



2022 Australian Championships

South Lake Macquarie Amateur Sailing Club

11 – 13 March 2022

NOTICE OF RACE (NOR)

The notation '[NP]' in a rule of the sailing instructions (SIs) means that a boat may not protest another boat for breaking that rule. This changes RRS 60.1(a). The notation '[DP]' means infringements of the rule may be subject to a discretionary penalty.

1 RULES

- 1.1 The event is governed by the Rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.

2 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 2.1 The sailing instructions will be available at www.racehub.waszp.com prior to the first day of the event.

3 COMMUNICATION

- 3.1 The online official noticeboard is located at www.racehub.waszp.com

4 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1 The event is open to all boats of the WASZP class.
- 4.2 Boats may enter the event by registering online at www.racehub.waszp.com.
- 4.3 To be considered an entry in the event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements and pay all fees.
- 4.4 Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the organising authority.

5 FEES

- 5.1 The entry fee for the event is \$180 AUD.

6 CREW LIMITATIONS

In accordance with the class rules.

7 ADVERTISING [NP] [DP]

- 7.1 If requested by the organising authority, boats shall display advertising chosen and supplied by the organising authority.

8 QUALIFYING SERIES AND FINAL SERIES

Not applicable to this event.

9 SCHEDULE

- 9.1 The table below outlines the event schedule:

Date	Activity	Time
11/03/22	Registration	1000 - 1200
11/03/22	Course Racing	1300 first warning signal
11/03/22	WASZP Sundowners @SLMASC	After Racing
12/03/22	Course Racing	TBA
12/03/22	WASZP Party	Dinner Time (TBA)
13/03/22	Course Racing	TBA

- 9.2 On the last scheduled day of racing, no warning signal will be made after 1500.

10 EQUIPMENT INSPECTION

- 10.1 A boat or equipment may be inspected at any time for compliance with the *rules*.

11 CLOTHING AND EQUIPMENT

In accordance with the class rules.

12 VENUE

- 12.1 The event will be held at South Lake Macquarie Amateur Sailing Club.

13 Camping

Limited camping spots are available on site – please register your interest by email to treasurer@slmasc.org. A small fee is payable to council via the club for campsites.

14 COURSES

14.1 The courses will be described in the sailing instructions.

15 PENALTY SYSTEM

15.1 RRS 44.1 [and P2.1] is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

15.2 [RRS P2.2 and P2.3 will not apply. RRS P2.1 applies to all penalties under Appendix P. RRS P5 does not apply.]

16 SCORING

16.1 1 race is required to be completed to constitute a series.

16.2 The series will be scored as follows:

- a) When fewer than 4 races have been completed, a boat's series score is the total of her race scores.
- b) When from 4 to 7 races have been completed, a boat's series score is the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.
- c) When 8 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score is the total of her race scores excluding her two worst scores.

17 SUPPORT VESSELS

17.1 Support vessels are permitted at the event.

17.2 Support vessels must register with the event organisers upon arrival and may be required to perform safety duties from time to time.

17.3 Further rules regarding support vessels may be found in the sailing instructions.

18 CHARTERED OR LOANED BOATS

Not applicable to this event.

19 DATA PROTECTION

19.1 The personal information you provide to the Organising Authority will be used to facilitate your participation in the event and will be stored and used in accordance with the Organising Authority's privacy policy. To facilitate your participation in the event, or when required by the rules, personal information may be shared with event officials, your national governing body, and/or World Sailing. Relevant media, results and the outcome of any hearing or appeal may be published.

20 RISK STATEMENT

20.1 RRS 3 states: 'The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue to race is hers alone.' By participating in this event each competitor agrees and acknowledges that sailing is a potentially dangerous activity with inherent risks. These risks include strong winds and rough seas, sudden changes in weather, failure of equipment, boat handling errors, poor seamanship by other boats, loss of balance on an unstable platform and fatigue resulting in increased risk of injury. **Inherent in the sport of sailing is the risk of permanent, catastrophic injury or death by drowning, trauma, hypothermia or other causes.**

21 INSURANCE

21.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of 10 million AUD per incident or the equivalent.

22 PRIZES

22.1 Prize categories will be outlined in the sailing instructions.

23 FURTHER INFORMATION

23.1 For further information, please contact:

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