



2024 Magic 25, Flying 15 and 18ft skiff Auckland Championship

December 7 and 8 2024

Organising Authority

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Royal Akarana Yacht Club

8-10 Tamaki Drive, Okahu Bay, Auckland 1071

VHF: Channel 77 | Race Management 021 02314559 | sailing@rayc.co.nz

Notice of Race

1. RULES

- 1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing.
- 1.2 The Magic 25, Flying Fifteen and 18ft Skiff class rules will apply.
- 1.3 RRS 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty
- 1.5 RRS Appendix T, Arbitration will apply.

2. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 2.1 The sailing instructions will be available after 0900 on 5 December 2024 at <https://rayc.co.nz/event/ff15magic25s18ft-skiff-auckland-championships/> .
- 2.2 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 <https://rayc.co.nz/event/ff15magic25s18ft-skiff-auckland-championships/> . No printed copies will be available.

3 COMMUNICATIONS

- 3.1 The official notice board is located at <https://rayc.co.nz/event/ff15magic25s18ft-skiff-auckland-championships/>
- 3.2 [DP] Magic 25 and Flying 15 yachts shall carry a VHF radio capable of communicating on 17 and 77.

3.2 [DP] While racing, from the first warning signal until the end of the last race of the day, except in an emergency, a boat shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats.

4. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

4.1 The event is open to all Magic 25 and Flying 15 boats with valid measuring certificates, as well as 18ft skiff class boats that meet the class rules.

4.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing the entry form and submitting it, together with the required fee. online at <https://rayc.co.nz/event/ff15magic25s18ft-skiff-auckland-championships/>

4.3 Late entry fee applies after 5 December 24 2024. Late Entries will be accepted up until 0830 on Saturday 7th December 2024.

3.4 To be eligible to compete in this event each skipper shall be a financial member of a club recognised by the competitor's national authority. Proof of affiliated club membership to be presented at registration.

5. FEES

5.1 Entry fee of \$100 for non-members and \$80 for RAYC members payable online or at registration.

5.2 Late Entry fee of \$150.00 payable online or at registration.

6. ADVERTISING

6.1 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

7. SCHEDULE

7.1 Registration and briefing

Activity	Date	From	To
Registration	6 Dec	1800	1830
Briefing	6 Dec	1830	1900

7.2 Dates of racing

Date	Number of Races	First Warning Signal
7 Dec	4 races scheduled	1100
8 Dec	3 races Scheduled	1100

7.3 Target time for races is 30 minutes.

7.4 On Sunday no warning signal will be made after 1500.

8. EQUIPMENT INSPECTION

8.1 Boats may be inspected at any time.

9. VENUE

9.1 Addendum A: The host club is Royal Akarana Yacht Club, 8-10 Tamaki Drive, Okahu Bay. Attachment A shows the location of the Club and regatta venue.

9.2 Addendum B: The racing area will be the inner Waitemata Harbour, in an area approximately described as stretching from Mechanics Bay, Rough Rock, Rangitoto Island and Browns Island.

10. COURSES

10.1 The courses to be sailed will be windward-leeward laid courses outlined in the Supplementary Sailing instructions.

11. SCORING

11.1 Three races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

11.2 (a) When fewer than 6 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.

(b) When from 6 to 7 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores, excluding her worst score.

11.3 For Flying 15 the following handicap system will apply.

- Flying 15 NZ Class handicap

12. SUPPORT PERSON VESSELS

12.1 [DP] All support person vessels shall always have an engine safety cut-out switch (kill cord) attached to the driver while the engine is running, unless prior written exemption has been provided by the Organising Authority.

12.2 [DP] All support boats shall comply with local bylaws at all times.

13. CHARTERED OR LOANED BOATS

13.1 A chartered or loaned boat may carry national letters or a sail number in contravention of her class rules, provided the race committee approved her sail identification before the first race.

14. RISK STATEMENT

14.1 RRS 3 states: 'The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue to race is hers alone.' By participating in this event, each competitor agrees and acknowledges that sailing is a potentially dangerous activity with inherent risks. These risks include strong winds and rough seas, sudden changes in weather, failure of equipment, boat handling errors, poor seamanship by other boats, loss of balance on an unstable platform and fatigue resulting in increased risk of injury. Inherent in the sport of sailing is the risk of permanent, catastrophic injury or death by drowning, trauma, hypothermia or other causes.

15. INSURANCE

15.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a

minimum cover of \$1,000,000 per incident or the equivalent. A certificate of insurance is to be presented at registration.

16. PRIZES

16.1 Prize Giving will be held after racing on the 8 December 2024

16.2 Prizes will be awarded by each class association.

17. RIGHTS TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS

17.1 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 their discretion, any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or film television and other reproductions of him/her during the period of the event in which the competitor participated and, in all material, related to the said event without compensation.

18. USE OF DRONE FOR MEDIA

18.1 All those who take part in the race as competitors, as well as support crew, agree to be overflown by a drone during the duration of the event; this includes your person and your property.

19. FURTHER INFORMATION

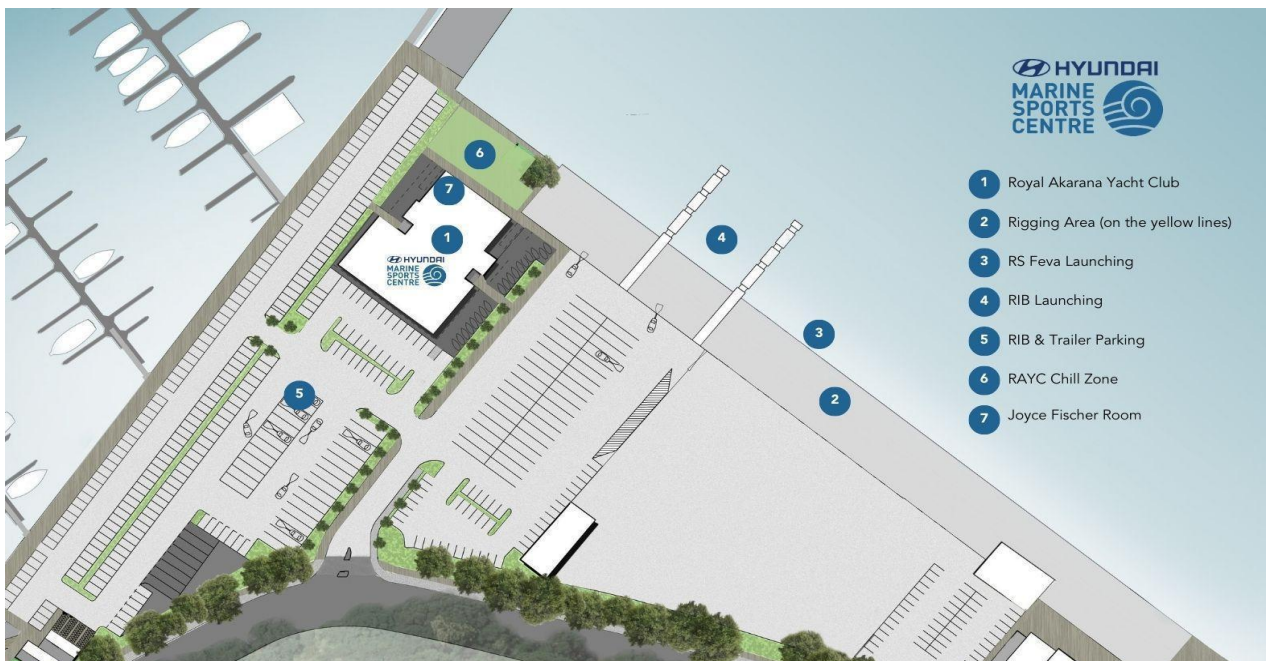
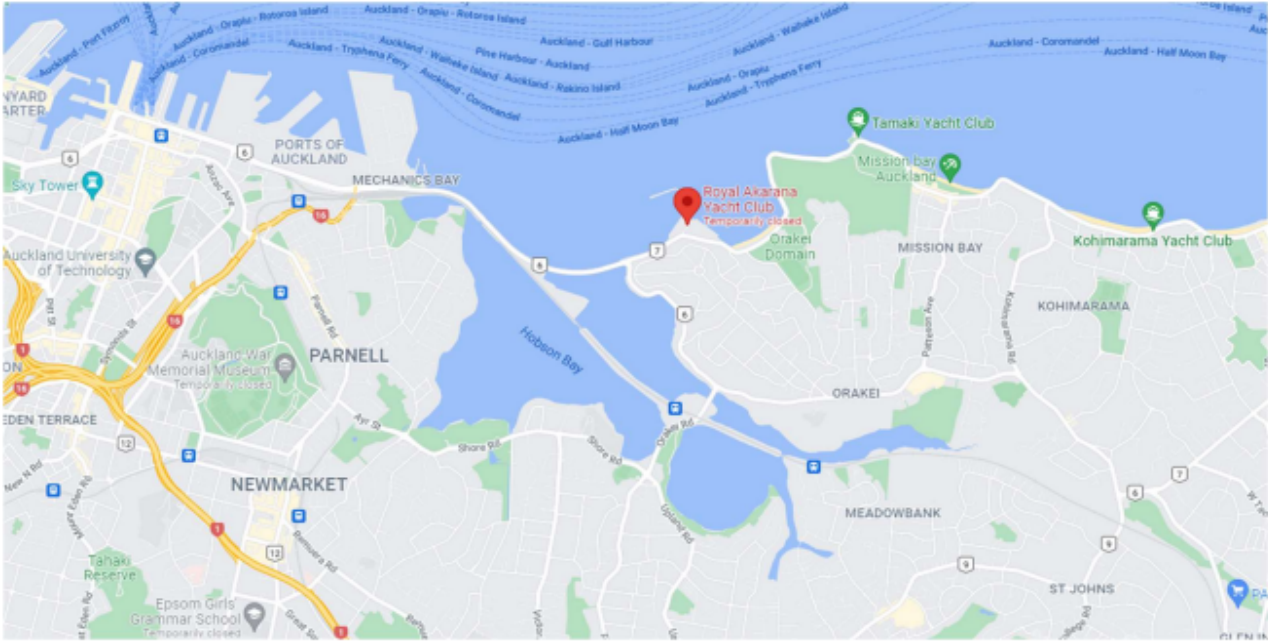
19.1 For further information, please contact:

Flying 15 class president - Sally Garrett sally@expeditioncoppelia.com

APPENDUM A

Venue Location Royal Akarana Yacht Club

Hyundai Marine Sports Centre
8-10 Tamaki Drive
Okahu Bay, 1071



APPENDUM B Racing Area

Racing Area

The racing area will be the inner Waitemata Harbour, in an area approximately described as stretching from Mechanics Bay, Rough Rock, Browns Island. Outcourse areas shown are examples only.

