





Hansa 303 Class Charity Race 2024

ALL PROCEEDS TO ALFREDS COMMUNITY SAILING (ACS) IN SUPPORT OF THE 2025 HANSA WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP

NOTICE OF RACE

FRIDAY 15TH NOVEMBER 2024

Organised by The Royal Prince Alfred Yacht Club (OA)

1. RULES

- 1.1. The Regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) and Prescriptions of Australian Sailing.
- 1.2. Supplied equipment: Hansa 303 boats shall be provided by the OA.

2. ADVERTISING

- 2.1. Competitors may be required to display the event sponsor's advertising.
- 2.2. The event advertising, if any, will be provided by the Organising Authority.

3. ELIGIBILITY & ENTRY

- 3.1. Hansa 303 Class can be sailed single or double handed.
- 3.2. All Competitors shall be members of a sailing club affiliated to an MNA, have a valid Australian Sailing number. Temporary membership is available through registering for a RPAYC SailPass on the club website.
- 3.3. Charity race entry fee for each boat is \$5000.
- 3.4. The boat entry fee is to be paid via the Australian Sports Foundation Alfreds's Community Sailing Project, entry fees are tax-deductable https://asf.org.au/projects/royal-prince-alfred-yacht-club/alfreds-community-sailing
- 3.5. Boat entries shall be made online through the Regatta website: https://rpayc.com.au/acs-hansa-303-pittwater-charity-sprint-race/
- 3.6. Entries close at 1700 hrs on Friday 8 November 2024. Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Organising Authority.
- 3.7. Support crew can purchase BBQ tickets for \$35. Via the Regatta website.

4. SKIPPER/CREW

- 4.1. Nominated skipper and crew (if any) shall sail the boat throughout the race.
- 4.2. Changes of skipper or crew may be permitted in exceptional circumstances and only with prior written permission by the Race Committee.



5. SCHEDULE

Day	Event	Time
Sat 31 Aug 24	Entry Opens	0900hrs
Fri 8 Nov 24	Entry Closes	1700hrs
Fri 15 Nov 24	Skippers Briefing & Boat Draw	1200hrs
	Warning Signal	1230hrs
	Presentations and BBQ	ASAP after racing

5.1. Only 1 race is scheduled for the series.

6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

6.1. Sailing Instructions will be available at Saturday 9th November 2024.

7. COURSES

- 7.1. The racing area will be on the waters of Pittwater.
- 7.2. The course to be sailed will be described in the Sailing Instructions.
- 7.3. The start will be in the vicinity of RPAYC Marina G-Arm.
- 7.4. The finish may be in the vicinity of Palm Beach Pile.

8. PENALTY SYSTEM

8.1. The penalty for breaking a rule of Part 2 shall be a One Turn Penalty, except that for infringements within the Zone, as defined in the RRS18, shall be a Two Turns Penalty. This changes RRS 44.1 and 44.2.

9. SCORING

- 9.1. One (1) race will constitute the series.
- 9.2. Boats shall be scored in the order that they finish the race.

10. SUPPORT BOATS

- 10.1. Support boats are encouraged to cheer on the competitors.
- 10.2. Support boats shall not hinder or assist sailors from the Warning Signal until after the conclusion of the race.
- 10.3. The support boats may be required to assist at the direction of the Race Officer.

11. RADIO COMMUNICATIONS

11.1. Race Management and Support boats shall communicate on VHF Ch.77.

12. PRIZES

- 12.1. Prizes will be awarded at a post-race presentation on Illuka Beach at the post-race BBQ.
- 12.2. Prizes may be awarded to first, second and third.
- 12.3. Additional prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the Organising Authority.

13. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

13.1. It is the competitor's decision to enter the Event or to start and continue in any race.

Competitors shall accept that their participation in the Event is at their exclusive risk in every respect. By way of entry in the Event competitors must indemnify the Organising Authority their officers, members, staff and agents in respect to all claims and demands of whatever nature which may be made upon them in connection with or howsoever arising from their participation or intended participation in the Event.





- 13.2. The Organising Authority their officers, members, staff and agents accept no responsibility in respect of loss of life, personal injury or loss or damage to property which may be sustained by reason of their participation or intended participation in the Event or howsoever arising in connection with the Event
- 13.3. Competitors' attention is drawn to RRS 3 Decision to Race.

14. INSURANCE

- 14.1. Each participating boat must be insured for the duration of the regatta with current thirdparty property insurance cover and a valid third-party Personal Liability Insurance cover of not less than AU\$10,000,000 (10 million dollars) for any one claim event in Australia.
- 14.2. Each Skipper and/or Co-Skipper is liable for any third-party property and personal injury claims.

DAMAGE DEPOSIT 15.

15.1. \$1000 will be held against a credit card for each entry.

16. MEDIA

16.1. By lodging an entry, all competitors, including owners, gives absolute right and permission for any photographs and/or video footage of their boat and crew to be published in any media stream for editorial, publicity or advertising purposes.

17. **FURTHER INFORMATION**

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