



2018 RICHMOND REGATTA
28-29 April 2018

NOTICE OF RACE



The Organising Authority is Richmond Yacht Club (Inc)

1.0 RULES

1.1 This regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).

1.2 The Yachting New Zealand Safety Regulations (YNZ Safety Regs) Part 2 Category 5 shall apply to keelers and multihulls.

1.3 The YNZ Safety Regs Category B shall apply to trailer yachts.

1.4 The YNZ Safety Regs Part 6 Category B shall apply to sports boats.

1.5 1.6 Racing rules will be changed as follows:

- RRS 29.2 is changed as per RYC General Sailing Instructions (GSI) 11.5.
- RRS 40 is changed as per GSI 4.2.
- RRS 44.1 is changed as per GSI 13.2.
- RRS 52 'Manual Power' shall not apply.
- RRS 60.1(a) is changed as per GSI 15.4
- RRS 62.1(a) is changed as per GSI 11.6.

The changes appear in full in the GSI. The sailing instructions may also change other racing rules.

1.6 Sports boats will be governed by the rules of the Sports Boat Association. Magic 25s will be governed by the Magic 25 Association as well as the Sports Boat Association.

1.7 Appendix T will apply.

2.0 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

2.1 This race is open to multihulls, keelers and trailer yachts, refer to Clause 4.2.

2.2 Eligible boats, may enter the series by completing the online registration form on the website richmondyc.org.nz. Entries will be accepted until Wednesday 25th April 2018.

2.3 To be eligible to compete in this event each entrant shall be a financial member of a club recognised by YNZ. Magic 25s need to be a paid up member of the Magic 25 Association.

3.0 FEES

3.1 Regatta fees will be \$50 per boat for two days of racing and \$30 for one day of racing.

4.0 SCHEDULE

4.1 Day 1	28 April 2018	Up to 5 windward leewards
Day 2	29 April 2018	Up to 4 windward leewards

4.2 Divisions offered are:

- A Open (up to 31 feet)
- B Open (up to 26 feet)
- C Class Division (Marauders, Trackers, Reactors, Noelex 22, Magic 25s, R930, Open 8.5 Multihulls), final divisional structure will be determined by the numbers of class boats entering.

4.3 A minimum of 5 boats will be required for an independent start, otherwise boats shall race in the appropriate open division. Associations may opt to race on one day only. The OA reserves the right to move boats between open divisions as they deem fit.

4.4 Final start times and divisional structure will be confirmed on 26 April 2018.

5.0 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Richmond Yacht Club General Sailing Instructions will apply, together with Association Regatta Appendix A (available 26 April 2018).

6.0 VENUE

The races will be held on the Waitemata Harbour.

7.0 COURSES

7.1 Course descriptions will be available on 26 April 2018.

8.0 PENALTY SYSTEM

RRS 44.1 and 44.2 apply.

9.0 SCORING

9.1 The RRS low point system will apply. Appendix A9 will apply.

9.2 4 races will be required to be completed to constitute a series.

10.0 PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded by the individual associations at a time of their choosing.

11.0 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$5,000,000 per incident or the equivalent.

12.0 DISCLAIMER

Competitors participate in the series entirely at their own risk. See RRS 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 the series.

13.0 FURTHER INFORMATION

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