



## **2014 Queensland Sabre State Championships**

Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> of March – Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> of March 2014

### **NOTICE OF RACE**

Organising Authority: Maroochydore Sailing Club, Chambers Island, Bradman Ave, Maroochydore, on behalf of the Sabre Sailing Association of Queensland.

1. Rules.

The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing, 2013 – 2016 and the “Sabre Sailing Association of Australia” class rules.

2. Alterations to Racing Rules of Sailing.

Sailing Instructions in accordance with rule 86 will modify rule 41, to permit the Race Committee to provide assistance to a boat. This assistance will not be deemed a breach of rule 41.

3. Eligibility and Entry.

3.1 The regatta is open to boats of the Sabre class that comply with the class rules of the Sabre Sailing Association of Australia. All competitors must be financial members of an Australian state Sabre Sailing Association.

3.2 Competitors must use one boat and one sail.

3.3 All competitors are required to be members of a yacht or sailing club affiliated with Yachting Australia. All entrants must provide a valid silver card number.

3.4 Eligible boats may enter by completing the attached entry form and sending it, by 2359 hours on Friday the 21<sup>st</sup> of March to :

Post - 99 Lake Weyba Drive, Noosaville. 4566.

Fax - 54740922

Email – [evanslangley1@bigpond.com](mailto:evanslangley1@bigpond.com)

Late entries after the 21<sup>st</sup> of March can be received on the day at Maroochydore Sailing Club up until 1000 hours, 29/03/2014.

3.5 Entries will be accepted up until 1000 hours on Saturday 29<sup>th</sup> of March.

#### 4. Fees.

The entry fee will be \$30 up until 2359 hours on Friday the 21<sup>st</sup> of March. The late entry fee, from Saturday the 22<sup>nd</sup> of March to 1000 hours on Saturday the 29<sup>th</sup> of March will be \$50.

Payment methods include: Cheque, EFT or direct deposit at any Suncorp branch.

Account name: Queensland Sabre Sailing Association.

Account number: 0512 245 49

BSB: 484-799

Reference: Your full name.

Cheque made out to Queensland Sabre Sailing Association.

#### 5. Race Schedule.

Saturday 26 <sup>th</sup> March	Registration	0900 – 1000
	Briefing	1015
Sunday 27 <sup>th</sup> March	Racing	Warning signal not before 1100 [maximum 3 races]
	Briefing	1000
	Racing	Warning signal not before 1030 [maximum 2 races]
	Presentation	ASAP after racing

#### 6. Sailing Instructions.

The Sailing Instructions will be available at Maroochydore Sailing Club at Registration from 0900 hours on Saturday the 29<sup>th</sup> of March.

#### 7. The Courses.

The courses to be sailed will be described in the Sailing Instructions.

#### 8. Scoring.

8.1 The Low Point Scoring System of Appendix A will apply.

8.2 One race is required to be completed to constitute a series.

8.3 When fewer than four races have been completed a boats series score will be the total of her race scores. When four or more races have been completed a boats series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

#### 9. Prizes.

Depending upon the numbers of competitors the maximum number of prizes will be given as follows.

Open Division – 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>.

Handicap Division – 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>.

Women's Division – 1<sup>st</sup>, 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup>.

Each skipper will be eligible to win one trophy only.

10. Disclaimer of Liability.

Competitors participate in this regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, decision to race.

11. Insurance.

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

12. Other.

Maroochydore Sailing Club has a hall available for anyone who would like to camp on the Saturday night. BYO – bedding, airbeds etc.

The Queensland Sabre Association AGM will be held as soon as practical after racing on Saturday afternoon.

Launch area: near footbridge to Chambers Island, Bradman Avenue, Maroochydore or bring your boats over the footbridge.

Parking: on street parking for cars and trailers in streets parallel to Bradman Avenue.

13. Further Information.

Contact – Jane Langley on 0400015184 or 54490118

## 2014 QLD Sabre State Championships Entry Form

Entry fee \$30 up to 21/3/2014

Late entry fee \$50

Boat name		Sail number	
Skipper name			
Address			
Phone			
Email			
Yacht club		YA #	

**Declaration:**

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 prior to, during, or after the regatta.

I hereby agree to the terms and conditions.

Signature		Date	
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