



North Sails Sabre Winter Nationals 28th, 29th & 30th August 2026

**In Conjunction with the August All Boats
Lake Cootharaba Sailing Club**
Boreen Parade, Boreen Point 4565

Notice of Race

1. RULES

- 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing 2025-28 (RRS), the special regulations of Australian Sailing, the class rules of the competing boats and by the Sailing Instructions.
- 1.2. RRS rule 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by a One Turn Penalty.
- 1.3. **Arbitration** as prescribed in Appendix T of the RRS will apply.
- 1.4. The racing rules will be modified in accordance with RRS 86 as follows: RRS 41, Outside help. will be altered by: "A boat may receive outside help as provided for in RRS 1 and, in addition, where the Race Committee deems that the vessel and its crew require assistance in order to right a capsized vessel and/or return its crew to the vessel in order to continue racing."

2. ENTRIES

- 2.1. The regatta is open to boats of the Sabre class that comply with the class rules of the Sabre Sailing Association of Australia Inc. and whose crew are current financial members of their related State Sabre Association.
- 2.2. Eligible boats should enter On-Line by using <https://www.revolutionise.com.au/lcsc/events/367791> which will be found on the LCSC Website.
- 2.3. No cash/paper payment will be accepted.
- 2.4. Registration and payment must be completed by 5pm, Wednesday 26th August 2026.
- 2.5. Late registrations with additional payment of \$50 will only be accepted up to 8pm, Thursday 27th August 2026.

3. FEES & REGISTRATION

- 3.1 Entry fee: \$110 (LCSC members: \$100).
- 3.2 Late registration will incur a \$50 fee.
- 3.3 Registration is **only** available online at: - <https://www.revolutionise.com.au/lcsc/events/367791>.
- 3.4 All payment must be made online.
- 3.5 The entry fee also includes a free BBQ for the skipper at the club on the Saturday evening. Additional tickets for crews, families and other supporters will be available for purchase at the time of entry and/or at the club during the event. Alternatively, competitors can bring their own food and non-alcoholic drinks and use the club's BBQ free of charge.
- 3.6 All fees are GST inclusive.

4 SCHEDULE

Friday

28.08.26 Competitor Briefing 1100 Upstairs in clubhouse
Racing Warning Signal not before 1300

Saturday

29.08.26 Racing Warning Signal not before 1300
1800 BBQ Upstairs

Sunday Racing Warning Signal not before 1030

30.08.26 No Warning will be made after 1530

Presentation As soon as practical after the last race finishes.

A maximum of 10 races will be run.

5 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 5.1 The sailing instructions will be available on-line on the club Website. <https://lcsc.org.au/event/allboats-regatta-inc-north-sails-sabre-winter-nationals/> Any changes to the Sailing Instructions will be made on the Club Notice Board and announced by the L flag and sound signal.

6 COURSES

Triangular, and windward/leeward courses may be used.

7 SCORING

- 7.1 Australian Sailing yardsticks will be used. The race committee may adjust any boat's handicap. (see above 2.2)
- 7.2 10 races are scheduled of which one race must be completed to form the regatta.
- 7.3 When less than 6 races have been completed, a boat's final score will be the total of its race scores.
- 7.4 When 6 to 8 races have been completed, a boat's final score will be the total of its race scores excluding its worst score.
- 7.5 When 9 or more races have been completed, a boat's final score will be the total of its race scores excluding its two worst scores.

8 PRIZES

- 8.1 Prizes 1st, 2nd and 3rd.
- 8.2 Other prizes may be awarded.

9 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See Racing Rule 3, 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 valid third-party personal and property liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$10 million per event or the equivalent. By entering the event, each competitor declares that they have the required insurance cover. LCSC will not be liable if a competitor declares that they have insurance, and it subsequently transpires that this was not true.

12 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact: rearcomm@lcsc.org.au or Warren Myles
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