
Skiff / Foiling Sprint Series

NOTICE OF RACE

11th May 2024

ORGANISING AUTHORITY

Sandy Bay Sailing Club



1 RULES

- 1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing except as altered by this Notice of Race or by the Sailing Instructions (SIs) and/or relevant Class rules.
- 1.2 The Australian Sailing prescriptions and special regulations of Australian Sailing (AS) Part 2 will apply.
- 1.3 In the event of a conflict between the Notice of Race and the SIs, the SIs shall prevail (this changes RRS 63.7).

2 ADVERTISING

- 2.1 Boats may be required to display advertising supplied by the organising authority.

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The event is open to all boats of the Moth / IQFoil / Waszp / 29er Class.
- 3.2 Competitors shall be a financial member of a Club recognised by the competitor's national authority. Proof of affiliated Club membership may be required upon entry.
- 3.3 Eligible boats may enter by completing the entry form and submitting it, together with the required fee, here by 1700hrs on May 10th 2024.
- 3.4 To be considered an entry in the event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements and pay all fees.
- 3.5 Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Organising Authority.

4 FEES

- 4.1 The Entry Fee shall be \$25.
- 4.2 For late entries, an additional \$20 Late Fee shall apply.

5 SCHEDULE

- 5.1 Schedule of activities

DATE	ACTIVITY	TIME
Sat 16 March	Competitor Briefing (Communicated via Whatsapp before the following time)	0845 hrs
	First Warning	0930 hrs

- 5.2 There is no maximum number of races scheduled

- 5.3 The start times for the second and succeeding races on each will be as soon as practical after the conclusion of the preceding race, at the discretion of the Race Officer.
- 5.4 No warning signal will be made after 2 hours after the first warning signal or 1200, whichever is earlier.

6 EQUIPMENT INSPECTION

- 6.1 Boats may be inspected at any time.
- 6.2 Boats shall comply with RRS 78.1.

7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 7.1 The SIs will be available prior to the event online [here](#). Hardcopies may not be available at the club.

8 COMMUNICATION

- 8.1 The official noticeboard is located outside of the Secretary's office at SBSC.
- 8.2 A Whatsapp Group may be used for timely non-official communication; this does not substitute for the Office Notice Board. The link for this may be published on the office noticeboard.
- 8.3 While racing, except in an emergency, a boat shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats.

9 RACING AREA

- 9.1 Racing shall take place on the waters approximately adjacent to the Sandy Bay Sailing Club.

10 PENALTY SYSTEM

- 10.1 Rule 44.1 is changed so that a two turns penalty is replaced by a 270-degree penalty consisting of one gybe when sailing an upwind leg, or one tack when sailing a downwind leg.

11 COURSES

- 11.1 Championship racing will be on windward/leeward type courses as described in the SIs.

12 SCORING OF THE CHAMPIONSHIP RACING

- 12.1 Two completed Championship races are required to constitute a series.
- 12.2 Discards:
 - 12.2.1 When fewer than 4 Championship races have been completed, a boat's series score shall be the total of the boats' race scores.
 - 12.2.2 When 4 to 7 Championship races have been completed, a boat's series score shall be

the total of the boats' race scores excluding the boats' worst score.

12.2.3 When 8 or more Championship races have been completed, a boat's series score shall be the total of the boats' race scores excluding the boats' two worst scores.

12.3 Rule A5.3 applies.

13 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

13.1 Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See Rule 3, Decision to Race.

13.2 The organising authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

14 INSURANCE

14.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$10,000,000 (AUD) per incident or the equivalent.

14.2 All competitors who lodge an entry are deemed to have made a declaration that they hold such cover. Competitors may be required to produce evidence of such insurance at registration.

15 PRIZES

15.1 First Place overall in each class

15.2 Most memorable moment (as voted by race committee and spectators). If applicable.

16 SAFETY

16.1 All Competitors competing in a foiling class shall wear an approved helmet.

16.2 It is encouraged that all competitors carry a knife and whistle.

17 FURTHER INFORMATION

17.1 For further information please contact:

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