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MYC COVIDSafe PLAN – Sailing

There has been a strong surge in Covid-19 cases in Victoria in the closing months of 2022. Neither the Victorian Government nor Australia Sailing have issued relevant updated guidelines for Sailing Clubs in 2022. The following are therefore MYC recommendations additional to the Club's normal participation requirements. Skippers and Crew are asked to consider following these recommendations.

- Organised Club racing and training for all members (adults and youth) can continue. This includes double handed dinghies and all forms of crewed keel boats, trailerables and sports boats. There is no limit on the number of boats for racing or training
- Masks and social distancing are no longer required while sailing
- Wearing masks remains advisable when rigging and packing up
- Keeping a safe interpersonal distance of 1.5m is prudent where practicable
- Participants should consider restricting contacts to crew on their boat where practicable
- Participants should, if practicable, arrive ready for sailing and are asked to consider returning home immediately after sailing
- The use of shared equipment should be minimised where possible
- Participants are asked not to take part in sailing if unwell, even if the symptoms are mild
- Participants who suddenly feel unwell should home and to follow Government Health Guidelines
- Skippers are asked to notify the MYC safety officers and close contacts of any crew member who goes home unwell
- Participants are encouraged to be fully vaccinated against Covid-19
- MYC will consider holding briefings, prize givings and other race functions outdoor should the Covid-19 cases surge.

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