



SAIL BELLARINE 2021

Notice of Race

Saturday 1st and Sunday 2nd of May 2021

Organising Authorities:

Indented Head Yacht Club
Portarlinton Sailing Club
St Leonards Yacht Club & Motor Squadron

1. Rules

- 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing.
- 1.2. Australian Sailing Special Regulations Part 2 Off the Beach Boats shall apply.

2. Advertising

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

3. Eligibility of Entry

- 3.1. The regatta is open to all boats of the following classes:
 - Laser Standard
 - Laser Radial
 - Laser 4.7
 - Tasar
 - Sabre
 - Impulse
 - International Optimist
- 3.2. Other classes may be added at a later date at the organising authority's discretion.
- 3.3. A maximum of 120 boats will be accepted.
- 3.4. Entrants and their Parents/Guardians (if under 18 yrs of age) agree to be bound by Australian Sailing Member Protection Policy and Code of Conduct.
- 3.5. Eligible boats may enter online up to 11:45am on Saturday the 1st of May 2021 at: <https://ihyc.com.au/register-now>

4. Fees

- 4.1. Required fees are as follows:

	Entry Fee Paid Before 10/4/2021	Entry Fee Paid on or After 10/4/2021
Single Handed	\$80	\$100
Double Handed	\$90	\$110

- 4.2. Refunds: If the regatta is cancelled due to COVID government regulations, 80% of entry fees will be refunded. If a participant is unable to attend the event due to COVID government regulations, 80% of their entry fee will be refunded.

5. Schedule

5.1. Dates of racing:

Date	Time	Item
Friday 30/4/21	Evening	Dinner at IHYC
Saturday 1/5/2021	0930 hrs - 1145 hrs	Registration
	1145 hrs	Briefing
	1300 hrs	Racing
	After Racing	Dinner and Entertainment
Sunday 2/5/2021	1030 hrs	Racing
	After Racing	Presentations

5.2. There will be no warning signals made after 1400 hrs on Sunday 2nd May 2021.

6. Sailing Instructions

6.1. The Sailing Instructions will be available on the Sailor App after 23/4/2021.

7. Venue

7.1. The racing area will be the waters of Port Phillip, in the vicinity of Indented Head Yacht Club.

7.2. Optimists will be racing on Bravo Course and all other classes will sail on Alpha Course.

8. Measurement and Equipment

8.1. Measurement checks and inspections may be carried out at any time. A boat notified of inspection shall follow the instructions of the Race Committee.

9. Course

9.1. The courses will be Windward/Leeward/Triangle for Alpha race area, and Opti format course for Bravo race area as described in the Sailing Instructions.

10. Scoring

10.1. For all classes, the regatta will consist of up to 5 races, one of which must be completed to constitute a series. The number of races to count will be as follows:

10.1.1. When fewer than four races are completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.

10.1.2. When four or more races have been completed a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

11. Coach / Support Boats

11.1. Coach and support boats must register with the organising authority during on-site registration.

- 11.2. Unless directed by the race committee, support boats, coach boats and spectator boats must remain at least 50m outside the course area, starting area and finishing area.

12. Media

- 12.1. In submitting the entry form, all competitors, parents, legal guardians/ custodians provide their permission for all photographs, video, TV and sound recordings to be the property of the organizers and used for any purpose including public viewing and posting on the Sail Bellarine website and social media platforms.

13. Prizes

- 13.1. Prizes will be awarded on a class basis, dependent on the number of entries per class, to a maximum of top three places per class.

14. Insurance

- 14.1. All boats competing in Sail Bellarine 2021 shall have third party insurance cover of not less than AUD\$5,000,000 (recommended AUD\$10,000,000) or equivalent in any other currency.
- 14.2. All competitors who enter are deemed to have made a declaration that they hold such cover.

15. Disclaimer

- 15.1. 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.

16. Amendments

- 16.1. Any amendments to this Notice of Race will be posted on the Sail Bellarine website, and the Sailor app.

17. Further Information

For further information please contact:

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General Information

Accommodation

The caravan park adjacent to IHYC will be open to competitors for camping at a fee of \$40 per site per night (covering 2 Adults and 2 Children). Campsite bookings can be directly with Bellarine Bayside via <https://ihyc.com.au/accommodation>.

Those not planning on staying Sunday night will be required to vacate their campsite by 6:00pm on Sunday evening.

Other accommodation options are available in Indented Head, Portarlington and St Leonards.

Food / Social functions

Catered meals will be provided onsite at the Community Hall next to the Indented Head Yacht Club on both the Friday and Saturday nights. These meals will need to be booked in advance as part of the registration process.

Food, drinks (everything from alcohol to coffee) will be available throughout the weekend via onsite food/drink stalls all of which are purchased independently of event entry.

There will be Saturday night entertainment with a local band for the adults and a movie night for the kids.

Trailers

For those camping, their trailers may be stored at their campsite. For those using alternative accommodation, trailers should be stored at their accommodation. Some trailer storage may be available at Bellarine Bayside's nearby Batman Park camping area, but this will be advised by the wardens when participants first drop off their boats at the event area.

Boat Drop off

Wardens will be in the yard to assist competitors in navigating their boat to the correct area between 1700 and 2100 on Friday and 0800 onwards on Saturday. Please take note of the correct entrance to use for boat drop off as shown at <https://ihyc.com.au/location> as the main entrance to Indented Head Yacht Club may not be used during the event.