



# Junior Halloween Regatta

**Including Best Halloween Dressed Boat Award**

**24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> October 2020**

**Lake Cootharaba Sailing Club**  
24 Boreen Parade, Boreen Point 4565



## **NOTICE OF RACE**

**Conducted under Qld COVID Safe Aquatic Industry Safety Plan.**

Acceptance of and adherence to this Covid Safety Plan is required by all attendees at this event. A COVID-19 ATTENDANCE REGISTER IS REQUIRED FOR THE EVENT. ALL Volunteers & Participants must register including visitors, family and friends attending the event. This information will be collected from skippers when registering online where all members of each grouping need to be recorded. The clubhouse is limited to a max. number of 50 people at any one time, and the numbers will be monitored. Social distancing must be observed at all times both in and outdoors. A further attendance register will need to be filled in when entering or leaving any clubhouse facilities including toilets.

### **1. RULES**

- 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), the Special Regulations of Australian Sailing, ISA Introductory Rules of Sailing (Green Fleet), class rules of the competing boats and by the Sailing Instructions.
- 1.2. Coaching will be allowed by a Sailing Australia qualified coach with insurance.
- 1.3. Other "On Water" assistants may be directed by designated qualified coaches to assist with "On Water" mentoring of the fleet.
- 1.4. All coaches are directed to not instruct any sailor in the top half of each division in each race, unless there is deemed a risk to safety.
- 1.5. RRS rule 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by a 360°-Turn Penalty including one tack and one gybe.

### **2. DIVISIONS**

- 2.1. Entries are invited from all classes of monohulls including Sabots, Minnows, Vagabonds, Pacers, O'pen Skiffs, Optimists, Laser Bugs, Lasers and any other bona fide guests.
- 2.2. The fleet will be divided into 4 divisions:
  - Division 1 – Sabots
  - Division 2– Green fleet as designated by coaches and classes with training rigs

Division 3 - Laser Bugs, Minnows, O'pen Skiffs, Optimists and other classes  
less than 2.8 m length

Division 4 - All other boats.

- 2.3. Other classes of the same design of dinghy are welcome to have their own division by providing a minimum of 5 boats of the same design attending the regatta.
- 2.4. The Race Committee reserves the right to change the divisions.

### 3. SCHEDULE

Saturday 24 <sup>th</sup> October	Registration	online
	Welcome	11:00 upstairs in the club house, followed by briefing
	Treasure hunt	After briefing
	Races	Warning signal not before 12:30
	<b>Pizzas</b>	<b>Available for purchase from 4 pm</b>
Sunday 25 <sup>th</sup> October	Briefing	09:30 downstairs underneath clubhouse
	Sail past for best dressed boat	after briefing
	Races	Warning signal not before 10:00
	Briefing	13:00 downstairs underneath the clubhouse
	Races	Warning signal not before 13:30
	Presentation	As soon as practical after the last race

### 4. ENTRY AND FEES

- 4.1. Eligible boats may enter by completing the online form and lodging it before 11:00 on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> October 2020 together with the required fee. To register please access the following link <https://www.revolutionise.com.au/lcsc/events/75029/>
- 4.2. LCSC members: \$20 per boat Non-members \$30 per boat  
LCSC family: \$30 Non-members \$40 family  
Competitors in LCSC boats \$30 per boat
- 4.3. The regatta is open to junior competitors under 18 years, including junior skipper and crew sailing a senior boat.

### 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 on the official notice board located in the club house at Lake Cootharaba Sailing Club.

### 6. COURSES

Triangle courses, windward-leeward, trapezoidal and marathon courses may be used.

### 7. SCORING

- 7.1. The low point system will be used. Handicaps and yardsticks may be applied.
- 7.2. 5 races are scheduled and 3 races shall be completed to constitute a series.
- 7.3. All races shall count until 5 or more completed when a boat can then drop her worst score.

- 7.4. Should boats be tied at the completion of the series overall, ties will be broken by who finishes in front of the other boat in the final race of the series.

## **8. PRIZES**

- 8.1. Overall positions in each division
- 8.2. A 'good sportsmanship' award may be presented to one person only, chosen from any junior fleet
- 8.3. Other prizes may be awarded.
- 8.4. Certificates will be given.

## **9. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing 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.

## **10. TELEVISION AND PHOTOGRAPHER'S RIGHTS**

Competitors give permission for video footage or photographs of themselves or their boat to be published in any media for press, editorial or advertising purposes.

## **11. INSURANCE**

Each participating boat shall be insured with a third party insurance with a minimum cover of \$5 million.

## **12. FURTHER INFORMATION**

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