



2015 QUEENSLAND YOUTH WEEK

Incorporating the
Australian Midwinter Youth Championships

Friday 3 – Tuesday 7 July 2015

NOTICE OF RACE

Organising Authority
Royal Queensland Yacht Squadron Ltd.

1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 The Special Regulations of Yachting Australia Part 2 will apply.
- 1.3 The applicable class rules will apply
- 1.4 Racing rule 44.1 will be changed as per NOR 10.1. The change will appear in full in the Sailing Instructions. The Sailing Instructions may also change other racing rules.
- 1.5 If there is a conflict between languages the English text will take precedence.

2. ADVERTISING

- 2.1 All advertising will be in accordance with ISAF Regulation 20.
- 2.2 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organising authority.

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 This regatta is open to ISAF preferred youth classes as well as selected youth and junior nationally recognized classes, with a minimum of six entries.
- 3.2 All competitors shall comply with the Yachting Australia prescriptions of RRS 46 and RRS 56.
- 3.3 All competitors shall be under 19 years as of 31 December 2015 (born after 31st December 1996).
- 3.4 Proof of age and Yachting Australia membership shall be required.
- 3.5 Eligible boats may be entered online via the event website (www.rqys.com.au)
- 3.6 When entry is accepted details will be displayed on the event website.
- 3.7 Entries close at 2359 on Thursday 18 June 2015.
- 3.8 Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Organising Authority upon payment of the late entry fee up until 2359 hours Thursday 25 June 2015.
- 3.9 Non-exclusive indicative list of classes: Sabot, Optimist, Open Bic, Laser 4.7, Laser Radial, Flying 11, 420, 29er, 49er, 49er (FX), Hobie 16, Bic Techno.

4. FEES

- 4.1 Required fees are as follows:

Single Handed Classes	\$200.00
Double Handed Classes	\$250.00
Late Entry Surcharge:	\$50.00
- 4.2 Entry includes the following:
 - Ticket(s) – Welcome Sausage Sizzle
 - Ticket(s) – Presentation BBQ
 - Queensland Youth Week Pack (1 per crew member)
- 4.3 Entries cancelled in the fortnight preceding the event will not be refunded. If cancellation occurs prior to this date 75% of the entry fee will be refunded upon receipt of a written request.

5. SCHEDULE

Date	Event	Time / Warning Signal
Friday 3 July	Registration	0900 – 1600
Saturday 4 July	Coaches Meeting	0830
	Compulsory Competitors Meeting	0900
	Racing – First Warning Signal	1100
	Welcome Sausage Sizzle	1730
Sunday 5 July	Coaches Meeting	0830
	Competitors Meeting	0900
	Racing – First Warning Signal	1100
Monday 6 July	Coaches Meeting	0830
	Competitors Meeting	0900
	Racing – First Warning Signal	1100
Tuesday 7 July	Coaches Meeting	0830
	Competitors Meeting	0900
	Racing – First Warning Signal	1100
	Presentation BBQ	1630
	Presentation	1700

6. MEASUREMENTS

6.1 Each boat shall hold a valid measurement certificate per their class rules.

6.2 Spot inspections will be undertaken at the discretion of the Organising Authority's nominated measurer.

7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be available after 1600 hours on Wednesday 1 July 2015 on the RQYS Sailing Homepage.

8. VENUE

8.1 Attachment 1 shows the location of the regatta harbour.

8.2 Attachment 2 shows the location of the racing area.

9. THE COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be detailed in the Sailing Instructions.

10. PENALTY SYSTEM

10.1 For the classes of 49er (FX), 29er and Hobie 16, rule 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

10.2 It is intended that a National Jury be appointed for this regatta.

11. SCORING

- 11.1 Four (4) races are required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 11.2 a. When fewer than five (5) races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- b. When from five (5) to eight (8) races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.
- c. When nine (9) to twelve (12) races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her two (2) worst scores.
- d. When thirteen (13) or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her three (3) worst scores.

12. SUPPORT BOATS

- 12.1 Coaches supporting athletes at the Championship shall register with the Organising Authority at the RQYS Sailing Office prior to the commencement of racing. Registration entitles coaches to a range of benefits including launching facilities, overnight berthing, refueling facilities, communication with athletes and access to race course outside of 50m of any competitor or mark between start signal and finish of last boat, except when asked to assist by the Race Committee.
- 12.2 Support and spectator boats that do not register will not be permitted to launch or retrieve from RQYS premises, or berth there overnight; the Organising Authority reserves the right to remove such vessels from their premises.
- 12.3 All registered boats will be required to pay a \$50 (AUD) cash or credit guarantee refundable deposit at registration for an identification flag. This is refundable upon return of flag.

13. RADIO COMMUNICATION

Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

14. TELEVISION AND MEDIA

Attendance at a media/press conference each day may be required for the top three competitors as well as individual heat winners. Suitable notification will be given.

15. RIGHTS TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS

By participation in an event, a competitor automatically grants to the Organising Authority and the sponsors of the event, the right in perpetuity, to make, use and show, from time to time and at their discretion, any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or film television and other reproductions of him/her during the period of the competition for said event in which the competitor participated and in all material related to the said event without compensation.

16. PRIZES & DIVISIONS

Prizes will be given as follows:

- 16.1 Prizes will be awarded to 1st, 2nd and 3rd in each class/division for which 6 or more entries are received.
- 16.2 An overall prize for the top ranked Australian state will be awarded based on the overall results from the three highest ranked individual results in ISAF recognized youth classes.
- 16.3 Other prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the Organising Authority.

17. DISCLAIMER OF ENTRY

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

18. 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.

19. FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact:

RQYS Sailing Manager

Phone: 07 3396 8666

Fax: 07 3393 4100

Email: sailing@rqys.com.au

GENERAL INFORMATION

Regatta Website: www.rqys.com.au

Facebook: www.facebook.com/qldyouthweek

Twitter: www.twitter.com/qldyouthweek

Accommodation: Ample and varied accommodation is available in the local area. Early bookings are recommended.

The Manly Marina Cove Motel is located on the grounds of RQYS – www.manlymarinacove.com

The Yachting Queensland building, also within the RQYS ground, has limited dormitory style accommodation. Email office@qldyachting.org.au for bookings.

Limited camping facilities may be available in the grounds of RQYS. Additionally there are a number of camping facilities within a 15km radius of RQYS.

Access to RQYS: Pin Codes are available for club gates from the RQYS Reception for access between the hours of 7am and 7pm, Wednesday 1 July till Thursday 9 July 2015. To arrange access outside of this time period, please contact RQYS Reception on 07 3396 8666 during office hours.

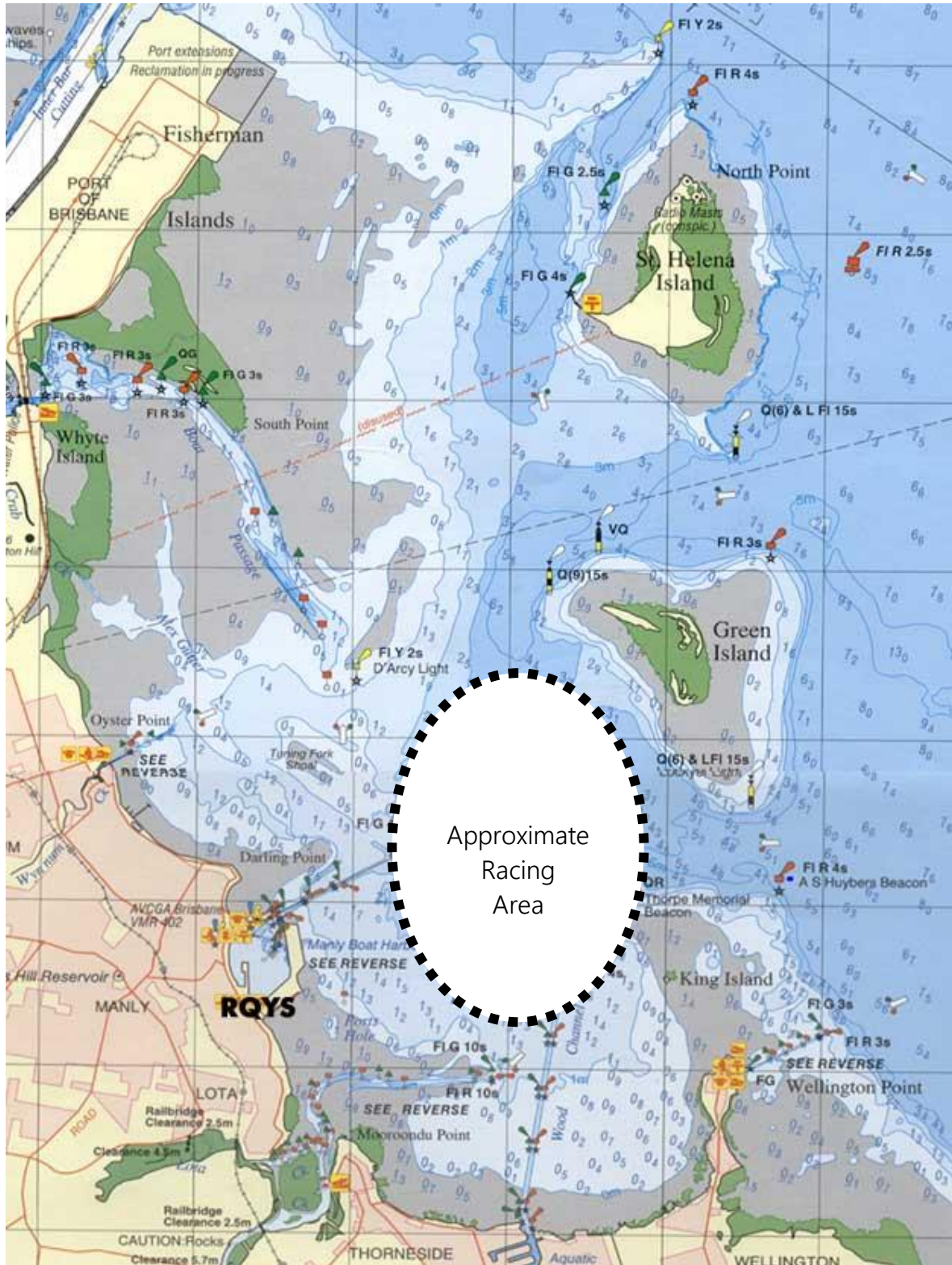
ATTACHMENT 1

REGATTA HARBOUR



ATTACHMENT 2

APPROXIMATE RACING AREA



2015 QUEENSLAND YOUTH WEEK - ENTRY FORM

Enter Online via www.rqys.com.au

GENERAL DETAILS			
Class		Sail Number	
Division	<input type="checkbox"/> Boys <input type="checkbox"/> Girls <input type="checkbox"/> Mixed	<input type="checkbox"/> U19* <input type="checkbox"/> U17* *Age as of 31 st December 2015	<input type="checkbox"/> U12* <input type="checkbox"/> U11* <input type="checkbox"/> U10*
Skipper Name			
Full Address inc. Post Code			
Country		Mobile Phone	
Email			
Full Name of Yacht Club		YA# AUS sailors only	
Crew Name			
Full Address inc. Post Code			
Country		Mobile Phone	
Email			
Full Name of Yacht Club		YA# AUS sailors only	
Declaration: Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The organising 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. <input type="checkbox"/> I hereby agree to the terms and conditions.			
Signature Skipper		Date	
Entrants Under 18 Years – Parent/Guardian Declaration: As parent/guardian of the above named entrant(s) I agree to his/her participation in this event on the terms and conditions as outlined in the Notice of Race and similarly indemnify all parties involved in the organisation and conduct of the event. I confirm that there is a valid and current certificate of insurance in accordance with paragraph 18 of this Notice of Race. <input type="checkbox"/> I hereby agree to the terms and conditions.			
Signature Parent/Guardian Skipper		Date	
Signature Parent/Guardian Crew		Date	

PAYMENT DETAILS

Direct Deposit
 Account Name: Royal Queensland Yacht Squadron Ltd.
 BSB: 034 053
 Account: 800410
Please quote your SAIL NUMBER as the reference

Cheque (payable to RQYS)

RQYS Member Charge – Member #

Credit Card

VISA | MASTERCARD | DINERS | AMERICAN EXPRESS (please circle your selected card)

Name on Card.....

Card Number.....

Expiry.....

Signature.....

Single Handed Entry	\$200.00	Full payment must be received prior to entry being accepted. Entry Includes the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Ticket(s) – Welcome Sausage Sizzle • Ticket(s) – Presentation BBQ • Regatta Pack
Double Handed Entry	\$250.00	
Additional Items	Additional Welcome Sausage Sizzle Tickets \$7.50 each	\$
	Additional Presentation BBQ Buffet Tickets \$19.50 each	\$
	Additional Regatta Pack \$40.00 each	\$
	Total Amount Payable	\$

Enter Online via www.qldyouthweek.com

Please forward completed entry form to:

Post	RQYS Club Sailing Manager PO Box 5021 Manly QLD 4179 AUSTRALIA
Fax	+61 7 3393 4100 Attention To: 2015 QLD Youth Week
Email	sailing@rqys.com.au



2015 YOUTH WEEK - ATHLETE CODE OF CONDUCT

As a competitor in 2015 Queensland Youth Week incorporating the Australian Midwinter Youth Championships I hereby agree to:

1. Ensure my participation in my sport is enjoyable.
2. Work towards the attainment of my full potential in my sports.
3. Comply with training requirements of my sport as laid down by the coaches and to accept and respond in a positive manner to their constructive criticism.
4. Maintain personal habits of health conducive to sporting excellence.
5. Abide by the spirit, as well as the letter, of the rules of my sports.
6. Accept victory and defeat with dignity and grace.
7. Behave and dress in a matter that makes me feel proud to be a competitor in my sport.
8. Respect and treat other competitors with courtesy.
9. Never abuse an official.
10. Remember to thank the event volunteers and officials that that made my participation possible.
11. Never possess nor use prohibited drugs, nor participate in any other practice prohibited by the sports.

Skipper:

Competitor Name.....

Signature.....

Parent/Guardian Name.....

Signature.....

Date.....

Crew:

Competitor Name.....

Signature.....

Parent/Guardian Name.....

Signature.....

Date.....

