

Cairns Yacht Club **SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

SPLISH SPLASH LADIES RACES

Sunday 7th March 2021

1. RULES

The Racing Rules of Sailing and CYC Local Rules shall apply for the duration of this event.

2. NOTICES TO COMPETITORS

Notices to competitors may be posted on the official notice board located at CYC and on the CYC Facebook Page.

3. CHANGES TO SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Any change to the sailing instructions will be advised at the briefing.

NOMINATIONS

Are to be on SailSys. Link is on The Notice of Race.

Nomination of \$20.00 per crew member for CYC members, \$30.00 for non members.

One Skipper/Owner no charge,

4. SCHEDULE OF RACE

D A T E S F O R RACING	CLASS	NUMBER OF RACES	START (W A R N I N G SIGNAL)	COURSE
S u n d a y 7 March	Mono. Multi.	2	0955hrs	See below.

6. BRIEFING

Briefing will be held on Sunday 7th March 2021 at 0900 hours in the Boat Shed.

7. CLASS FLAGS

Class 1 flag may be displayed to signal the 5 minute warning.

8. RACING AREA :

- a. Trinity Inlet.

9. THE COURSE.

- a. RACE 1. START –C10(P)– T10(P)–OUTER RED(S)–FINISH.
- b. RACE 2. START–OUTER RED(S) –T10(P)–OUTER RED(S)–T10(P)–FINISH.

10. THE START:

- a. **RACE 1 Time** .1000hrs .
- b. **RACE 2.** Will start 15 minutes after last yacht finishes Race 1.
- c. Start between Wharf One Cafe and T4.
- d. Race will be started by using **rule 26** with a warning signal 5 minutes before the start.

11. THE FINISH:

- a. **Finish line:** Between Northern end of Sailfish Quay and T2.
- b. Record your finish time.

12. PROTESTS AND REQUESTS FOR REDRESS:

- a. Protest forms are available online. Protests shall be delivered within the protest time limit.
- b. The protest time limit is 90 minutes after the last boat has finished.
- c. Decision of the protest committee will be final as provided in rule 70.4.

13. SAFETY:

- a. Participating Yachts shall comply at all times with:
 - i. Transport Operations (Marine Safety) Regulations 2004
 - ii. International Regulations for the Prevention of Collision at Sea (COLREGS) 1972
 - iii. Cairns Port Procedures Manual
 - iv. Cairns Yacht Club - Safety Management Plan (amended 2020)
- b. Participants shall comply with directions issued by the Regional Harbour Master (RHM) Cairns or their delegate.
- c. Participating Yachts shall comply with Australian Sailing (AS) Special Regulations - Safety Category 6.
- d. A Yacht withdrawing shall notify the race officer as soon as possible on VHS Channel 72.

14. RADIO COMMUNICATION:

- a. All yachts are required to carry radio communications in accordance with YA Special Regulations - Category 6.
- b. During the Race all vessel should monitor and use VHS Ch 16, Ch 12 & use Ch 72 for race communication.
A boat shall not transmit or receive radio or phone communications not available to all boats during a race.

15. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY:

- a. Competitors participate in the event entirely at their own risk. See Rule 4, Decision to Race, ISAF Racing Rules of Sailing. The Cairns Yacht Club will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the event.

16. INSURANCE:

- a. Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party insurance with a minimum cover of \$10,000,000.

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Record and pass your finish time to Neil Ph 0417 625 236.