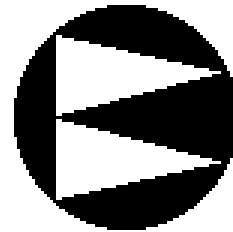


South of Perth Yacht Club (Inc.)

(Organizing Authority)

In conjunction with the
The National 125 Association
(Western Australia Division) Inc.

**2012 31st National 125
STATE CHAMPIONSHIPS**



Friday 6th April, 2012

to

Sunday 8th April, 2012

**NOTICE OF
RACE**

1 RULES

The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the *Racing Rules of Sailing 2009-2012 (RRS)* including the Prescriptions and Special Regulations of Yachting Australia and the Constitution and the Class rules of The National 125 Association (Inc).

Competitors attention is directed to the requirements of YA Special Regulations Part 2 rule 5.01 PFD's which will be enforced.

2. ADVERTISING

Advertising will be restricted to ISAF Regulation 20 Advertising Code

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 Entry is open to all skippers and crew who are financial members of both a club affiliated with Yachting Australia (YA) and The National 125 Association (Western Australian Division) Inc, and possess a current YA membership card. Proof of membership shall be required at registration or a photocopy of proof enclosed with the Entry Form. The helmsman and crew shall be nominated before the start of the regatta and both shall be at least 8 years of age as at 6th April 2012.
- 3.2 The regatta is open to boats currently registered with The National 125 Association (Western Australian Division) Inc
- 3.3 A current Measurement Certificate shall be produced at the time of registration. A photocopy submitted with the Entry Form will be acceptable.
- 3.4 Eligible boats may be entered by completing the entry and indemnity form attached to this Notice of Race and lodging them with the '125 Association Sailing Secretary, Margaret Shiner, 10 Morgan Place, Bibra Lake, WA 6163' by Monday 2nd April 2012 accompanied by the required fee of \$65.
- 3.5 Late registration will be accepted up to 1030 hours on Friday 6th April 2012. A late registration fee of \$50 will apply to these entries
- 3.6 A change of skipper, crew, measured equipment, hull or sails will be approved only in exceptional circumstances and provided a request is made in writing at least 1 hour prior to the race affected. Approval, if given, will be in writing.

4 FEES

Championship Entry \$65.00
Late Entry (additional)\$50.00

5. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- 5.1 Official Registration and Measurement
Official Registration and Measurement checks (if required) will take place at SoPYC and will be conducted between 0930 – 1030 hours on Friday 6th April 2012. **Only under extenuating circumstances will any measuring take place at this time for which prior arrangements must have been made with the measurers**
- 5.2 Races

Race	Day	Time of Warning Signal
Race 1&2 (Back to Back)	Friday 6 th April	1355
Race 3 &4 (Back to Back)	Saturday 7 th April	0925
Race 5	Saturday 7 th April	1355
Race 6&7 (Back to Back)	Sunday 8 th April	0925
Resail Provision	Sunday 8 th April	

- 5.3 No warning signal will be made after approximately 1430 hr on Sunday, 8th April

5.4 Briefings

A briefing will be held on Friday 6th April at 1200 at the South of Perth Yacht Club Centreboard Clubhouse. Other briefings will be held at the discretion of the Race Committee

6. MEASUREMENT

- 6.1 Boats shall be measured prior to the championships.

- 6.2 The race committee may nominate any boat for remeasuring at any time during the championships
- 6.3 One set of sails only, comprising mainsail, jib and spinnaker shall be used for the regatta. Each sail shall have been measured and initialed by the State and or Club Measurers, prior to the start of the championships on the 6th April 2012.
- 6.4 A request for a change of sail and or equipment shall be made in writing to the race committee at least one hour before the start of the race in which it will take effect. Approval will be granted only in extenuating circumstances and will be given in writing. For the second race in a back to back race the request and approval may be given orally.

7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be available to each boat after Registration is completed

8. PROTEST MEDIATION

Mediation will not apply

9. REGATTA VENUE

The site is the South of Perth Yacht Club clubhouse and grounds and is shown on Attachment A

10. RACING AREA

Racing will be conducted on the portion of Melville Water East as shown on Attachment B

11. COURSES

The courses will be described in the Sailing Instructions.

12. SCORING

- 12.1 7 races are scheduled and a minimum of 4 races are required to be completed to constitute the series unless due to unusual weather conditions decided otherwise by the race committee.
- 12.2 When fewer than 5 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores. When 5 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

13. TROPHIES AND PRIZES

The trophies will be awarded to Helmsperson and Crew as follows:

Overall State Championship

Overall 1 st	Perpetual Shield & Trophy
Overall 2 nd to 6 th	Trophy

Junior State Champion

(Helmsperson and crew to be under 18 year's of age as at 6th April 2012)

1 st	Trophy
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Masters State Champion

(Helmsperson to be over 40 years of age as at 6th April 2012)

1 st	Trophy
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Consistency Championship

Overall 1 st , 2 nd & 3 rd	Trophy
1 st , 2 nd & 3 rd Handicap	Places for each Heat

Rooke Family Achievement Award

Wooden Boat Trophy

Club Teams Event	Perpetual Shield
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14. DISCLAIMER

- 14.1 All those taking part in races conducted by the South of Perth Yacht Club Inc do so at their own risk
- 14.2 The South of Perth Yacht Club Inc., The National 125 Association (Western Australian Division) Inc, and any sponsor and any other party involved in the organization of the event disclaims any and every responsibility for any loss, damage, injury to persons and things, both ashore and on the water, as a consequence of participation in any way in the races covered by this Notice of Race
- 14.3 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$10 million for any one incident. By taking part in a race or event, owners are deemed to have made a declaration that they have such cover
- 14.4 Attention is drawn to Rule 4 which states that "The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue racing is hers alone."

15. GENERAL

All boats are permitted to be left on the rigging lawn adjacent to the clubhouse overnight throughout the regatta. (Refer Point 14.2)

16. RADIO COMMUNICATION

A boat shall neither make radio transmission while racing, nor received any radio communication not available to all boats. Mobile phones are a radio communication device

FURTHER INFORMATION

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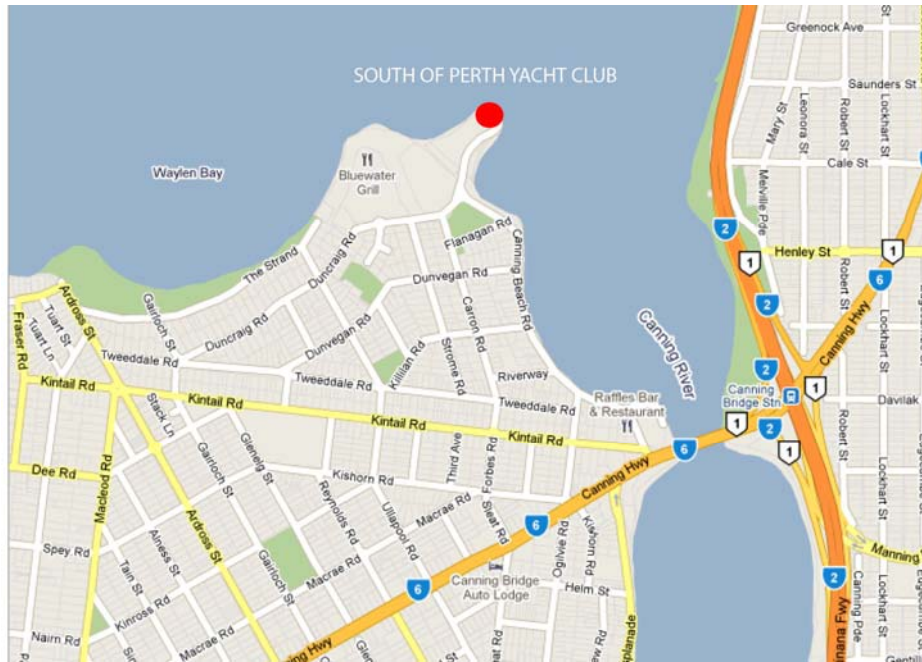
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**Camping Facilities Available on Site for Country Visitors
At \$10.00 per night per family.
Please advise on your entry form if you will be camping.**

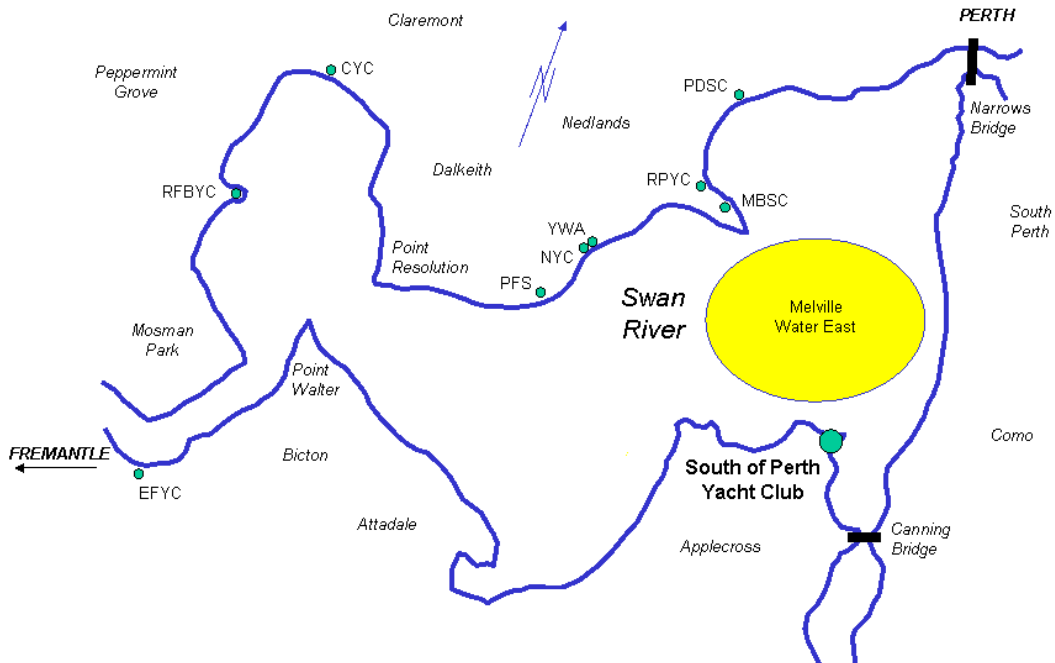
The National 125 Association (Western Australian Division) Inc 2012

31st State Championships

ATTACHMENT A – VENUE



ATTACHMENT B – COURSE AREA



**The National 125 Association (Western Australian Division) Inc
2012
31st State Championships
Hosted by the South of Perth Yacht Club (Inc)**

ENTRY FORM

NAME OF YACHT: _____ REGISTERED SAIL NUMBER: _____
HULL COLOUR _____ SPINNAKER COLOUR _____
SAIL PANEL COLOUR _____

HELMSPERSON

NAME: _____ SILVER CARD NUMBER: _____
ADDRESS: _____ POSTCODE: _____
TELEPHONE: (H) _____ (M) _____
EMAIL: _____
I AM A FINANCIAL MEMBER OF _____ YACHT CLUB
AGE: _____ (as at 6 April 2012) DATE OF BIRTH: ____/____/____
MEDICAL ALERTS: _____

CREW

NAME: _____ SILVER CARD NUMBER: _____
ADDRESS: _____ POSTCODE: _____
TELEPHONE: (H) _____ (M) _____
EMAIL: _____
I AM A FINANCIAL MEMBER OF _____ YACHT CLUB
AGE: _____ (as at 6 April 2012) DATE OF BIRTH: ____/____/____
MEDICAL ALERTS: _____

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 to continue racing on the boat.

I confirm that the Registered Sail Number complies with the boat's Measurement Certificate.

I/we confirm that I/we qualify to enter within the terms of Item 2, Eligibility and Entry in the Notice of Race, and agree to provide proof of my/our age.

SIGNED

(Helmsperson) _____ DATE: ____/____/____

(Crew) _____ DATE: ____/____/____

Please send this completed entry form together with the required fee of \$65. To the '125 Association Sailing Secretary, Margret Shiner, 10 Morgan Place, Bibra Lake, WA 6163', by Monday 2nd April 2012.
Late entries accepted prior to 1030 hours 6th April 2012 will be subject to payment of Late Entry Fee \$50

Entry Fee	\$65	_____
Late Fee	\$50	_____
Camping Facilities (Country Visitors Only)		_____
	Total	_____

Payment Method (Please Circle one)

Cash

Cheque

EFT

Cheques are to be made payable to 'The national 125 Association (WA Division) Inc'.
BSB 066 163 Acc No 0090 2620. Please use Sail Number as Payment Reference

PLEASE ENSURE THIS FORM IS FULLY COMPLETED