

NOTICE OF RACE.
Cairns Combined Clubs
100 Year Anniversary Regatta
Cairns Yacht Club
“Fostered” by The Cairns Port Authority
29 & 30 March 2008

1) Rules

The races will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2005-2008* and the *local rules*. Safety Category 5 will apply.

2) Eligibility and Entry

The races are open to all yachts of the yacht Division 1 and Yacht division 2 classes. Eligible boats may enter by completing the nomination form and lodging it at the **CAIRNS YACHT CLUB by 0900hrs Saturday 29 March 2008.**

3) Fees

Required fees are \$5 per race per crew member including the skipper. Fees are to be paid at the time of lodgement of the nomination form. Total for two races: \$10 / crew member.

4) Schedule

Prior to the first race a sail past is scheduled to commence at 1100hrs. This is to acknowledge the dignitaries and older sailors that will be gathered. A blessing of the assembled fleet will take place from the deck of a Navy vessel directly in front of the CYC clubhouse at 1100hrs. Commander Jenny Daetz and duty crew will be assembled to give a salute on the deck of a larger vessel moored to the Navy wharf, so Admiralty Is buoy (P) will be used while dinghy's will use a shorter course. (Sail past both CYC and Navy Base at least once.) Assembled fleet may include Naval Cadets, Wooden Boat Club, Paddlers and cruising vessels. A one way stream of traffic will be set up.

Race 1: The scheduled time of the start for the first race is (Saturday, 29th March) **1200hrs**. The starter, positioned on the CYC Deck, will raise the warning flag at **1155hrs**.

Race 2: The scheduled start time of the Sunday Mickey Ink race is **1200hrs**. The starter positioned on the CYC deck will raise the warning flag at **1155hrs**.

NB: Dinghy division will be started on both days 15 mins following yachts.

5) Sailing Instructions

The sailing instructions are either attached via email to competitors or will be available at the CYC and CCYS and on the CYC website. <http://www.cairnsyachtclub.com/calendar.htm> Click on this link.

6) Courses

Courses will be as described in the Sailing Instructions. An inlet race on Saturday and a bay race on Sunday.

7) Scoring

The Low Point System of Appendix A will apply.

7) Presentation

A presentation of prizes will be held on the CYC Deck as soon as practicable after completion of racing on Sunday 25 Nov. A prize will be awarded for the best dressed crew in the sail past. The Commodore has arranged finger food.

8) Insurance

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$5,000,000.

9) Further Information

For further information please contact :

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