



## Notice of Race

# **WAIKAWA BOATING CLUB LAWSON'S DRY HILLS**

*New Year Regatta*

**8<sup>th</sup>, 9<sup>th</sup> & 10<sup>th</sup> January 2010**

*Waikawa Bay,  
Queen Charlotte Sound*

Organised by:-

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### **1.0 Rules**

- 1.1 The Regatta will be governed by the 'rules' as defined in the *Racing Rules of Sailing 2010-2012*.
- 1.2 The Yachting New Zealand Safety Regulations Part II, 4.6 Category 5 shall apply for Keel Boats, and Part V, 5.1(c) Category C for Trailer Yachts and Sports Trailer Yachts. For sports trailer yachts the "NZ Sports Boat Association's Safety Regulations Category B" also apply [see also 3.1 below].
- 1.3 The Organising Authority may require all participating boats to display the event sponsor's advertising in accordance with Appendix 1, Regulation 20.3.1 (d).

### **2.0 Changes to Racing Rules**

The Racing Rules will be changed in accordance with Rule 86 as follows:

- 2.1 For protests where only a Rule of Part 2 is alleged to have been broken, an arbitration hearing will be offered prior to any formal hearing.

### **3.0 Changes to Class Rules**

The NZ Sports Boat Association Safety Regulations will be changed as follows

- 3.1 Category B Rule 12 will be changed to read, "*outboard motors must be carried and stowed so that they can be used within a maximum of five minutes*". This is because there are no rescue boats.

## 4.0 Eligibility and Entry

4.1 The Regatta is open to all boats of the keeler, trailer yacht and sports trailer Yacht classes. Boats will race in the following divisions:

- A. Division 1 – Keel yachts with club handicaps of .730 or more.
- B. Division 2 – Keel yachts with club handicaps of under .730.
- C. Division 3 – Trailer yachts, including sports trailer yachts
- D. Division 4 – Cruising Division (non-Spinnaker)

The Organising Authority reserves the right to re-allocate an entrant to a more suitable division to ensure fair competition or because of minimal entries to a Division. Four boats may constitute a division.

4.2 Advance entries will be accepted until the normal closing date of Friday 1st January 2010 by completing the attached Entry Form accompanied by a fee of \$75 per boat [\$30 per boat for Cruising Division] and mailing it to the Organising Authority.

4.3 Late entries, together with a late fee of \$25, may be accepted at the Race Committee's discretion until 0815 on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> January 2010.

4.4 To be eligible to compete in this event each competitor shall be a financial member of a club recognised by the competitor's national authority.

4.5 All yachts shall race in the same condition and carry the same equipment onboard as at the time her club handicap was established.

4.6 All yachts will be handicapped by the Waikawa Boating Club's official Handicapper and these handicaps will be available at the Waikawa Boating Club prior to the warning signal for Race 1. The decision of the Handicapper shall be final.

4.7 Handicaps will be reviewed after completion of racing on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> January 2010.

## 5 Schedule of Events

### 5.1 Friday 8<sup>th</sup> January 2010 – Lawson's Dry Hills New Year Regatta Day 1 and Invitation Race

Registration: From 1530 at Waikawa Boating Club

Briefing: 1630 at Waikawa Boating Club

Warning Signal: 1755 in Queen Charlotte Sound

### 5.2 Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> January 2010 – Lawson's Dry Hills New Year Regatta Day 2

Late Registration: Before 0815 at Waikawa Boating Club

Briefing: 0930 at Waikawa Boating Club

Warning Signal: Race 1 [Divisions 1, 2 & 3.]

1055 in Queen Charlotte Sound.

[3 races are scheduled, some of which may be back to back]

Warning Signal: Race 1 [Division 4]

1125 in Queen Charlotte Sound

### 5.3 Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> January 2010 – Lawson's Dry Hills New Year Regatta Day 3

Warning Signal: Race 1 [Divisions 1, 2 & 3.]

1055 in Queen Charlotte Sound.

[3 races are scheduled, some of which may be back to back]

Warning Signal: Race 2 [Division 4]

1125 in Queen Charlotte Sound

5.4 No race shall start after 1515 on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> January 2010.

## 6.0 Sailing Instructions

The Sailing Instructions will be available at Registration at 1530 on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> January and at 0815 on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> January 2010.

## **7.0 Racing Area**

The races will be held on the Inner Queen Charlotte Sounds, except for Division 4, which may go to the Outer Sounds.

## **8.0 Courses to be sailed**

The courses for Divisions 1, 2, & 3 will be triangular and/or rectangular and also windward leeward but for Division 4 will be around marks or landmasses.

## **9.0 Scoring**

9.1 Scoring system of The Low-Points Appendix A will apply.

9.2 5 races will be required to be completed to constitute a series for Divisions 1, 2 and 3.

2 races will be required to be completed to constitute a series for Division 4.

## **10.0 PRIZES**

Prizes will be awarded on general club handicap, PHRF and for cumulative line honours. Prizes for the New Year Regatta will be awarded on the evening of Sunday 10th after the day's racing. There will also be Spot Prizes on the Friday and Saturday evenings to coincide with the Social Events in the Clubhouse.

## **11.0 DECISIONS OF THE JURY**

Not applicable.

## **12.0 Team Support Boats**

12.1 Team support boats will be allowed.

12.2 Support boats must be registered with the Organising Authority at registration (Clauses 5.1 & 5.2 above).

## **13.0 BERTHS**

Those yachts requiring berths should make early application to the Organising Authority so that arrangements can be made.

## **14.0 REFRESHMENTS**

The Waikawa Boating Club Wardroom Bar will be open from 1600hrs on the evenings of Friday 8<sup>th</sup>, Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> & Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> January, with meals available from 1730hrs.

All competitors and supporters welcome.

**Entry Form**  
**WAIKAWA BOATING CLUB**

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Friday 8<sup>th</sup>, Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> & Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> January 2010

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| Class and Sail Number | Hull Colour |
|                       |             |
| Make and Length       |             |
| Boat Name             |             |

| Helmsperson                        |                 | Crew  |
|------------------------------------|-----------------|---|
| First Name                         |                 | First Name                                    |
| Surname                            |                 | Surname                                       |
| ISAF Sailor's Code (if registered) |                 | First Name                                    |
| Gender                             |                 | Surname                                       |
| Date of Birth                      | Age Today or on | First Name                                    |
| Nationality                        |                 | Surname                                       |
| Yacht Club                         |                 | First Name                                    |
| Address                            |                 | Surname                                       |
|                                    |                 |   |
| Email                              |                 | First Name                                    |
| Phone - Work                       | Phone - Home    | Surname                                       |
| Phone - Mobile                     | Fax             | Details of any additional crew to be appended |

I agree to be bound by the Racing Rules of Sailing and all other rules that govern this event. I understand that yacht racing has inherent risks and dangers that are beyond the control of the organizing authority. I understand that neither the organising authority and its officers, members and servants nor other persons assisting with the conduct of the regatta accept any responsibility in respect of any injury or loss to person or property that may be sustained by reason of participation in the regatta or howsoever arising in connection with the regatta.

I agree to the use of my photograph(s) and other relevant information in any event publicity and in the ongoing promotion of New Zealand yachting. I agree to the Organizing Authority and Yachting New Zealand holding the above information for the general administration and well-being of the sport, and for them to retain, use and disclose the information to affiliated organizations and any other persons or organizations that Yachting New Zealand believes will further the interests and objectives of Yachting New Zealand. I acknowledge my right to access to and correction of this information. The consent is given in accordance with the Privacy Act 1993.

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|---|-------------------------------|
| <b>Helmsperson's Signature</b>                                    | <b>Yacht's Club Handicap:</b> |
| Date  | Issued by:                    |
| <b>Parent/Guardian's Signature</b> (if sailor under 18 years old) |                               |
| Date  |                               |

| Enclosures (if stated as required to be presented in Notice of Race) |                          |                                |                          |                                  |
|--|--------------------------|--------------------------------|--------------------------|----------------------------------|
| Entry Fee  | Proof of Club Membership | Proof of Class Assn Membership | Proof of Date of Birth   | Measurement / Rating Certificate |
|  | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>       | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/>         |

| Office Use     |                        |      |         |
|----------------|------------------------|------|---------|
| Entry Fee Paid | Cash / Cheque / Eftpos | Date | Comment |
|                |                        |      |         |