

The Coal Industry Regatta, 2010

NOTICE OF RACE

Friday, 24 September, 2010

Organising Authority



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YACHT REGISTRATION FORM

(Please send copy to MHYC)

Yacht Name: Sail No:

Type / Class: LOA:

Owner's Name / Charter Company:

Member of which Yacht Club: Rig Type:
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NSW Maritime Reg #: Phone No:

E-mail:(Used for all
communications)

Person in Charge (Skipper): Mobile:

Nominated Helmsperson: Mobile:

No. of own crew inc. Skipper Max no. of guests:
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Documents Enclosed: (Must be forwarded to MHYC along with this Registration Form)

Note: All competing yachts must produce a copy of the following documents with their Entry. Entry will not be accepted without these documents.

Important Note: If the yacht is being chartered, then the yacht must be in current Survey with NSW Maritime to compete in the Regatta.

Yachting Australia Special Regulations Equipment Compliance Certificate (Cat 7)

Enclosed Or

Current Survey Certificate issued by NSW Maritime

Enclosed

And

Have lodged evidence of current and valid personal risk cover, with MHYC, of no less than \$A10, 000, 000, by way of a certificate of currency or policy document copy. It shall be the responsibility of the Yacht to maintain current and valid cover for the period of the event in which it is an entry and to lodge evidence with MHYC when the cover is renewed or changed.

Enclosed

I agree to be bound by the 2009-2012 Racing Rules (RRS) of the International Sailing Federation; the Prescriptions and Special Regulations of Yachting Australia; the current Middle Harbour Yacht Club Special Regulations; and the Notice of Race and Sailing Instructions; and by all other Rules that govern the event. I acknowledge that Rule 4 - Decision to Race, places the sole responsibility for deciding to participate in a race or to continue racing is hers alone. I certify that no alteration likely to affect the rating, performance or performance handicap registered with the Club has been made to the yacht except as recorded below.

Owner/Skipper Signature: Date:

Please send completed Yacht Registration Forms to:

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INVITATION TO RACE

Middle Harbour Yacht Club invites eligible entrants to compete in the Annual Coal Industry Regatta.

The Organising Authority is Middle Harbour Yacht Club.

1.0 RULES

1.1 The Race will be governed by the 2009-2012 Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS), the Prescriptions and Special Regulations of Yachting Australia (YA), the current MHYC Special Regulations (available online <http://www.mhyc.com.au/club-sailing-handbook.cfm>) and by this Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions.

2.0 ADVERTISING

2.1 Advertising on a boat shall comply with the requirements of ISAF Regulation 20 (ISAF Advertising Code).

2.2 A boat shall display the event sponsor's name, logo or backstay flag in accordance with ISAF Regulation 20.4.1.1.

2.3 The Race Committee reserves the right to reject the entry of any boat (RRS 76.1).

3.0 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

3.1 Competing yachts shall: hold a current Category 7 (or higher) YA Special regulations Equipment Compliance Form or hold a current Survey Certificate issued by NSW Maritime.; be on the Register of a Yacht Club affiliated with its National Authority; produce evidence of personal risk cover of no less than \$10, 000, 000 by way of a Certificate of Currency or Policy document copy.

3.2 Attention of Skippers and Crew is drawn to RRS 46 & 55, Person in Charge and the Prescriptions of YA regarding membership of a Yacht Club affiliated with its National Authority.

3.3 Eligible yachts may enter by completing the attached Entry Form, together with the specified race documents, which shall be lodged with Middle Harbour Yacht Club by 1000hrs Wednesday 22 September 2010.

3.4 The RC may at its discretion vary these eligibility requirements if it deems that the entry of a yacht in a race or series has the potential to advance the quality of racing in that race or series or contributes to the development of a MHYC class or division.

3.5 Attention is drawn to Rule 76.0 and the RC's right to reject an entry.

4.0 SCHEDULE OF EVENTS, TIMES AND SIGNALS

EVENT	LOCATION	DATE	TIME
Entries Close	MHYC	Wednesday, 22 September, 2010	1000hrs
Sailing Instructions Published & List of Competitors & Starting Handicaps	MHYC Website	Friday 24 September, 2010	1600hrs
Warning Signal Course Board Displayed 1 Sound Signal	MHYC Starters Box	Friday 24 September, 2010	1250hrs
Start 60 Minute Handicap Countdown 1 Sound Signal	MHYC Starters Box	Friday 24 September, 2010	1300hrs
Post Race "Analysis & BBQ" & Presentation	MHYC Club House	Friday 24 September, 2010	Post Race

5.0 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS & LIST OF COMPETITORS AND STARTING HANDICAPS

- 5.1 Sailing Instructions, List of Competitors and Starting Handicaps will be available from the MHYC Sailing Office & Website <http://www.mhyc.com.au/regattas-series1.cfm> from 0900hrs Friday 24 September, 2010.

6.0 RACING AREA

- 6.1 Racing will be conducted in the waters of Lower Middle Harbour and Sydney Harbour.

7.0 COURSES

- 7.1 Courses will be those annexed to the Sailing Instructions.

8.0 ALTERNATIVE PENALTIES

- 8.1 RRS 44.2 Two-Turns Penalty applies for breaking a Rule of RRS Part 2.

9.0 DIVISIONS

- 9.1 There shall be one division, non-spinnaker, boats will be handicapped according to size and performance.
- 9.2 No sails may be set forward of a mast which are not normally carried forward of that mast when working to windward. Any sail set forward of a mast shall not be set flying.
- 9.3 Division parameters will be optimized at the discretion of the Sailing Manager or his nominee. Divisions may be formed or abandoned at the discretion of the Sailing Manager.
- 9.4 Competing yachts are requested to check they have suitable draft to enter Middle Harbour.

10.0 PRIZES

- 10.1 Trophies will be awarded to the first three (3) placegetters in each division at a presentation to be held at MHYC following the race.

11.0 FURTHER INFORMATION

- 11.1 For further information contact

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- 11.2 For results and information, please refer to :

<http://www.mhyc.com.au/regattas-series1.cfm>

- 11.3 Competing Crews are invited to use the MHYC Club House facilities before and after the Regatta.

- 11.4 Competitors are invited to attend Post Race analysis, BBQ & presentation at MHYC following completion of racing.

12.0 MARINA AND BERTHING

- 12.1 Please contact the Marina Manager on 8969 3114 or marina.manager@mhyc.com.au. Limited spaces are available. Please contact the Marina Manger in advance so that appropriate arrangements can be made.

- 12.2 A tender service is available to competitors leaving from MHYC.

