



M.C.Y.S

NOTICE OF EVENT

Notice is given of the -

MCYS RMYS Destination Race/Cruise



When:

Weekend of 11/12 March 2023

Where:

This is a combined power and sail cruise/race to RMYS (St Kilda) Harbour

What's on:

Cruise in Company and YACHT RACE

Cruise plan:

Commodore **John Hall** and Power Boat Group **Bill Wilson** will be the cruise officials.

John and Pam Hall - Wingara - 0429313211

Bill and Marilyn Wilson - Sea Child - 0402133255

Radio contact via **VHF channel 72** – and monitoring throughout the cruise

Cost: There is no entry cost, but you will have to pay RMYS for a one-night stay or more if you intend staying Saturday and Sunday nights.

NB: YOU MUST BOOK a BERTH **WITH** RMYS -

ph: 9534 0227: members@rmys.com.au by 6 February 2023

11 February 2023

MCYS - RMYS YACHT RACE

0925 hrs - PREP SIGNAL via VHF Ch 72

0930 hrs - START **Yellow 2** (leave to Port) (38 198.798 S - 144 59.069 E)

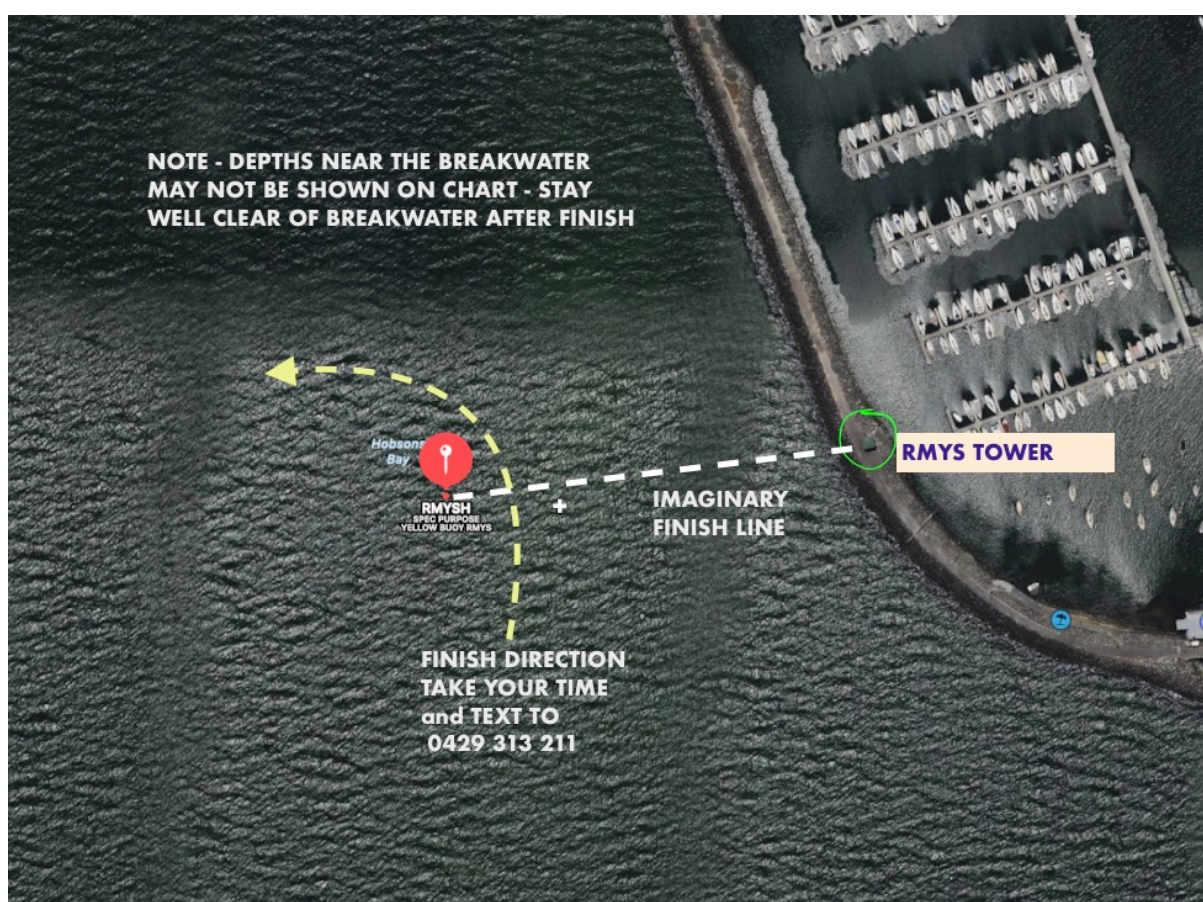
to **R1** (leave to Starboard) (38 16.474 S - 144 58.359 E)

to **SYC 5** (leave to Starboard) (37 58.79 S -144 58.410 E)

FINISH b/n **RMYSH** - (37 51 853 S - 144 57.697 E) and Tower on breakwater

FINISH:

NB: BEWARE OF DEPTH NEAR BREAKWATER - CHARTS MAY NOT BE ACCURATE!



Overnight – at RMYS - Marina - BOOKING ESSENTIAL -
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POWER BOATS

Make your way to RMYS and see the sights along the way!

- Post CRUISE/RACE results and celebrations at RMYS Olympic Bar from 5pm.
- Dinner at RMYS

On 12 February 2023

Run by RMYS -

WIGS & GOWNS SQUADRON

NEIL R McPHEE QC TROPHY and the THORSEN TROPHY

Hosted by the Royal Melbourne Yacht Squadron on the waters of

Port Phillip off St Kilda pier on

SUNDAY 12th FEBRUARY 2023.



To add to the fun and excitement, this event will be run in conjunction with the RMYS Red Pants Funday sail. WAGS perpetual trophies and Red Pants Funday trophies will be awarded. Novice sailors, partners and children over 16 are encouraged to attend. Let us know if you need a spot on a yacht! Refreshments can be purchased at RMYS. On water activities will be followed by Squadron BBQ+ lunch and drinks in the RMYS Harbour room. Come for a sail or just come for lunch.

Lunch - \$35.00 pp

Supporting Sailors with DisABILITIES

for catering purposes **bookings are highly desirable.**

ph 9534 0227: members@rmys.com.au RSVP 6 February 2023



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RMYS is Located at the southern end of Catani Gardens near St Kilda Pier

(Tram 96, 16, 3a from the City; paid parking available north side of St Kilda Sea Baths complex)

10.00 Olympic Bar (first floor) will be open

11.00 Briefing at Marina Entrance (west end of St Kilda pier)

11.45 Sailing commences

13.30 Luncheon in the Harbour Room

Further information - please contact: JOHN HALL 0429 313 211

WHAT IS WAGS?

WAGS is the acronym for "**Wigs and Gowns Squadron**" which consists of Barristers and Solicitors who own or crew on sail and power boats.

Each year a WAGS sailing event is held, however during Covid WAGS was unable to be held, so this will be a celebration of **back to "normality"** - not that there is anything "normal" about lawyers, let alone those who sail or cruise on Power or Sail boats.

RMYS is running the WAGS sailing day in conjunction with RMYS "**Red Pants Funday**" to be followed by a BBQ lunch and presentation of trophies.

The "Race" will be a short race in the vicinity of RMYS around marks/buoys.

BOOKING IS ESSENTIAL - Please read carefully:

1. MCYS Yachts and Power Boats intending to stay at RMYS on Saturday 11 February MUST BOOK A BERTH with RMYS. (berth fees will apply depending on size of vessel).

2. MCYS members who wish to attend the BBQ lunch on Sunday 12th MUST also book with RMYS - at \$35 per head as above.



3. MCYS members MUST also book with RMYS to enter the Sailing Day on Sunday 12th in conjunction with the Red Pants Funday sail.

To book a berth or for lunch or to enter the WAGS or Red Pants event - Phone "Jan" on 03 9534 0227

4. MCYS yachts who wish to enter the race from Martha Cove to St Kilda MUST also let MCYS know by clicking this link:

[I am racing in the MCYS to RMYS race.](#)

MCYS Sailing Instructions 2022-2023 shall apply (as amended) for the MCYS-RMYS race per this Notice of Event) available at mcys.com.au

and via this link

- [Sailing Instructions – V5 – 4th Oct 2022](#)

Amendments to MCYS Sailing Instructions for the MCYS-RMYS race 11/02/2023:

1. The Time Limit shall be amended to 1700 hrs on 11/2/2023 - yachts finishing after that time will be scored DNF.
2. SAILSYS-PHS and AMS and ORC handicapping shall be used if sufficient entries are received.

ALL VESSELS participating in the Cruise or Race must **keep clear of all commercial vessels and shipping** and give way where necessary. **VESSELS** should not cross commercial shipping channels where such crossing would interfere with the passage of commercial shipping or be so close as to cause concern for commercial shipping.

12 or 13 February - Return at your own pace to MCYS.

John Hall
Commodore