

PredictWind & the 2020 Pacific Puddle Jump

The Pacific Puddle Jump is very pleased to have PredictWind on board as a sponsor for 2020.

Introduction

PredictWind offers world leading weather services for Coastal and Offshore Sailors, as they offer the best weather data and tools such as Weather Routing and Departure Planning. These tools help you make critical decisions before you leave and also whilst at sea by keeping up to date with the latest weather forecasts.

Why PredictWind

They offer both online and offline apps. Please learn more at <https://www.predictwind.com/apps/>. The PredictWind Offshore App is designed for sailors heading offshore or with limited cellular/Wifi connectivity. The App can be used with most satellite connections and SSB or cellular/Wifi data when you have it. Pacific Puddle Jump founder Andy Turpin had this to say about PredictWind: "During our crossing from Mexico to the Marquesas last year, we used PredictWind Offshore forecasts and routing recommendations as our primary weather resources — accessed via satellite by our IridiumGo device. The service was a tremendous asset during that 3,000-mile passage, and it continues to be invaluable as we explore the South Pacific islands. We highly recommend that Puddle Jumpers give PredictWind a try."

PredictWind Tracking

PredictWind will be the Official tracking partner for the 2020 PPJ. This service will be offered as a rally benefit to all PPJ2020 participants. It is a great way for everyone at home following the rally to see where your location and read your blog posts. The PredictWind Offshore app also allows you to see on the map other rally participants and read their blog posts. All this is easily updated and viewed with a satellite or SSB connection.

To get on the Official PPJ2020 tracking page, create a free [PredictWind account](#) if you don't have one already. Then [contact PredictWind](#) with your boat name and PPJ registration asking for your tracking page and to be added to the PPJ 2020 tracking page.

Example of Personal tracking page <https://forecast.predictwind.com/tracking/display/SVDelos>

Example of Rally tracking page <https://forecast.predictwind.com/tracking/rally/VikingExplorers/>

Iridium GO

PredictWind sells the Iridium GO that works seamlessly with the Offshore App along with their tracking pages. The advantages of buying the Iridium GO from PredictWind are as follows;

- Best pricing on the web for the complete marine package including the antenna & cable.
- The best support in the industry - we support both the Iridium GO! & PredictWind forecast downloads.
- Customized GPS tracking website with the PredictWind Standard Package.
- The best quality antenna & cable on the market with the genuine Iridium antenna kit. These components are critical for a good data connection.

- Competitive data plans - we recommend the Unlimited Plan which has 150 free minutes of outgoing calls to landlines or cell phones per month, plus unlimited SMS and data.
- Full billing control - alerts & optional limits for low cost plans.
- Ability to monitor data & voice usage.
- No SIM Card activation fees.
- Pro-rated Billing - if SIM Card is activated part way through the month.
- Upgrade/Downgrade plans during the month no need to wait until the end of the month
- Ability to monitor airtime usage while at sea.

To learn more, and purchase an Iridium GO, please go to <https://www.predictwind.com/iridium-go/>

PPJ 2020 PredictWind 20% Discount/Rebate

As a 2020 PPJ Rally participant you get 20% of a PredictWind forecast subscription. To claim this make your purchase then contact PredictWind to get your 20% rebate.

<https://www.predictwind.com/contact-us/>