

49th AUSTRALIAN CHERUB CHAMPIONSHIP

Hosted by the Keppel Bay Sailing Club,
Anzac Parade, Yeppoon, Central Queensland

NOTICE OF RACE

The Organising Authority will be the Keppel Bay Sailing Club (KBSC) on behalf of the Cherub Class Owners Association of Queensland (CCOAQ).

1. RULES

- 1.1 The Regatta will be governed by the Rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing 2009 – 2012 (RRS).
- 1.2 The Prescriptions and Special Regulations of Yachting Australia (YA) will apply.
- 1.3 The Rules and Restrictions of the Cherub National Council of Australia (CNCA) will apply.
- 1.4 If there is a conflict between the Rules or Regulations, other than the RRS, the Sailing Instructions will prevail.
- 1.5 Racing Rule 44.1 shall be altered with One (1) Penalty Turn instead of two (2) Penalty Turns.

2. ADVERTISING

- 2.1 Advertising will be restricted to Category A.
- 2.2 Competitors may be required to display Sponsors names and/or logos in accordance with ISAF Regulation 20.3 (d) (1). If required, these items will be supplied by the Organising Authority and shall be affixed as described in the Sailing Instructions.

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The Regatta is open to boats currently registered with the Cherub National Council of Australia (CNCA), and complying with CNCA Rules and Restrictions.
- 3.2 All Competitors shall be required to present at Registration their current YACHTING AUSTRALIA SILVER MEMBERSHIP CARD.

- 3.3 All Competitors are to be required to be financial members of a Cherub Class Association that is affiliated with a National Authority recognised by the ISAF.
- 3.4 Eligible boats may enter by completing the ATTACHED Entry Form and send it, together with the required fee to the:

**The Secretary
Cherub Class Owners Association of Queensland,
7 Vermouth Place,
CARSELDINE QLD 4034**

to be received no later than Friday 9th December 2011.

- 3.5 Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Organising Authority up until 1000 hours, 28th December 2011. A late entry fee surcharge of \$50.00 shall apply.
- 3.6 Skipper Age Limits for Trophies as specified in Item 14 shall be as follows:
- Cadet Champion* - 18 years or under as at 01/12/11
- Junior Champion* - Over 18 years and under 21 years as at 01/12/11
- Veteran Champion* - Average age of skipper and crew over 28 years as at 01/12/11

4. CLASSIFICATION

The ISAF Sailor Classification Code will apply.

5. ENTRY FEES :

- 5.1 Entry Fee is: \$385.00
- 5.2 Late Fee Surcharge \$50.00 (Entries received after 1800 hrs. Friday 9th December 2011)

6. SCHEDULE

- 6.1 Registration will occur at KBSC on Wednesday 28th December 2011 between 0800 hours and 1200hours. Registration can be completed outside this period at the discretion of the CCOAQ and KBSC.
- 6.2 Competitors Meeting Wednesday 28th December 2011 at 1230 hours at KBSC.

6.3 Schedule of races and other events:

Date	Event	Warning Signal
28/12/11	Invitation Race	1400 hours
29/12/11	Heat 1	1400 hours
" "	Heat 2	ASAP after Heat 1
30/12/11	Heat 3	1400 hours
" "	Heat 4	ASAP after Heat 3
31/12/11	Heat 5	1400 hours
" "	Heat 6	ASAP after Heat 5
01/01/12	Lay Day	
02/01/12	Resail provision	1000 hours
" "	Heat 7	1400 hours
" "	Heat 8	ASAP after Heat 7
" "	CNCA AGM	1900 hours
03/01/12	Heat 9	1400 hours
" "	Heat 10	ASAP after Heat 9
04/01/12	Resail provision	1000 hours
" "	Heat 11	1300 hours
" "	Heat 12	ASAP after Heat 11

7. MEASUREMENTS

- 7.1 Owners / helmspersons shall present their hulls, foils, masts, booms and sails for measurement, inspection for compliance with YA Special Regulations Part 2 and hull weighing during the time specified prior to the Regatta and at any time during the Regatta when requested by the CCOAQ Measurer or KBSC Race Committee.
- 7.2 Only one set of sails, one set of spars and one centreboard and one rudder is permitted to be used in the Regatta. The Race Committee may approve replacement if the original of these items is damaged beyond repair.

8. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 8.1 The Sailing Instructions will be available at Registration.

9. VENUE

- 9.1 The Regatta will be conducted at the Keppel Bay Sailing Club, Yeppoon, Central Queensland in the waters adjacent to the clubhouse.

10. COURSES

- 10.1 Each race will have a target time of 50-60 minutes and the course length shall be dependent on prevailing conditions.
- 10.2 The course, as detailed in the Sailing Instructions will be triangular incorporating windward and leeward legs.

11. SCORING

- 11.1 The low point system of RRS Appendix A will apply.
- 11.2 Four races are required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 11.3 (a) When fewer than five races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores; or

(b) When five or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her two (2) worst scores.

12. SUPPORT BOATS

- 12.1 Patrol boat positioning will be administered and directed by the Regatta Race Officer.
- 12.2 Spectator craft will keep a minimum distance of 100 metres outside the course area.

13. RADIO COMMUNICATION

- 13.1 A boat shall neither make radio transmissions whilst racing nor receive radio communications. This restriction also applies to cellular telephones and similar data transferring devices.

14. PRIZES

- 14.1 Perpetual trophies and prizes will be awarded as listed below and other trophies and prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the CCOAQ and the Organising Authority.

Open Championship - 1st Newhaven Yacht Squadron Trophy

Open Championship - 2nd & 3rd

Cadet Champion - The Gordon Wright Trophy

Junior Champion - The Basil Wright Trophy

Veteran Champion - W M Blaskett Trophy

First Woman Skipper - Women's Skipper Trophy

First Woman Crew - Women's Crew Trophy

Best Presented Boat - O'Mahoney Boat Constructions Trophy

Handicap 1st - The Matthews Handicap Trophy

15. DISCLAIMER

- 15.1 All those taking part in this Regatta do so at their own risk and responsibility. The KBSC, the CCOAQ, the CNCA, their members, officers or sponsors, and all others involved in the conduct and management of this event, shall not be liable for any loss of life or injury, or for the loss or damage of any property thereto, whatsoever or howsoever occurring. YOUR ATTENTION IS DRAWN TO RRS.4

16. INSURANCE

- 16.1 Each participating boat must be insured with third party liability insurance with a minimum cover of AUD \$10 Million Dollars.

17. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- 17.1 The Annual General Meeting of the Cherub National Council of Australia will be held on 2nd January 2012 at 1900 hours at the Keppel Bay Sailing Club.

18. FURTHER INFORMATION

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28TH December 2011 - 4th January 2012

ENTRY FORM

Please forward the completed Entry Form including all indemnities to:

The Secretary
Cherub Class Owners Association of Queensland,
1/42 Surrey Street,
NUNDAH QLD 4012

BANK DETAILS: Bank of Queensland, Manly, Qld
ACCOUNT NAME: Cherub Class Owners Association of Queensland
BSB: 124001
ACCOUNT NUMBER: 20410346

** For electronic entry fee transfer, please include Sail Number and Surname of Skipper.*

Boat / Sail Number: _____ Boat Name: _____

Hull Colour: _____

Name of Skipper: _____ T-Shirt Size: XS / S / M / L / XL

Postal Address: _____

City/Town/Suburb: _____ State: _____ Postcode: _____

Contact number: _____ [HM / WK / MOB] *please circle one*

Emergency contact name: _____ Relationship: _____

Emergency contact number: _____ [HM / WK / MOB] *please circle one*

Email: _____

Club: _____ YA Membership No: _____

Name of Crew: _____ T-Shirt Size: XS / S / M / L / XL

Postal Address: _____

City/Town/Suburb: _____ State: _____ Postcode: _____

Contact number: _____ [HM / WK / MOB] *please circle one*

Emergency contact name: _____ Relationship: _____

Emergency contact number: _____ [HM / WK / MOB] *please circle one*

Email: _____

Club: _____ YA Membership No: _____

We are eligible to compete for the following perpetual trophies (*Select all applicable options*)

OPEN
WOMAN SKIPPER

CADET
VETERAN

JUNIOR

ENTRY DECLARATION:

I agree to be bound by the current Racing Rules of Sailing and all other rules that govern the conduct of this event, and as described in the Notice of Race. I acknowledge that the KBSC, the CCOAQ, the CNCA and all others involved in the management and conduct of this Regatta, shall not be liable for any loss of life or property, personal injury or damage caused by or arising from participation in this event. I confirm that I hold a valid and current certificate of insurance in accordance with the Notice of Race.

SignedDate.....

Skipper/Owner

ENTRANTS UNDER 18 YEARS

As parents / guardian of the above named entrant, I agree to his/her participation in this event on the terms and conditions as outlined in the Notice of Race and understand that competitors sail at their own risk. I further confirm that the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions in no way limit or reduce the complete and unlimited responsibilities of the competitor for the management and care of a boat she or he has entered in the regatta. I confirm that there is a valid and current certificate of insurance in accordance with the Notice of Race and I acknowledge that the competitor is not eligible to participate in the regatta where such insurance is not in place.

SignedDate.....

Parent/Guardian

ENTRIES CLOSE 9TH DECEMBER 2011. PLEASE COMPLETE ALL SECTIONS AND INDEMNITIES. PLEASE ENCLOSE FULL PAYMENT IF PAYING VIA CHEQUE (NO CASH PLEASE)