



NOTICE OF RACE

Hampton Harbour Boat & Sailing Club **2010 North West Regatta**

Saturday 17th and Sunday 18th July 2010

Hampton Harbour Boat & Sailing Club

The Esplanade (PO Box 141), Dampier, Western Australia, 6713

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The organising authority is **Hampton Harbour Boat and Sailing Club Inc.**

1. RACING RULES

The regatta will be governed by the current rules as defined by The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), the prescriptions and special regulations of Yachting Australia Inc. (YAI), this Notice of Race (except as any of these are altered by the Sailing Instructions), and the Sailing Instructions.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

The regatta is open to all classes of yachts.

- 2.1 All Skippers shall complete an official entry form on registration.
- 2.2 The skipper shall be a member of a yacht club affiliated with its National Authority.

3. DIVISIONS

- 3.1 Yachts shall be allocated to divisions based on VYC/CBH and the number of starters. A minimum of 3 yachts shall constitute a division. Division structures are at the sailing committee's discretion.
- 3.2 A Division – Keel Yachts and Trailer Sailors (Mono and Multi)
 - B Division – Off The Beach Catamarans
 - C Division – Off The Beach Mono (Dinghy)
 - D Division – Fire Bugs

4. ALTERATIONS TO RACING RULES

The RRS will be altered as follows;

- 4.1 All competitors sailing off the beach boats while racing and afloat shall wear adequate Yachting Australia Recognised, Australian Standards approved personal buoyancy as referred to in RRS AYF Addendum 'A' Special Regulations Part 2 Off the Beach Boats Regulations R1 Personal Buoyancy, and shall observe YAI recommendations 1, 2, 3 and 4 of Addendum 'A'. Wetsuits and dry suits do not meet these standards. Flag 'Y' will not be displayed before or with the warning signal. This modifies RRS 40.
- 4.2 Off the beach catamarans have broken a rule of Part 2 while racing may take a penalty at the time of the incident. Her penalty shall be one 360-degree turn penalty. This modifies RRS rules 44.1 and 44.2.) For all other types of boat RRS rules 44.1 and 44.2 shall apply.
- 4.3 RRS rule 30.1 shall apply for all starts. Flag 'I' will not be displayed before or with the warning signal. This modifies RRS 30.1.

5. ADVERTISING CATEGORY

The regatta is classified as a Category C event in accordance with the ISAF Advertising Code.

- 5.1 Boats may be required to display sponsorship advertising, which is to be attached to the boats in accordance with instructions provided by the Organising Authority.

6. FEES

Entry Fee Per Yacht		
	All 5 Races	Per Race
Junior Skipper (under 17 years of age)	\$30.00	\$7.00
All Others	\$60.00	\$20.00

Payment should be made by cash or cheque payable to **Hampton Harbour Boat & Sailing Club.**

7. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Notice of Race Amendments		
17 th June 2010	Cut off for NOR	www.hamptonharbour.net.au

	Amendments	
North West Regatta		
Saturday 17 th July	Registration	09:00 – 10:30 at the host club
	Sailors Briefing	11:00
	Race 1 warning signal	Not before 11:55
	Race 2 warning signal	Back to Back with race 1
Sunday 18 th July	Race 3 warning signal	Not before 09:55
	Race 4 warning signal	Not before 12:25
	Race 5 Warning signal	Back to Back with race 4
	Presentations	In the evening

8. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be available to competitors on completion of registration.

9. RACING AREA

The racing area will be in the Indian Ocean in the vicinity of the HHB&SC.

10. COURSES

The course for each division and each race shall be displayed on the white board located at the club house 1 hour before the 1st warning signal of each race.

- 10.1 The course for Race 2 shall be the same as Race 1. The course for race 5 shall be the same as Race 4.

11. HANDICAP / SCORING

11.1 The 2010 regatta shall be run using the HHB&SC skipper's handicap system.

11.2 The HHB&SC handicap system explanatory notes are available to all competitors on request.

11.3 The HHB&SC Low Point scoring system will be used.

1st = ¾ points

2nd = 2 points

3rd = 3 points ----and so on

11.4 One (1) race is required to constitute a series.

11.5 A boat's series score will be the total of her race scores. (No race scores shall be dropped)

12. RADIO COMMUNICATIONS

A boat shall neither make radio transmission while racing nor receive radio communication not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

13. BUOYANCY

13.1 All competitors sailing off the beach yachts, while afloat, shall wear personal flotation devices which are in good condition and are 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 fundamental Rule 1.2.

13.2 All A division keel yachts and trailer sailers must comply with the requirements of the Dept of Transport regulations and the AYF. (Category 6 Fundamental Rule for safety equipment carried on board)

14. SUPPORT BOATS/COACHES

Team Managers, Coaches and other support personnel shall keep 100m clear of the course area during racing, except in boats provided by the organising authority or when asked to assist by the Race Committee.

15. PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded at the discretion of the Organising Committee

16. RIGHTS TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS

In participating 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 the said event in which the competitor participates and in all material related to the said event without compensation.

17. 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 Organising Authority, Hampton Harbour Boat & Sailing Club, its officers, members, servants and agents accept no liability 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 how so ever arising in connection with an event.

18. ACCOMMODATION

See Event Website at: www.hamptonharbour.net.au

HAMPTON HARBOUR BOAT & SAILING CLUB

*extends an open invitation to all interested
yachties to participate in the*

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Northwest Regatta 2010

17th & 18th July



Five Race Series

Race 1	Saturday 17th	12:00hrs
Race 2	Saturday 17 th	After race 1
Race 3	Sunday 18 th	10:00hrs
Race 4	Sunday 18 th	12:30hrs
Race 5	Sunday 18 th	After Race 4

Sailing Classes

A Division	Trailer Sailors & Fixed Keel Yachts
B Division	Off the beach Catamarans
C Division	Off the beach monohulls
D Division	Firebugs (Juniors)

Onsite Camping at Club Friday, Saturday & Sunday nights

Food & Drinks available at Club all Weekend

Please confirm numbers ASAP for catering purposes

HHBSC phone (08) 9183 1116

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Hampton Harbour Boat and Sailing Club

Inc

Entry Form - North West Regatta 2010

Division : _____ Sail Number : _____
please print

Skipper: _____
please print

Yacht Name : _____
please print

Class : _____ VYC or CBH: _____
eg: Farr 40 please print leave blank

Hull Colour : _____ Deck Colour: _____
please print please print

Total number of Crew, including Skipper : _____

Club : _____
please print

Contact Phone No: _____

Email Address: _____
please print - You will be notified of results by email after the regatta

I agree to be bound by : The Racing Rules of the I.Y.R.U., the Prescriptions and Safety Regulations of YA and the Sailing Instructions of the HHBSC

Signed: _____ Date: _____

Privacy Statement: The HHBSC will use the data gleaned by this entry form for the purpose of race safety, and to inform you of race results, regattas and special HHBSC events. Your data will not be made available to third parties..

date: March 29, 2010