

RaceQs Fact Sheet



Hey ORF racers,

Let's add something new to our offshore races. We'd like to put a GPS tracker on every boat. Later, onshore we will be able to replay the race in all its glory and agony. Your participation is voluntary but we hope you join in. You can find the Offshore race replays at <http://kaneoheyachtclub.com/offshore-racing>

If you want to participate in this it's free! Simply download the RaceQS sailboat tracking app to you iPhone or Android, turn it on during race day, and you will be automatically included in the online replay. If you have any question or need assistance please contact Mark Andrade

Here's some information about RaceQs;

- The RaceQS app is available for free in the Apple App Store and the Android Play Store
- With live broadcast turned on your batteries will last around 4 hours. With live broadcast turned off your batteries will last around 8 hours while you are recording your GPS tracks.
- Be sure to activate the location services on your phone. This app uses your GPS.
- The app records around 1 meg of data per hour. In live broadcast, this app will use your cell data. If you are not live broadcasting simply upload your data after you get back to the Club's WIFI, and you won't use any cell data.
- If you have an account at RaceQS they will keep a journal of all your recordings
- Anyone that uploads recorded data for the same time span and passes across (or near) the start line will automatically be included in the race. You don't need to do anything else.
- Please only upload data from one tracker per boat. If you upload multiple trackers from the same boat, things will get confusing.

It's easy - it's fun - it's really cool. The more boats that record the race, the better the replay. Please join in!