



THE CLASSIC YACHT ASSOCIATION  
OF NEW ZEALAND

## CYANZ Rudder Cup Memorial Race to Patio Bay Saturday 3 December 2011

The Organising Authority is the Classic Yacht Association of New Zealand (CYANZ)  
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### RACE INSTRUCTIONS

#### 1.0 Rules

- 1.1 The event will be governed by the New Zealand Maritime Transport Act, Maritime Rules Part 22, Collision/Prevention, and the CYA Launch Safety Regulations
- 1.2 The Organising Authority reserves the right in its sole and uncontrolled discretion to make spot checks and to refuse entry to any boat which is found to not comply with the Safety Regulations or is deemed to be unseaworthy for the race.
- 1.3 The use of steadying sails is not permitted.

#### 2.0 Changes to Race Instructions

Changes to the Race Instructions will be advised to competitors on VHF Channel 77 prior to the race start. Any decision to abandon the race due to inclement weather will be made at 0900hrs on Saturday 4 December.

For confirmation please call the Race Officer of the Day, Colin Pawson (MV Marinus) mob: 021 633 125

#### 3.0 Start Time

Mark Foy start times will be advised by email on or near 1000hrs on Friday 2 December. Signal to be taken from the last 'pip' time signal on 1080am (ZB Newstalk Radio). Start time for the first vessel will be 1000hrs.

#### 4.0 Start/Finish Line & Course

**Start Line:** A line between yellow Orakei Buoy and yellow Torpedo Buoy

**Finish Line:** A line between the committee boat displaying the CYANZ Flag and a distance mark to the east of the committee boat located off Patio Bay

**Course:** Start W to E to Bean Rock (stbd), Browns Island light (stbd), Motuihe Island (port), Waiheke Island (port), Passage Rock (port) to finish

**Note:** Launches should keep well clear, after finishing, of yachts approaching their finish line in the same area.

**Launches shall not exceed the 12kn speed limit in the restricted zone as designated by the Harbourmaster.**

#### 5.0 Time Limit

The committee boat may abandon the line at 1800hrs. Any competitor not finished by 1800hrs should advise Classic Race Control on VHF Channel 77 with an approximate ETA and take his or her own finish time.

#### 6.0 CYANZ Launch Numbers and Pennants

- 6.1 All competitors shall wear a CYANZ launch number.
- 6.2 All competitors shall fly a CYANZ burgee

## **7.0 Protests and requests for Redress**

Protests shall be lodged with the Race Officer of the Day, Colin Pawson (Marinus) within one hour of the last competitor completing the race. Contact can be made at the after race function in person, on VHF Ch 77 or on mobile: 021 633 125

## **8.0 Safety Regulations**

8.1 Requests for assistance are to comply with international calling formats and direction as follows:

Distress & Emergency Calls:	VHF Channel 16 (Northern Region Coastguard)
Prompt Vessel or Medical Assistance:	VHF Channel 82 (Outer Gulf)
	VHF Channel 80 (Inner Gulf)
	Mobile: *500

8.2 Any launch withdrawing from the race must notify Classic Race Control on VHF Channel 77.

## **9.00 Prizes**

The CYANZ Rudder Cup Centennial Trophy will be presented at the Annual Prizegiving at the Royal NZ Yacht Squadron on Wednesday 23 May 2012

## **10.0 Disclaimer**

All those taking part in Classic Yacht Association of New Zealand races or any other sailing or launch events controlled by the Classic Yacht Association of NZ, as between the Classic Yacht Association of NZ and each of those taking part, do so at their own risk and responsibility and the Classic Yacht Association of New Zealand has no liability for any damage, loss or penalty suffered by any boat, crew or any other person taking part in such races or events. The Classic Yacht Association is not responsible for the seaworthiness of a boat whose entry is accepted and/or the sufficiency and/or adequacy of its equipment or the competence of its skipper or crew. The Classic Yacht Association reserves the right in its sole and uncontrolled discretion to refuse any entry.