



NOTICE OF RACE

**Sydney Harbour
6th – 9th December 2010**



Sail Sydney Notice of Race

1. Date, Venue and Organising Authority

Monday 6 December to Thursday 9 December 2010

The venue for each class in the Regatta will be explained in the Event Schedule

The Organising Authority is Yachting NSW:

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PO Box 6450
SILVERWATER NSW 2128
AUSTRALIA

Ph: +61 2 8116 9800
Fax: +61 2 8732 1623
Email: nsw@yachting.org.au

2. Rules

- 2.1. The Regatta will be governed by the current 'rules' as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing, (RRS),
- 2.2. The prescriptions of Yachting Australia will not apply,
- 2.3. The class rules of the respective classes, and RRS Appendix B Sailboard Racing Rules for the Neil Pryde RS:X class will apply, except as any of these are altered by the Sailing Instructions and the Notice of Race.
- 2.4. RRS Appendix P – Immediate Penalties for Breaking Rule 42 will apply
- 2.5. RRS Appendix P5 may be applied for the 420, 470 and Finn classes in accordance with their class rules.
- 2.6. 49er class crew weight measuring will apply.
- 2.7. RRS Appendix G1.1 (c) re Sail Numbers will be enforced
- 2.8. Buoyancy - All competitors shall wear personal flotation devices which are in good condition and are in accordance with the specifications issued or approved by a national authority affiliated to the International Sailing Federation, or a standards organisation, or certification authority, recognised for the purpose by its respective government. Attention is drawn to Fundamental Rule 1.2
- 2.9. Harbour control regulations laid down by the NSW Maritime Authority will apply and will be detailed in the Sailing Instructions.
- 2.10. International Jury: An international Jury has been appointed and is constituted in accordance with Appendix N. There shall be no appeal from their decisions in accordance with Rule 70.5

3. Alternative Racing Rules

- 3.1. RRS 44.1 will apply, except for Hobie 16s, 49ers and 29ers and for which the two-turn penalty is *changed to a one- turn penalty* including one tack and one gybe
- 3.2. The Organising Authority reserves the right to use alternative penalty systems, including on the water judging.

4. Advertising

- 4.1. Advertising will be in accordance with ISAF Regulation 20.
- 4.2. All competitors may be required to display Event sponsor's name(s)/logo(s) and numbers. If required, the Organising Authority will supply these items and they shall be affixed as prescribed in the Sailing Instructions.
- 4.3. The Organising Authority reserves the right to refuse advertising by a boat or competitor when it is in conflict with the laws of the New South Wales and or Australian governments

5. Eligibility

All competitors shall be a current member of an ISAF Member National Authority.

6. Entries

- 6.1. Competitors shall enter by completing the online entry form located at www.sailsydney.org.au or by completing and returning the entry form at the bottom of this Notice of Race. Entries are not complete until payment is received. Entries must be received no later than 1700hrs on 12th November 2010 to qualify for the

early entry fee. Entries may be accepted after 1700hrs 12th November 2010 at the discretion of the Organising Authority, but will be subject to a \$100 late entry supplement.

- 6.2. All entries, together with the entry fee (all fees are stated in Australian AUD\$), signed Code of Conduct and parental consent where relevant shall be made to the Organising Authority on the official entry form by the closing date for entries. The closing date for entries and the entry fees are specified in the Event Schedule table.
- 6.3. If, by the closing date for entries, fewer than ten entries have been lodged in any Class, the Organising Authority reserves the right to either cancel racing or combine fleets of compatible classes.
- 6.4. Racing will be organised for the Classes specified in the Event Schedule table. There are no entry maximum quotas (except in the Hobie 16's, max 25) but the Organising Authority reserves the right to impose a maximum number of entries in any class.
- 6.5. Other classes may apply to be included in the schedule if the minimum number of potential entries is advised to the Organising Authority.
- 6.6. A Round Robin format may be used for some classes if sufficient entries are received

7. Registration & Sailing Instructions

- 7.1. All competitors shall complete registration and regatta briefing at the times:
6 Dec 2010:0800hrs - 1030hrs Registration
6 Dec 2010:1030hrs - Compulsory Regatta Briefing
- 7.2. Registration will take place at the Host Venue as indicated in the Event Schedule table. Sailing Instructions will be available on the website by December 6 and at the Host Venues during registration.

8. Format, Courses & Racing Areas

The format, courses to be sailed and the racing areas will be detailed in the Sailing Instructions. Classes may be divided into groups for racing. The decision of the Organising Authority shall be final.

9. Schedule of Events

- 9.1 The schedule of races will be set out in the Sailing Instructions.
- 9.2 The first warning signal for any fleet will not be made before 1200hrs on the first scheduled day of racing.

10. Measurement

- 10.1 Each boat, except 49er, 29er, Laser, Laser Radial, Laser 4.7, RS:X and BIC Techno 293 shall hold a valid measurement certificate. Competitors may be required to produce the certificate at any time.
- 10.2 Random measurement checks and inspections may be carried out at any time. A boat notified of inspection shall follow the instructions of the Race Committee.

11. Venue Access

Access to and boat storage at the venues will be free to competitors from 5 to 10 December inclusive. A storage charge of \$20.00 per day will be charged outside these dates. Competitors should contact the venue clubs to arrange this storage.

12. Entry Disclaimer

It is the competitor's decision to enter or to start and continue in any race. Competitors shall accept that their participation is at their exclusive risk in every respect. By way of entry competitors shall indemnify the Organising Authorities, Coordinating Authorities and the respective Host Sailing Club(s), their officers, members, servants and agents in respect to all claims and demands of whatever nature which may be made upon them in connection with or howsoever arising from their participation or intended participation. The Organising Authorities, the Coordinating Authorities and the respective Host Sailing Club(s), their officers, members, servants and agents accept no responsibility in respect of loss of life, personal injury or loss or damage to property which may be sustained by reason of their participation or intended participation in an Event or howsoever arising in connection with an Event.

13. Insurance

- 13.1.** All helmspersons shall have third party insurance cover of not less than AUD\$10,000,000 or equivalent thereof in any other currency for any accident. All owners/competitors who sign the Entry Form are deemed to have made a declaration that they hold such cover.
- 13.2.** Competitors will be required to produce evidence of such insurance and any competitor not holding this cover shall withdraw their entry.

14. Rights To Use Name And Likeness

In participating, a competitor automatically grants to the Organising Authorities, the Coordinating Authorities and the sponsors, the right in perpetuity, to make, use and show, from time to time and at their discretion, any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or film television and other reproductions of him/her during the period of the competition in which the competitor participates and in all material related to the said Event without compensation.

15. Prizes

Prizes for each class in Sail Sydney will be presented as detailed in the Sailing Instructions.

16. Support Boats

- 16.1.** Support and coach boats shall keep clear and 50 metres outside the course area and to leeward of all competitors when racing. The course area is defined as the area a boat is likely to sail in.
- 16.2.** All support and coach boats shall display an identification flag (white with black letters 600mm hoist by 600mm fly) bearing the three letter code of the competitor nation they are supporting
- 16.3.** All international support and coach boats intending to go afloat on Sydney Harbour, NSW shall comply with the NSW Maritime Authority registration requirements.
- 16.4.** For further details on the requirements of NSW Waterways please contact Chris Bolton on
Telephone: +61 2 9563 8506,
Fax: +61 2 9563 8699,
Email: bolton@maritime.nsw.gov.au

17. Communication

A boat shall neither make radio transmission whilst racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

18. Further Information

For further information, please contact Yachting NSW as detailed in Clause 1

19. Amendments

Any amendments to this Notice of Race will be posted on the event web site: www.sailsydney.org.au

Sail Sydney 2010

EVENT SCHEDULE

December 6 - 9 2010

| Class | Host Venue | Early Entry Fee \$AUD | Entry Closing Date | Late Entry Closing Date | Scheduled Races | 6 – 9 December Racing |
|------------------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|
| RS:X M/W | Woollahra Sailing Club | 240 | 12 Nov | 6 Dec | 12 | |
| Finn | Woollahra Sailing Club | 240 | 12 Nov | 6 Dec | 10 | |
| Laser | Woollahra Sailing Club | 240 | 12 Nov | 6 Dec | 10 | |
| Laser Radial Men/Women | Woollahra Sailing Club | 240 | 12-Nov | 6 Dec | 10 | |
| 49er | Woollahra Sailing Club | 340 | 12 Nov | 6 Dec | 12 | |
| 470 Men/Women | Woollahra Sailing Club | 340 | 12 Nov | 6 Dec | 10 | |
| Moth | Woollahra Sailing Club | 240 | 12 Nov | 6 Dec | 12 | |
| Hobie 16 | Woollahra Sailing Club | 340 | 12 Nov | 6 Dec | 10 | |
| 505's | Woollahra Sailing Club | 340 | 12 Nov | 6 Dec | 10 | |
| Laser 4.7 | Woollahra Sailing Club | 200 | 12 Nov | 6 Dec | 10 | |
| BIC Techno 293 | Woollahra Sailing Club | 200 | 12 Nov | 6 Dec | 12 | |
| 420 | Woollahra Sailing Club | 300 | 12 Nov | 6 Dec | 10 | |
| 29er and 29erXX | Woollahra Sailing Club | 300 | 12 Nov | 6 Dec | 12 | |
| 2.4mR | Sailability Rushcutters Bay | 225 | 12 Nov | 6 Dec | 10 | |
| Skud 18 | Sailability Rushcutters Bay | 300 | 12 Nov | 6 Dec | 10 | |

Entry Fees include 10% GST.

Other classes may apply to be included in the schedule if the minimum number of potential entries is advised to the Organising Authority. Entry Fee will be comparable to that of similar classes.

Youth Entrants: All crew must be under 19 years on 31 December 2010. Entries will only be accepted with the signed accompanying Parental Consent form.

ISAF Gradings: ISAF Grade 1 has been granted for the Finn, Laser, Laser Radial Women, 49er, 470, RS;X events.

Hobie 16 Class Entries is restricted to 25 boats. Due to limited allocations the acceptance of Hobie 16 entries is done on a first payed first accepted basis.



Entry Form

Class: _____ Sail Number: _____ National Letters: _____

Skipper

| | |
|-------------------|--------------------|
| First Name: _____ | Family Name: _____ |
| DOB: _____ | Yacht Club: _____ |
| Address: _____ | |
| Suburb: _____ | Postcode: _____ |
| Home Phone: _____ | Work Phone: _____ |
| Fax: _____ | Mobile: _____ |
| E-Mail: _____ | MNA No: _____ |

Crew 1

| | |
|----------------------|---------------------------|
| First Name: _____ | Family Name: _____ |
| Date of Birth: _____ | Male/Female MNA No: _____ |

*MNA No.= Member National Authority No.

ENTRY DECLARATION

"I agree to be bound by the *Racing Rules of Sailing* of the ISAF and all other rules that govern the Event, with which I will make myself clear. I acknowledge that Rule 4 – Decision to Race, places me solely responsible for deciding whether or not to start or to continue racing on the boat. I further acknowledge and agree that in consideration of the Notice of Race clause 14 'Entry Disclaimer', that subject to my entry into this Event being accepted (without any obligation on your part to accept it), my participation is at my own risk."

Signature (Owner or Owners Representative)

Date

ENTRY FEE

The entry fee payable is according to the Class listing and fees detailed in the Notice of Race and Regatta Schedule. Entries that arrive at Yachting NSW after 1700 hrs on 12th November 2010 shall pay the additional late entry supplement.

ENTRY CHECK LIST

| PLEASE TICK | Included with entry form | To be presented at Registration form |
|--|--------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| Fully completed entry form | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Payment | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |
| Copy of boat's measurement certificate (49er, 29er, Laser, Laser Radial, Laser 4.7, RS:X) | <input type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> |

Tick this box if you do not want your contact details passed onto Event Sponsors

PAYMENT METHOD

Cheque payable to Yachting NSW is enclosed

Please debit my:

- VisaCard
 Mastercard

FEE PAYABLE

Entry Fee \$ _____

Late Entry Supplement (100) \$ _____
(due after Fri 12th November 2010)

TOTAL FEE PAYABLE \$ _____

Cardholder's Details

Card Number: ____ / ____ / ____ / ____

Card Expiry Date __ / __

First Name: _____ Family Name: _____

Address: _____

Suburb: _____ Postcode: _____

Home Phone: _____ Work Phone: _____

E-Mail: _____

Cardholder's signature

Date

RETURN TO : Yachting NSW (YNSW)
PO Box 6450 SILVERWATER NSW 2128 AUSTRALIA
Ph: +61 2 8116 9800 Fax: +61 2 8732 1623
E-Mail: nsw@yachting.org.au



PARENTS CONSENT FOR SKIPPERS AND CREW
Complete if under 18years of age

Skipper

I, _____
Parent, Legal Guardian or Custodian Name (print clearly)

BEING the Parent, Legal Guardian, Custodian of

Competitors Name (print clearly)

consent to him/her participating in Sail Sydney, and upon the terms and conditions set out in the Sail Sydney Notice of Race and Entry Form do likewise indemnify the Organising Authority and Coordinating Authorities and officers of those authorities mentioned in the Notice of Race & Entry Form.

Signature (Parent, Guardian or Custodian)

Date

Crew

I, _____
Parent, Legal Guardian or Custodian Name (print clearly)

BEING the Parent, Legal Guardian, Custodian of

Competitors Name (print clearly)

consent to him/her participating in Sail Sydney, and upon the terms and conditions set out in the Sail Sydney Notice of Race and Entry Form do likewise indemnify the Organising Authority and Coordinating Authorities and officers of those authorities mentioned in the Notice of Race & Entry Form.

Signature (Parent, Guardian or Custodian)

Date



YACHTING
NEW SOUTH WALES

Athlete Code of Conduct

As a participant in Sail Sydney, I will participate in line with the following code of ethics:

1. Respect the rights, dignity and worth of fellow athletes, coaches, officials and spectators
2. Refrain from conduct which could be regarded as harassment towards fellow athletes and coaches
3. Care and respect the facilities made available to me as part of the regatta
4. Conduct myself in a professional manner relating to language, manner, temper and punctuality
5. Abide by the rules of the sport and respect the decision/s of the committee/umpire/judge; making all appeals through the formal process and respecting the final decision
6. Be honest in my attitude and preparation. Work equally hard for myself and my team/crew
7. Cooperate with coaches and relevant regatta staff

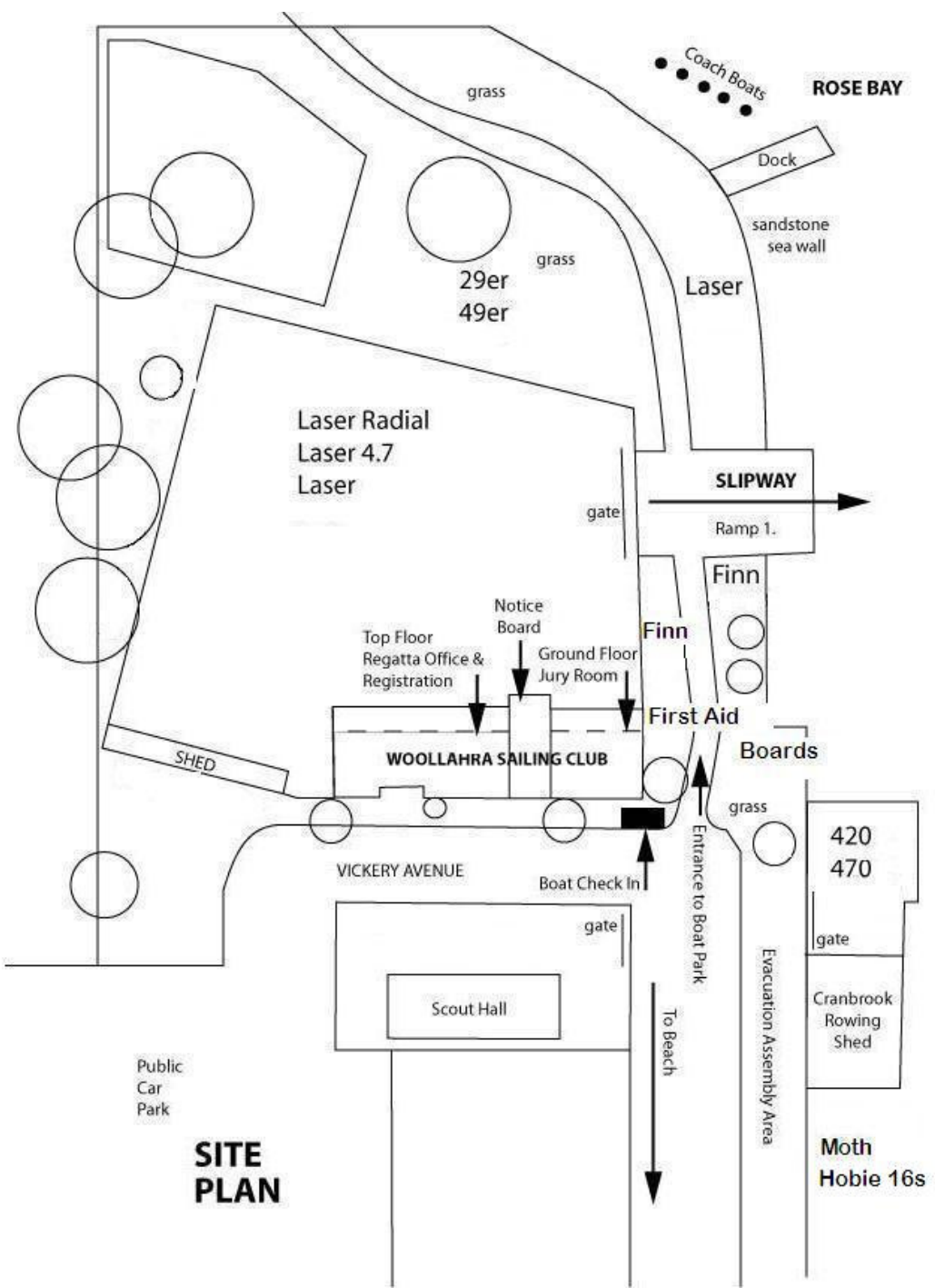
Participant's Name (Please Print): _____

Participant's Signature: _____ (Date)_____

Parent's Name (if U/18 - Please Print): _____

Parent's Signature: _____ (Date)_____

Map of Woollahra Sailing Club



SITE PLAN