# **YACHT MARATHON SERIES - NOR**

#### Invitation

An invitation is extended to yachts 6m to 20m to join Manly Yacht Club racing around the islands of Sydney Harbour. This series, conducted on up to 4 Sundays in the summer months, allows yachts to explore the western reaches of the Harbour. Marathon 1 and Marathon 4 will be run on Sundays by MYC. Marathon 2 - Seven Is Race and Marathon 3 - Chaos Cup, will be run on Saturdays by MHYC with results incorporated into the MYC Marathon series. This series allocates a start time for each boat based on previous performance. Spinnakers are allowed if nominated.

### 1. Rules

- 1.1 The racing will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) and the General Conditions of Racing as defined by Section 7 of the MYC Handbook, except as altered by the Sailing Instructions which are also considered part of the rules.
- 1.2 The Organising Authority may amend this Notice of Race. Amendments will be published on the Official Notice Board on the MYC website <a href="https://www.myc.org.au">www.myc.org.au</a>.

## 2. Eligibility and Entry

- 2.1 Entry is open to mono hull sailing yachts with length overall from 6m to 20m or at the Race Committee's discretion.
- 2.2 Boats must hold a Category 7 AS Equipment Audit Form.

## 3. Fees

3.1 Entry fees are listed in Section 5.1, Racing Fees of the MYC Handbook.

## 4. Schedule

- 4.1 The schedule of race days is shown in Section 5.7 MYC Calendar.
- 4.2 There is 1 Pursuit TCF Race scheduled for each class/division per day.
- 4.3 Marathon 1 and Marathon 4 are conducted by MYC.
- 4.4 Marathon 2 and Marathon 3 are conducted by MHYC. Please refer to the MHYC Sailing Instructions for the Seven Island Race and the Chaos Cup.
- 4.5 The following classes/divisions will be sailed:
  - Yachts Division 1
  - Yachts Division 2

# 5. Racing Area

5.1 Racing will be conducted within Sydney Harbour.

#### 6. Prizes

- 6.1 Prizes will be awarded on the deck at the end of the day's racing. All prizes not immediately accepted by competitors or their representatives will be redrawn.
- 6.2 Grand Prizes, where applicable, will be drawn from the "barrel" on the last day of racing in the series.

### 7. Further Information

7.1 A BBQ and presentation will be held on the MYC balcony after racing.