



2010 Queensland Open Team Sailing Championships

10 – 11 April 2010

NOTICE OF RACE

Organised and Conducted By
Royal Queensland Yacht Squadron Ltd. (RQYS)
On behalf of Yachting Queensland



1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by:
 - 1.1.1 The rules as defined in the *Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)*
 - 1.1.2 The Prescriptions and Special Regulations of Yachting Australia (YA) Addendum A and Part 2
 - 1.1.3 The Team Racing Rules (Appendix D of the RRS)
- 1.2 All races will be umpired as per RRS Appendix D2.2

2 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 All competitors (both skipper and crew) shall be members of a yacht/sailing club affiliated with their state yachting authority and Yachting Australia in accordance with RRS46
- 2.2 The maximum number of entries may be limited to 12 teams.
- 2.3 All competitors shall be over 15 years of age as at **31 December 2010**
- 2.4 Teams will consist of a maximum of seven (7) sailors who must be listed on the official entry form.
- 2.5 Competitors can only be registered with one team for the duration of the championship.
- 2.6 Any combination of six (6) registered team members may compete in any race.
- 2.7 Entries on the attached Entry Form shall be lodged with the RQYS Marine Sports Office together with the required entry fee, damage deposit and indemnity forms by the entry closing date.
- 2.8 Entries close at 1700 hours on Wednesday 31 March 2010.

3 ENTRY FEES

- 3.1 The entry fee will be **\$350.00**.
- 3.2 Damage Bond per team will be \$250.00.
- 3.3 Damage Bond - this fee will be fully refunded after the completion of the championship entered, provided the team has not been responsible for any damage to boats or equipment.

4 BOATS

- 4.1 The championship will be sailed in Pacers and/or Vagabond dinghies supplied by the Organising Authority.
- 4.2 The cost of damage (at commercial rates) to any boat or equipment will be charged to the team that is deemed to be responsible. In the case of damage between opposing teams both teams may be charged. Damage costs will be deducted from the damage bond of the team responsible.
- 4.3 Damage that occurs whereby the responsible team cannot be identified will result in the cost of the damage being allocated equally across all teams entered and deducted from the damage bond.

5 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Date	Time	Event
Saturday 10 April 2010	0800 – 0845	Registration
	0900	Competitors Meeting <i>Boardwalk Cafe Stage</i>
	0945	Racing
	Following Racing	Umpires de-brief with competitors <i>Outside Marine Sports Office</i>
	1900	Get your teams together and join the others for dinner at the Boardwalk Café. Followed by social drinks at a selection of fine local alehouses.
Sunday 11 April 2010	0900	Compulsory Competitors Meeting <i>Boardwalk Cafe Stage</i>
	0945	Racing
	Following Racing	Umpires de-brief with competitors <i>Outside Marine Sports Office</i>
	1700	Presentation and Sausage Sizzle

6 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be available at registration and may be made available on the RQYS website <http://www.rqys.com.au> prior to the event.

7 VENUE

- 7.1 The host club will be the Royal Queensland Yacht Squadron Ltd. 578 Royal Esplanade Manly QLD 4179.
- 7.2 Races will be conducted on Waterloo Bay south-south-east of the Manly Harbour entrance beacons.

8 COURSES

The course will be an "S" configuration which will be described in the Sailing Instructions.

9 SCORING AND FORMAT

Racing shall consist of a number of round robin races, with finals.

10 PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded depending on the number of entries received and will be outlined in the Sailing Instructions.

11 SELECTION FOR FUTURE EVENTS

- 11.1 The results of the Queensland Open Team Racing Championship will be used as the basis for selection for the 2010 Australian Team Racing Championship.
- 11.2 To be eligible for selection, teams must comply with the eligibility criteria for the Australian Team Racing Championship as detailed in the relevant Notice of Race.

12 DISCLAIMER

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. 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.

13 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact:

Yachting Queensland - Denis Cook

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Royal Queensland Yacht Squadron - Suellen Hurling

07 396 8666 | marinesports@rqys.com.au

14 ACCOMMODATION

For accommodation in the local Wynnum/Manly area please visit

<http://www.rqys.com.au/index.php/accommodation-listing/>

ENTRY FORM

Team Name					
Team Manager Name					
Address					
State		Postcode			
Home Telephone		Work Telephone		Mobile	
Work Fax		Email			
Yacht / Sailing Club					
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Declaration Acceptance Signature →					
Captain/Member		YA #		Club	
Member		YA #		Club	
Member		YA #		Club	
Member		YA #		Club	
Member		YA #		Club	
Member		YA #		Club	
Member		YA #		Club	
Member		YA #		Club	
Manager/Coach		YA #		Club	
Payment Advice – Please tick option <input type="checkbox"/> Cheque: Payable to RQYS <input type="checkbox"/> Direct Transfer: Account Name: RQYS BSB: 034 053 Account #: 800410 <i>Please quote TEAM NAME in the reference</i> <input type="checkbox"/> Cards Accepted: VISA MASTERCARD DINERS AMERICAN EXPRESS					
Number		Expiry			
Card Holders Name		Date			
Signature					

Forward To: Marine Sports Manager | Royal Queensland Yacht Squadron
 PO Box 5021 Manly QLD 4179 | Fax: 3393 4100

**ENCLOSE FULL PAYMENT AND COMPLETE ALL INDEMNITIES
 ENTRIES CLOSE 1700 hrs 31 MARCH 2010**

INDEMNITY FORMS

Name			
Date of Birth			
Entrants under 18 years: As parent/guardian of the above named entrant, I hereby consent to his/her participation in this event on the terms and conditions as outlined in the Notice of Race and Entry Form			
Signed		Date	

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