



Notice of Race

13-15 December 2024, Royal Brighton Yacht Club, Victoria

The Organising Authority is the Royal Brighton Yacht Club.

1. Rules

The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the current Racing Rules of Sailing. The Prescriptions and Special Regulations of Australian Sailing (AS) will apply. Appendix T (Arbitration) will apply.

2. Advertising:

Boats may be required to display advertising as supplied by the Organising Authority.

3. Eligibility:

The regatta is open to all Etchells whose skipper is a current financial member of a club affiliated with Australian Sailing or other organisation affiliated with World Sailing.

4. Entries:

Entry is available online at <https://sailingresults.net/entry/default.aspx?ID=9664517>
Entry Fee is \$200 up until Friday 6th December 2024 and \$300 after this date up until 5pm Thursday December 12th.
Late entries accepted at the discretion of the Organising Authority.

5. Schedule:

Friday	13 Dec	1030 - 1130	Registration – Sailing office
		1130	Competitor briefing
		1300	Racing – first warning
Saturday	14 th Dec	1300	Racing – first warning
Sunday	15 th Dec	1300	Racing – first warning No warning signal after 1500

Racing will normally be back to back with a total of 6 races scheduled and a maximum of 3 races in any one day.

6. Sailing Instructions

- The sailing instructions will consist of the instructions in RRS Appendix S, Standard Sailing Instructions, and supplementary sailing instructions that will be posted on the official notice board located at <https://sailingresults.net/sa/notice/?ID=81811>
- No hard copies will be available at the regatta.

7. Courses

The courses to be sailed will be windward-leeward as described in the Supplementary Sailing Instructions.

8. Penalties

The first two sentences of RRS 44.1 are changed to: "A boat may take a One-Turn Penalty when she may have broken one or more rules of Part 2 or RRS 31 in an incident while racing. However, when she may have broken one or more rules of Part 2 while in the zone around a mark other than a starting mark, her penalty shall be a Two-Turns Penalty".

9. Scoring

- A maximum of 6 races to be sailed of which 3 races shall constitute a series.
- When 3 or fewer races are completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- When 4 or 5 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.
- When 6 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

10. Prizes

- Prizes will also be awarded 1st, 2nd, 3rd.
- Further prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the Organising Authority.

11. Disclaimer of Liability

- a) Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 3, Decision to Race. The Organising Authority will not accept any liability for material damage, personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.
- b) It is the competitor's decision to enter an Event or to start and continue in any race. Competitors shall accept that their participation in an Event is at their exclusive risk in every respect. See Racing Rule 3, Decision to Race.
- c) None of the Organising Authority, Australian Sailing, their officers, members, volunteers, servants or agents accept any responsibility whatsoever in respect of loss of life, personal injury or damage to property which may be sustained by reason of their participation or intended participation in this event or howsoever arising in connection with the event.

12. Insurance

All competing boats shall have third party insurance cover of not less than AUS\$10,000,000 or equivalent thereof in any other currency. Details of current insurance policy is required during the entry process.

13. Rights to use Name and Likeness

In participating, a competitor automatically grants to the Organising Authority 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.

14. Further Information

For further information please contact RBYC:

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