



NORTH SAILS YOUNG 88 SPRINT SERIES

10th February 2022 to 31st March 2022

NOTICE OF RACE (V4)

The Organising Authority is the Royal New Zealand Yacht Squadron
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CHANGE LOG

- A1 Event Date - delete "7 Apr" and add "31 Mar" for Race Day 10
- A2 Event Date, 1.2, 1.4, 4.2, 8.1, 9.3, 9.4, 11.3 - (19th Nov 2021)
- A3 Event date, 3.1, 4.2 - (1st Dec 2021)
- A4 Delete 11.2, Add 1.7, 12 - (15th Dec 2021)

1 RULES

- 1.1 The racing will be governed by the Rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).
- 1.2 The Yachting New Zealand Safety Regulations (as below) shall apply:
 - (a) Part II Category 4 shall apply ~~with the following exception:~~
 - i) ~~The deflection of the lower lifeline shall not allow it to be closer than 150mm from the deck at any point.~~
- 1.3 Only measured and approved class sails may be used. Spare #1 spinnakers may be carried.
- ~~1.4 On Water Judging may be used for this event. World Sailing Modified Appendix Q will apply. This will be attached to the Supplementary Sailing Instructions.~~
- 1.5 Racing Rule 33 will be changed and will appear in full in the Standard Sailing Instructions.
- 1.6 Appendix T, Arbitration, will apply.
- 1.7 **The RNZYS Covid Policy applies at all times during RNZYS events.**
Refer to <https://www.rnzys.org.nz/racedoc-course-info/>

2 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 This is an open event, for members of any yacht club, the series is open to all Young 88 yachts who hold a current measurement certificate. The owner and helm must be financial members of the Young 88 Owners Association Inc.
- 2.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing an entry form online at www.rnzys.org.nz

3 FEES

- 3.1 A non-refundable entry fee shall be paid prior to racing,

	RNZYS Members	Non-RNZYS Members
Series Entry Fee	\$150	\$180
Causal Race Entry Fee	\$35	\$45

4 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- 4.1 The scheduled time the first warning signal on each day is 1755hrs. Up to four (4) races are scheduled each race day. A total of 40 races are scheduled.
- 4.2 Scheduled date for racing are:

Race Day 1: 7 Oct	No Racing: 21 Oct due to Coastal Classic	
Race Day 2: 4 Nov	Race Day 3: 18 Nov	Race Day 1: 2 Dec
Race Day 2: 16 Dec	Race Day 1: 10 Feb	Race Day 2: 24 Feb
Race Day 3: 10 Mar	Race Day 4 24 Mar	Race Day 5: 31 Mar

5 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 5.1 The Sailing Instructions which will consist of the RNZYS Standard Sailing Instructions and Supplementary Sailing Instructions (SSI) will be available by Tuesday 28th September online at www.rnzys.org.nz

6 VENUE

- 6.1 The races will be held within the Waitemata Harbour.

7 COURSES



7.1 The course to be sailed will be a windward leeward course as described in the SSI. Port or Starboard mark rounding's may be used according to the tide.

8 PENALTY SYSTEM

8.1 ~~On Water Judging will apply using World Sailing Modified Appendix Q which will be attached to the SSI.~~ Rule 44.1 is changed so the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by a One-Turn Penalty.

9 SCORING

- 9.1 Only series entrants will be eligible for series scores. This changes RRS A2.2.
- 9.2 One (1) race will be required to constitute a series.
- 9.3 A yachts series score will be calculated according to the following table:

Number of Completed Races	Boats Series Score
0 - 8 races	Total of her race scores
9 - 11 races	Total of her race score excluding her 1 worst score
12 - 17 races	Total of her race score excluding her 2 worst scores
18 - 20 races	Total of her race score excluding her 3 worst scores
21 or more races	Total of her race score excluding her 4 worst scores

9.4 RRS A5.3 shall apply.

10 RADIO COMMUNICATION

10.1 As a safety requirement, all boats must maintain a listening watch on VHF Radio channel 17 on deck at all times while racing.

11 PRIZES

- 11.1 A prize will be presented for line honours in the RNZYS clubrooms after racing on each race night. Other prizes and spot prizes may also be awarded.
- ~~11.2 First, second and third on line over the total of the races up to and including 16th December 2021 will win sponsor's prizes to be presented at the mid-series prizegiving in the RNZYS clubrooms after racing.~~
- 11.3 Series prizes will be awarded to first, second and third on line overall at the series prizegiving after the last race on the 31st March 2022. The Series winner will also be acknowledged at the RNZYS Summer Series Prizegiving on Saturday 21st May 2022.

12 COVID CANCELLATION

12.1 **Decision making on the event in relation to Covid-19 restrictions will be made according to the local Auckland status and following the RNZYS Covid policy.**

13 INSURANCE

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

14 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

14.1 All those taking part in RNZYS races or any other sailing events controlled by the RNZYS, as between the RNZYS and each of those so taking part, do so at their own risk and responsibility and the RNZYS and any sponsor associated with this event has no liability for any damage, loss or any penalty suffered by any boat crew or any other person taking part in such events. The RNZYS and any sponsor associated with this event shall not be responsible for the sea-worthiness 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 RNZYS reserves the right in its sole and uncontrolled discretion to refuse any entry.

Date: 20 December 2021