



Sabre Sailing Association of Western Australia Inc.

NOTICE OF RACE

29 December 2013 – 4 January 2014

Hosted by Perth Dinghy Sailing Club Inc.

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This regatta is organised and hosted by Perth Dinghy Sailing Club on behalf of the Sabre Sailing Association of Australia. The Organising Authority is Perth Dinghy Sailing Club. Racing will be conducted on Perth water in the vicinity of PDSC Crawley WA

1. **RULES**

The regatta will be governed by the ISAF 2013-2016 Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS). The regatta is classified as a Category A event in accordance with RRS 80 and Appendix 1 Regulation 20 of the RRS.

2. **ALTERATIONS TO RACING RULES**

The racing rules will be modified in accordance with rule 86 as follows: Rule 41, Outside Help, will be altered by: "A boat may receive outside help as provided for in rule 1 and, in addition, where the organising body deems that the vessel and its crew require assistance in order to right a capsized vessel and/or return its crew to the vessel in order to continue racing."

3. **ADVERTISING**

RRS 80 applies. Boats may be required to carry advertising supplied by the organisers whilst racing.

4. **ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**

4.1 The regatta is open to boats of the Sabre class that comply with the class rules of the Sabre Sailing Association of Australia Inc and whose crew are current financial members of their related State Sabre Association.

4.2 Competitors must also be current financial sailing members of a club affiliated with a State or National Yachting Authority and provide a YA number.

4.3 Eligible boats may enter using the TryBooking secure online ticketing facility.
(<http://www.trybooking.com/52837>)

4.4 A signed competitor declaration and parent/guardian authorisation (if applicable) must be signed at registration.

4.5 Eligibility for various divisional prizes will be governed by the competitor's age as at the 27/12/2013.

5. **FEES**

5.1 A non-refundable fee of \$230 for competitors is payable to the Sabre Sailing Association of WA Inc. Entries submitted after 2nd December 2013 will incur an extra fee of \$70 and will not include a rashie/shirt. Entries received after 20th December 2013 will be at the sole discretion of the Sabre Sailing Association of WA Inc.

6. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

6.1

Date	Event / Race	Time of Event, or warning signal	Proposed Type of Race and Course
Saturday 28 th December 2013	Registration	1000hrs - 1200hrs 1400hrs - 1700hrs	
Sunday 29 December 2013	Registration. Information Session Invitation Race Welcome BBQ & Wine Tasting	0830hrs - 1100hrs 1130hrs 1300hrs 1830hrs	2 races
Monday 30 December 2013	Race Session 1 Lasagne Meal Night	No earlier than 1300 hrs 1830hrs	2 races
Tuesday 31 December 2013	Race Session 2 Chili Con Carne Meal Night New Years Eve Party	No earlier than 1300hrs 1830hrs	2 races
Wednesday 01 January 2014	Lay day		
Thursday 02 January 2014	Annual General Meeting Race Session 3 Stroganoff Meal Night	0900hrs No earlier than 1300 hrs	2 races
Friday 03 January 2014	Race session 4 Curry Meal Night	No earlier than 1300. 1830hrs	2 races
Saturday 04 January 2014	Race Session 5 Presentation Evening Buffet Dinner	No earlier than 1100 Evening	1 races

- 6.2 The series will comprise a minimum of four heats and a maximum of nine heats, all of which will comprise courses as indicated in the sailing instructions. The target number of races for a particular session indicated above is a guide only, and will only be followed should weather conditions allow, at the Race Committee's discretion.
- 6.3 At its discretion the Race Committee may schedule racing at times other than as indicated; in the event that there has been a shortfall in the number of races sailed in preceding days due to cancelled or abandoned races; or when weather forecasts indicate the potential for a loss of racing in future sessions. The race committee may waive its discretion to conduct such additional racing and limit the series to less than the full six races at its discretion.
- 6.4 On the last scheduled day of the regatta no warning signal will be made after 1530 hours.
- 6.5 It is intended that no more than two races be held in any race session, except that a maximum of three races may be scheduled if required, at the discretion of the Race Committee.

7. MEASUREMENT

- 7.1 Each boat is required to hold an "A" class measurement certificate as issued by the Sabre Sailing Association of Australia Inc and except in circumstances prescribed by section 7.4, shall use only one sail, one centreboard and one rudder during the regatta and which show evidence of measurement by their State Measurer at some time.
- 7.2 Competitors may be required to present the sail and foils to be used in the regatta at registration. Any measuring of sails or foils undertaken during the regatta will incur a late fee of \$20 per boat (unless undertaken as per 7.3 below).

- 7.3 The State Measurer, or appropriate delegate, may conduct random measurement checks on boats and equipment before, during and after the regatta at the discretion of the Race Committee, the Sabre Sailing Association of Western Australia Inc or the Jury.
- 7.4 Damaged equipment may be replaced on written request to and approval by the Race Committee. If damage occurs during the first race of the day, equipment may be replaced between races provided a written request is lodged before the end of protest time for that day.

8. **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

The sailing instructions will be available from Perth Dinghy Sailing Club at registration from 28 December 2013 and online at www.sabre.org.au from Mid December 2013.

9. **REGATTA SITE & RACING AREA**

The regatta site will be in the waters of The Swan River Matilda Bay adjacent to Perth Dinghy sailing Club.

10. **COURSES**

The course shall be triangle and windward and return in shape as described in the sailing instructions

11. **RIGHTS TO USE NAME & LIKENESS**

In participating in the Regatta each competitor grants the Organising Authority, the Association and the sponsors of the Regatta the right in perpetuity, to make, use and show from time to time at their discretion, any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or film television or other reproduction of him/her during the period of the competition for the Regatta and in all material related to the Regatta without compensation.

12. **SCORING**

- 12.1 Low Point scoring system, Appendix A.4.1 will apply.
- 12.2 Scoring for determination of results in divisions will be determined on the basis of aggregating the results based on the results of the overall fleet.
- 12.3 Four [4] races are required to complete a series.
- 12.4 When fewer than six [6] races have been completed a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- 12.5 When six [6] to seven [7] races have been completed a boats series score will be the total of her race scores less her worst score.
- 12.6 When eight [8] races or more have been completed a boats series score will be her total score less her worst two scores.

13. **SUPPORT BOATS**

Coaches and other support personnel shall not approach within 100 metres of any competitor that is racing without the prior approval of the Race Committee. Failure to comply may result in the disqualification of all competitors associated with the infringement.

14. **RADIO COMMUNICATION**

A boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones and any form of GPS device.

No electronic device which could be used to increase boat speed or gain a tactical advantage shall be attached to a boat or carried by a crew member, other than (a) time keeping devices, (b) digital compasses provided these cannot calculate speed or location information for use while racing and (c) Tack Tracker type devices that record data relating to the position of a boat but do not permit any visual display of that data to the skipper during the race.

15. **INSURANCE**

- 15.1 All boats competing in this regatta shall have third party insurance cover of not less than \$5,000,000 (recommended AUD \$10,000,000).
- 15.2 All owners/competitors who enter online or sign the entry form are deemed to have made a declaration that they hold such cover. The mandatory Competitor's Declaration contains a clause acknowledging current insurance cover.
- 15.3 Any competitor not holding this cover shall withdraw their entry.

16. **PRIZES**

Prizes may be awarded as follows:

CATEGORY	PRIZE
Open	1 st to 10 th place
Ladies Champion	1 st to 3 rd place
Youth Champion (Under 18 years)	1 st to 3 rd place
Seniors Champion (18 – 39 years)	1 st to 3 rd place
Masters Champion (40 - 49 years)	1 st to 3 rd place
Grand Masters Champion (50-59 years)	1 st to 3 rd place
Veterans Champion (60 - 69 years)	1 st to 3 rd place
Grand Veterans Champion (70+ years)	1 st to 3 rd place
Over 90 kg's	1 st place
Under 60 kg's	1 st place

Allocation of prizes in all categories remains at the discretion of the Sabre Sailing Association of Western Australia Inc. and is dependent on the number of entries.

17. **FURTHER INFORMATION**

For further information, please contact <http://www.sabre.org.au/> or contact the following:

Mrs Jenny Jones - Secretary	OR	Mr Brian Jones – State & National President
Sabre Sailing Association of WA Inc.		Sabre Sailing Association of WA & Australia.
Mobile: 0438516324		Mobile: 0438 5163 24
E-mail: sabreswa1@iprimus.com.au		E-mail: sabreswa1@iprimus.com.au

18. **BOAT STORAGE**

- 18.1 Entry will be at the Perth Dinghy Sailing Club Hackett Drive Crawley WA.
- 18.2 Boats may be left at the club at locations as directed by the club, and if done so are at the owner's risk
- 18.3 Shipping containers & trailers may be stored in the car park in front [Mounts Bay road] side of the club.

20. **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 and the Sabre Sailing Association of Victoria Inc, their officers, members, servants and agents accept no responsibility in respect of loss of life, personal injury or loss or damage to property sustained solely by reason of the competitor's participation or intended participation in this Event or howsoever arising in connection with this Event.

21. **AMENDMENTS**

Any amendment to this Notice of Race will be posted on the Perth Dinghy Sailing Club Website www.perthsailing.org.au and the Sabre website: www.sabre.org.au

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COMPETITOR'S DECLARATION

I _____ agree to be bound by the ISAF 2013-2016 Racing Rules of Sailing, the Prescriptions and Special Regulations of Yachting Australia, the Sabre Sailing Association of Australia Inc Class Rules, the Notice of Race (except where any of these are altered by the Sailing Instructions) and by the Sailing Instructions.

I acknowledge that Rule 4 of the RRS – Decision to Race, places the sole responsibility for deciding whether or not to start or to continue racing on the boat.

To the extent permitted by law, I indemnify the Organising Authority and the Sabre Sailing Association of Western Australia Inc, their officers, members, servants and agents in respect of loss of life, personal injury or loss or damage to property sustained solely by reason of my participation in this and such indemnity shall be limited to the proceeds of any insurance policy provided in accordance with this declaration.

I have a current Third Party Liability and Public Liability Insurance Policy of not less than \$5,000,000 AUD valid for the period of the regatta.

I am a current financial member of an accredited Yachting Australia Sailing Club and of a State Sabre Sailing Association.

SIGNATURE: DATE:

PARENT/GUARDIAN AUTHORISATION (if entrant under 18 years of age at time of entry)

I, the parent/guardian of consent to his/her participation upon the terms and conditions set out above and do likewise indemnify the organisers of the above mentioned organisations.

SIGNATURE: DATE:

Submit this signed Declaration to:-

Mrs Jenny Jones
 Secretary
 Sabre Sailing Association of Western Australia Inc
 26 Temby Street Beckenham WA 6107

Email: sabreswa1@iprimus.com.au

FEES

Item	Unit Cost	Description
Regatta Entry Fee	\$230.00	Includes: Welcome BBQ, Regatta Polo Shirt or Rashie, Folio Registration Bag, Presentation dinner.
Late Entry	\$70.00pp	Applicable for entries after 2nd Dec 2013
Additional Regatta Musto Polo	\$49.50ea	UV rated & quick dry Musto brand Regatta branding (RRP \$79.00)
Additional Regatta Musto Rashie	\$49.50ea	UV rated & quick dry Musto brand Regatta branding (RRP \$79.00)
Musto Regatta Cap	\$25.00ea	UV Rated & Quick dry Musto brand Regatta branding
Musto Wide Brim Hat	\$27.00ea	UV Rated & Quick Dry Musto brand NOT regatta branded
Extra Tickets Welcome BBQ	\$20.00pp \$10.00pp	Adult Child 12yrs & under
Extra Tickets Presentation	\$40.00pp \$20.00pp	Adult Child 12yrs & under
PDSC New Year's Eve Party Entry	\$10.00pp	Includes entry, live band and view of fireworks at midnight.
30 December Lasagne Meal Night	\$20.00pp \$10.00pp	Adult Child 12yrs & under
31 December Chili Con Carne NYE Meal (does not include entry)	\$20.00pp \$10.00pp	Adult Child 12yrs & under
2 nd January Stroganoff Meal Night	\$20.00pp \$10.00pp	Adult Child 12yrs & under
3 rd January Curry Meal Night	\$20.00pp \$10.00pp	Adult Child 12yrs & under

Please note meal night options above include vegetarian and gluten free options. Please specify at time of booking.







PAS0010 FOLIO BAG BLACK
 SO1060 RASH SHIRT WHITE
 PAL0030 FAST DRY CAP SILVER ONE SIZE
 AL1410 WIDE RIMMED HAT STONE ONE SIZE
 MP24227 Pique Polo White S-2XL

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REGATTA ENTRY AND PAYMENT:

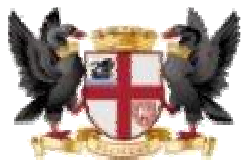
An online entry with secure card payment facility has been established using TryBooking.com and is the preferred method of entry.

www.trybooking.com/52837

Should you not have access to a computer please contact the Sabre Sailing Association of Western Australia for alternative entry options.

Submit signed Competitor Declaration, Parent/Guardian Authorisation either by:-

- a) e-mail: sabreswa1@iprimus.com.au
- b) Mail to
Mrs Jenny Jones
Secretary
Sabre Sailing Association of WA
26 Temby Street
Beckenham WA 6107
- c) At registration on 28th & 29th December 2013 at Perth Dinghy Sailing Club



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