

12 Foot Cadet Dinghy 2024 Open Centenary Australian Championships Notice of Race

3 – 7 January 2024 Royal Brighton Yacht Club, Victoria

The Organizing authority is the Royal Brighton Yacht Club.

1. Rules:

The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the current Racing Rules of Sailing. The rules of the 12' foot Cadet Dinghy Class will apply. The Prescriptions and Special Regulations of Australian Sailing (AS) – Part 2 will apply. Appendix T (Arbitration) will apply.

2. Advertising:

Boats may be required to display advertising as supplied by the Organizing Authority.

3. Eligibility:

The regatta is open to all competitors.

The regatta will be conducted in accordance with the class rules but replacing the requirement for each boat to consist of 3 crew with a minimum weight limit 200kg. This allows bigger crews to sail 2 up.

4. Entries:

Entry is available online at <https://sailingresults.net/entry/default.aspx?ID=E9264281>

Entry Fee is \$250 up until 1 December 2023 and \$295 after this date up until 5pm January 1 2024.

5. Schedule:

Wednesday	3 Jan 2024	1000 – 1130	Registration	Welcome party
		1130	Competitor briefing	
		1300	Racing – first warning (Heats 1&2)	
Thursday	4 Jan 2024	1300	Racing – first warning (Heats 3&4)	BBQ
Friday	5 Jan 2024		Lay day / resail	
Saturday	6 Jan 2024	1300	Racing – first warning (Heats 5&6)	Centenary Reunion Party
Sunday	7 Jan 2024	1200	Racing – first warning No warning signal after 1500 (Heat 7)	Presentation

Racing will normally be back to back with a total of 7 races scheduled and a maximum of 3 races on any one day.

6. Sailing Instructions

- a) The sailing instructions will consist of the instructions in RRS Appendix S, Standard Sailing Instructions, and supplementary sailing instructions that will be posted on the official notice board located at <https://sailingresults.net/sa/notice/?ID=81440>
- b) No hard copies will be available at the regatta.

7. Courses

The courses to be sailed will be windward-leeward courses as described in the Supplementary Sailing Instructions.

8. Penalties

RRS rule 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

9. Scoring

- A maximum of 7 races to be sailed of which 3 races shall constitute a series.
- When 5 or fewer races completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- When from 6 to 7 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

10. Prizes

Prizes will also be awarded as follows:

- 1st, 2nd, 3rd on Scratch Overall (Glass and timber)
- 1st, 2nd, 3rd Classic (timber) Division
- Teams Trophy

Further prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the organizing authority.

11. Disclaimer of Liability

- a) Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 3, Decision to Race. The organising authority will not accept any liability for material damage, personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.
- b) 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 Racing Rule 3, Decision to Race.
- c) None of the Organising Authority, Australian Sailing, their officers, members, volunteers, servants or agents accept any responsibility whatsoever in respect of loss of life, personal injury or damage to property which may be sustained by reason of their participation or intended participation in this event or howsoever arising in connection with the event.

12. Insurance

All competing boats shall have third party insurance cover of not less than AUS\$10,000,000 or equivalent thereof in any other currency. A copy of current insurance policies may be requested at registration.

13. Rights to use Name and Likeness

In participating, a competitor automatically grants to the Organising Authority and the sponsors, the right in perpetuity, to make, use and show, from time to time and at their discretion, any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or film television and other

reproductions of him/her during the period of the competition in which the competitor participates and in all material related to the said Event without compensation.

14. Further Information

For further information please contact:

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