

Fell Engineering Rum Race Series 2014 Kerikeri Cruising Club

Notice of Race

Kerikeri, Bay of Islands

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1 Rules

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing 2013–2016 (RRS).
- 1.2 The Yachting New Zealand Safety Regulations Part II, Category 5 shall apply to keel yachts and multihulls.
- 1.3 The Yachting New Zealand Safety Regulations Part V, Category C shall apply to trailer yachts and sports trailer vachts.
- 1.4 The Yachting New Zealand Safety Regulations Part VI, Category B shall apply to Sport Boats.
- 1.5 The International Flying Fifteen Association Class Rules shall apply.
- 1.6 The Elliott 5.9 Association Class Rules shall apply.
- 1.7 The required safety gear must be carried on board at all times and may be inspected.
- 1.8 Self-steering devices may be used if no more than two persons are onboard.
- 1.9 Between Sunset and Sunrise the "International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea" will apply, replacing the relevant rules of Racing Rules of Sailing Part 2.

2 Rating Systems

The club General Handicap is to be used for this series.

3 Changes to the Racing Rules

The Rules will be modified in accordance with RRS Rule 86 Changes to the Racing Rules as follows:-

3.1 RRS Rules 51 Setting and Sheeting Sails and 52 Manual Power are modified to allow nominated boats i.e. [A Canting Keel], [Water Ballast Tanks] with movable Ballast to compete. Boats must comply with ISAF Appendix K [www.sailing.org] and Yachting New Zealand Safety Regulations clause 6 [www.yachtingnz.org.nz]. TCFs may be altered accordingly.

4 Eligibility and Entry

- 4.1 A and B Division The regatta is open to all: keelboats, multihulls, open keel yachts, sports boats, trailer yachts and sport trailer yachts.
- 4.2 C Division Traditional yachts defined as of any construction designed before 1960. No extras allowed (e.g. spinnakers or gennakers etc). Open to all, KCC members or not.
- 4.3 Individual race entries will be accepted prior to the KCC five minute signal of that entry's division, entry is available on the entry sheet in the start box. An entry fee of \$5.00 applies.
- 4.4 Individual race entries will be accepted by VHF channel 77 or phone (407 9434) prior to the five minute signal of that entry's division.

5 Schedule of races

5.1 Races are scheduled as follows:

Date	Time of first warning signal	Race
4 th May	1425	1
18 th May	1425	2
1 st June	1425	3
15 th June	1425	4
29 th June	1425	5
13 th July	1425	6
27 th July	1425	7
10 th August	1425	8
24 th August	1425	9
7 th September	1425	10
21 st September	1425	11

5.2 Eleven races are scheduled

6 Re-run of races

The race organisers reserve the right to rerun any postponed or abandoned races.

7 Sailing Instructions

The Sailing Instructions and course sheets will be made available on the KCC web site at www.kerikericruisingclub.org.nz and in the KCC start box.

8 Racing Area

The races will be held in the area of the Bay of Islands.

9 Prizes

- 9.1 The daily race prize giving will be held in the Kerikeri Cruising Club as soon as practicable after racing finishes but no sooner than one hour after the last boat has completed the course.
- 9.2 Visiting yachts are eligible for race prizes.
- 9.3 Visiting yachts are not eligible for club trophies.
- 9.4 The following daily prizes will be awarded:

Rum for the winners on General Handicap in each division.