



Richmond Yacht Club
Single-handed Series
& Gulf Triangle

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Safety and Self-Rescue Declaration

All participants in the RYC Single-handed Series and/or Gulf Triangle are required to complete and return to the Organising Authority the following declaration. Please read the NoR for more information and contact the Organising Authority with any questions.

As a participant in the RYC Single-handed Series and/or Gulf Triangle, I declare that:

I will carry on my person during the races in these series the means to self-initiate a 3rd party rescue in the event that I become unable to continue sailing due to sickness, injury or make a safe anchorage safely to facilitate self-rescue or fall overboard.

Appropriate equipment must include marine communications equipment such as a waterproof handheld VHF marine radio, a cell phone in a dry-container that can be operated while kept dry as per YNZ Safety Regulations. A registered 406 MHz marine EPIRB/PLB is recommended.

I will wear an approved personal flotation device that meets the standards and specifications of Appendix 4 of the YNZ Safety Regulations while racing.

As a competitor in the Gulf Triangle series I will carry onboard at the start of each leg sufficient engine fuel to give the yacht a motoring range of at least 100 nm in flat water.

I will make myself and my vessel available for safety inspections immediately before or after series races if requested by the Organising Authority.

I have read the Risk Statements in the Notices of Race. I participate in the Single-handed Series and/or the Gulf Triangle series entirely at my own risk and accept that the series Organising Authority is not liable for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the series races.

Signature

Printed Name

Date

Boat Name

Sail Number