



International Cadet Association of Australia

59th Australian Championship

12 - 16 April 2021

Sandringham, Australia

Organising Authority: Sandringham Yacht Club (SYC) in conjunction with the International Cadet Class of Australia (ICCA)

NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)* and Australian Sailing (AS) Special Regulations (SR) Part 2 for Off the Beach Boats.
- 1.2 RRS Appendix P, will apply, amended as follows:
P2.3 shall not apply and P2.2 applies to all penalties after the first penalty, modified as follows: P2.2 will apply to the second and any subsequent penalties.
- 1.3 RRS Appendix T, Arbitration, will apply.
- 1.4 An on-water jury will be appointed to monitor Part 2 and Rule 42 (Propulsion) of the current RRS.

2 ADVERTISING

Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the Organising Authority. If this rule is broken, World Sailing Regulation 20.9.2 applies. [DP]

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to boats of the International Cadet Class where both the skipper and crew are members of a Cadet Class body that is affiliated with the International Cadet Class association. Additionally, competitors shall be members of a Club affiliated with Australian Sailing, or their own country's National sailing body.

- 3.2 Eligible boats shall enter online electronically only, through the regatta website (www.syc.com.au/2021-cadet-nationals/) by Sunday 4 April 2021.
- 3.3 Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Organising Authority until 1700 9 April 2021 and will be subject to an additional late entry fee.
- 3.4 All competitors must be seventeen years of age or less on 31 December 2021.

4 FEES

- 4.1 Required fees are as follows: \$250 (incl GST) per boat
- 4.2 Late entry: \$50 (incl GST) additional fee per boat.
- 4.3 Where any competitor is unable to compete as a direct result of changes to COVID-19 government restrictions and border closures, a refund in full will be applied.

5 SCHEDULE

5.1 Onshore Schedule

Date	Event	Time
Monday 12 April 2021	Registration & Measurement	0900 to 1130
	Race Management Information Session	1100
	Competitor Information Session	1130
Friday 16 April 2021	Prize Giving	1800

5.2 Racing Schedule

Date	Format	First Warning Signal
Monday 12 April 2021	Practice race (one lap)	No earlier than 1330
	Championship racing	ASAP after practice race
Tuesday 13 April 2021	Championship racing	No earlier than 1255
Wednesday 14 April 2021	Championship racing	No earlier than 1255
Thursday 15 April 2021	Championship racing	No earlier than 1255
Friday 16 April 2021	Championship racing	No earlier than 1055

- 5.3 Any change to the schedule of racing will be made in accordance with the Sailing Instructions.
- 5.4 On the last scheduled day of racing no warning signal will be made after 1500.

6 MEASUREMENT AND SAFETY INSPECTION

Each boat shall produce a valid measurement certificate at registration. In addition, the following equipment may be inspected or measured: sails, spars, hull weight and safety equipment.

7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be available from the SYC regatta website, by Friday 9 April 2021.

8 VENUE

Racing will be conducted on Port Phillip Bay adjacent to Sandringham Yacht Club.

9 COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be described in the Sailing Instructions.

10 SCORING

- 10.1 A maximum of twelve (12) races are scheduled, of which three (3) races are required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 10.2 When fewer than six (6) races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- 10.3 When from six (6) to nine (9) races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.
- 10.4 When ten (10) or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her two worst scores.

11 PRIZES

- 11.1 Perpetual trophies will be awarded as follows:
 - 11.1.1 The Jock Sturrock Trophy for the Australian Champion.
 - 11.1.2 The Hutton Family Trophy for the first male helm.
 - 11.1.3 The Mermaid Trophy for the first female helm.
 - 11.1.4 The Tillet Team Trophy for the winning state team.
 - 11.1.5 The Colin Pratt Perpetual Trophy for the first male crew.
 - 11.1.6 The TAK Chemicals Perpetual Trophy for the first female crew.
 - 11.1.7 The Redlands Trophy for the first co-ed helm and crew combination.
 - 11.1.8 The Harry Richards Trophy for the most determined.
- 11.2 Additional special trophies will be awarded as follows:
 - 11.2.1 The highest-placed skipper on line honours helming their first Nationals.
 - 11.2.2 To the first to tenth-placed skipper and crew on line honours.
 - 11.2.3 To the first to third-placed skipper and crew on handicap.
 - 11.2.4 To the top three place-getters on line honours in each race.
- 11.3 Other prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the Organising Authority.

12 SUPPORT BOATS

- 12.1 Support boats shall register via the regatta entry page (www.syc.com.au/2021-cadet-nationals/), and additionally with the regatta office before going on the water for the first time. All support boats must carry a working VHF radio able to be tuned to channels 69, 71, 72, 73 & 77, as well as be prepared to assist the race committee if requested to do so until cleared to leave the course area. Support boats and coaches shall abide by the Australian Sailing coaching code of conduct, which is available on the SYC regatta website (www.syc.com.au/2021-cadet-nationals/). All Support Boats will be required to be identified by flying a numbered flag as supplied by the Organising Authority.
- 12.2 It is recommended that all support boats have propeller guards fitted.

13 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 3, 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.

14 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall provide proof of insurance at registration. Each boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of AUD\$10,000,000 including racing risk extension.

15 RIGHTS TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS

In participating in this Event, a competitor automatically grants to the Organising Authorities and the sponsors of this Event, 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 for the said event in which the competitor participates and, in all material, related to the said event without compensation.

16 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact the following people:

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