

The Legends Regatta

GREAT MERCURY ISLAND 23rd - 26th OCTOBER 2020

The Organising Authority is Mount Maunganui Yacht Inc (MMYC), PO Box 5217 Mt Maunganui, Phone 07 5755388 email Legends@mmyc.org.nz

NOTICE OF RACE

NB: The notation '[DP]' in a rule in the Notice of Race means that the penalty for a breach of that rule may, at the discretion of the protest committee, be less than disqualification.

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* 2017-2020 (RRS).
- 1.2 The Yachting New Zealand Safety Regulations Part II Category 4+ shall apply (required equipment on entry form).
- 1.3 Racing rule 42 will be changed for races 1 and 4 as follows: Motoring will be allowed (see motoring conditions and logging in the sailing instructions).

2 *ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 To be eligible to compete in this event the skipper/owner of the vessel shall be a member of a club or organisation affiliated to Yachting New Zealand (YNZ).
- 2.2 The regatta is open to all boats that meet the safety requirements
- 2.3 Eligible boats may enter by completing the "*entry and prize conditions*" form available at the MMYC clubhouse or online at <http://mmyc.org.nz> and paying the entry fee.
- 2.4 Early bird entries are accepted up to the 9th of October standard entries are accepted after this date

3 FEES

3.1 Required fees are as follows:

Early Bird	\$70
Standard	\$90

4 SCHEDULE

4.1 Briefing: Compulsory briefing on the 22nd Oct 18:00 at the Mount Ocean Sports Club. Exemption from attendance is on a case by case basis please make contact. can be given

4.2 *Dates of racing:

Date	Time	Course
<i>22nd (after briefing) to 23rd Oct</i>	<i>At Skipper's discretion</i>	<i>Race 1 to Great Mercury</i>
<i>24th Oct</i>	<i>1300</i>	<i>TBA Race 2</i>
<i>25th Oct</i>	<i>10:00</i>	<i>TBA Race 3</i>
<i>25th (after race 3) to 26th Oct</i>	<i>At Skipper's discretion</i>	<i>Race 4 home</i>

5 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available via the MMYC website.

6 THE COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be as follows: Bay of Plenty, and Inner and Outer Hauraki Gulf, inshore coastal waters between the designated Start Lines and Finish Lines. As well as the inshore coastal waters around the Mercury Islands. A full description of the various start and finish lines as well as the Island courses will be published in the sailing Instructions and attachments.

7 PENALTY SYSTEM

7.1 For the entirety of the Regatta RRS 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

8 COMMUNICATIONS

Boats are to notify the Race officer as outlined in the sailing instructions, for races 1 and 4. Vessels are to sign on prior to the start via VHF77 for races 2 & 3.

9 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta 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 regatta.

10 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact:
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