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# Dinghy Safety

A MESSAGE FROM ROYAL FRESHWATER BAY YACHT CLUB



## Decision to Race

*The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue racing is hers alone.*

*(Rule 3, 2021 – 2024 Racing Rules of Sailing)*

Race Management will always review the current wind conditions and weather forecasts before the start of competition. Racing will be postponed or cancelled in the event of no wind or extreme wind.

As a general rule, wind speed limits are 15 knots for Intermediate Fleet sailors and 20 to 25 knots for Open Fleet sailors.

Once Race Management have confirmed racing will proceed, it is then the sailor's decision to participate in the race or continue racing once the competition has started.



*Safety - its everyone's responsibility*