

ADAMS 10 AUSTRALIAN CHAMPIONSHIPS



24-27 January 2020 Middle Harbour Yacht Club Sydney, Australia

NOTICE OF RACE

The notation '[DP]' in a rule in the NoR means that the penalty for a breach of that rule may, at the discretion of the protest committee, be less than disqualification.

- 1 RULES
- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 RRS Addendum Q (Umpired Fleet Races) Version 1 January 2019 will apply.
- 2 ADVERTISING
- 2.1 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the Organising Authority (OA). If this rule is broken, World Sailing Regulation 20.9.2 applies. [DP]
- 3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY
- 3.1 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.
 - i. b) Each Entrant shall be a financial member of the Adams 10 Metre Class Association. The membership fee per boat is \$150.
 - ii. Each crew member shall be a financial member of the Adams 10 Metre Class Association. Cost is \$20 per crew member.
 - iii. Association membership fees are to be deposited to the Association's bank account by 24th January at CBA Neutral Bay Branch BSB 06 2210 and Account 10201892
 - iv. Each skipper or owner will forward a crew list to the Association by 24th January via email admin@adamsten.com.au
 - c) Each yacht shall hold a current and valid Adams 10 Metre Class Measurement Certificate.
 - d) Yachts unable to lodge an Adams 10 Metre Class Measurement Certificate may lodge a declaration that the yacht is Class Compliant.
 - e) Each yacht shall provide evidence of valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$10,000,000 per incident or the equivalent.
 - f) Eligible boats may enter online at www.mhyc.com.au by 1000 hours on Saturday 18 January 2020.
- 3.3 Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the OA.
- 4 FFFS
- 4.1 The Regatta Entry Fee is AUD \$490.00 (including gst)

SCHEDULE 5

5.1 Friday 24 January 2020

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Equipment Inspection and Weighing	RSYS	0630hrs to 1230hrs
Practice Race	The Sound	1600hrs
Registration	MHYC	1700hrs to 1800hrs
Saturday 25 January 2020		
Association AGM	Harbour View	0900hrs
Competitor Briefing	Harbour View	1030hrs
Racing (up to four races)	The Sound	1200hrs
Championship Dinner	Harbour View	1830hrs
Sunday 26 January 2020		
Racing (up to four races)	The Sound	1200hrs
Monday 27 January 2020		
Pacing (up to four races)	The Sound	1100hrs

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Prize Presentation Harbour View 1700hrs approx.

- 5.2 A maximum of 9 races may be sailed.
- 5.3 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race each day is 1155hrs except on Monday 27 January 2020 when the scheduled time of the first warning is 1055hrs.
- 5.4 On the last scheduled day of racing no warning signal will be made after 1500hrs.

6 **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

The sailing instructions will be available by 1700hrs on Thursday 23 January 2020 at www.mhyc.com.au.

7 **VENUE**

Attachment A shows the location of the regatta harbour and the racing areas.

THE COURSES 8

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

9 **PENALTY SYSTEM**

Penalties are amended by Addendum Q.

10 **SCORING**

- 10.1 The Low Point scoring system, RRS Appendix A2, will apply.
- 10.2 3 races are required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 10.3 When fewer than 6 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- 10.4 When 6 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 while they are in the marina. [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**

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

14 **RADIO COMMUNICATION**

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]

15 PRIZES

Prizes will be given as follows:

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

20 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.

21 INSURANCE

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

22 BOAT MEASUREMENT

- 22.1 Each boat must have a measurement certificate that specifies overall weight .
- 22.2 Such certificate can be issued by any Association executive member.
- 22.3 The Association has organised for measurement to take place on Friday 24th January
- 22.4 2020 at RANSA (Rushcutter's Bay) starting at 0720hrs. Each boat skipper/owner must book a time on the Association website http://adamsten.com.au.
- 22.5 The entry fee includes the cost of weighing each boat.

23 FURTHER INFORMATION

To view the Adams 10 Australian Championships webpage – click here

For further information please contact...

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Attachment A

