



Weiti Boating Club (INC)

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**MILFORD
Cruising Club**

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**GULF HARBOUR
YACHT CLUB**

Notice of Race

Anniversary weekend 2019

What: Friendly race between Weiti Boating Club, Milford Cruising Club and Gulf Harbour Yacht Club

When: Sunday 27th January. Start time 1 pm (with 5-minute countdown starting at 1255)

Where: Mahurangi Harbour and outlying Islands

Eligibility: Cruising yachts from above stated clubs are welcome to enter this event. You don't need to have raced in the cruising series to enter.

Disclaimer: Competitors participate entirely at their own risk. See RRS rule 4, Decision to Race.

Entry: There is no entry fee for this race. Please advise the start boat of your intention to race on VHF channel 77.

Rules: The 'rules' as defined in the ISAF Racing Rules of Sailing, will apply.
Boats **may not** fly extras. i.e. no spinnakers, gennakers or Code 0 headsails.

Course: Start / Finish line will be defined by a line from Pudding Island to the committee boat (which will be a GHYC launch or yacht). All boats should keep south of Saddle Island when exiting or entering Mahurangi Harbour.

Course to be sailed will be advised on the day and will include instructions for either a port or starboard rounding of the chosen mark, as below:

Course 1: Motuora Island

Course 2: Motuketekete Island

Class flag: WBC and GHYC boats should fly a white class flag; Milford boats should fly a yellow class flag. All boats should fly their club pennant if they have one.

Radio communication: Any race notices will be advised on VHF channel 77. Please also use this channel to contact the start boat should you retire from the race.

Handicaps: These will be taken from the Racetrack website.

Prize giving: This will be held at 5 pm on Sunday 27th January. Location to be advised depending on prevailing wind direction.

Pre-race briefing: There will be a joint BBQ on Saturday 26th January at either Sullivan's Bay or Scott's Landing from 5.30 pm. Members from all clubs are welcome.

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