



Deviot Sailing Club Inc
Trapeze Classes Regatta
Event Details (Notice of Race)
3rd & 4th March 2012



The regatta is being organized and hosted by Deviot Sailing Club and will be held on the Tamar River in the vicinity of Deviot Sailing Club, Tasmania.

1 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- 1a Welcome and Briefing in front of clubhouse at 12noon – Saturday
- 1b Sailing - Saturday
 - 1st event commencing – not before 1pm Saturday (ie Warning Signal not before 12:55pm)
 - Subsequent sailing events commencing up until the last start – not after 5pm Saturday
- 1c Food and entertainment – Saturday evening commencing not before 6pm, but with the bar open and snacks available immediately after sailing
 - The evening meal will be a two course barbecue at a cost of \$15 for adults and children over 12, and \$10 for up to twelve year olds
 - Entertainment – a family friendly film will be shown during the evening. There is also a pool table and sound system. Other (safe) entertainment is to be encouraged, with prizes for the most 'entertaining'.
- 1d Sailing – Sunday
 - 1st event commencing – not before 10am Sunday
 - Last sailing event commencing not after 2pm on Sunday
- 1e Trophy presentations – approximately 30mins to 1 hour after last finisher

2 SAILING FORMAT

- 2a Event Style - as advertised, the theme of the event is 'Fun and Nostalgia'. Whilst there will be prizes awarded for yardstick results, the main aim is to have fun! Protests are to be discouraged, but this does not mean abandoning the rules. They remain in place, for legal and safety reasons, for everyone's protection– namely ISAF 2009-12 Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), and the specific regulations of the Yachting Australia (YA).
- 2b Sailing events – weather permitting, there will be a distance race to Gravelly Beach on Saturday afternoon. There will be a mixture of other course events in the vicinity of the club waters, including a variety of course shapes, and potentially a speed trial event, and a 'freestyle' event. The freestyle event will be judged on the basis of skill and entertainment value. If there is insufficient wind to sail properly, some events may be deemed 'open' to alternative propulsion, eg. rocking, skulling pumping, and even paddling – so bring paddles, but no outboards!
- 2c Starting and finishing will be as determined by the regatta committee on the day, either from the clubhouse control box or from a committee boat on the sailing course.

3 PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded to 1st on yardstick, and placings if numbers warrant, in two yardstick divisions, plus a host of fun awards, to be determined by the regatta committee. The final split between the yardstick divisions will be determined by the numbers of boats. Yardstick will be based on current VYC tables.

4 ELIGIBILITY

The regatta is open to any dinghy or catamaran, that carries one or more trapeze. Yardsticks for modified boats will be determined by the regatta committee.

At least one member of all sailing crews must be a current member of a recognized sailing club, hold a YA Silver Card, and have third party public liability insurance of \$5million or more.

5 DISCLAIMER

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. The Deviot Sailing Club and all parties involved in the events organization accept no liability for any loss, damage, death or injury which may occur to property or persons, both ashore and afloat, as a consequence of participation in this event. The establishment of the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions in no way limits or reduces the complete and unlimited responsibility of a competitor being solely and entirely responsible for the management of a yacht that he/she is sailing.

6 LUNCHES

Lunches including salad rolls and pastries will be available during the regatta at the clubhouse from 11 am each day. To assist catering, pre-ordering your lunch will be appreciated.

7 CAMPING

Free camping is available in the clubhouse grounds, and there is limited space within the clubhouse as well. Arrangements can be made to leave the clubhouse open on Friday and Saturday nights, for use of toilets and showers, and for breakfast (breakfast food not provided)

8 ENTRIES

The event entry fee is \$30 per boat.

Entries will be accepted up to 12noon on Saturday, 5th February, on the form attached. However, early lodgement will be greatly appreciated, and there will be a random draw prize of entries received by Wednesday 3rd February.

9 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information, please contact the following:

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ENTRY FORM

COMPETITOR DETAILS

SURNAME: **GIVEN NAMES (S):**

ADDRESS:

SUBURB/CITY: **STATE:** **POSTCODE:**

TELEPHONE: **EMAIL:**

DATE OF BIRTH: **SEX: M / F CLUB:**

BOAT NAME: **SAIL NO:**

BOAT CLASS (or description):

RESPONSIBILITY

All those taking part in this event do so at their own risk and responsibility. The Deviot Sailing Club and its agents are not responsible for the seaworthiness of a yacht, whose entry is accepted, or the sufficiency or adequacy of its equipment.

COMPETITORS DECLARATION

I _____ agree to be bound by the ISAF 2009-12 Racing Rules of Sailing, the Prescriptions and Special Regulations of the AYF, and by the by the Sailing Instructions (to be issued at the pre-start briefing). I acknowledge that Rule 4 of the RRS – Decision to Race, places the sole responsibility for deciding whether or not to start or to continue racing on the boat. I am a current financial member of the above-mentioned yacht club, and Yachting Australia. I have a current Third Party Liability and Public Liability Insurance Policy of not less than \$5,000,000 AUD valid for the period of the regatta.

SIGNATURE..... **DATE:**

PARENT/GUARDIAN AUTHORISATION (if entrant under 18 years of age at time of entry)

I the parent/guardian of consent to his/her participation upon the terms and conditions set out above and do likewise indemnify the organizers of the above mentioned organizations.

SIGNATURE..... **DATE:**

ENTRY FEES: (cheques made payable to Deviot Sailing Club Inc.)

Regatta entry: \$30

Send entries to:

Treasurer
Deviot Sailing Club
PO Box 224
Launceston TAS 7250

Or payable on the day, at the Briefing.

BBQ Saturday night at DSC Please indicate - Yes/No people