock (Port) to Orakei Buoy (Stbd) to Stanley Buoy (Port) thence to finish.	10.9
	E	From the start line to Resolution Buoy (Port) to North Head Buoy (Stbd) to Orakei Buoy (Stbd) to Stanley Buoy (Port) thence to the finish.	8.0
	H	From the start line to Resolution Buoy (Port) to Torpedo Buoy (Stbd) to Orakei Buoy (Stbd) to Stanley Buoy (Port) thence to the finish.	6.9
10	A-C	From the start line to Northern Leading Buoy (Stbd) to Resolution Buoy (Stbd) thence to the finish.	10.0
	B-D-F-Q	From the start line to Rough Rock Buoy (Stbd) to Resolution Buoy (Stbd) thence to the finish.	8.4
	E-H	From the start line to Torpedo Buoy (Stbd) to Resolution Buoy (Stbd) thence to the finish.	6.0