



## Bulletin No. 3

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### Spectator Boats in Victoria

#### **Moorage**

Official & Spectator Boats will be moored with the Vic-Maui fleet in Victoria's Inner Harbour. Advance bookings through Vic-Maui are required. See [Bulletin No. 2, Arrival, Moorage and Logistics in Victoria](#).

#### **Schedule:**

Start - Thursday July 5, 1000 PDT, Cruising Division

Start - Saturday July 7, 1000 PDT, Racing Division

Suggested times: have spectators arrive at the dock at 0830, board spectators at 0900, leave the dock at 0915, observe the start area and start from 0930 through 1030, return to the dock to drop off spectators by 1100. Unless staying and paying for additional nights of moorage, be away from the dock before 1200.

#### **Spectator Boat Responsibilities:**

- Register with Vic-Maui as an official spectator boat in advance.
- Book your moorage in advance, through Vic-Maui rather than the Harbour Authority, to ensure that you will be moored with the Vic-Maui fleet and rate. Consider arriving two days before the start, for the pre-start party (tickets required). Hail "Vic-Maui Wharfinger" on VHF Ch. 66A when approaching the dock.
- Coordinate directly with the competitor boat that you are teamed with. Let your spectators know what time you'd like them onboard and what they should bring. Consider asking someone to arrange refreshments and snacks.
- Spectator boat skippers are responsible for the safety and comfort of their crew, spectators and boat. Ensure there are adequate safety equipment (especially PFD's) and capacity for the number of people.
- Pay close attention to the [Port of Victoria traffic scheme](#).
- Stay well clear of the competitor boats, and maneuver carefully among the other spectator boats.

#### **Start Area Instructions:**

Page 2 of this Bulletin is the Start Area Spectator Instructions sheet. Please take it to the start area and observe the instructions and spectator areas so that the competitors can have a free and fair start. Monitor VHF Ch. 72.

Thank you!



The Greater Victoria Harbour Authority welcomes the Vic-Maui fleet of 2012 and invites competitors, family and friends to explore and enjoy Victoria's Harbour.

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Maps of [Victoria Harbour](#), [Causeway Docks](#) and [Port of Victoria Traffic Scheme](#)

