



Adams 10 Metre Class 2019 Australian Championship

25th to 28th January 2019

*Conducted by Lake Macquarie Yacht Club
as the Organising Authority on behalf of the
Adams 10 Metre Class Association of Australia*

NOTICE OF RACE



1. RULES

- 1.1 The Championship will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing.
- 1.2 The Special Regulations of Australian Sailing (AS) shall apply and each yacht shall provide a current and valid Equipment Compliance Audit to Category 7 or higher certified by an AS Special Regulations Equipment Auditor.

2. ADVERTISING

Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organising authority. If this rule is broken, World Sailing Regulation 20.9.2 applies. [DP]

3.0 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

The Regatta is open to boats of the Adams 10 Metre Class that meet the following requirements:

- a) Each Entrant and Crew shall be a financial member of a Club affiliated with their World Sailing Member National Authority. Attention of entrants is drawn to RRS 75.
- b) Each Entrant shall be a financial member of the Adams 10 Metre Class Association.
- c) All racing Crew must be financial members of the Adams 10 meter Class Association
- d) Each yacht shall hold a current and valid Adams 10 Metre Class Measurement Certificate.
- e) Yachts unable to lodge an Adams 10 Metre Class Measurement Certificate may lodge a declaration that the yacht is Class Compliant.
- f) Each yacht shall provide evidence of valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$10,000,000 per incident or the equivalent.
- g) Eligible boats may enter on the attached Entry Form which shall be lodged with the Adams Ten Class Association by 1000 hours Monday 21st January 2019.

4.0 FEES

Required entry for the Regatta is \$550 (including GST)
Entry is via Top Yacht Entry System via link from LMYC Website
<https://lmyc.com.au/online-race-entries/>

5.0 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Date	Time	Event
Friday 25 th January 2019		Registration Scrutineering
	1825	Practice race (not part of series)
Saturday 26 th January 2019	0900	Adams 10 Metre Class Association AGM, Briefing and Scrutineering
Sunday 27 th January 2019	Post Race	Championship Dinner
Monday 28 th January 2019	Post Race	Trophy Presentation

6. SCHEDULE OF RACING

- 6.1 Racing is scheduled on 26, 27 and 28 January 2019
- 6.2 The scheduled time of the warning signal each day is 1230 hours
- 6.3 Seven (7) races are scheduled
- 6.4 A maximum of four (4) races may be sailed on each day of racing
- 6.5 On the last scheduled day of racing no warning signal will be made after 1600 hours

7.0 REGATTA VENUE

- 7.1 The Regatta Venue shall be Lake Macquarie Yacht Club <https://lmyc.com.au/>
- 7.2 Racing will be conducted in the vicinity of Belmont Bay, Lake Macquarie.

8.0 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be available from 1600 hours Tuesday 22 January 2019 from LMYC <https://lmyc.com.au/sailing-instructions/> and online at <https://www.facebook.com/Adams10m/>

9. COURSES

Courses shall be Windward / Leeward, as described in the Sailing Instructions.

10. SCORING

- 10.1 The Low Point scoring system, RRS Appendix A2, will apply.
- 10.2 Three (3) races are required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 10.3 When fewer than 5 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- 10.4 When 5 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

11. BERTHING

Boats shall be kept in their assigned places at LMYC while they are racing in the regatta on lake Macquarie. [DP]

12. HAUL-OUT RESTRICTIONS

Keelboats shall not be hauled out during the regatta except with and according to the terms of prior written permission of the race committee. [DP]

13. DIVING EQUIPMENT AND PLASTIC POOLS (BOAT BAGS)

Underwater breathing apparatus shall not be used and boat bags must remain open between the preparatory signal of the first race and the end of the regatta. [DP]

14. RADIO COMMUNICATIONS

Except in an emergency, a boat that is racing shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats. [DP]

- 14.1 LMYC Race control can be contacted on Race days on VHF Channel 71 or phone 0414450022

15. PRIZES

Prizes will be given as follows:

- a) One Design - First Place (perpetual trophy)
- b) One Design - Second & Third Places
- c) Wooden Seat - First Place (perpetual trophy)
- d) Additional prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the Organising Authority

16 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 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.

17 INSURANCE

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

18 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact:

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