



South of Perth Yacht Club (Inc.)

(Organizing Authority)

in conjunction with the
S80 Yacht Association of WA



**Travel Design Professionals
SWAN RIVER CHAMPIONSHIPS**

Saturday 22nd January, 2011

and

Saturday 29th January, 2011

NOTICE OF RACE



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PARAMOUNT
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1.0 RULES

The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing, the special regulations of YA and the rules of the S80 class.

2.0 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

2.1 The regatta is open to boats of the S80 class that have helmsman who are:

2.2 An owner of an S80 yacht, or

(a) non-owners who has been a skipper member of the S80 Association and is a regular competitor in the S80 fleet, or such other non-owners as the duly constituted committee of the S80 Yacht Association of WA in their absolute discretion may determine.

(b) Financial member of the S80 Yacht Association of WA.

(c) A member of Yachting Australia who shall provide their membership number on the Entry Form.

2.3 A substitute helmsman may be allowed in case of an emergency.

(a) Any such change shall be subject to the written approval of the race committee and the substitution shall be from the nominated crew.

(b) The substitute helmsperson shall comply under NoR 2.2(b) and (c).

2.4 Boats shall comply with YA Special Regulations for Category 7.

2.5 Eligible boats may enter on the attached Entry Form which shall be lodged with Sailing Administrator, South of Perth Yacht Club by 5.00pm Wednesday 19th January 2011.

3.0 ADVERTISING

Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organising authority.

4.0 FEES

No entry fee required.

5.0 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

5.1 Races:

Six races are scheduled as follows:

Day and Date	Race Description	First Warning Signal
Saturday 22/1/2011	3 Races back to back	1625
Saturday 29/1/2011	3 Races back to back	1625

6.0 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available after 18th January, 2011 on the S80 website www.s80wa.yachting.org.au and the SoPYC website www.sopyc.com.au

7.0 RACING AREA

The racing area will be Melville Water East on the Swan River adjacent to South of Perth Yacht Club.

8.0 COURSES

The course shall be windward – leeward as described in the sailing instructions.

9.0 PENALTY SYSTEM

Rule 44.1 is changed so that the two turn penalty is replaced by a one turn penalty.

10.0 MEASUREMENT

10.1 Competitors are reminded that in accordance with rule 78 they are responsible for maintaining their hull, spars, sails and equipment in accordance with the current S80 Yacht Association of WA Class Rules.

10.2 All new sails shall be measured before 18th January, 2011. Measurement and inspection shall be by appointment with the S80 Yachting Association of WA class measurer.

10.3 All boats are subject to random inspection after sailing on each day to ensure compliance.

11.0 SCORING

11.1 Four races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

11.2 Scoring shall be in accordance with the Low Point Scoring System of Appendix A. When fewer than five races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores. When five or six races have been completed, a boats series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

11.3 For Consistency results, the Handicaps will be calculated for all races. Performance will be assessed over the first three races and a starting handicap will then be calculated and applied from the first race for the purpose of determining Consistency results. Yachts finishing in the first three places in the Championship event will be excluded from the overall consistency results.

12.0 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.

13.0 PRIZES

Prizes will be presented at the 2011 S80 Yacht Association of WA annual dinner. A trophy will be awarded to the winner of the Championship. Pennants will be awarded to First, Second and Third- placed yachts in both Championship and Consistency results.

The results will be announced and prizes presented at South of Perth Yacht Club on Saturday 29th January, 2011 at approximately 1930.

14.0 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$10,000,000 per event or the equivalent. By signing the Entry Form, helmspersons are deemed to have made a declaration that they have such cover.

15.0 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See Rule 4, Decision to Race. The Organising Authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information, please contact the following:

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Travel Design Professionals S80 Swan River Championships



South of Perth Yacht Club

22nd and 29th January, 2011

Entry Form

Yacht Name _____ Sail No. _____

Helmsman _____

Address: _____

Silver Card No. _____

Work Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____

Mobile: _____ Email: _____

Substitute Helmsman _____

Address: _____

Silver Card No. _____

Work Phone: _____ Home Phone: _____

Mobile: _____ Email: _____

I agree to be bound by the Racing Rules of Sailing and by all other rules that govern this event and I acknowledge that Rule 4 – Decision to Race, places the sole responsibility for a boat deciding to participate in a race or to continue to race is hers alone.

I confirm the insurance cover requirements stated in Item 13 of the Notice of Race are current and will remain in force during the Regatta.

Signed: _____ Date ____/____/____

This entry form shall be lodged with the Sailing Administrator, South of Perth Yacht Club, Coffee Point, Applecross WA 6153 by Wednesday 19th January, 2011.

Entries may also be faxed to 9364 2833 or emailed to sailingadministrator@sopyc.com.au

Please Note: Entries will not be processed unless all information is complete.

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