

Junior Monomaster's Regatta

5th and 6th December 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, WS Introductory Rules of Racing (Green Fleet only), 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

- Entries are invited from all classes of monohulls including Sabots, Minnows, Vagabonds, Pacers, O'pen Skiffs, Optimists, Herons, Lasers and any other bona fide guests.
- 2.2. The fleet will be divided into 3 divisions:
 - Division 1– Green fleet as designated by coaches and classes with training rigs
 - Division 2 Sabots, Minnows, O'pen Skiffs, Optimists and other classes less than 2.8 m length
 - Division 3 All other classes.

- 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 5thDecemberRegistration online

Welcome 11:00, followed by briefing Races Warning signal not before 12:30

Sunday 6th December Briefing 09:30 downstairs underneath clubhouse

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 5th December 2020 together with the required fee. To register please access the following https://www.revolutionise.com.au/lcsc/events/80438/

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

Please contact: Charlie Hacker: 0427548527 or Bernard Bok 0429566114.