



Warneet Around French Island Race

Saturday 06 February 2021, on the waters of Westernport.

NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

1.1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* and the Australian Sailing (AS) Special Regulations Category 5 PLUS VHF transceiver.

Boats shall maintain a listening watch on the designated race management channel VHF 73 whilst on the water.

VHF transceivers may be hand held or permanently installed.

1.2. The person in charge of each boat entered must attend the pre-race safety briefing. It is recommended that all crew attend.

1.3. The sailing instructions will consist of the instructions in RRS Appendix S, Standard Sailing Instructions, and supplementary sailing instructions that will be on the official notice board located at the WMYC Clubhouse.

2. ADVERTISING

2.1. Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organising authority.

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

3.1. Entry is open to all boats complying with the Australian Trailable Yacht and Sports Boat Rule.

3.2. Enter by submitting the completed Entry Form and Payment **prior to** 09:00pm on Wednesday 03 February 2021.

3.3. Late entries will be accepted up to 8.00pm Friday 05 February 2021.

3.4. Entry in this race constitutes automatic entry into the Victorian Trailable Yacht & Sportsboat Traveller Series, at no additional cost.

3.5. FEES

3.6. The required fee is \$35 per boat.

3.7. An additional \$20 applies to entries received after 9:00pm, Wednesday 03 February 2021.

4. SCHEDULE

4.1. Prior to racing, boats are required to register at the race office located at WMYC from 5.00pm on the night prior to the Race

4.2. Pre-Race Safety Briefing 8.00pm, on the night prior to the Race.

4.3. Race Schedule:

| Division | | Warning Signal |
|----------|--------------------|----------------|
| 1 | CBH 0.770 or above | 0655 |
| 2 | CBH 0.700 – 0.769 | 0700 |
| 3 | CBH below 0.700 | 0705 |
| 4 | Mutihulls | 0710 |
| 5 | Keel boats | 0710 |

4.4. In the event of bad weather, the race will be rescheduled for Sunday 07 February 2021

5. VENUE AND COURSES

- 6.** Appendix A shows the Race Area and the courses to be sailed.

7. SCORING

- 7.1.** Races will be scored on Class Based Handicap (CBH).

8. PRIZES

- 8.1.** Prizes will be given for 1st, 2nd and 3rd on CBH, for each division with three or more starters.
- 8.2.** Additional prizes may be given at the discretion of the organising authority.

9. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

- 9.1.** 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.
- 11.2.** Entry fee includes BBQ on Friday night during the briefing and breakfast on Saturday morning.
- 11.3.** A two course Dinner during the presentation on Saturday evening shall be charged at \$15.00 pp
- 11.4.** Berthing on the South Jetty Pontoon will be available and designated moorings.
A Water Taxi will be running from 5pm -10.30pm on Friday and from 4.45am Saturday.
- 11.5.** Tides:
Friday 5 Febuary Warneet High 7.29pm.
Saturday 18 January Warneet High 8.01am
Warneet Low 2.31pm.
Saturday 18 January "The Hump" 8.34am

AppendixA

10. INSURANCE

- 10.1.** Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of A\$10 Million per incident or the equivalent.

11. FURTHER INFORMATION

- 11.1.** For further information please contact:

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