



Canberra Model Yacht Club Inc

2008 ACT "A" Class & 10 Rater championships

NOTICE OF RACE

1. Event Schedule

The ACT International "A" Class and the ACT International 10 Rater Class state championships will be held on Saturday 4th and Sunday 5th October 2008. The timetable will be as follows:-

Saturday 4 th	
8.30 – 9.30	Registration
9.30	Briefing
10.00 – 12.30	International 10 Rater Class
12.30 – 13.00	Lunch
13.00 – 15.30	International "A" Class

Sunday 5 th	
9.0	Briefing
9.30 – 12.00	International "A" Class
12.00 – 12.30	Lunch
12.30 – 15.00	International 10 Rater Class
15.15	Presentations

2. Venue

Canberra Model Yacht Club sailing site Lake Tuggeranong off Mortimer Lewis Drive Greenway UBD Map reference Map 87 Q 10

3. Organising Authority

The Championships are organised under the overall authority of the Australian Radio Yachting Association (Incorporated) (ARYA) and conducted by the Canberra Model Yacht Club and its duly appointed Race Committee.

4. Rules

The Regatta will be governed by The ISAF Racing Rules of Sailing for 2001 – 2004 (RRS), Appendix E of the RRS – Radio Controlled Boat Racing Rules, this Notice of Race (NoR), the Sailing Instructions (SI), International Class Administration Rules, the Equipment Rules of Sailing (ERS) and the respective International Class Rules.

5. Eligibility

The competition is open to financial members of the ARYA (Inc) affiliated clubs and to members of a recognised Division Member of the International Sailing Federation-Radio Sailing Division. Skippers must be members of the appropriate National Class

Association (NCS), where one exists. All yachts must have a current registration certificate for the class entered.

6. Registration

Boats, together with their current registration certificate, must be presented for registration and check – measurement between 8.30 – 9.30 on the first day of competition for that class. No boat will be eligible to race until it has completed this process.

7. Event Category and Advertising

The Championships are classified under the ISAF Advertising Code Regulation 20.3.1 (b) as Category C. The organisers have the right to advertising according to Regulation 20.3

8. Scoring and Racing System

The following will apply:

- (i) Where there are 15 or less entries in a class – Single fleet racing scored in accordance with the RRS Appendix A4.1 (Low Point System)
- (ii) Where there are 16 or more entries in a class – The current ISAF – RSD Heat Management System (HMS 2002)

Excluded scores (discards) for either racing system will be in accordance with the current ISAF – RSD Heat Management System (HMS2002) Paragraph 2.9

Ties will be resolved in accordance with the current ISAF – RSD Heat Management System (HMS2002), Paragraph 2.10

9. Measurement

The Race Committee may direct that all boats entered in the event be check – measured or alternatively randomly select a number of boats for check measurement.

Random spot checks may be conducted throughout the duration of the Championships.

10. Frequencies

Each competitor is required to nominate a minimum of three (3) frequencies with their entry. The listing of additional frequencies if available would be helpful. Permitted frequency bands are 27, 29, 36 and 40 Mhz.

11. Protests

A committee will be appointed to hear any protests arising from the event and may comprise competitors not involved in the incident.

12. Entries

Entries must be made on the official entry form (a separate form for each class entered) and forwarded to:

The Secretary
Canberra Model Yacht Club Inc
P.O. Box 5171
KINGSTON ACT 2604

OR

Email to : gbrown@webone.com.au

Entries will not be accepted from members who are un-financial at the close of entries. The entry fee of \$15.00 per Class must accompany the entry form. Cheques made payable to “Canberra Model Yacht Club” and marked “Not Negotiable”. Please do not

send cash. Tea and Coffee will be available and lunch will be provided on both days.

Entries Close on 26th September 2008

Late entries may be accepted up until registration on the first day on payment an additional of \$ 10.00.

13. Prizes and Trophies

A perpetual trophy for each class which shall remain the property of the Canberra Model Yacht Club will be awarded. Trophies for 1st, 2nd, and 3rd will be presented.

14. Liability

All those entering or taking part in these championships do so at their own risk and responsibility. The Australian Radio Yachting Association (Incorporated), the ACT Radio Yachting Association and the Canberra Model Yacht Club and any other parties involved in the event disclaim:

Any and every responsibility whatsoever for loss, damage, injury or inconvenience that might occur to persons and goods, both ashore and on the water as a consequence of entering or participating in the Championship covered by this Notice of Race.

At all times the responsibility for the safety of their boat and themselves plus the decision to participate or continue must rest with the competitors. By entering the event it is deemed that you accept these conditions.

15. Enquiries

Enquiries should be directed to: Graham Brown,
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