



# RAYC Destination Cruising Series

September 2020 – April 2021

## NOTICE OF RACE

### Organised & Hosted By

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### 1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing.
- 1.2 The Yachting New Zealand Safety Regulations Part 2, Category 4 shall apply.
- 1.3 No spinnakers are allowed. MPS may be carried but will attract a 5% penalty if used during the race.
- 1.4 Dinghies are to be towed or carried on board in a visible and useable state. Inflatables must be inflated and ready to use. When the dinghy is carried onboard a penalty of 2.5% will apply. When the dinghy is towed the painter must have a minimum of 2 meters and a maximum of 5 meters from the boats transom.
- 1.5 When there is no official finish boat, the first boat to cross the line is requested take a transit, and record the times of other boats as they finish. This does not apply for night races where, if there is no finish boat, competitors must take their own times.
- 1.6 RRS52; Manual power shall not apply.

### 2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 The series is open to all sail boats.
- 2.2 Advanced and single race day entries for the Pre-Christmas and Post-Christmas Series are to be made via the online entry form - <http://rayc.co.nz/cruising/>
- 2.3 Advanced race entries are to be received no later than one week prior to the first race.
- 2.4 Single race day entries must be received by 1200 hours the day prior the race.
- 2.5 By starting a boat acknowledges that an entry fee is payable. If no entry fee is paid before or on the day of racing no results will be published for that boat.
- 2.6 Skippers are required to be financial members of a YNZ affiliated yacht or sailing club.

### 3. FEES

Required fees are as follows:

Event	Members	Non-Members
Pre & Post Christmas Series	\$140	\$180
Pre-Christmas Series	\$80	\$100
Post-Christmas Series	\$80	\$100
Single Race Day	\$20	\$30

### 4. SCHEDULE

As per Attachment 1.

## 5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be available at least one week prior to the first race via <http://rayc.co.nz/cruising/>.

## 6. THE COURSES

The intended courses will be described in the Sailing Instructions. Courses may be altered to suit conditions.

## 7. SCORING

7.1. Pre-Christmas and Post-Christmas Races will count as individual series. A combined Pre-Christmas and Post-Christmas low score will count for overall series Champion.

7.2. Three races will be required to be completed to constitute a series.

7.3. Individual series discards as follows:

Series	Races completed	Discards
Pre-Christmas	4	1
Post-Christmas	4	1

7.5 Combined series (Cruising Championship) discards as follows:

Races completed	Discards
8	2
6	1

## 8. PRIZES AND PRIZE GIVING

8.1. BBQ and prize giving on the beach after each race.

8.2. Prizes will be awarded to boats on general handicap in each race of the Series depending on the number of entries.

8.3. Series prize giving will be held at RAYC season prize giving, date to be advised.

8.4. Series prizes:

Trophy	Awarded for
Dunnings Cup	Overall Series1 and Series 2 on handicap
B.S Woollacott Cup	Most Guns Series1 and Series 2 combined
Excell Cup	Series1 winner on Handicap
Mark Rixon Cup	Series2 winner on Handicap
Mrs R.H Wood Memorial Tray	Spirit of cruising

## 9. DISCLAIMER OF ENTRY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 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. RIGHTS TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS

By participating in the event, a competitor automatically grants to the Organising Authority and the sponsors of the event, the right in perpetuity, to make, use and show, from time to time and at the discretion, any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or film television and other reproductions of him/her during the period of the competition for said event in which the competitor participated and in all material related to the said event without compensation.

## 11. FURTHER INFORMATION

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# Attachment 1

## 2020/2021 RAYC Destination Cruising Series | Schedule

<b>PRE-CHRISTMAS SERIES (2020)</b>					
<b>Race</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Destination</b>	<b>Start Location</b>	<b>Start Time</b> Warning 5mins prior	<b>Theme / Notes / Trophy</b>
1	Sat, 19 Sept	Waikalabubu Bay, Motutapu Island	Orakei Wharf	1030	Spring Shakedown. <i>Alan Griffin Trophy.</i>
2	Sat, 10 Oct	Woody Bay Rakino Island	Orakei Wharf	1030	October Special Cruise. <i>Graham Cup.</i>
3	Sat, 14 Nov	Man O War Bay, Waiheke Island	Orakei Wharf	1030	November Cruise – shared beach BBQ. <i>Bab Webster Cup.</i>
4	Sat, 12 Dec	Motuihe Island	Orakei Wharf	1030	Christmas Party Cruise – shared beach BBQ. <i>Henry D. Slyfield Cup.</i>
<b>POST-CHRISTMAS SERIES (2021)</b>					
<b>Race</b>	<b>Date</b>	<b>Destination</b>	<b>Start Location</b>	<b>Start Time</b> Warning 5mins prior	<b>Theme / Notes / Trophy</b>
5	Sat 30 Jan	Mahurangi Harbour	Orakei Wharf	1030	Beach BBQ prize giving. <i>E.R Davis Cup.</i>
6	Sat, 20 Feb	Oneroa, Waiheke Island	Islington Bay, Rangitoto	1030	Beach BBQ prize giving <i>Lion Breweries Tray.</i>
7	Fri, 19 March *	Chamberlains Bay, Ponui Island	Orakei Wharf	1800	Norma Nell Memorial Weekend, Orapiu night race. <i>John Burns Rose Bowl.</i>
8	Fri, 2 April	TeKouma, Coromandel	Orakei Wharf	1030	Good Friday cruise. <i>Paul Duval Cup.</i>

**\*Note: Race 7 will be rescheduled to the 26 March if the Americas cup continues after the 19<sup>th</sup>.**