Royal Freshwater Bay Yacht Club



WA FOILING WEEK for WingFoiling & WindFoiling Classes

12 & 13 December 2022

Notice of Race (NoR)

The notation [DP] denotes a rule for which the penalty is at the discretion of the protest committee.

The Organising Authority (OA) is Royal Freshwater Bay Yacht Club (RFBYC).

1. RULES

- 1.1. The event is governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS). Experimental WS Appendix WF may also apply.
- 1.2. The Australian Sailing prescriptions and special regulations of Australian Sailing (AS) Part 2 will apply.
- 1.3. RRS Appendix A5.3 will apply.
- 1.4. Appendix T shall apply.

2. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be available online from Sunday, 11 December 2022 via the link: https://rfbyc.asn.au/wa-foiling-week/

3. COMMUNICATION

- 3.1. The official noticeboard is located in the main hall of the Dinghy Training Centre (DTC).
- 3.2. [DP] while racing from the first warning signal until the end of the last race of the day, except in an emergency, a boat shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats.

4. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1. Entry is open to WingFoiling and WindFoiling competitors who shall be a current member of a club affiliated with Australian Sailing.
- 4.2. Entry is capped at 20 WingFoiling and 20 WindFoiling competitors.
- 4.3. Competitors who do not hold membership of a Club must take out an On-Water Pass.
- 4.4. Boats may enter the event by registering online at: https://www.revolutionise.com.au/rfbyc/events/166946/
- 4.5. To be considered an entry in the event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements and pay all fees.
- 4.6. For competitors under 18 years of age, a parent (or guardian) shall acknowledge and agree to the Terms and Conditions via the online entry system at the time of entry.
- 4.7. Entries close midnight Saturday, 10 December 2022.
- 4.8. Late entries will be accepted after the closing date at the discretion of the OA.

- 4.9. A minimum of 5 wing foilers and 5 wind foilers entries will be required and a minimum of 3 starters for each race to count in the overall score.
- 4.10. All competitors must wear a helmet and lifejacket/impact vest whilst afloat.

5. FEES

5.1. Entry fee is \$40 for non-members and free for financial members of Royal Freshwater Bay Yacht Club.

6. ADVERTISING

Boats may be required to display advertising chosen by the organising authority.

7. SCHEDULE

Date	Time	Event
Monday, 12 Dec	1545	Volunteer Briefing – Main Hall of DTC
	1555	Competitors' Briefing – Lawn area in front of DTC
	1645	1 st warning signal
Tuesday, 13 Dec	1545	Volunteer's Briefing – Main Hall of DTC
	1555	Competitor's Briefing – Lawn area in front of DTC
	1645	1 st warning signal
	After racing	Presentation function

8. EQUIPMENT (DP)

Class 1: WingFoil boards; Wind Wings equal to or less than 6m squared; Foils open.

Class 2: WindFoils.

9. RACING AREA

The racing area will be within Freshwater Bay and surrounding areas.

10. COURSES

The course to be sailed will be a slalom course as described in the Sailing Instructions. The Slalom is conducted over a short, downwind course with a number of gybes. The aim is to provide fast fun racing.

11. FORMAT OF RACING

11.1 Racing will be run via multiple heats or in a qualifying/ finals series if sufficient entries are received.

12. SCORING

- 12.1 Each competitor will be scored separately.
- 12.2 Scoring and heats will be advised at the daily briefing based on the number of entrants.
- 12.3 The Low Point System of Appendix 'A' will apply.

13. RISK STATEMENT

All those taking part in this Regatta do so at their own risk and responsibility. RFBYC is not responsible for the seaworthiness of a board whose entry is accepted or the sufficiency or adequacy of its equipment. RFBYC reserves the right to refuse an entry. Attention is drawn to Racing Rule (RRS) 3 – "Decision to Race which places the sole responsibility for a boat deciding to participate in a race or to continue racing as hers alone".



14. MEDIA RIGHTS

Participants at this Event automatically grant to the organising authority and the sponsors of the Event, the right in perpetuity to make use and show from time to time and at their discretion, any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or film television and other reproductions of them during the period in which they participate, and in all material related to the Event without compensation.

15. INSURANCE

All competing helmspersons shall have Third Party Liability and Public Liability insurance cover, including racing cover, of not less that AUD\$10,000,000 for any one accident. By completing the Entry Form, helmspersons are deemed to have made a declaration that they have such cover.

16. PRIZES

- 16.1 Prizes will be awarded for:
 - Overall place-getters in each Class. Place prizes will be awarded subject to the number of entries and at the discretion of the OA.
 - Additional prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the OA.

17. AMENDMENTS TO THE NOR

This NoR may be changed. Changes will be posted on the event website and posted on the Official Event Notice Board.

18. FURTHER INFORMATION

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