



PLSC King/Queen of the River Race

4th edition

Saturday 23rd February 2019

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NOTICE OF RACE & REGISTRATION FORM

Event Sponsors:





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Notice of Race

The Organising Authority is

PANMURE LAGOON SAILING CLUB INC

100A Ireland Road, Mt Wellington, Auckland, New Zealand

1. Rules

- 1.1. Racing will be governed by the rules as defined in the *Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2. The Yachting New Zealand Inc Safety Regulations Part 1 shall apply.
- 1.3. *rule 33* will include an alternate method of 'changing the course'.
- 1.4. *rule 35* will be extended to say: *any boats that have not finished within 15 minutes of the first boat, may be scored as DNF.*

2. Eligibility and Entry

- 2.1. The regatta is open to all boats of the Laser 4.7, Laser Radial and Laser Standard class and all other centreboard classes.
- 2.2. There will be two fleets racing: A Fleet and Intermediate Fleet
 - 2.2.1. **A Fleet:** Proficient sailors, who have participated in an open fleet laser regatta.
 - 2.2.2. **Intermediate Fleet** - Sailors who have not sailed in an open fleet regatta. It is open to less experienced Laser sailors. The emphasis is on fun and the objective of this regatta is to offer the less experienced sailors the opportunity to sail, participate and to practice and hone racing skills without feeling intimidated by experienced sailors.
- 2.3. Eligible boats may enter by completing the attached form and mailing it, together with the \$15 entry fee, to Panmure Lagoon Sailing Club Inc, C/- The Treasurer, 14 Bryant Place, Glendowie, Auckland 1071 or by email: Commodore.plsc@gmail.com and bank direct credit by Thursday 21st February.
- 2.4. Late entries can be lodged in person at Registration on 23rd February at 9:30am. Late entries are accepted at the Race Committee's discretion.
- 2.5. 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.

3. Racing Schedule

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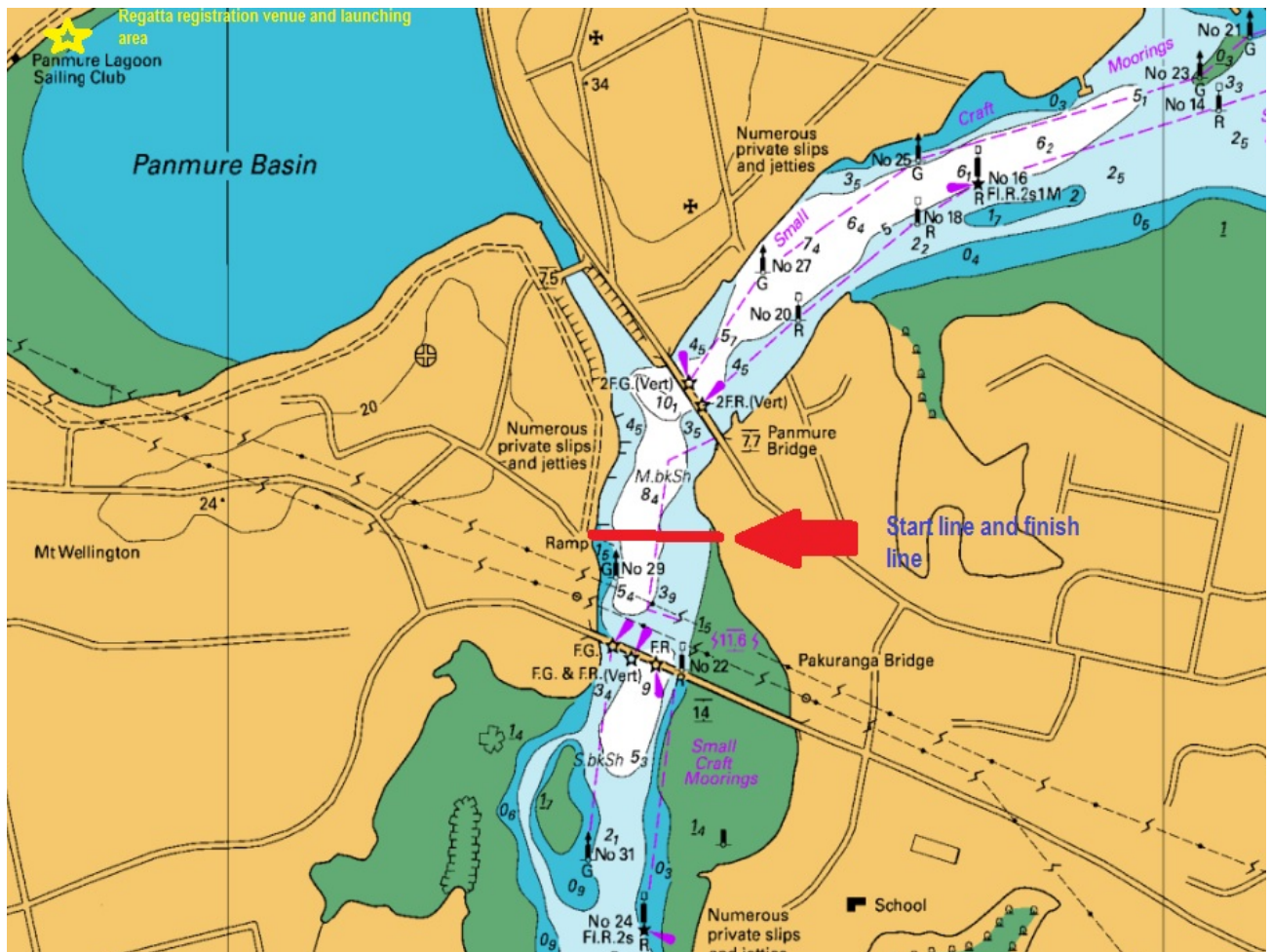
- 08:30 am – Registration
- 09:20 am – Briefing
- 09:30 am – Boats launched
- 10:00 am – First warning signal.

4. Sailing instructions

- 4.1. The Sailing Instructions will be available upon registration.

5. Venue

- 5.1. This is a point to point race on the Tamaki Estuary. The race will begin between the green jetty off Waipuna Road East and a patrol boat, then down the Tamaki River up to Curlew Bay to the red navigation buoys leaving them to starboard, down to a placed orange buoy on the East side of Curlew Bay off Sea Side Park and back to the Red Navigation buoy near the motorway leaving it to Starboard then returning to the start finish line between the green jetty off Waipuna Road East and a patrol boat. Please **take caution** at the start as the tide currents are quite strong and if you are over during the start procedure, you might not be able to come back.



Dangers to Note:

This is a narrow navigation area with restricted movement for large vessels so give them room to safely navigate.

Normal navigation rules will apply at all times.

Keep clear of moored boats.

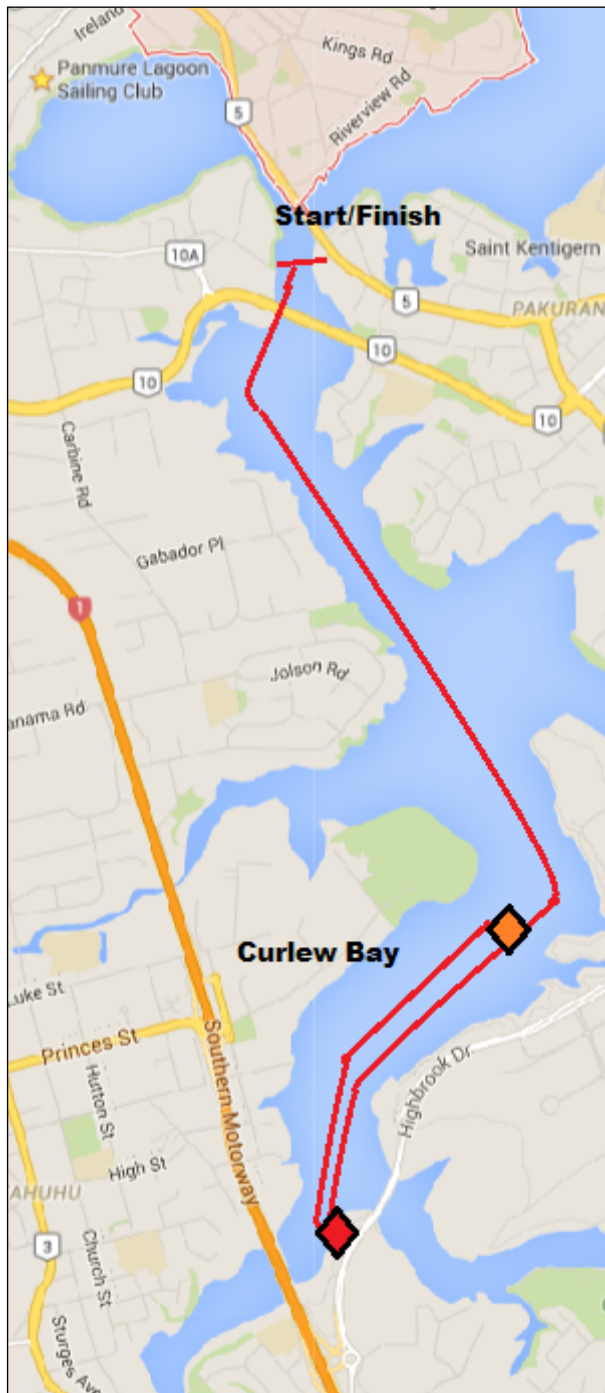
The rowing club uses this area as well so keep clear of all rowing skiffs, dragon boats, wakas & their coach boats

Be aware of unusual and at times severe wind currents around man-made structures e.g. bridges, buildings.

Keep well clear of pylon structures supporting road above.

6. Courses to be sailed

- 6.1. The courses to be sailed will be a point to point race. Below is the proposed course & will be confirmed on the day of the Regatta at briefing.



A Fleet

- 1st Leg: Green jetty off Waipuna Road East to red channel markers near the motorway leaving it to Starboard
2nd Leg: Red channel mark to laid orange buoy East end of Curlew Bay leaving it to starboard
3rd Leg: Orange mark to red channel mark at motorway leaving it to starboard
4th Leg: Red channel mark to finish at the start line

B Fleet

- 1st Leg: Green jetty off Waipuna Road East to laid orange buoy East end of Curlew Bay leaving it to starboard
2nd Leg: Orange buoy East end of Curlew Bay mark to finish at the start line

7. Penalty System

- 7.1. RRS 44.1 is changed so that the two turns penalty is replaced by the one turn penalty.

8. Scoring

- 8.1. A competitor will be scored with the rating of that rig that it enters for this Race.
8.2. Class Ratings. All Classes will be governed by the Portsmouth yardstick handicap rating system.

9. Prizes

- 9.1. The following prizes will be awarded:
- 1st Sailor in A Fleet division. [King/Queen River Race trophy](#) donated by Jock Bilger
 - 1st Woman sailor will get a trophy
 - 1st Sailor in the Intermediate Fleet division will get a trophy.
 - Spot prizes - a brand new infinity sail for laser sailors only and 30 Seconds Products.



10. Insurance

- 10.1. Each participating boat shall be insured with valid marine third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$1,000,000 per incident or the equivalent.

11. Disclaimer of Liability

- 11.1. Competitors participate entirely at their own risk. See *RRS 4: Decision to Race*.
11.2. 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.

12. Further Information

- 12.1. For further information please contact: Commodore.plsc@gmail.com .



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Sail Number		Fleet	<input type="checkbox"/> A Fleet <input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate Fleet
Class	<input type="checkbox"/> LASER STANDARD <input type="checkbox"/> LASER RADIAL <input type="checkbox"/> LASER 4.7 <input type="checkbox"/> Other Centreboard Class —		
Division	<input type="checkbox"/> Junior 6 to 17yrs <input type="checkbox"/> Master 45 to 54yrs <input type="checkbox"/> Open 18 to 34yrs <input type="checkbox"/> Grand Master 55 to 64yrs <input type="checkbox"/> Apprentice Master 35 to 44yrs <input type="checkbox"/> Great Grand Master 65yrs + <input type="checkbox"/> Legend 75yrs +		

Helmsperson

First Name		Last Name	
Address		Yacht Club	
Suburb City		Country	
Phone - Home		Phone - Cell	
DOB		Gender (M/F)	
E-mail address			

Competitors Declaration

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 further accept that I may be photographed and/or videotaped participating in a external or club race and/or using the Club facilities and I consent to the Club taking such images for the use, reuse, publication and republication of such images in any media, in conjunction with my name or not, without compensation and without your approval of such images or any use thereof.

Sailor's Signature	Parent/Guardian's Signature (if sailor under 18 years old)
Date	Date

Entry Details

For registration fee either complete an electronic payment, send a cheque **prior to 17th February** or pay cash on the day. If you pre-register, you will only need to confirm your sail number and rig on the day and pick up your racing instructions.

Mail: (by 17th February) Panmure Lagoon Sailing Club Inc. C/- The Treasurer, 14 Bryant Place, Glendowie Auckland 1071	Electronic payment (by 21st February): Account: Panmure Lagoon Sailing Club. Bank: ASB. Account Number: 12-3056-0662832-01 Reference & Code: Your name & RIVER .
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Office Use

Payment made (\$15 race entry fee)	
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