



Royal Brighton Yacht Club

“Empty the Marina” Regatta

Notice of Race



29/30th March 2025, Royal Brighton Yacht Club, Victoria
Including the Jubilee Victorian Championships 2025
and VxOne State Championships

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.

2. Eligibility:

The regatta is open to all RBYC classes – Keelboats Div 1/2/C, Etchells, Dragons, VxOnes, Jubilees, 2.4mR, ILCA, RS100, 29er, Quest, Optimist.

3. Entries:

Entry is available online at <https://sailingresults.net/entry/default.aspx?ID=1069429>
There is no entry fee.

4. Schedule:

Keelboats, 2.mR, Dragons and Etchells sail Saturday 29th March . OTB fleets sail on Sunday 30th March only. VxOne and Jubilees race Saturday & Sunday.

Saturday	29 March	1100	Keelboat start – DIV 1, 2 & C
		1115	One Design first start
		1200	Cruising Fleet Start (Tower)
		1600	Presentation
Sunday	30 March	1100	OTB first start
		1600	Presentation

A maximum of one races for keelboats and up to 3 races for One Design and OTB. Jubilee and VxOne up to six races.

5. 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=82039>
- No hard copies will be available at the regatta.

6. Courses

The courses to be sailed will be a daily passage race for keelboats and windward-leeward for One Design and OTB as described in the Supplementary Sailing Instructions.

7. Scoring – VXone and Jubilee

- When four or fewer races are completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- When five or six races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

7A Scoring all other fleets

- 1st, 2nd and 3rd total of all races for each fleet.

8. 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.

9. 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.

10. 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.

11. Further Information

For further information please contact RBYC:

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