NOTICE OF RACE

The 2018 WILD DIGITAL CITY of CANBERRA REGATTA

1 and 2 December 2018

Organising Authority

CANBERRA YACHT CLUB

The Canberra Yacht Club (CYC) invites entries for the 2018 Wild Digital City of Canberra Regatta to be held on Lake Burley Griffin on the 1 and 2 December 2018.

RULES

1.1 The races will be governed by the current ISAF Racing Rules of Sailing 2017 – 2020 (RRS), the Prescriptions and Special Regulations of Yachting Australia, the Australian Trailable Yacht and Sports Boat Rule, the rules of the various Trailable Yacht & Sportsboat Class Associations, except as any of these are changed by the Sailing Instructions. The regatta is designated as a Category 7 event in accordance with Special Regulations Part 1 of the RRS.

1.2 Racing rules 35, Part 4 preamble, 61.3, 66, A2, A4, A5 and Race Signals will be changed as follows:

(a) Boats failing to finish within 20 minutes after the first boat in its Division finishes, or within the time limit, whichever is the later, will be scored Did Not Finish (DNF). This changes rules 35 and A4.

(b) Rules 61.3, ‘Protest Time Limit’, will be changed so that the protest time limit is 30 minutes after the last boat has finished the last race of the day.

(c) Rule 66, ‘Reopening a Hearing’, will be changed so that on the last day of the regatta a party to a hearing may ask for a reopening no later than 30 minutes after being informed of the decision on that day.

(d) Rule A2, ‘Series Scores,’ will be changed to provide for all race scores to count to a boat’s series score

(e) Rule A4, ‘Scoring’, will be changed so that any boat starting later than 10 minutes after her starting signal will be scored DNS.

(f) Race Signals will be changed so that when flag AP is displayed ashore, ‘1 minute’ is replaced with ‘not less than 30 minutes’ in the race signal AP

(g) Rule 51 and 52 will be changed as follows:

   A competitor may request permission from the Race Committee to use moveable and/or variable ballast for the purpose of increasing stability subject to a boat having been allocated a National yardstick / handicap / rating. Stored power maybe used for this operation. RRS 51 and 52 are modified to the extent required by this paragraph.
ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY
2.1 The regatta is open to all boat types recognised by the current Australian Sailing (AS) Australian Trailable Yacht & Sportsboat Rule, Trailable yachts and Trailable multihulls with a Class Based Handicap (CBH) allocated by the CYC Sailing Committee and Sportsboats with a valid Sportboat Measurement System (SMS) rating. VX Ones entries are invited with boats to compete as a single class in Division 1.
2.2 Entries using the entry form printed from the CYC’s website at www.canberrayachtclub.com.au should be lodged no later than 23 November 2018 together with the entry fee addressed to ‘The City of Canberra Regatta Committee C/- Canberra Yacht Club PO Box 7169 YARRALUMLA ACT 2600’ or by completing the on line registration at the website. Late entries will be accepted up to 1100 hours on Saturday, 1 December 2018 at the CYC Sailors’ Cabin.
2.3 Entries from Trailable Multihulls are invited with the boats CBH to be allocated by the race committee. The allocated CBH shall not be subject to appeal or grounds for protest.
2.4
FEES.
3. The Regatta entry fee will be $50.00 up to 23 November 2018. The entry fee for late entries (any submitted after that date) will be $80.00

SCHEDULE
4.1 The skipper of each entered boat is required to register for the regatta in the CYC Sailors’ Cabin between 0900 hours and 1100 hrs on Saturday 1 December 2018.
4.2 There will be a regatta briefing in the CYC Sailors’ Cabin at 1100 hours on Saturday 1 December 2018.
4.3 Racing will be conducted in three Divisions:
   Division 1: Vx Ones.
   Division 2: Sportsboats
   Division 3: Trailable Yachts & Multihulls.
4.4 The schedule of races for Division 1 will be as follows:

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<td>1200</td>
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<td>Windward / Return</td>
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<td>No earlier than 5 minutes after the completion of Race 1</td>
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<td>No earlier than 5 minutes after the completion of Race 4</td>
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<td>6</td>
<td>Windward / Return</td>
<td>Sunday 2 December – spare racing session to be confirmed by 1900 on Saturday 1 December</td>
<td>1100</td>
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4.5 The schedule of races for Division 2 and 3 will be as follows:

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3 | Passage | Saturday 1 December | 1500
4 | Triangle | Sunday 2 December | 1000

**SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**
5. The Sailing Instructions will be available after 1200 hours on Friday 30 December 2018 at the CYC Sailors’ Cabin. Sailing Instructions issued on this day shall prevail regardless of the posting of any previous versions of these Sailing Instructions on any website or the availability of them by any other means before this time and date.

**SCORING**
6.1 Appendix A (RRS) will apply for scoring with the use of the Low Point System.
6.2 Two races are required to be completed to constitute a series.
6.3 Each boat’s series score shall be the total of her race scores. (No score will be excluded). This changes RRS A2.
6.4 Sportsboats will be based on individual boat or Class SMS ratings.
6.5 The Australian Trailable Yacht and Sportsboat Rule CBHs will be used and will be posted on the notice board before the first race.
6.6 Trailable Multihulls will be allocated a CBH set by the race committee.

**RADIO COMMUNICATION**
7. 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.

**PRIZES**
8.1 The declaration of results and presentation of trophies will take place at the CYC Sailors’ Cabin at approximately 1245 hours on Sunday 3 December 2017.
8.2 Prizes will be awarded to the following:
   - (a) 1st, 2nd, 3rd in each Division, and
   - (b) additional prizes may also be awarded at the discretion of the race committee.

**DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**
9. Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing 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.

**INSURANCE**
10. Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of $10,000,000 per event or the equivalent.

**FURTHER INFORMATION**
11. Please contact the Canberra Yacht Club by telephone on 6273 7177 or by e-mail at: admin@canberrayachtclub.com.au
ATTACHMENT A

The 2018 Wild Digital City of Canberra Regatta

1 AND 2 DECEMBER 2018
CANBERRA YACHT CLUB
ENTRY FORM

To:
CANBERRA YACHT CLUB
PO BOX 7169
YARRALUMLA ACT 2600

Please accept my entry for the 2018 Wild Digital City of Canberra Regatta to be conducted at the Canberra Yacht Club (CYC) on the 1 and 2 December 2018.

BOAT CLASS: ........................................................... (Please be specific as to any sub class)

SAIL NO: ........................................ HULL COLOUR: .................................................................

BOAT NAME: ................................................................................................................................

SKIPPER: .......................................................... YA Member No: ...........................................

HOME ADDRESS: ...........................................................................................................................

PHONE: .................................................................................................................................

CREW 1: .......................................................... YA Member No: ...........................................

CREW 2: .......................................................... YA Member No: ...........................................

CREW 3: .......................................................... YA Member No: ...........................................

CREW 4: .......................................................... YA Member No: ...........................................

CREW 5: .......................................................... YA Member No: ...........................................

ENTRY FEE
The entry fee of $50 is enclosed. (Please make cheques payable to ‘Canberra Yacht Club’). Entries by mail should be posted early to arrive before the 23 November 2018, after that date the entry fee is $80.

Entries delivered by hand will be accepted at the Canberra Yacht Club Sailor’s Cabin up to 1100 hours on Saturday 1 December 2018.

DECLARATION
I agree to be bound by The Racing Rules of Sailing and by all other rules that govern this event.

I acknowledge that competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. (See rule 4 – ‘Decision to Race’).

I acknowledge that 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.

My yacht complies with the Special Regulations Part 1 of the RRS 2017-2020 for Category 7.

I confirm that the boat entered has third party liability insurance cover of not less than $10,000,000 per event or the equivalent.

Insurance Company Name ................................................................. Policy No: .................................

Signature: .............................................................................................................................. Date: ...........................................

Note: If a skipper or crew member will be under 18 years of age during the event the following consent must be signed (one for each under 18).

I, .............................................................................................................................................. being the parent, legal guardian or custodian of ............................................................................consent to him/her participating in the 2018 Wild Digital City of Canberra Regatta upon the terms and conditions set out in the Notice of Race and do likewise agree to indemnify YACT, and the CYC and their officials or members, as prescribed in those documents.

Signature: .............................................................................................................................. Date: ...........................................

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