





LABOUR WEEKEND SPRING SPLASH

NOTICE OF REGATTA

KAWAU BOATING CLUB IN ASSOCIATION WITH PONSONBY CRUISING CLUB

This inaugural regatta will be held from Friday 25th October until Monday 28th October 2024. These races will be held under the international regulations for preventing collisions at sea 1972. This is a friendly family orientated event, boat on boat contact must be avoided at all costs, no protests will be heard.

Friday 25th October: A rally for all types of vessels will start between the Westhaven tower and the yellow outer distance buoy at noon, warning signal at 11.55. Boats are free to start elsewhere if more convenient, and the intention is to finish at KBC before 6pm, use of motors is optional. There will be a welcoming function at KBC, and a short briefing on the weekend activities, dinner and drinks will be available.

Saturday 26th October: A round the islands race will start at 1pm, warning signal at 12.55. The course is appended to this document. There are 2 options for the startline on Saturday and Sunday races: 1. Between the KBC flag on the clubhouse and a large inflated buoy on the opposite side of the harbour, in the vicinity of schoolhouse bay. 2. Between a start vessel anchored in the vicinity of stockyard bay, wearing an orange flag, and a large inflated buoy on the opposite side of the harbour, in the vicinity of shark bay. The selected startline will be announced at the briefing on Friday night, and by VHF channel 77 at intervals on the Saturday morning. Breakfast, lunch, plus dinner and drinks after racing will be available at the KBC on all days of the regatta. Waitemata Woodys classic boat owners gathering ashore at Lidgard House at 4pm.

Sunday 27th October: A shorter race around several islands, starting at 1pm, warning signal at 12.55, the courses are appended to this document, and the selected course number will be displayed on the wharf or start boat, and announced on VHF Channel 77.

A prizegiving for the two race series will be held at the KBC, on Sunday evening from approx. 5.30 pm, prizes will be awarded based on handicap, first place overall will be awarded the PCC "Victory Barrel" suitably filled with sponsor's rum. The empty barrel must be left on the premises.

The classic launch and cruising yacht fleet will be participating in a Waitemata Woodys Classic Parade at 11am starting off KBC wharf > lap of Bon Accord Harbour.

Monday 28th October: Breakfast, lunch and dinner will be available at the KBC.

Entries: Entries are free, but vessels must make an official entry, for safety reasons, catering purposes, and to be eligible for prizes. The entry form is appended to this document, and must be fully completed before sending to the following email: info@pcc.org.nz Entries close 5pm on Thursday 24th October, and no late entries will be accepted, so that handicapping can be done in a timely manner. Please provide cell phone number on entry form, as it is intended to create a WhatsApp group for communication re weather and other matters.

Sailing Instructions: No sailing instructions will be issued, this notice of race and the Friday evening briefing will take precedence.

Shortening of course: Courses may be finished or shortened at any rounding mark, an official boat flying an orange flag will make repetitive sounds and must be passed on the side flying that flag.

VHF Channel 77: this will be used for communication on the water, and should be monitored at all times during racing. A radio check may be made at any time, before and during racing.

Club membership: All participants are encouraged to join our clubs, both Kawau Boating Club and Ponsonby Cruising Club, this helps our clubs to continue to prosper and provide you with sailing and social opportunities. Membership forms will be available at KBC during the regatta. Of course you are encouraged to join prior to the regatta.

No Extras - For Saturday and Sunday but are permitted for the rally on Friday up to KBC.

Handicapping - Will be carried out by the PCC

Disclaimer of risk: competitors participate in this regatta entirely at their own risk. The organisers 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.

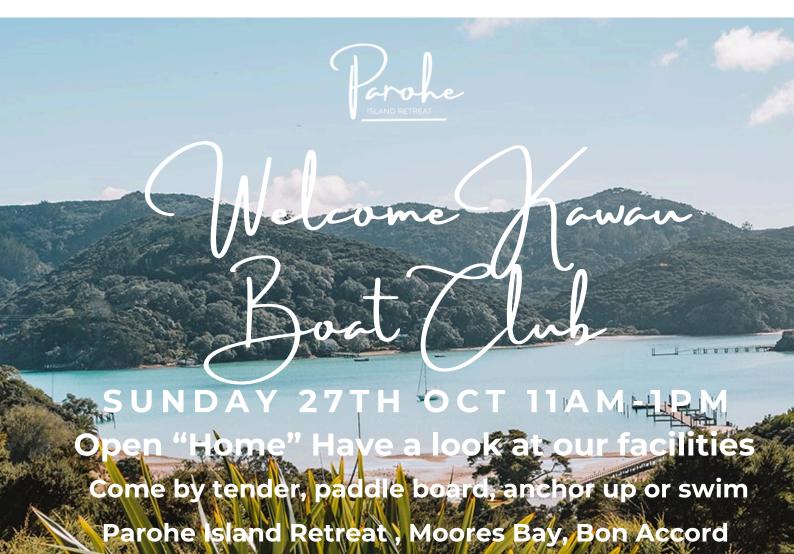
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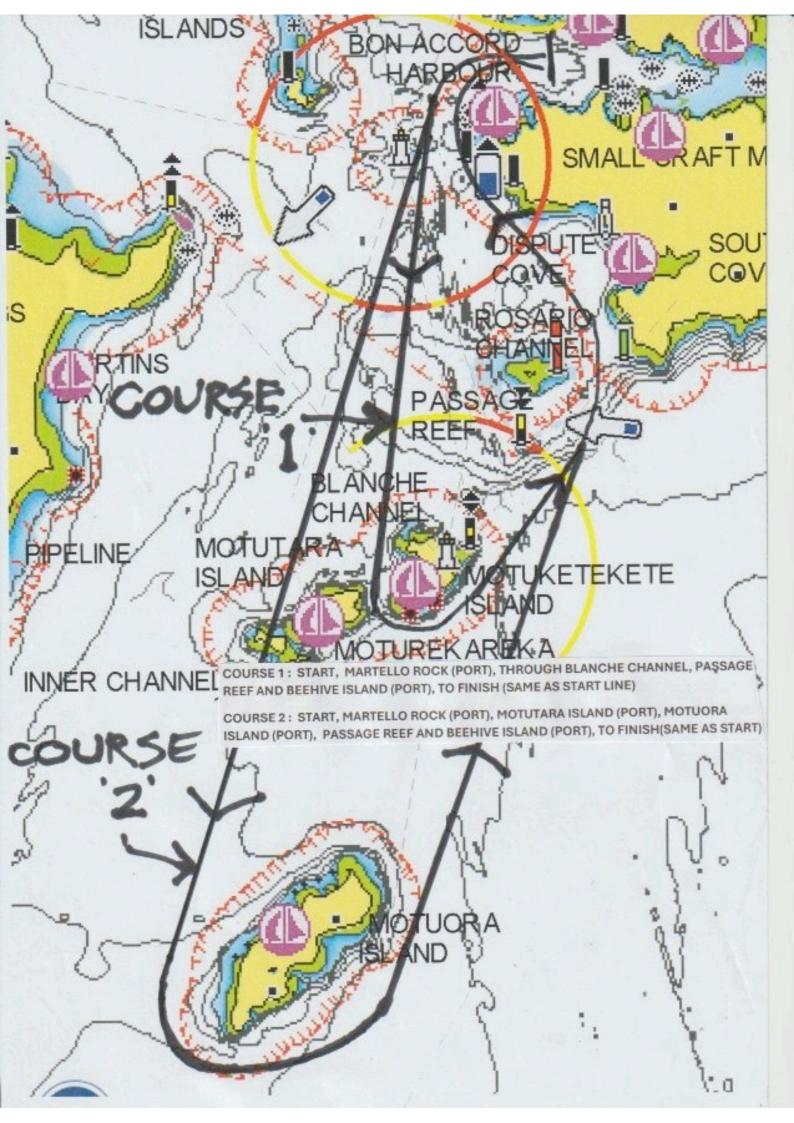


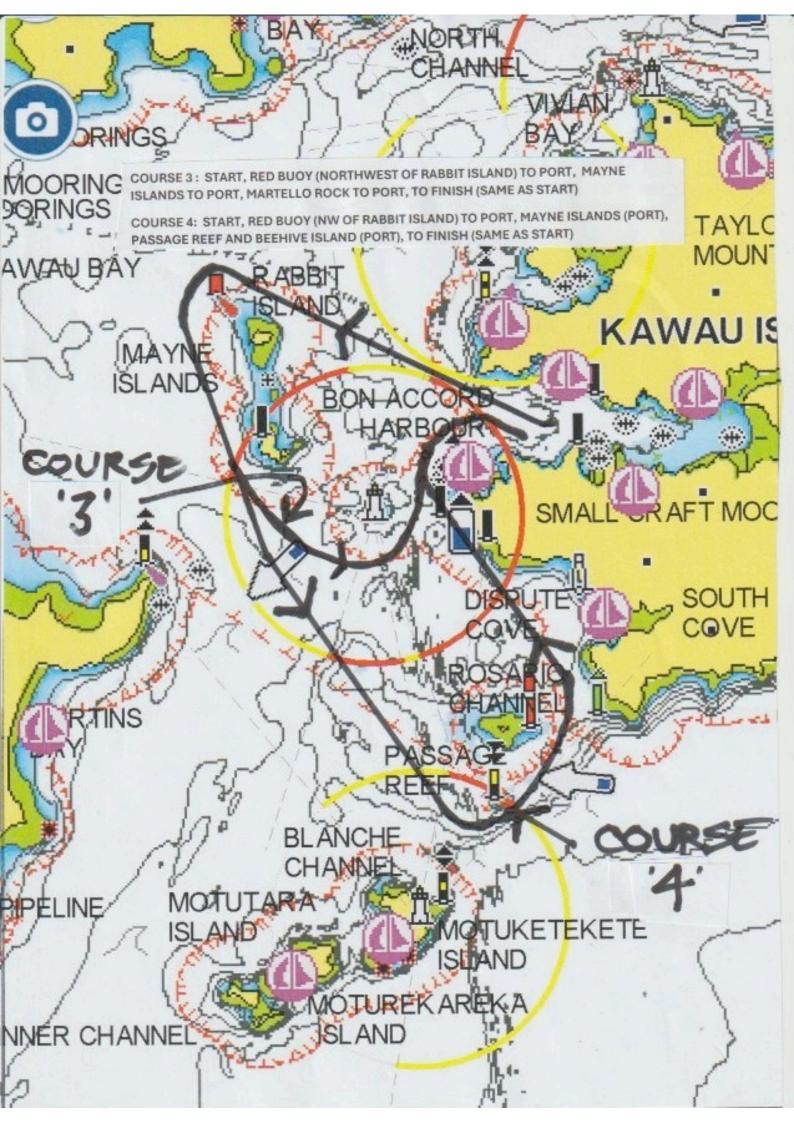














Ponsonby Cruising Club Inc Race Entry Form 2024/2025

The Boat			
Name		Туре	
Length		Sail No	
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Please circle	or tick events you wish to enter		
	Rally Friday 25/10/24		
	Saturday Race 26/10/24		
	Sunday Race 27/10/24		
Skipper/Ow	ner Details		
First Name		Surname	
Landline		Mobile	
Mailing		Email	
Address			
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			
Signed		Name	
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