

29er Sprint Regatta

Monday 2nd and Tuesday 3rd July, 2018

The Organising Authority is Middle Harbour Yacht Club on behalf of the 9er Association of NSW

NOTICE OF RACE



29er Sprint Regatta Notice of Race

The notation '[DP]' in a rule in the NoR means that the penalty for a breach of that rule may, at the discretion of the protest committee, be less than disqualification.

1 RULES

- **1.1** The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- **1.2** Racing rules will be changed as follows:

(i) When flag AP is flown ashore, the warning signal will be made no earlier than 30 minutes after its removal (amends Race Signals).

(ii) The Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty (amends RRS44.1).(iii) Boats failing to finish within 8 minutes after the first boat finishes will be scored DNF without a hearing (amends RRS 35 and A4).

(iv) A boat that does not sign on shall be scored DNC for the first race of the day without a hearing (amends RRS63.1).

(v) A boat that does not sign off shall be scored DNF for the last race of the day without a hearing (amends RRS63.1).

1.3 The changes will appear in full in the sailing instructions. The sailing instructions may also change other racing rules.

2 ADVERTISING

Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing 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 29er class.
- **3.2** Eligible boats may enter and pay online at the <u>Event Page</u> no later than 5pm on June 29.
- **3.3** Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Organising Authority.
- **3.4** Changes of crew may be permitted at the discretion of the Organising Authority. Requests for change of crew shall be submitted in writing.

4 FEES

4.1 Entry fees are as follows:

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	Fee

29er	\$80.00 for entries paid by 5pm on June 26, 2018
29er	\$100.00 for entries paid after 5pm on June 26, 2018

5 SCHEDULE

Class

5.1

Date	Time	Activity	
Monday 2 nd July 2018	1000-1145	Registration	
	1115	Briefing	
	Not before 1230	First warning signal	
		Subsequent races will be started as soon	
		as possible after completion of the	
		preceding race	
Tuesday 3 rd July 2018	Not before 1030	First warning signal	
		Subsequent races will be started as soon	
		as possible after completion of the	
		preceding race	
	After Racing	Presentation	

5.2 All competitors shall attend the briefing

- 5.3 Up to 12 races are scheduled
- 5.4 No warning signal will be made after 1630 on either day of racing

6 EQUIPMENT INSPECTION

- 6.1 Boats shall comply with class rules and Australian Sailing Special Regulations
- **6.2** The Organising Authority may carry out measurement and safety inspections at any time

7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available by July 1 at http://www.mhyc.com.au/sailing/regattas-championships/29er-winter-sprint-regatta-july-2018.

8 VENUE

- **8.1** The regatta venue is Middle Harbour Yacht Club, Lower Parriwi Road, The Spit, Mosman.
- 8.2 The racing areas will be in Hunters Bay, Balmoral or The Sound.

9 THE COURSES

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

10 PENALTY SYSTEM

The Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty

11 SCORING

- **11.1** Three (3) races are required to be completed to constitute a series.
- **11.2** (a) When fewer than 6 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
 - (b) When from 6 to 12 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

12 RADIO COMMUNICATION

Except in an emergency, a boat that is racing shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats. [DP]

13 PRIZES

Prizes will be presented to the first three boats in any division with 5 or more entries.

14 MEDIA RIGHTS

Conditions of entry include a requirement that the skipper and crew:

• Acknowledge that the Organising Authority owns all media rights to the this Regatta and may exercise those rights as it sees fit.

• Grant the Organising Authority, its sponsors and event partners the unconditional, perpetual right and authority to publish and broadcast anywhere in the world, for any purpose and in any media, the names, images and biographical information relating to the crew and photographs, video footage and audio recordings taken of the boat and its crew prior to, during and after the races.

15 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority and class association 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.

16 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of AUD \$10,000,000 per incident or the equivalent.

17 FURTHER INFORMATION

Additional event information may be posted at online at the <u>Event Page</u> For further information please contact the MHYC Sailing Office Email: <u>sailing@mhyc.com.au</u> Phone: 02 9699 1244