



2012 Argo Group Gold Cup Schedule of Events

The public is welcome at match racing regatta, press conferences, prize giving, & parties
except where noted by as invitation only

Sunday September 30th

9:00am Race Office opens
9:00am to 10:00 am Registration of Argo Group Gold Cup Skippers at RBYC
3:00-6:00, 7:30-9:00 pm Registration of Argo Group Gold Cup Skippers at RBYC

Monday October 1st

THE ARGO GROUP GOLD CUP SKIPPERS' PRACTICE SESSION

8:30 am to 12:00 pm Registration of Argo Group Gold Cup Skippers at RBYC
9:00 am to 11:00 am Practice session for Argo Group Gold Cup Skippers (registered on Sunday)
11:30 am to 1:30 pm Practice session for Argo Group Gold Cup Skippers (registered on Monday)
2:00 pm to 4:00pm Practice session for Argo Group Gold Cup Skippers (registered on Monday)
5:00 pm Briefing for Argo Group Gold Cup Skippers, RBYC

Tuesday October 2nd

THE ARGO GROUP GOLD CUP ROUND ROBIN

8:00 am Argo Group Gold Cup Skippers briefing, RBYC Terrace
9:00 am Argo Group Gold Cup Group 1 (Round Robin flights 1-3)
11:00 am* Argo Group Gold Cup Group 2 (Round Robin flights 1-3)
1:00 pm* Argo Group Gold Cup Group 3 (Round Robin flights 1-3)
5:00 pm ** Press Conference, RBYC Terrace

Wednesday October 3rd

THE ARGO GROUP GOLD CUP ROUND ROBIN

8:00 am Argo Group Gold Cup Skippers briefing, RBYC Terrace
9:00 am Argo Group Gold Cup Group 2 (Round Robin flights 4-6)
11:00 am* Argo Group Gold Cup Group 3 (Round Robin flights 4-6)
1:00 pm* Argo Group Gold Cup Group 1 (Round Robin flights 4-6)
5:00 pm Registration of RenaissanceRe Jr. Gold Cup participants at RBYC
5:00 pm ** Press Conference, RBYC Terrace

Thursday October 4th

THE ARGO GROUP GOLD CUP ROUND ROBIN

8:00 am Argo Group Gold Cup Skippers briefing, RBYC Terrace
9:00 am Argo Group Gold Cup Group 3,1,2 (Final Round Robin flight)
11:00 am* Argo Group Gold Cup Group 3,1,2 (Repechage to choose 7th & 8th Quarterfinalist – six boat round robin)
11:30 am RenaissanceRe Junior Gold Cup racing in Granaway Deep or the Great Sound
5:00 pm ** Press Conference, RBYC Terrace
6:30 pm Rock on the Dock Party/Buffer – open to the public, RBYC Terrace.

Friday October 5th

THE ARGO GROUP GOLD CUP QUARTERFINALS

8:00 am Argo Group Gold Cup Skippers briefing, RBYC Terrace
9:00 am Argo Group Gold Cup Quarterfinal racing (first-to-three series)
11:30 am RenaissanceRe Junior Gold Cup racing in Granaway Deep or the Great Sound
2:00 pm ProAm Regatta
5:00 pm** Press Conference, RBYC Terrace
6:00 pm Happy Hour, Music and Carvery – open to the public, cash bar, RBYC Terrace.

Saturday October 6th

THE ARGO GROUP GOLD CUP SEMIFINALS

8:00 am Argo Group Gold Cup Skippers briefing, RBYC Terrace
9:00 am Argo Group Gold Cup 5th – 8th place series (first-to-win one)
11:30 am RenaissanceRe Junior Gold Cup racing in Granaway Deep or the Great Sound
1:00 pm Argo Group Gold Cup Semifinal racing (first-to-win three series)
5:00 pm ** Press Conference, RBYC Terrace

Sunday October 7th

THE ARGO GROUP GOLD CUP FINALS

9:00 am Argo Group Gold Cup Skippers briefing, RBYC Terrace
10:00 am Argo Group Gold Cup Final Four Championships – Petite Finals (first-to-win three series)
11:00 am to 4:00 pm Family Festival of Sail in Barr's Bay Park
12:00 pm* RenaissanceRe Junior Gold Cup Final Race
2:00 pm* Argo Group Gold Cup Final Four Championships – Finals (first-to-three series)
5:00 pm ** Press Conference and Prize Presentation for the King Edward VII Gold Cup, the RenaissanceRe Jr. Gold Cup and the Wedgwood Heritage Trophy, RBYC Terrace

* Approx time – racing will continue following completion of previous event

** **Approx time – All daily press conferences are scheduled one half hour after the completion**