



Cowes yacht club



Notice of Race

Cock of the Bay

For Trailable Yachts and off the Beach Boats

1. Schedule of Events

The Cock of The Bay race date and time to be sailed at Cowes Yacht Club as advised in the Cowes Yacht Club Inc. Sailing Calendar.

2. Eligibility and Entry

2.1

The object of the Cock of The Bay is to bring together "Trailable Yachts" and "Off the Beach Boats" in a race that incorporates a large course, in Westernport Bay, visible from CYC for mutual enjoyment and friendly competition.

2.2

Entries will be accepted from "Trailable Yachts" and "Off the Beach Boats", which are registered to members with a Victorian Yacht Club. Each competitor must be a financial sailing member of a Victorian Yacht Club.

2.3

Entries shall be made on the prescribed entry form and lodged with the Race Officer of CYC by 1300 hrs on race day.

2.4

Each boat must have a current, or archival, clearly defined Yachting Victoria Yardstick. Boats without a defined yardstick can only enter by prior arrangement with the Race Committee. The onus rests with the entrant to provide satisfactory evidence of the boat's yardstick to the Race Committee, not less than seven (7) days prior to the race.

2.5

A competitor from each boat must sign on at the club 30 minutes before the scheduled race time.

2.6

Each boat or skipper in charge of a boat must have valid racing insurance that provides third-party legal liability cover to a minimum level of \$10,000,000. The Entry Form includes a declaration to this effect.

2.7

Advertising will be permitted according to Category C.

3. Entry Fee

An entry fee is not applicable.

4. Rules

The race will be governed by current Racing Rules of Sailing except as altered by the Cowes Yacht Club Sailing Instructions.

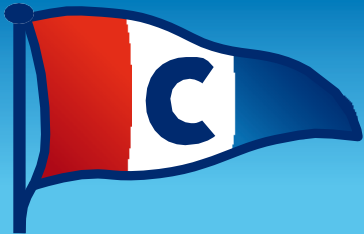
5. Sailing Instructions

The Sailing Instructions are available at www.cowesyachtclub.com

6. Prizes

The list of prizes and the award conditions include: First, Second & Third.

Individual prizes are subject to the number of starters in each category and will be awarded on the night of the CYC Annual General Meeting.



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7. Disclaimer of Liability

In addition to the matters contained in Clause 1 of this Notice of Race, competitors participate in this event entirely at their own risk, see FUNDAMENTAL RULE 4, DECISION TO RACE. The Organising Authority and Host Club will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during or after the event.

Each competitor should note the indemnity that is granted to the Cotes Yacht Club and the Organising Authority on signing the Entry Form.

8. Further Information

For further information, please contact:

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9. ORGANISING AUTHORITY

Cotes Yacht Club Inc.