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SCOR 2019

2019 Sunshine Coast Ocean Regatta

13 & 14 July

NOTICE OF RACE

Organising Authority: Sunshine Coast Yacht Club

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The Sunshine Coast Yacht Club (SCYC), as the organising authority, invites entries from eligible boats for the 2019 SCOR.

1 RULES

The races will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)*.

1.1. Other rules that will apply are as follows:

1.1.1. IRC rules 2019 Parts A, B and C for boats entered in IRC division

1.1.2. Class Rules for one-design entries and boats sailing under a standard one-design rating.

1.1.3. All ORCi Rating Rules for boats entered in ORCi division (See NOR Clause 3.5)

1.1.4. Prescriptions and Special Regulations of Sailing Australia Inc. (AS), Part 1, Category 4 for all entries.

1.1.5. This Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions for this regatta.

1.1.6. For the purpose of IRC Rules 2.1.1.5(d) and (e) this regatta is on consecutive days and the sails carried on board shall remain the same.

1.1.7. For IRC rule 22.4.2 shall not apply. Maximum number of crew that may sail aboard a boat shall be the CREW NUMBERS printed on her Certificate plus one. There is no crew weight limit.

1.1.8. RRS 50.2 and 50.3 are amended so that fixed and retractable spinnaker poles and bowsprits are permitted for the purpose of setting asymmetrical spinnakers.

1.1.9. Boats shall not carry anchors protruding from the bow whilst racing.

1.1.10. A minimum of 5 boats is required to constitute a division or class.

1.1.11. Subject to entries, divisions may be revised by the Race Committee.

1.1.12. RRS 55 is amended adding the following sentence to the rule: 'However, discarding elastic, cotton, wool or any other biodegradable material when setting a sail is permitted.

1.2. Amendments made to this Notice of Race prior to 10th July, 2019 will be published on the event web site [www.scor.com.au], and details of amendments made after that date will be posted on the Regatta Notice Board and may be posted on the web site.

2 ADVERTISING

2.1 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organising authority which may include bow stickers that must be positioned not more than 1 metre aft of the bow.

2.2 The Race Committee may reject any advertising that may conflict with the interests of the sponsors of the event.

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

3.1 Entries are invited for the following Divisions:

3.1.1 IRC (comply with Sailing Australia Special Regulations Part 1 Category 4).

3.1.2 Performance Handicap System (PHS) Rated racing & cruising monohull and multihull boats that comply with Yachting Australia Special Regulations Part 1 Category 4.

3.1.3 IRC monohull boats shall hold a current 2018 IRC measurement certificate (copy to be submitted with their entry form).

3.2 Divisions may be revised based on numbers of entries.

3.3 Entry forms can be found online via the regatta web site: **www.scor.com.au** or please email us and we will forward a copy: **sunshinecoastyachtclub@outlook.com**

3.4 It is the responsibility of each boat to ensure that every member of the crew satisfies the requirements of RRS46.

3.5 There may be an ORCi division for boats that have a current ORCi rating certificate if 5 or more boats are entered.

4 SCHEDULE

4.1 IRC and ORCi racing will be a series of up to 6 races conducted over two days; Sat 13th to Sun 14th July, 2019.

4.2 PHS and Multis racing will be a series of up to 6 races conducted over two days; Sat 13th to Sun 14th July, 2019.

4.3 The first warning signal scheduled will be not before 10:00 on any race day.

4.4 No warning signal will be made after 15:30 on the last day of regatta.

5 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

5.1 The Sailing Instructions will be available on the regatta website: www.scor.com.au com by 1800 hours on Friday 28th June, 2019. Alternatively, please email us and we will forward a copy: **sunshinecoastyachtclub@outlook.com**.

6 CERTIFICATION, INSPECTION

6.1 Owners [or owner's agents] shall submit to the Sunshine Coast Yacht Club, no later than 1700 hrs on Wednesday 10th July, 2018 the following documents:

6.1.1 Current Safety Compliance certificate to Category 4 [or higher]

6.1.2 Completed entry form

6.1.3 Current IRC certificate (IRC entrants), current ORCi certificate (ORCi entrants) or current measurement certificate (One Design classes)

6.1.4 Race Entry Fees

7 HANDICAPS

7.1 For PHS divisions, handicaps will be allocated according to the speed potential of the individual boats.

7.2 Handicaps will be allocated at the sole discretion of the regatta handicapping committee

7.3 The handicaps allotted to a yacht shall not be grounds for protest.

7.4 Handicaps may be adjusted between races at the discretion of the handicapping committee

8 VENUE

8.1 The host club is the Sunshine Coast Yacht Club, 33 Parkyn Parade, Mooloolaba Qld 4557.

8.2 Racing will be conducted on the waters to the east of the Mooloolaba River

9 THE COURSES

9.1 The courses to be sailed will be a combination of Windward / Leeward and coastal or passage style courses conducted between Caloundra and Noosa as detailed in the Sailing Instructions.

10 PENALTY SYSTEM

10.1 The scoring penalty, rule 44.3, will not apply.

10.2 Rule 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turn penalty is replaced by the One-Turn penalty.

11 SCORING

11.1 The Low Point Scoring System of Appendix A will apply.

11.2 Three (3) races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

11.3 When up to Four (4) races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.

11.4 For IRC & ORCi when Five (5) races or more have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst result.

11.5 For all other divisions when five (5) races or more have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst result.

12 LIABILITY

12.1 By lodging an entry, the owner/charterer agrees that: -

12.1.1 It is a fundamental condition of entry that he, she or it releases, holds harmless and indemnifies SCYC and its associates, its office bearers, servants, agents and members and the sponsors of SCOR 2019 from all liability any of those persons has to the owner/charterer or any crew member on the owner/charterer's yacht, or to any person claiming through or under any such person arising from loss or damage how so ever caused, including negligent act or omission, arising out of or relating to: participation by the owner/charterer's yacht or any other yacht in a race; the conduct or course of the race in any respect including, without limitation, any act or omission (whether reasonably foreseeable or not) causing or relating to loss of or damage to any yacht or the death or injury of any person; or any of the matters referred to in the paragraphs above.

12.1.2 Participation by the yacht and by the crew in SCOR 2019 is agreed by organising authority on the basis that participation is entirely at the risk of the owner/charterer and each member of the crew on the owner/charterer's yacht.

12.1.3 The owner/charterer will provide each crew member or proposed crew member with a copy of these Conditions of Entry.

12.2 All those taking part in these races are reminded of their obligations as set out AS Special Regulations Clause 1.02 "Owner's Responsibility".

12.3 Attention is drawn to RRS 3, (Acceptance of the Rules) and RRS 4, (Decision to Race).

13 BERTHING

13.1 Free berthing may be available for 13th, 14th, 15th July for competing boats at Mooloolaba Marina SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY.

13.2 Berths may be booked by competitors after entering SCOR 2019 by contacting Mooloolaba Marina Phone: 07 5444 5653 or info@mooloolabamarina.com.au stating that you are an entrant.

13.3 Boats not participating in the racing will be charged normal rates.

14 PRIZES AND DIVISIONS

14.1 Prizes or trophies will be presented for first, second and third overall in each division.

14.2 The winner of the 'Frank Hurd Memorial Trophy' (a perpetual trophy), will be selected by the Frank Hurd Trophy Committee, and will be based on 'performance & character'.

14.3 Presentation of trophies will be held after racing on Sunday 14th July.

14 INSURANCE

14.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of $10M (recommended $20M) per incident or the foreign currency equivalent.

15 COMPETITORS

15.1 A compulsory briefing will be held on Saturday July 13th at 08:00hrs in the SCYC clubrooms.

FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact ….

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