

Notice of Race

This Notice of Race—along with the TCYC Sailing Instructions—shall govern the 2020 Winter Series Racing. In the event of conflict, guidance and resolution shall be sought from the Race Officer on the day of racing.

Schedule of Races

1. Racing will be held for the following dates:

Race 1 - 1330-1600 Saturday, 13 June 2020

Race 2 - 1330-1600 Saturday, 27 June 2020

Race 3 - 1330-1600 Saturday, 11 July 2020

Race 4 - 1330-1600 Saturday, 25 July 2020

Race 5 - 1330-1600 Saturday, 8 August 2020

Race 6 - 1330-1600 Saturday, 22 August 2020

Eligibility, Entries, Nomination, and Sign On

2. Members of Australian Sailing are eligible to enter TCYC Winter Series Races.

3. Entrants shall hold minimum of 'Third Party Liability' insurance that covers racing and personal injury liability to a value \$10M, and have recently completed the relevant Australian Sailing Safety Equipment Self Audit.

4. Entry Fees shall be \$5 per race; those that have paid the 2019-20 series block racing fee or have paid the Sail Training fees are exempt from this fee. Entry fees are payable on the day of racing at the clubhouse.

5. Nominations for racing shall be made online using RevSport at: <u>https://www.revolutionise.com.au/tcyc/events/66805/</u>. TCYC admin staff may assist this process where nominees are not comfortable with the RevSport functionality.

6. All competing boats are to sign on at the Clubhouse prior to departing the beach.

Scoring and Prizes

7. Scoring will be conducted using the 'low point score' method based on a corrected time using a Performance Based Handicap system.

8. The race winner in each division will be awarded a daily prize at the Clubhouse on the completion of the days racing (nominally 1700). A failure to collect the day's prize will be considered a forfeit to collect. Consideration will be given for a series winner in each division, dependent on overall participation.



The Start

9. Warning Signal for racing from 1325. Starting Sequence expected to be:

1330 - Keelboats

1335 - Lasers

1340 - Minnows

1345 - Mixed Dinghies

10. The start will be conducted from the Support Boat displaying an Orange flag. The Start Line will be between the Start Line Pin and the stern of the Support Boat. All attempts will be made for the start to be conducted to windward. The start will be signified by a countdown over VHF 72 and air horn.

Class Flags

11. No class flags will be required to be displayed for this racing.

Courses

12. Courses will be advertised at the Clubhouse on the day of racing based on the sailing conditions. Where appropriate, standard club courses will be utilised. Should there be a need to alter the course, instructions will be passed by VHF 72 and by the Support Boat.

The Finish

13. The Finish will be a TCYC Jetty Finish as per TCYC SI 14.1.

Time Limit

14. The time limit for all Divisions is 2.5 hours. The target time is 1.5 hours.

Safety

15. Department of Transport regulations must be observed, and boats must carry appropriate safety equipment; at a minimum, all boats are to carry equipment as directed in the relevant Australian Sailing Safety Equipment Audit. Remember to log off if you retire.

TCYC Radio contact	VHF 72 TCYC Race Control VM6CR
TCYC Emergency contact	0401 006 093
TCYC Clubhouse	9527 5468
Rockingham Sea Rescue	VHF 16 VN6KC
Water Police	9442 8600
Rockingham Police	9528 8000
Michael Jones – Race Officer	0439 904 057