

Hello Racers and potential Racers.

The legality & insurance issues have been cleared by the House Committee & we have been given permission to commence limited racing from Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> June as white sail pursuit racing for boats that are crewed as either, single handed, crew from the same household or two crew (helm & one crew member) **ONLY** from different households, socially distanced. We know that this limits the crewing ability, but we are determined to follow the government guidelines to make this event as safe as we can. The RIB will **not be available** to ferry or collect crews from their boats, unless of course there is an emergency.

If the first race is successful, we will continue the series until 14<sup>th</sup> July when the normal Racing Calendar will resume, or, a modified calendar will be produced, if the Covid Restrictions continue.

If you are interested in taking part in this race &/or subsequent races could I please ask you to submit a Race entry form and also a 2020 YTC application to obtain a 2020 MYC Handicap as soon as possible. A modified Racing Roster is also be on the MYC Website where you are able to volunteer for duties ashore or to man the RIB either as two from the same household or two from different households wearing PPE & maintaining social distancing when possible. For RIB volunteers the cox must be qualified (MYC should hold a copy of their certificate)

I have attached the SIs for this series. A final Start Time list will be published on Friday morning on the MYC Web site, Racing section. Please check this list & the SIs before racing & please contact the RO by VHF on Ch 6 with your sail number & intension to race when in the vicinity of the start line. There will be no flags & all communication will be by VHF.

Enjoy you racing & look forward to seeing you on the water.

Covid Race Team.

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