



ROYAL YACHT CLUB OF VICTORIA NOTICE OF RACE

**2020 – 2021 LIVINGSTON TROPHY
28 NOVEMBER 2020 – 24 APRIL 2021**





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NOTICE OF RACE

Royal Yacht Club of Victoria Inc. as Organising Authority invites entries from the Yachts on the Register of the Royal Yacht Club of Victoria or kindred clubs.

The 2020-2021 Livingston Trophy will be conducted on the waters of Port Phillip under the authority of the Royal Yacht Club of Victoria Inc.

The races will be conducted from 28 November 2020 until 24 April 2021.

RULES

All races will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing as amended the prescriptions and safety regulations of AS, and the VPC regulations and the AMS rules - all as modified by the Sailing Instructions. A permanently installed VHF radio shall be carried capable of operating on Channels 16, 12, 13, 67 and 69.

ELIGIBILITY & ENTRY

Entries shall be accepted from yachts on the register of the Royal Yacht Club of Victoria holding a current Safety Equipment Declaration of Compliance (Category 5) and a valid AMS certificate. Yachts participating in the eligible races shall be scored in the Livingston Trophy series.

SCHEDULE OF RACES

The series shall comprise the following races

28 November 2020	RYCV Elwood Huon Trophy
23 January 2021	RYCV Commodores Trophy
26 January 2021	RGYC Melbourne to Geelong Race (Sonia Trophy)
13 February 2021	HBVC Port Phillip Sea Pilots Race (short version)
24 April 2021	HBVC Don Thompson Trophy

Note: To score an AMS result from the RGYC Melbourne to Geelong Race a boat will have to be entered in an AMS division for that regatta.

MEASUREMENT

Owners are reminded that they must race with the sail and weight configuration detailed on their AMS Certificate. AMS ratings will be those issued by the Rating Authority (Australian Sailing) and current at 1200hrs on the day before the race.

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be available from the office of the Royal Yacht Club of Victoria and the Club's website www.rycv.com.au and from the Hobsons Bay Yacht Club website www.hbyc.org.au.

COURSES

Courses will be of longer distance incorporating fixed and laid marks in Port Phillip.