



NOTICE of RACE
GO FOR GOLD Regatta 2007
Incorporating the Finn Australian Championships

30th November – 2nd December 2007

The **Go For Gold** Regatta 2007 will be held on the waters of Port Phillip in the vicinity of Black Rock Yacht Club (Inc.) (BRYC) from the 30th November – 2nd December 2007.

The organising Authority is Black Rock Yacht Club Inc.,

1. RULES:

The regatta will be governed by the 'rules' as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)

AYF Special Regulations, Addendum "A" Part 2 (off the Beach Boats) will apply to all entrants.

The Regatta is classified as a Category C event in accordance with ISAF Regulation 20 (Advertising Code).

2. ELIGIBILITY and ENTRY:

2.1 The regatta is open to boats of the Olympic Classes, International Classes, VYC Youth Classes and VYC adopted classes. Entries may be denied dependent on the number of entries received per Class. (Recommended minimum 5 boats per Class)

2.2 Eligible boats may enter on the official Entry Form which shall be lodged with the office of Black Rock Yacht Club (P.O. Box 12, Black Rock, Vic, 3193), or through the official on line entry form on the Black Rock Yacht Club web site www.bryc.yachting.org.au The fully completed entry form shall be received at the entry address no later than 1700 hours, Wednesday 28th November 2007 accompanied by the required fee. (refer fees).

3 FEES

3.1 A non refundable Entry Fee of:-
Single-Handed entry \$100.00 incl GST,
Double-Handed entry \$120.00 incl GST payable to Black Rock Yacht Club.

4. SCHEDULE of EVENTS

4.1 Registration

Friday, 30th November, 2007 0800-1100 hrs

4.2 Races (Start Times)

Friday, 30th November, 2007

Warning Signal	Race 1	1200hrs
	Race 2	Immediately after Race 2 concludes
	Race 3	Immediately after Race 3 concludes

Saturday, 1st December, 2007

Warning Signal	Race 4	1025hrs
	Race 5	Immediately after Race 4 concludes
Warning Signal	Race 6	1355hrs

	Race 7	Immediately after Race 6 concludes
Sunday, 2 nd December, 2007		
Warning Signal	Race 8	0955hrs
	Race 9	Immediately after Race 8 concludes
	Race 10	Immediately after Race 9 concludes

5. **MEASUREMENT**

Each boat, where applicable, shall hold a valid measurement certificate. Competitors may be required to produce the certificate at any time. Measurement checks and inspections may be carried out at any time. A Boat notified of inspection shall follow the instructions of the Race Committee.

6. **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

The Sailing Instructions will be available on the Black Rock Yacht Club website www.bryc.yachting.org.au and from the Yachting Victoria office and the Black Rock Yacht Club office after 0900hrs on Saturday 24th November, 2007.

7. **RACING AREA**

The racing will be held on the waters of Port Phillip, adjacent to Black Rock Yacht Club.

8. **COURSES**

The course shall be described in the Sailing Instructions.

9. **SCORING**

The Low Point Scoring System of Appendix A.4.1 will apply. A minimum of four races are required to be completed to constitute the regatta. When 5 or more races have been completed, there will be one discard.

10. **BUOYANCY**

All competitors shall wear, while afloat, an approved personal flotation device which is in good condition and is in accordance with the specifications issued or approved by a national authority affiliated to the International Sailing Federation, or a standards organisation, or certification authority, recognised for the purpose by its respective government. Attention is drawn to RRS Fundamental Rule 1.2

11. **SUPPORT BOATS**

Nominated coaches will be permitted in the race area during the conduct of the regatta.

12. **PRIZES**

Prizes will be awarded to each class in the Regatta provided that there are at least five entrants in the respective class. Other prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the organising committee.

13. **ENTRY DISCLAIMER**

It is the competitor's decision to enter an Event or to start and continue in any race. Competitors shall accept that their participation in an Event is at their exclusive risk in every respect. See Rule 4, Decision to Race. The Organizing Authority, and the respective Host Club(s), their officers, members, servants and agents accept no responsibility in respect of loss of life, personal injury or loss or damage to property which may be sustained by

reason of their participation or intended participation in an Event or howsoever arising in connection with an Event

14. **INSURANCE**

All boats competing in the Go For Gold Regatta shall have third party insurance cover of not less than AUD \$5,000,000 (recommended AUD \$10,000,000) or equivalent thereof in any other currency for any accident. All owners/competitors who sign the Entry Form are deemed to have made a declaration that they hold such cover.

15. **SOCIAL PROGRAM**

Canteen will be open at Black Rock Yacht Club for snacks prior to and after the races on all days.

16. **FURTHER INFORMATION**

Contact:

Black Rock Yacht Club, Half Moon Bay Black Rock, PO Box 12 Black Rock
3193

Ph: (03) 95980570 Fax: (03) 95210363

E-mail: bryc_hmb@bigpond.net.au

Yachting Victoria , 77 Beach Road, PO Box 83, Sandringham VIC 3191

Ph: (03) 9597 0066. Fax: (03) 9598 7384

E-mail: boating@yachtingvictoria.com.au

Or

Ross Wilson, 17 Hepburn Ave, Beaumaris, 3193

Phone 03 95891557 or 0438 818 008.

17. **AMENDMENTS**

Any amendments to this notice of Race will be posted on the Black Rock Yacht Club web site:

www.bryc.yachting.org.au no later than 31st October 2007



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Black Rock Yacht Club

Entries may also be made online at www.bryc.yachting.org.au

Application Form

Yachting Australia Membership
Number:

Title: _____ Gender: M / F

First Name: _____

Surname: _____ Date of Birth: / /

Street Address: _____

Postcode: _____

Mailing Address: (if different to above)

Postcode: _____

Email: _____

Phone: (H) _____ Phone: (W) _____

Facsimile: _____ Mobile: _____

Emergency Contact Name: _____

Emergency Contact Phone Number: (H) _____

Phone: (W) _____ Mobile: _____

Boat Details

Boat Owner: _____

Boat Class: _____

Sail Number: _____ Name: _____

Hull Color: _____

Crew for Boat: (if applicable)

No	YA No	Name	Gender	Date of Birth	Phone Number:
1:					
2					
3:					

Details of Insurance Policy

Company:

Policy Number:

Public Liability Insurance Cover \$

Expiry Date:

How did you hear about this event:

Email / Mail / Club noticeboard / Club website / Class website / YV calendar

Do you wish to receive any further communication:

Yes

No

Payment Details

Entry fee shall be: **Single Handed entry \$100.00. Double handed entry: \$120.00.**

Cheque attached:

Yes

No

Credit Card:

Visa / Mastercard

Please charge my card the amount of :\$

Credit Card Number:

Expiry Date on card:

Name on card:

Conditions of Entry

I acknowledge and agree that:

1. In this Event application and declaration: **"Club"** means and includes: Black Rock Yacht Club Incorporated and Yachting Victoria Incorporated of Suite 2, 77 Beach Road Sandringham 3191 and its directors, officers, members, servants or agents. **"Claim"** means and includes any action, proceeding, claim, demand, damage or expense however arising including but not limited to negligence **but does not include** a claim in respect of any action, suit etc made by any person entitled to compensation under a relevant Club insurance policy or under any right expressly conferred by the Club constitution.
2. **If accepted I will be permitted** to participate in the Event subject to my complying with the terms and conditions of the Event, this declaration and any reasonable direction issued by the Event organisers or their representatives.
3. **The Event rules & this declaration** comprise a contract between me and the Club and are necessary and reasonable to promote and conduct the Event. I also agree to abide by the rules and policies of Yachting Australia (copies of which are available from Yachting Australia), and be subject to the jurisdiction of Yachting Australia in relation to the application and enforcement of such rules and policies. I agree to be bound by the Racing Rules of Sailing and by all other rules that govern the event and I acknowledge that rule 4 – Decision to Race – places the sole responsibility for deciding whether or not to start or continue racing on the boat.
4. **Warning:** Participation in the Event can be inherently dangerous. I acknowledge that I am exposed to certain risks during my participation in the Event including, but not limited to, physical exertion and injury, bodily contact, falls, equipment failure and unpredictable weather conditions. I acknowledge that accidents can and often do happen which may result in me being injured or even killed, or my property being damaged. I have voluntarily read and understood this warning and accept and assume the inherent risks in participating in the Event.
5. **WARNING UNDER THE FAIR TRADING ACT 1999**

Under the provisions of the **Fair Trading Act 1999** several conditions are implied into contracts for the supply of certain goods and services. These conditions mean that the supplier named on this form is required to ensure that the recreational services it supplies to you are:

- rendered with due care and skill; and
- as fit for the purpose for which they are commonly bought as it is reasonable to expect in the circumstances; and
- reasonably fit for any particular purpose or might reasonably be expected to achieve any result you have made known to the supplier.

Under section 32N of the **Fair Trading Act 1999**, the supplier is entitled to ask you to agree that these conditions do not apply to you. If you sign this form, you will be agreeing that your rights to sue the supplier under the **Fair Trading Act 1999** if you are killed or injured because the services were not rendered with due

care and skill or they were not reasonably fit for their purpose, are excluded, restricted or modified in the way set out in this form.

NOTE: The change to your rights, as set out in this form, does not apply if your death or injury is due to gross negligence on the supplier's part. "Gross negligence" is defined in the Fair Trading (Recreational Services) Regulations 2004.

For the purposes of this clause 5, "the Supplier" shall mean and include the Club.

6. **Exclusion of Implied Terms:** I acknowledge that where I am a consumer of recreational services, as defined by any relevant law, certain terms and rights usually implied into a contract for the supply of goods or services may be excluded. I acknowledge that these implied terms and rights and any liability of the Club flowing from them, are expressly excluded to the extent possible by law, by this Event application declaration. To the extent of any liability arising, the liability of the Club will, at its discretion be limited to the re-supply of the services or payment of the cost of having the services supplied again.

7 **Release and Indemnity:** In consideration of the Club accepting my application for entry to the Event I, to the full extent permitted by law:

(a) release and will release the Club from all Claims that I may have or may have had but for this release arising from or in connection with my participation in the Event; and

(b) indemnify and will keep indemnified the Club in respect of any Claim by any person including but not only another participant in the Event arising as a result of or in connection with my participation in the Event.

8 **Fitness to Participate:** I declare that I am and must continue to be medically and physically fit and able to participate in the Event. I will immediately notify the Club in writing of any change to my fitness and ability to participate. I understand and accept that the Club will continue to rely upon this declaration as evidence of my fitness and ability to participate.

9 **Consent to medical treatment:** If required, the Club will arrange medical or hospital treatment (including ambulance transportation) for me. I authorise such actions being taken by the Club where my further consent cannot be obtained and agree to meet all costs associated with such action.

10 **Privacy:** I understand that the information I have provided is necessary for the conduct of the Event and for the Objects of the Club. I acknowledge and agree that the information will only be used by the Club to facilitate the conduct of the Event and other events conducted by the Club. I understand that I will be able to access my information through the Club. If the information is not provided my Event entry application may be rejected.

11 **Copyright and right to use image:** I acknowledge and consent to photographs being taken of me during my participation in the Event and authorise the Club to use such photographs for promotional or other purposes without my further consent being obtained. Further, I consent to the Club using my name, image, likeness and also my performance in the Event, at any time, to promote the Event or Club activities by any form of media.

12 **Severance:** If any provision of this declaration is invalid or unenforceable in any jurisdiction, the phrase or clause is to be read down for the purpose of that jurisdiction, if possible, so as to be valid and enforceable. If the phrase or clause cannot be so read down it will be severed to the extent of the invalidity or unenforceability. Such severance does not affect the remaining provisions of this membership declaration or affect the validity or enforceability of it in any other jurisdiction.

13. I warrant that my boat complies with the safety prescriptions of Yachting Australia Inc and Yachting Victoria Inc. and that it my responsibility to ensure all equipment required under these prescriptions and my declared safety category are operational at all times.

I have read, understood, acknowledge and agree to the above declaration including the warning, exclusion of implied terms, release and indemnity. I warrant that all information provided in my Event application is true and correct. I acknowledge that this Event application declaration cannot be amended. If I do amend it my application will be null and void.

Signed:

Name:

Date:

Where the applicant is under 18 years of age this form must also be signed by the applicant's parent or legal guardian.

I, _____ am the parent or guardian of the applicant. I expressly authorise and consent to the applicant participating in the Event. In consideration of the applicant's participation in the event being accepted, I expressly agree to accept, in my capacity as parent or guardian, the terms set out in this Event application and declaration including the provision by me of a release and indemnity in the terms set out above.

Parent's Signature: (where applicant under 18 y.o)

Name:

Date:

Please return this completed entry form with signed conditions of entry to:

Go for Gold Regatta
c/- Black Rock Yacht Club Inc.
PO Box 12, Black Rock 3193
Fax: (03) 95210363