



**Australian Capital Territory Team Racing**

**Twilight Series**

**20 October 2020**

**7 December 2020**

**9 February 2021**

**NOTICE OF RACE**

**Organising Authority**

**YMCA of Canberra Sailing Club**

## NOTICE OF RACE

### 1. RULES – TEAM RACING

- 1.1 The Series will be governed by the rules as defined in the *Racing Rules of Sailing 2017-2020* including Appendix D – Team Racing Rules and Appendix L Addendum B – Boats provided by the Organising Authority (OA). The 2017-20 edition of the RRS will apply to all three regattas and to the whole series, including the 9 Feb 2021 regatta.
- 1.2 Australian Sailing (AS) Special Regulations Part 2: 5.0 *Personal Equipment* will apply.
- 1.3 Pacer Class rules will not apply.
- 1.4 Where there is conflict between the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions the Sailing Instructions shall prevail.
- 1.5 All races shall be umpired as per RRS Appendix D2.

### 2. COVID 19

- 2.1 While the COVID-19 situation is in place, the Race Committee and all competitors and supporters will, while supporting or participating in this series, maintain and enforce complete compliance with:
  - all current and applicable COVID-19 related Government health directions and guidance,
  - all applicable COVID-19 related AS guidance, and
  - the current YMCASC COVID-19 Risk Management Plan ([click here](#)).
- 2.2 The onus is on individual competitors and the Race Committee to be aware of how the above guidance is to be applied to themselves and to their boats.

### 3. ADVERTISING

- 3.1 Advertising shall be in accordance with World Sailing Regulation 20.
- 3.2 While racing competitors may be required to wear bibs displaying an event sponsor's name(s)/logo(s). These bibs will be provided by the OA. These will be worn outside all other clothing.

### 4. ELIGIBILITY

- 4.1 The Series is open to teams from ACT Schools, Universities and Sailing Clubs.
- 4.2 All competitors shall be current members of Australian Sailing.
- 4.3 A team may consist of up to eight members and any combination of six team members may compete in any race.
- 4.4 Until the Covid 19 emergency is lifted entries will be limited to 5 teams. This will allow an event to progress without the need for changeover of crews between races. There is a limit of 1 team per school or university. A school may enter more than 2 teams if there is a vacancy.
- 4.5 There will be no minimum weight requirement for this series.

### 5. ENTRY

- 5.1 Eligible teams shall enter on the attached Entry Form, which must be lodged with Organising Authority by no later than 1800 hours EDT of the Friday prior to the first event, accompanied by the required entry fee.
- 5.2 Where a team is entering for a single event the Entry Form, accompanied by the required entry fee must be lodged no later than 1800 hours EDT of the Friday prior to the event.
- 5.2 The entry fee is \$100 per team per event or \$225 per team for the series. Entries can be made and entry fees can be paid online at [www.canberra.ymca.org.au/what-we-do/activey/the-sailing-club/events-regattas/](http://www.canberra.ymca.org.au/what-we-do/activey/the-sailing-club/events-regattas/).
- 5.3 Each team must supply the names of the sailors participating in an event by 1800 hours of the Friday prior to the event.
- 5.4 Each team member or, if under 18, their parent or guardian, is required to sign an indemnity, which is attached to the entry form.

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### 6. FORMAT

- 6.1 The series will comprise three events. The dates are:
- 20 October 2020;
  - 7 December 2020; and
  - 9 February 2021.
- 6.2 Racing will be conducted using a round robin format.
- 6.3 When racing is conducted as a round robin the series will be scored using rule D4.
- 6.4 The format may be changed at the discretion of the Race Committee.

### 7. SCHEDULE (for each Event)

	1545-1600	Teams arrive and rig boats
	1600-1615	Competitors Meeting
	1630	Warning signal for first race
	1830	Last warning signal
	1830 - 1900	Return to shore, derig and put away boats

- 7.1 Results for an event will be published on the YMCA of Canberra Sailing Club website within 24 hours of the finish of the event.

### 8. PROVIDED EQUIPMENT, DAMAGE BOND AND SAFETY

- 8.1 The Series will be sailed in three-boat teams in Pacer Dinghies.
- 8.2 Following a breakdown, which in the sole opinion of the Umpires, leaves a boat unable to effectively race, races for that flight may be completed using a 2 boat v 2 boat format until repairs have been completed.
- 8.3 There will be a damage bond of \$400. No team will be allowed to sail without the damage deposit being paid.
- 8.4 A team found by the Race Committee to be responsible for causing specific damage will be charged for such damage and the cost of the damage will be deducted from their damage deposit.
- 8.5 In the event that deductions are made from a team's damage deposit during the Series, the deposit will be required to be restored to the original value before that team can continue racing.
- 8.6 At the completion of each event, the cost to repair any damage noted which was not previously reported and which cannot be directly attributed to any team(s) will be shared equally among the competing teams and deducted from their damage deposits. Unused damage deposits will then be refunded as soon as practical after the Series. For further information on how to pay your damage deposit click [HERE](#).
- 8.7 All competitors shall supply their own approved PFD as specified in AS Special Regulations Part 2; "5.01 Personal Flotation Devices" and shall wear it at all times while afloat.

### 9. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 9.1 The Sailing Instructions will be available at Registration and may be available two days prior to the event on the YMCA of Canberra Sailing Club website.

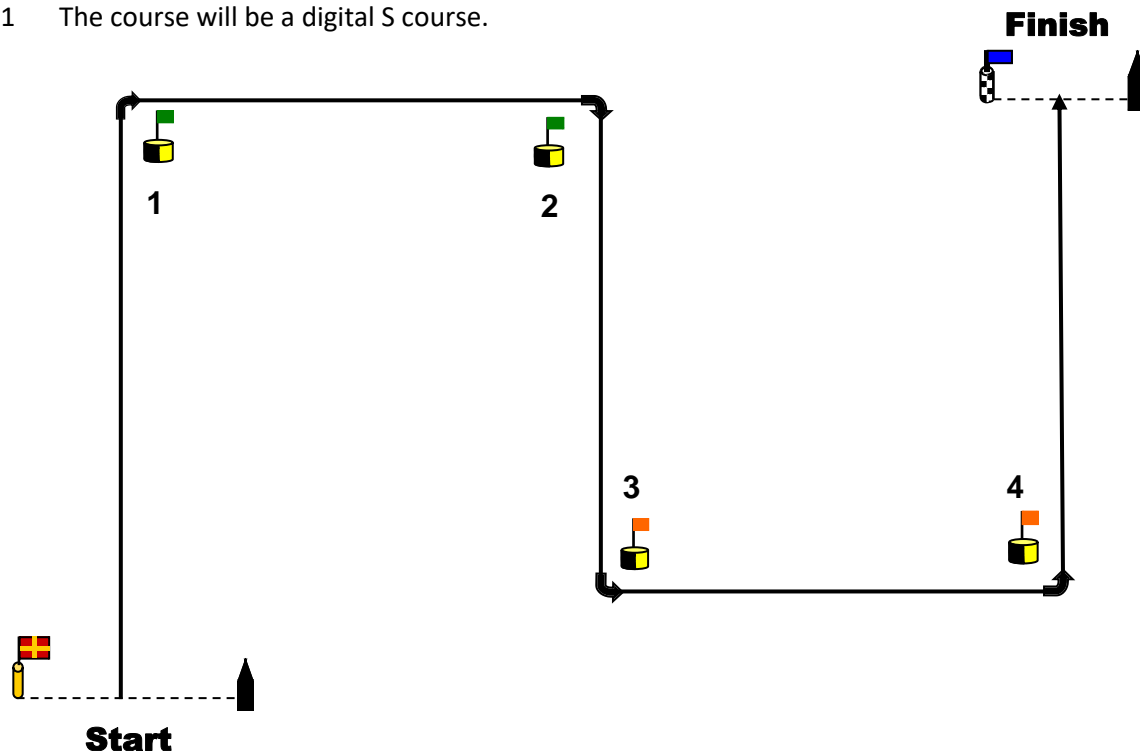
### 10. VENUE

- 10.1 The Series is to be conducted by the YMCA of Canberra Sailing Club and will be sailed off the mouth of Yarralumla Bay.

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### 11. THE COURSE

11.1 The course will be a digital S course.



### 12. SUPPORT BOATS

12.1 Coach/support boats are not permitted.

### 13. RIGHTS TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS

13.1 By entering in the Twilight Series a competitor automatically grants the Organising Authority the right in perpetuity to make, use or 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 created during the Series in which the competitor participates and all material related to the said Series without compensation.

### 14. DISCLAIMER

14.1 It is the competitor's decision to enter the Twilight Series or to start and continue in any race. Competitors shall accept that their participation in the Twilight Series is at their exclusive risk in every respect. See Racing Rule 4. Decision to Race

14.2 Competitors agree to waive, release and discharge forever the YMCA of Canberra in relation to any personal injury or death to themselves or otherwise resulting from, or arising out of, participation in the Team Racing Twilight Series (the "Waiver")

14.3 Competitors acknowledge and agree that the Waiver shall extend to any personal injury or death to themselves caused by:

- a. the negligence, action or inaction of the YMCA of Canberra or other users of, or persons present at, the Facilities/ Twilight Series but excluding any reckless conduct of the YMCA of Canberra causing significant personal injury within the meaning of section 139A of the Competition and Consumer Act 2010 (Cth);
- b. their own negligence, action or inaction;
- c. their failure to follow the advice or instructions from the YMCA of Canberra concerning use of the Facilities;

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- 14.4 Competitors agree to defend, indemnify and hold harmless the YMCA of Canberra from and against any claim, cause of action, liability or judgment resulting from, or arising out of, or in connection with participation in the Team Racing Twilight Series to which the waivers in Clauses 14.2, 14.3 apply.
- 14.5 The competitor is aware that personal accident insurance is not included in participation. In the event of injury, accident or illness the competitor consents to receiving initial first aid treatment and paying all costs associated with ambulance transportation (if required) and ongoing medical treatment.

### **15. FURTHER INFORMATION**

- 15.1 For further information please contact either:

Hamish Balfour:      0410 767 730  
                                 (02) 6232 4285  
                                 [sailing.club@ymca.org.au](mailto:sailing.club@ymca.org.au)

or Dillion McGrath:    [x.dillonmcgrath@gmail.com](mailto:x.dillonmcgrath@gmail.com)

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OFFICIAL ENTRY FORM

2020-21 ACT TEAM RACING TWILIGHT SERIES

TEAM NAME: .....

**Entry Declaration**

In entering the Twilight Series “We agree to be bound by the Australian Sailing Racing Rules of Sailing 2017-2020 and all other rules that govern the event, with which we have made ourselves clear. We acknowledge that Rule 4 – Decision to Race places us solely responsible for deciding whether or not to start or to continue racing on the boat. We have made ourselves familiar with the definition of *Support Person* and Rule 3.1 (b) – Acceptance of the Rules. We further acknowledge and agree that in consideration of the 2020 ACT Team Racing Twilight Series ‘Disclaimer’ in Clause 14 of the Notice of Race, that subject to our entry in this event being accepted (without any obligation on your part to accept it) our participation is at our own risk. In signing this document the parent/guardian also gives permission for their son’s/daughter’s photo to be used for public viewing.

**Team Members Details and Contact Information**

Position or Role	Given Name	Surname	Australian Sailing No.	Address	
<b>Captain</b>					M/F
<b>Member 2</b>					M/F
<b>Member 3</b>					M/F
<b>Member 4</b>					M/F
<b>Member 5</b>					M/F
<b>Member 6</b>					M/F
<b>Member 7</b>					M/F
<b>Member 8</b>					M/F
<b>Manager</b>					
<b>Coach</b>					

<b>Team Manager Name:</b>			
Address:			
State:		Post Code:	
Home Phone:		Work Phone	Mob:
Work Fax:		Email:	

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**Team Manager Declaration**

I declare that the team for which I am responsible meets the relevant eligibility requirements.

Signature and Date: ..... /.../.....

**REGATTA FEES**

Entry Fee \$100 per event  
\$225 series entry

Note 1.	To generate an invoice go to <a href="http://www.canberra.ymca.org.au/what-we-do/activey/the-sailing-club/events-regattas/">www.canberra.ymca.org.au/what-we-do/activey/the-sailing-club/events-regattas/</a> and complete your entry.
Note 2.	Cheques should be made payable to the YMCA of Canberra Sailing Club
Note 3.	A receipt will be forwarded to the Team Manager’s email address nominated on the entry form once payment is received.

**TO REACH YMCA of Canberra Sailing Club BEFORE THE CLOSING DATE**

For **online payment** go to [www.canberra.ymca.org.au/what-we-do/activey/the-sailing-club/events-regattas/](http://www.canberra.ymca.org.au/what-we-do/activey/the-sailing-club/events-regattas/)

Address for entries:

Hamish Balfour  
YMCA of Canberra Sailing Club  
35 Alexandrina Drive  
Yarralumla  
ACT 2600  
FAX: 6232 4235  
Email: [sailing.club@ymca.org.au](mailto:sailing.club@ymca.org.au)

**2020-21 ACT Team Racing Twilight Series  
Indemnity Form  
(to be signed by each competitor, and if under 18, a parent or guardian)**

Competitor 1 I agree to the terms and conditions outlined in the Notice of Race and Entry Form

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Entrants under 18 years:** As parent/guardian of the above named entrant, I hereby consent to his/her participation in this event on the terms and conditions as outlined in the Notice of Race and Entry Form.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Competitor 2 I agree to the terms and conditions outlined in the Notice of Race and Entry Form

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Entrants under 18 years:** As parent/guardian of the above named entrant, I hereby consent to his/her participation in this event on the terms and conditions as outlined in the Notice of Race and Entry Form.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Competitor 3 I agree to the terms and conditions outlined in the Notice of Race and Entry Form

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Entrants under 18 years:** As parent/guardian of the above named entrant, I hereby consent to his/her participation in this event on the terms and conditions as outlined in the Notice of Race and Entry Form.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_



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Competitor 4 I agree to the terms and conditions outlined in the Notice of Race and Entry Form

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Entrants under 18 years:** As parent/guardian of the above named entrant, I hereby consent to his/her participation in this event on the terms and conditions as outlined in the Notice of Race and Entry Form.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Competitor 5 I agree to the terms and conditions outlined in the Notice of Race and Entry Form

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Entrants under 18 years:** As parent/guardian of the above named entrant, I hereby consent to his/her participation in this event on the terms and conditions as outlined in the Notice of Race and Entry Form.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Competitor 6 I agree to the terms and conditions outlined in the Notice of Race and Entry Form

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Entrants under 18 years:** As parent/guardian of the above named entrant, I hereby consent to his/her participation in this event on the terms and conditions as outlined in the Notice of Race and Entry Form.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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Competitor 7 I agree to the terms and conditions outlined in the Notice of Race and Entry Form

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Entrants under 18 years:** As parent/guardian of the above named entrant, I hereby consent to his/her participation in this event on the terms and conditions as outlined in the Notice of Race and Entry Form.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Competitor 8 I agree to the terms and conditions outlined in the Notice of Race and Entry Form

**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Entrants under 18 years:** As parent/guardian of the above named entrant, I hereby consent to his/her participation in this event on the terms and conditions as outlined in the Notice of Race and Entry Form.

Signed: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Note to Team Managers: A separate signed indemnity form for each competitor is acceptable. A MS Word copy of this document can be found at [www.canberra.ymca.org.au/what-we-do/activey/the-sailing-club/events-regattas/](http://www.canberra.ymca.org.au/what-we-do/activey/the-sailing-club/events-regattas/) **Indemnity forms submitted for Event 1 need not be repeated for later events.**