



NOTICE OF RACE

RSYC Keelboat Challenge 2017 OFFSHORE RACE

- Event : 2017 Offshore Series - Race 1 – Port Klang - Port Dickson.
- Date / Time : **29th April 2017, Warning signal at approx. : 09:55 am.**
- Race Officer : TBA
- Entering : Competitors are required to sign on the list on the Race Notice Board including full crew list (see note 1b).
- Please email us at admin@rsyc.com.my to confirm your participation as well as intended crew numbers latest by 27th April so we can make berthing and F&B arrangements.
- Fee : RM 70 per pax which includes complimentary berth, buffet dinner at Admiral Marina on 30th April, and organization of race.

Course

- Start : In the Vicinity of 02°54.00'N 101°16.00'E
(South of the Westport shipping channel, close to Buas buoy)
If there is no wind the competitors will follow the start boat or nominated yacht until a start is indicated by VHF signal from the start boat /nominated yacht.
In this case the start may be set by passing the start boat only with no pin laid.
Exact location will be given via VHF once the start boat is in position.
- Mark : **TENGAH BUOY to PORT**
Tengah Red Buoy approx. 02°52.69'N 101°15.45'E
- TERUSAN BUOY to PORT**
Terusan Red Buoy approx. 02°51.52'N 101°15.22'E
- WARNING – AFTER PASSING TERUSAN BUOY DO NOT CROSS THE CHARTED SHIPPING LANE WITHOUT ENSURING THAT IT IS WELL CLEAR OF SHIPPING TRAFFIC ENTERING AND LEAVING PORT KLANG.**
- Finish : A line of Latitude of 02°30.00'N between PD Fairway buoy 02°30.00'N 101°42.67'E at the Eastern end Waypoint 02°30.00'N 101°42.00'E at the Western end (0.7nm)
Approximate race distance 37 NM

Competitors are to note their GPS time when they cross this line & send the time and their boat name via SMS to 016-333 0441 at the earliest opportunity, and upon arrival at Admirals Marina at the latest! Please if possible take a screen shot on your phone showing time and position when you cross the line and send or show this to the race office (see note 1c)

PLEASE NOTE: The Lat/Long of the PD Fairway mark above is based upon latest charted position, but if recognisance prior to the race shows a different position then the amended finish line location will be displayed on the Race notice board at sign in.

Time Limit : There is a time limit of 30 minutes for the start.
There is a time limit of 14 hours for this race.

Charts : MAL 5300, 532BA 2139

TIDE INFORMATION

Port Dickson Tide Saturday, 29th April

8:50pm (3.0m Highest)

3:16pm (0.1m Lowest)

Port Dickson Tide Saturday, 1st May

4:44am (0.6m Lowest)

10:04am (2.5m Highest)

Tidal Stream Information

Tidal Stream Predictions Off One Fathom Bank

April 29th

08 02 -1.6

11.28 0.0

14.23 +1.4

16.46 0.0

Positive tide is WNW negative tide is ESE.

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NOTES :-

- 1) **SAFETY.** In the interest of safety the following conditions shall apply to all boats:
 - a) The following working equipment shall be carried on all boats and in accordance to CAT 4 Offshore Special Regulations:
 - i) A VHF radio; boats shall maintain watch on VHF channels 72 & 16 throughout the race. (Start boat will maintain radio watch as it proceeds to Admirals Cove)
 - ii) A lifejacket for each crew member onboard
 - iii) GPS
 - iv) Charts for race area
 - v) An anchor suitable for holding the boat with rope or chain
 - vi) Other safety equipment for CAT 4 compliance
 - b) For safety and monitoring reasons, all skippers are to sign on before sailing for the start line, and complete a complete crew list, including at least 1 mobile number per boat. If this is not possible a boat and crew number list must be sent by email to the RSYC office.
 - c) In the interests of safety there will be a 3 hour reporting procedure, yachts will be called on VHF from the nominated yacht to report their position. A list of mobile numbers of all participating skippers will be provided before the start together with the onshore coordinator/race officer.
 - d) All boats shall report safe arrival at Admiral Marina via SMS with their finish time to 016-333 0441.
 - e) Return trip – all boats to report departure from PD and safe arrival at RSYC via SMS to 016-333 0441.

Admiral Marina & Leisure Club:

- Complimentary berths are available ONLY FOR THOSE WHO HAVE pre-booked by email (admin@rsyc.com.my). This includes any powerboats attending.
- Sailors wishing to proceed ashore on arrival may exit the waterfront via the car park entrance through Club's Lower Lobby.
- Formalities can be completed with the marina office after 9:00am on Saturday.
- Breakfast is served at the Traders Food Shop (level 1) from 7:00am on Saturday and Sunday.
- If you wish a shower before staff come on duty, bring your own towels.
- The swimming pool is available for use at own risk if no lifeguard on duty.
- Participants are to make their own arrangements for shore accommodation and transport requirements.
- Dinghy racing is planned for Saturday afternoon at the Royal Port Dickson Yacht Club.

RECOMMENDED APPROACHES TO ADMIRAL MARINA

Marina Location: 02° 28.75N 101° 50.40E

Waypoints from the North

Fairway Buoy:	02° 30.00N	101° 42.67E
PD North Channel Buoy:	02° 30.00N	101° 48.00E (reported missing)
Outside Marina Entrance:	02° 28.75N	101° 49.25E
Marina :	02° 28.75N	101° 50.40E

Waypoints from the South

Tanjung Tuan:	02° 25.50N	101° 50.40E
	02° 25.75N	101° 50.95E
	02° 28.42N	101° 49.73E
Marina :	02° 28.75N	101° 50.40E

Lights & Marks

Marina Entrance has 2 lights;
The one to port is Gp Fl 2 Red 2 Sec
The one to starboard is Gp Fl 2 Green 2 sec.
Both at 25ft above sea level, visibility 5NM

Pulau Terembu 02° 27.99N 101° 50.47E is a reef about 1NM SSW of the marina, and runs parallel to the coast for about 1.2NM. A west cardinal mark has been placed on the island, which is totally submerged at HWS. The mark with "hour glass" top mark and white & black bands is about 25ft above sea level and has a light Gp Fl 9 White 10sec.

Entering marina

Upon entering the marina, turn to starboard and follow the breakwater wall to round the end of the first set of pontoons.

Communications:

VHF: Channel 14 (Admiral Marina)

BERTHING AT ADMIRAL MARINA

