

NOTICE OF RACE

2021-2022 ARROW AND COBRA CATAMARAN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

Host Club: Twofold Bay Yacht Club

15 Quarantine Bay Road, Eden

Dates: 2-7 January 2022

The organising authority is the Twofold Bay Yacht Club on behalf of the New South Wales Arrow and Arafura Cadet Association and the Cobra Catamaran Association.

1. Rules

The Championships will be governed by the rules as defined in *the Racing Rules of Sailing 2021-2024*, and the prescriptions and Part 2 Special Regulations of Yachting Australia.

The class rules of the Arrow & Arafura Cadet classes shall also apply.

2. Eligibility and Entry

2.1 The Championships are open to all boats in the Arrow class and the Cobra class.

2.2 Eligible boats are encouraged to enter on the attached entry form prior to the event. Boats may enter on the 2nd January, 2022 at the clubhouse. All entry fees are refundable in the event of a cancellation of the event for any reason.

2.3 Eligible competitors shall be financial members of the State Association and financial members of a Yacht Club currently affiliated with Yachting Australia through the relevant State Authority. Competitors shall provide evidence of their membership by quoting their Yachting Australia membership number on the entry form.

3. Fees

3.1 Required fees are

Entry fees	Arrow	Senior	\$ 300.00
		Junior	\$ 220.00

4. Schedule

4.1 Registration:

Saturday 2 January 2022

From 1000 hrs to 1200 hrs

4.2 Racing Schedule:

Day/Date	Event	Time of Warning Signal	Comment
Sunday 2 nd January	Invitation Race	1400	
Monday 3 rd January	Race 1	1400	
Monday 3 rd January	Race 2	ASAP after Race 1	
Tuesday 4 th January	Race 3	1400	
Wednesday 5 th January	Race 4	1030	Also resail if required
Wednesday 5 th January	Race 5	1400	Also resail if required
Thursday 6 th January	Race 6	1400	Also resail if required
Friday 7 th January	Race 7	1100	

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4.3 Off water schedule

Sunday 2 nd January	Welcome BBQ	1730	At Clubhouse
Wednesday 5 th January	AGM	1900	At Clubhouse
Wednesday 5 th January	Partners dinner	1900	TBA
Friday 7 th January	Presentation dinner	1800	At Clubhouse

5. Sailing Instructions

Sailing instructions will be available after 1000 hrs on 2nd January from the registration desk at the Twofold Bay Yacht Club

6. Venue

The venue is the Twofold Bay Yacht Club on the far south coast of NSW. The racing area will be in the waters of the Twofold Bay

7. Measurement.

7.1 All boats must produce a current Measurement Certificate .

7.2 Boats may be checked for compliance at any time during the regatta at the discretion of the Race Committee.

8. Courses

Courses to be set on the day according to the wind direction.

9. Scoring:

9.1 The Low Point Scoring System, Appendix A.4.1 will apply.

9.2 Four races are required to be completed to constitute a series. All races will count in this case.

9.3 When five, six or seven races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

10. Penalty System:

Rule 44.1 is amended so that the "two turns penalty" is replaced by "one turn penalty".

11. Prizes

Prizes shall be awarded as follows:

Arrow:	Invitation Race	1 st place
	Outright	1 st to 5 th
	Handicap	1 st to 3 rd
	Veteran	1 st place
	Junior	1 st place

Perpetual trophies will be provided to the major winners.

12. Buoyancy

Local laws require as a minimum, a Personal Floatation Device (PFD) Type 2, (made in accordance to Australian Standard AS 1499 or European Standard EN 393 -1993 –50N or equivalent) be worn at all times while sailing. See Rule 1.2.

13. Disclaimer of Liability

Competitors sail at their own risk. The Organising Authority and all parties involved in the organisation of 2021-2022 Arrow and Arafura Catamaran National Championships accept no responsibility or liability for any loss, damage or injury that may occur to any person or property, whether ashore or afloat, as a consequence of participation in the Championships or otherwise. The Organising Authority and all parties involved in the Championships disclaim any and all such liability. This Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions in no way limit or reduce the complete and unlimited responsibilities of a competitor for the management and care of a boat she or he may be sailing in the Championships. **See rule 4, Decision to Race.**

14. Insurance

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of AUD \$5,000,000.

15. Further Information

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