

Port Adelaide Sailing Club Season 2019-2020



Notice of Race

1. Rules

- 1.1. The Racing at Port Adelaide Sailing club will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing rules of Sailing. (RRS) 2017-2020.
- 1.2. The Special Regulations Part 1 Australia Sailing shall apply
- 1.3. A boat while racing, shall not cause interference to commercial shipping or other vessels having right of way under the *Convention on the International Regulations for Preventing Collisions at Sea, 1972 (COLREGs)*
- 1.4. RRS 55 is amended by adding the following sentence to the rule: However discarding cotton, wool, elastic or any other biodegradable material when setting a sail is permitted.
- 1.5. Where there is conflict between this Notice of Race (NOR) and the Sailing Instructions (SI) , the SI will take precedence.
- 1.6. If there is a conflict between languages the English text will take precedence.

2. Advertising

- 2.1. Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1. To be eligible to participate in any race managed by the PASC the member must be financial. Members should refer to the club policy for the definition of financial.
- 3.2. Equipment Audit
 - 3.2.1. Initial Self Audit.
 - 3.2.1.1. All boats shall submit a current copy of their signed Australia Sailing Equipment Audit Form, for the highest race Category being entered, along with any other applicable rating certificate (s) to the sailing office prior to racing in any series or race (either as series or casual entrant).
 - 3.2.1.2. Failure to do so will result in a boat being scored DNC until all required documentation is lodged.
 - 3.2.1.3. A skipper or representative's signature on the form will be deemed as a declaration that the boat complies with the requirements of the NOR.
 - 3.2.2. Independent Audit
 - 3.2.2.1. All Skippers or owners must have undertaken and passed an independent audit by an Australian Sailing recognised equipment auditor and have the independently signed form lodged with the sailing office before the first race.
 - 3.2.2.2. PASC has club auditors that can audit Category 3-7.
 - 3.2.2.3. PASC Equipment Auditors reserve the right to make spot checks of boats at any time before or after a race.
 - 3.2.2.4. Noncompliance may result in a DNC for that race/series and/or Rule 69 hearing without redress.
 - 3.2.2.5. Multiple infringements may result in disqualification from all racing activities included under this NOR.
 - 3.2.3. Lifelines

- 3.2.3.1. On boats without Lifelines or boats with lifelines that do not comply with YA SR Part 1 Section 3.12. All person on board must at all times while racing wear a personal flotation device (PFD) as per YA SR Part 1 Section 5. This changes RRS Rule 40. Boats failing to comply may be subject to similar penalty as described in

3.3. Nomination forms

- 3.3.1. Are available from the club website (www.portadelaidesailingclub.com) , or from the “nomination Desk” in the PASC club rooms.
- 3.3.2. Season Entry shall be completed and submitted 48 hours before the boat competes in its first race.
- 3.3.3. Entries received within 48 hours of a race will be considered as a “Casual Entry” and billed accordingly.
- 3.3.4. It is the responsibility of the boat owner to ensure all documents are in order. Incomplete or unsigned documents will be considered incomplete and subject to similar penalty as described in 3.2.2.4
- 3.3.5. Late Entries, the race committee reserves the right to refuse, cancel or accept an entry or require further documentation so support a boats entry in accordance with rule 76.

4. Classification

4.1. Crew Complement

- 4.1.1. A minimum of 1 able crew, including the skipper and/or sail master are of a minimum age of 18 years.
- 4.1.2. If sailing single handed
 - 4.1.2.1. A life jacket must be worn at all times while racing or transiting to or from the course area.
 - 4.1.2.2. A safety declaration form must be completed and signed by the skipper.
 - 4.1.2.3. Acceptance by the race committee is not mandatory.

5. Fees

5.1. Entry Fee

- 5.1.1. A season Entry fee for all races (inclusive of River, Outside and twilights) and excluding regattas and offshore races is \$175. This will be charged to member’s accounts following the receipt of the nomination forms.
- 5.1.2. If a boat appears on a sign on sheet and HAS NOT submitted series nomination forms, then that boat will be billed a Casual entry fee of \$15.

6. Schedule of Races: All races are Cat 6 unless changed by the SI’s

Twilight Racing All boats – 19 River races

This series is sponsored by **Cheaper by the Dozen**. First warning at 1755 with racing commencing at 1800. Held every Wednesday night during Daylight Saving times (week commencing 7 October 2019 to week ending 5 April 2020), except for date schedule for Ladies Twilight races See below

Ladies Twilight Series – 4 River races

First warning at 1755 with racing commencing at 1800.

- 1 Wed 27 November 2019
- 2 Wed 18 December 2019
- 3 Wed 15 January 2020
- 4 Wed 4 March 2020

Friday social racing, All boats – see SIs for conditions

Commencing at 1400. Held every Friday afternoon during Daylight Saving times

Weekend Racing

Ladies Trophy race – 1 race (with RSAYS)

First warning at 1255 with racing commencing at 1300.

1	Sun 1 December 2019	to be named	RO RSAYS
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RIVER – 7 Races, first warning at 1255, start at 1300 (unless published differently in the Sis)

1	Sun 27 October 2019	John Leigh Memorial	RO PASC
2	Sun 3 November 2019	Presidents Trophy	RO PASC
3	Sat 11 January 2020	Queen of the River PRSC	RO PASC
4	Sun 2 February 2020	Patrick Weir Trophy	RO PASC
5	Sat 22 February 2020	George Robertson PRSC	RO PASC
6	Sun 1 March 2020	Patron's Trophy	RO PASC
7	Sun 19 April 2020	A Fisher Cup	RO PASC

Tri Series with RSAYS and CYCSA

Coaster – 7 Races, first warning at 1255, start at 1300 (unless published differently in the Sis)

1	Sat 19 October 2019	to be named	RO RSAYS
2	Sat 16 November 2019	Martindale Shield	RO RSAYS
3	Sat 7 December 2019	to be named	RO RSAYS
4	Sat 18 January 2020	to be named	RO RSAYS
5	Sat 1 February 2020	Nelson Cup	RO RSAYS
6	Sat 14 March 2020	Crammond Cup	RO RSAYS
7	Sat 28 March 2020	to be named	RO RSAYS

Club Gulf series PASC only

Coaster – 5 Races, first warning at 1255, start at 1300 (unless published differently in the Sis)

1	Sat 9 November 2019	JJ Rice Cup	RO PASC
2	Sat 16 November 2019	Martindale Shield	RO RSAYS
3	Sat 1 February 2020	Nelson Cup	RO RSAYS
4	Sat 14 March 2020	Crammond Cup	RO RSAYS
5	Sat 4 April 2020	William Russell Shield	RO PASC

Short Offshore

4 Races, offshore up to 90 nm - First warning at 1155, start at 1200 (unless published differently in the Sis)

1	Sat 19 October 2019	Orontes Cup	RO RSAYS
2	Sat 7 December	Jubilee Cup	RO RSAYS
3	Sat 18 January 2019	Glenelg Gulf Race	RO RSAYS
4	Sat 28 March 2019	Handicap Course	RO RSAYS

Alternative to gulf racing

Conditions – These races have been established for those skippers not wishing to participate in an outside race scheduled at the same time. For the series of races to go ahead a minimum of 3 boats must nominated at the start of the season. Races will only be conducted if a minimum of 3 boats sign on the day of the race. This series attracts a trophy for the overall winner. It does not count towards the 'Cock of the Walk' or 'Boat of the Year' trophies.

RIVER, Opal Diamond Factory Series – 6 Races, First warning at 1255, start at 1300

1	Sun 17 November 2019	RO PASC
2	Sun 5 January 2020	RO PASC
3	Sun 19 January 2020	RO PASC
4	Sun 16 February 2020	RO PASC
5	Sun 22 March 2020	RO PASC
6	Sun 29 March 2020	RO PASC

Long Offshore

3 Races, offshore over 90 nm - (Check published Sis for start times)

1	Fri 15 November 2019	Haystack Island 200nm	RO RSAYS
2	Fri 21 February 2020	Port Lincoln 160nm	RO RSAYS
3	Fri 13 March 2020	Island Cup 150nm	RO RSAYS

Winter invitation race

Sun 14 June 2020 Plympton Cup RSAYS Start at 1000)

Winter series – 5 River Races, first warning at 1155, start at 1200 (unless published differently in the Sis)

1	Sun 17 May 2020	Cartright Cup
2	Sun 31 May 2020	Nerida Cup
3	Sun 28 June 202	Magpie Cup
4	Sun 12 July 2020	Tea and Scones
5	Sun 26 July 2020	To be named

Regattas and major racing events

Port Line Cup – River Race See Port Line Cup Sis for conditions

Sat 10 August 2019 Ice Breaker

Sun 11 August 2019 Port Line Cup

Great Southern Regatta – Gulf Race, See Sis for conditions

Sat 23 and Sun 24 November 2019

Premier's Cup Regatta – Gulf Race, See Sis for conditions

Sat 14 and Sun 15 December 2019

PASC Gulf Regatta – To Pt Vincent, see Sis for conditions

Sat 25 to Mon 27 January 2020

King of the Gulf Regatta

Friday 14 to Tuesday 18 February 2020

Lincoln race and week – Port Lincoln area, See Sis for conditions

Friday 21 February to Thu 27 February 2020

Queen of the Gulf – gulf Race see Sis for conditions

Sat 1 February 2020

2019 Port Line Cup – River Race See Port Line Cup Sis for conditions

Sat 8 August 2020 Ice Breaker

Sun 9 August 2020 Port Line Cup

Re-sail dates

Dates reserved for re-sails. Note if more than one race needs to be re-sailed the sailing committee with determine the best arrangements for the series in question.

Winter Series 2019 – Sun 14 July 2019

River or Gulf - Sat 18 April 2020

Winter Series – Sun 2 August 2020

Other dates may be arranged by the sailing committee in consultation with Skippers

All times Listed are for the **warning signal** for the first race of the day.

7. Sailing Instructions

7.1. The sailing instructions (version 1) will be available after 12 noon on the 27th of September 2019 at the PASC and on the club website. Further amendments to sailing instructions will be made available at the PASC and on the club website

8. Decisions of the protest committee / jury will be final as provided in rule 70.5.

9. RADIO COMMUNICATION

9.1. Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

10. Venue

10.1. All races will be conducted within the Coastal limits of the Gulf of St Vincent and the Port River.

11. Courses

11.1. Course will be posted on the day of the race, prior to the warning signal and will be displayed on the clubs notice board.

12. Prizes

- 12.1. Prizes and or trophies will be only be given to “financial members” of the PASC.
- 12.2. All perpetual trophy races are part of a race series.
- 12.3. Casual entrants will not be eligible to win the perpetual trophy of the race day.
- 12.4. Extra prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the PASC management committee.

13. Insurance

All boats participating in races conducted by the PASC

- 13.1. Must have current registration and must have current third party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$10,000,000.
- 13.2. Documents providing proof of registration and insurance must be supplied to the PASC before any boat enters the race course.
- 13.3. Boats failing to comply to any of the above in para 11 will be subject to similar penalty as described in 3.2.2.4

14. Disclaimer of Liability.

Competitors participate in a race series entirely at their own risk. See rule 4 RRS, Decision to race. The organising authority will not accept and liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the race.

15. For further information

Please email racing@portadelaidesailingclub.com.au

Or call Racing Committee-