

# Bakers Blitz

## Information Sheet

1. ALL DRIVERS AND OBSERVERS MUST ATTEND BRIEFING AT 5 MILE BOAT RAMP AT 2.45PM ON SATURDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> FEBRUARY 2010.
2. THERE WILL BE 2 MINUTES BETWEEN BOATS. YOU MUST BE IN YOUR GRID POSITION WITH TWO MINUTES TO START TIME.
3. COMPETITORS WILL BE GIVEN A ONE MINUTE CALL, AT THE 30 SECOND CALL(**Green flag Up**), DROP YOUR SKIERS INTO THE WATER, THEN 5...4...3...2...1...GO... MOTORS MAY BE IDLING WITH ROPES TIGHT. DO NOT CROSS THE START LINE UNTIL COUNTED DOWN.
4. ONCE COUNTED DOWN, COMPETITORS WILL BE GIVEN ONE MINUTE TO CLEAR THE START AREA. AFTER ONE MINUTE YOU WILL BE CALLED BACK AND YOUR RACE IS OVER.
5. IF ONE OR BOTH SKIERS MISS THE START, YOUR RACE IS OVER.
6. IF YOU SUFFER ENGINE FAILURE, A SKIER FALL OR OTHER MISHAP DURING THE BLITZ YOUR RACE IS OVER. PULL OVER TO THE NEAREST BANK, ASSIST YOUR SKIERS INTO THE BOAT, **AND REMAIN STATIONARY UNTIL THE SWEEP BOAT INSTRUCTS YOU TO MOVE.**  
**Your Sunday Pole positions will be determined by the position the Sweep boat records you at. If you are not recorded by the Sweep Boat you won't start SUNDAY!**  
**UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES ARE YOU TO MOVE YOUR BOAT ALONG THE COURSE, OR RESTART YOUR SKIERS.** THERE WILL BE MARSHAL BOATS (& Camera's) ALONG THE COURSE.  
**➔ FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THIS RULE WILL RESULT IN YOUR IMMEDIATE DISQUALIFICATION FROM THE SOUTHERN 80 (THE NEXT DAY). SUNDAY**
7. COMPETITORS WHO FAIL TO START OR COMPLETE THE COURSE WILL BE PLACED IN THE STARTING ORDER FOR THE SOUTHERN 80 BEHIND THE SLOWEST FINISHING BOAT OF THE BLITZ. THE ORDER OF THESE BOATS WILL BE DETERMINED BY CLOSEST BOAT TO HOME WILL HAVE THE HIGHEST START TIME AND SO ON DOWN RIVER. DNS (did not start) BOATS WILL BE DRAWN BY THE COMPUTER.
8. ALL BLITZ BOATS ARE REQUIRED TO RACE THE BLITZ WITH THE ALLOCATED NUMBER DISPLAYED. MWSC WILL SUPPLY NUMBERS FOR SUNDAY. THEY WILL BE AVAILABLE FROM OFFICIALS AT SIGN IN AT TORRUMBARRY ON SUNDAY.
9. IF A BOAT FINISHES THE BAKERS BLITZ AND THEN SUFFERS ENGINE FAILURE, A REPLACEMENT ENGINE OF SIMILAR CAPACITY MAY BE SUBSTITUTED AND THIS BOAT WOULD RETAIN ITS POLE POSITION.
10. BOATS CAN WARM UP ON THE DOWNSTREAM SIDE OF THE 5 MILE RAMP AS FAR AS GOLDSBOROUGH ROAD. YOU ARE NOT TO PROCEED PAST THE ORANGE BUOYS.  
**YOU ARE REQUIRED TO WARM UP WITH EXTREME CARE**

**ANY COMPETITOR SUBJECT TO A PENALTY WILL BE NOTIFIED BY THE CHIEF JUDGE PRIOR TO COMMENCEMENT OF SUNDAY AFTERNOON CLASSES OF THE SOUTHERN 80.**

# Presidents' Invitational Dash

PRESIDENTS INVITATIONAL BOATS MUST REMAIN ON HIGH GROUND TO RIGHT OF ROADWAY IN AND PREPARE THERE.

**YOU MUST NOT PROCEED DOWN TO RAMP UNTIL ALL BLITZ BOATS ARE IN THE WATER.**

1. All Drivers and Observers must attend Briefing at 5 Mile Boat Ramp at 2.45 pm on Saturday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2010.
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  4. ONCE COUNTED DOWN, COMPETITORS WILL BE GIVEN ONE MINUTE TO CLEAR THE START AREA. AFTER ONE MINUTE YOU WILL BE CALLED BACK AND YOUR RACE IS OVER.
  5. IF ONE OR BOTH SKIERS MISS THE START, YOUR RACE IS OVER.
  6. IF YOU SUFFER ENGINE FAILURE, A SKIER FALL OR OTHER MISHAP DURING THE DASH YOUR RACE IS OVER. PULL OVER TO THE NEAREST BANK, ASSIST YOUR SKIERS INTO THE BOAT, **AND REMAIN STATIONARY UNTIL THE SWEEP BOAT INSTRUCTS YOU TO MOVE.**  
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- FAILURE TO COMPLY WITH THIS RULE WILL RESULT IN YOUR IMMEDIATE DISQUALIFICATION FROM THE SOUTHERN 80 (THE NEXT DAY). SUNDAY.**
7. COMPETITORS WHO FAIL TO START OR COMPLETE THE COURSE WILL BE PLACED IN THE STARTING ORDER FOR THE SOUTHERN 80 BEHIND THE SLOWEST FINISHING BOAT OF THE BLITZ. THE ORDER OF THESE BOATS WILL BE DETERMINED BY CLOSEST BOAT TO HOME WILL HAVE THE HIGHEST START TIME AND SO ON DOWN RIVER. DNS (did not start) BOATS WILL BE DRAWN BY THE COMPUTER.
  8. IF A BOAT FINISHES THE PRESIDENTS INVITATIONAL AND THEN SUFFERS ENGINE FAILURE, A REPLACEMENT ENGINE OF SIMILAR CAPACITY MAY BE SUBSTITUTED AND THIS BOAT WOULD RETAIN ITS POLE POSITION
  9. ALL PRESIDENTS INVITATIONAL BOATS ARE REQUIRED TO RACE THE PRESIDENTS INVITATIONAL WITH THE ALLOCATED NUMBER DISPLAYED. MWSC WILL SUPPLY NUMBERS FOR SUNDAY. THEY WILL BE ABAILABLE FROM OFFICIALS AT SIGN IN AT TORRUMBARRY ON SUNDAY
  10. **Please Note:** There will be **a 2min hold between boat number 15 & 16 on Sunday**, thus the first Dash boat will have a **HOLD** Prior to being counted down to their start time. Times & numbers can be seen at start line when collect start numbers.

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