



2024 New Zealand Javelin National Championships
incorporating the
100th Anniversary Sanders Cup Inter-Provincial Championships
and the
Kingham Trophy Invitation Race

25th – 28th April 2024

Notice of Race

The Organising Authority is the Gisborne Yacht Club Inc. (GYC)
Kaiti Beach Road | Gisborne 4010

NB: The notation '[DP]' in a rule in the Notice of Race means that the penalty for a breach of that rule may, at the discretion of the protest committee, be less than disqualification and the notation '[NP]' in a rule in the Notice of Race means rules that are not grounds for protest by a boat.

1. Rules

- 1.1. The event will be governed by the 'rules' as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing ("RRS") and the Javelin Class rules.
- 1.2. The Yachting New Zealand Safety Regulations Part 1 shall apply.
- 1.3. Appendix T shall apply.

2. Advertising [DP]

Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the Organising Authority.

3. Eligibility and Entry

- 3.1. The National Championships and Kingham Trophy race is open to boats of the Javelin Class and whose skippers are current financial members of the class association.
- 3.2. Both skipper and crew shall be current financial members of their National Member Authority.
- 3.3. In addition to 3.1 above, the Sander Cups Inter-Provincial Championships is open to a single representative Javelin Class yacht from each New Zealand province as defined by the New Zealand Rugby Football Union.
- 3.4. Eligible skippers may enter by completing the attached entry form and emailing it to shanksy@gisborne.net.nz, and depositing the require fee:

Bank Account: Gisborne Yacht Club 03-0638-0019587-00

Reference: Javelin – Sail number – Helm Surname

Eg: Javelin – 123 - Smith

by 1700hrs 12th April 2024.

- 3.5. Late entries accompanied by the late entry fee may be accepted at the Race Committee's discretion until

1230hrs on 25th April 2024.

4. Fees

- 4.1. The entry fee for the National Championships & Sanders Cup (including the Kingham Trophy) is \$150.00.
- 4.2. The entry fee for Sanders Cup Inter-Provincial Championship entrants is an additional \$10.00.
- 4.3. The late fee is an additional \$50.00.

5. Schedule

5.1. Registration

Thursday 25th April 2024 1130 – 1230hrs GYC

5.2. Briefing

- (a) The event briefing is scheduled for 1230hrs on Thursday 25th April 2024 in the GYC Clubhouse.

6. Dates of Racing

Date:	Race Day:	Time of First Warning Signal	Number of Races
Thursday 25 th April	1	1355hrs	2
Friday 26 th April	2	1155hrs	3
Saturday 27 th April	3	1155hrs	4
Sunday 28 th April	Reserve	0955hrs	TBC

6.1. Number of Races

- (a) The following number of races are scheduled for the event:
 - (i) 9 races are scheduled for the National Championships.
 - (ii) 7 races are scheduled for the Sanders Cup.
 - (iii) 1 race is scheduled for the Kingham Trophy.
- (b) Up to one more race may be sailed per day.
- (c) On Sunday 28th April no warning signal will be made after 1400hrs.
- (d) The Reserve Day will only be used, at the sole discretion of the Organising Authority, to either:
 - (i) complete the number of races needed to constitute a National Championships, and/or;
 - (ii) complete the full schedule of races for the Sanders Cup competition.

6.2. Schedule of Racing

The following table indicates how each race completed will be scored. Refer to NOR 12 for event scoring.

Race Day / Date	Heat Number	Nationals Race	Kingham Trophy / Sanders Cup
Race Day 1 Thursday 25 April	1	1	Kingham Trophy
	2	2	Sanders Cup Race 1
Race Day 2 Friday 26 April	3	3	Sanders Cup Race 2
	4	4	Sanders Cup Race 3
	5	5	Sanders Cup Race 4
Race Day 3 Saturday 27 April	6	6	Sanders Cup Race 5
	7	7	Sanders Cup Race 6
	8	8	Sanders Cup Race 7
	9	9	-
Reserve Day Sunday 28 April	N/A		Refer NOR 6.1(d)

7. Measurement

- 7.1. All boats must comply with the rules of the Javelin Class.
- 7.2. All beach trailers/trolleys must have boat names and numbers clearly marked on them.

8. Sailing Instructions

The Sailing Instructions will be available at Registration and a copy posted on the Official Notice Board. No paper copies will be provided.

9. Venue

- 9.1. Attachment A shows the location of the event venue and approximate location of the racing area.

10. Courses to be Sailed

- 10.1. The courses to be sailed will be windward/leeward.
- 10.2. The target time for each race will be 40 minutes for the leading boat.

11. Penalty System

12. Rule 44.1 and 44.2 are changed so that the 'Two-Turns' penalty is replaced by a 270° degree turn. On a windward leg the turn shall comprise of a gybe, and on a downwind leg, the turn shall comprise a tack.

13. Scoring

National Championships & Sanders Cup:

- 13.1. 5 races are required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 13.2. When fewer than 6 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- 13.3. When 6 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

14. Support Boats [DP] [NP]

Support boats are permitted but maybe subject to restrictions. 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.

15. Launching [DP] [NP]

Unless otherwise directed by the Organising Authority, all competing boats and equipment shall be launched and retrieved from the ramps in front of the TBC.

16. Radio Communication [DP] [NP]

Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones. For the avoidance of doubt, compasses and other GPS tracking equipment is allowed.

17. Prizes

Prizes will be awarded as follows:

The Kingham Trophy:

The Kingham Trophy will be awarded to the first place overall in the first race of the event.

The Sanders Cup:

The Sanders Cup will be awarded to the highest eligible placed boat overall (Refer to NOR 3.3).

NZ Javelin National Championships:

The Ray Eady Trophy	will be awarded for first overall
The John Long Memorial Trophy	will be awarded for second overall
The DFL Trophy	will be award to the last place boat which completes all races

Other prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the NZ Javelin Class Association or the Organising Authority.

18. Disclaimer of Liability

Competitors participate in all races entirely at their own risk. Refer to RRS 3. The Organising Authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with, prior to, during, or after the race.

19. Insurance

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$1,000,000.00.

20. Further Information

For further information please contact:

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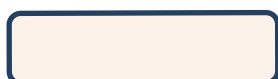
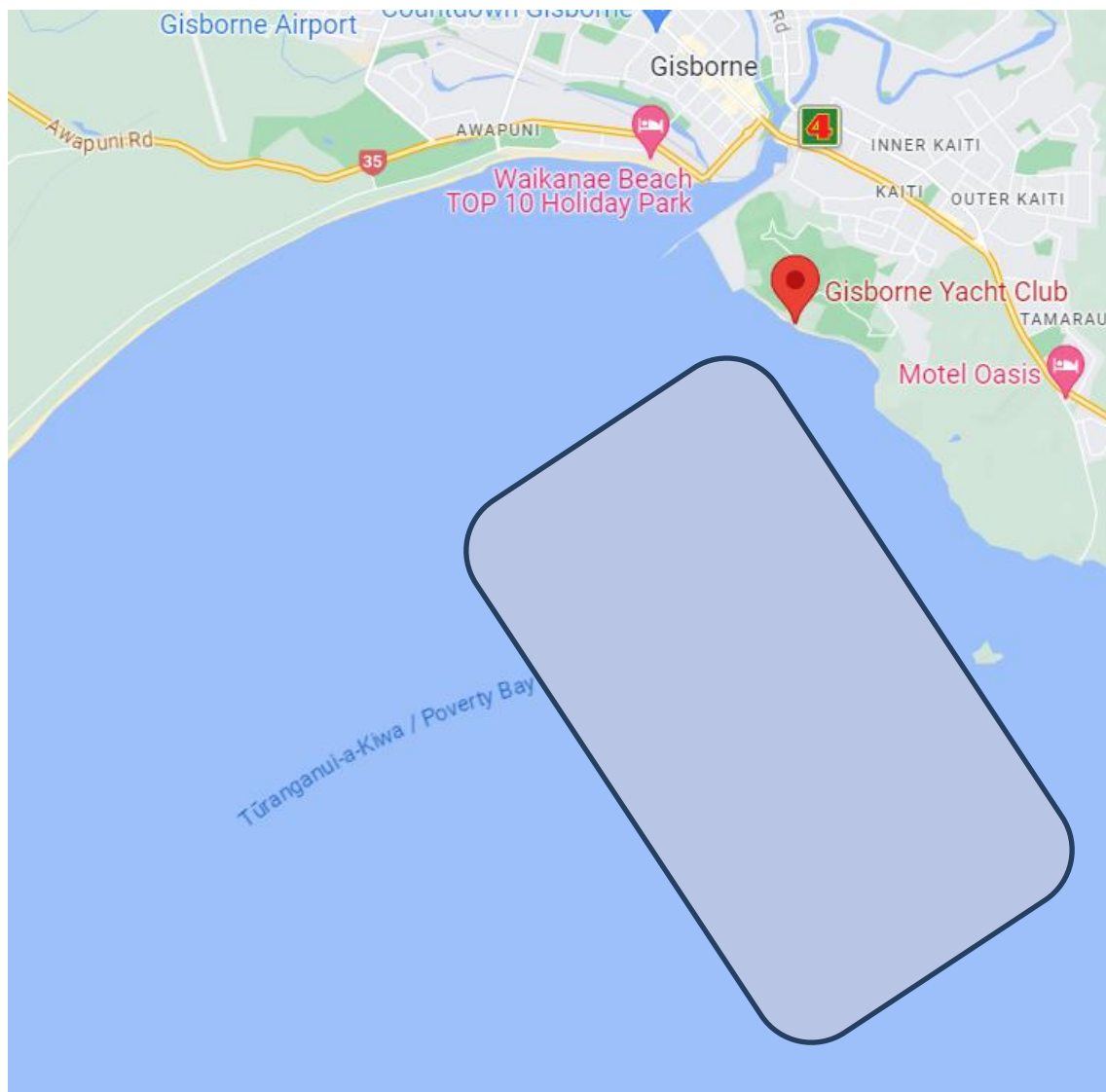
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APPENDIX A

Location of the Gisborne Yacht Club and approximate Course Area



Approx. Racing Area