



## **Darren Lowder Memorial Regatta**

# **NOTICE OF RACE**

**Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> & Sunday 20<sup>st</sup> FEBRUARY 2022**

**Two days, up to 7 races and a chance to remember a mate**

Come experience some of the greatest sailing in what has to be the greatest venue on the NSW Coast. This is not only the regatta of the year and a great social weekend away, but a chance to remember a lost sailor and friend to many...20 + years on we still remember.

### **1. Rules**

The regatta will be governed by the current rules as defined in the 2021 - 2024 Racing Rules of Sailing, the Special Regulations of Yachting Australia, individual class rules and the Sailing Instructions.

### **2. Eligibility and Entry**

2.1 Darren Lowder Memorial Regatta is open to all "off the beach" Catamarans.

2.2 Eligible boats may enter on the official entry form, available at the Clubhouse at least 2 hours prior to the scheduled start of the first race.

### **3. Fees**

Fees are payable at the Clubhouse. Boats must complete and sign the entry form and pay the prescribed fee prior to competing. Results shall not be recorded where boats have not completed and signed the entry form and/or paid the prescribed fee.

2 handed Catamaran \$80

1 handed Catamaran \$60

### **4. Schedule of Events**

The Regatta Briefing and a moment silence will be held at 11.30 Saturday 19th Feb

**Saturday 19th Feb:** Up to 4 Races are scheduled to be sailed back to back. The races will not commence before 12.30pm.

**Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> Feb Celebration drinks:** Approx. 30-45 minutes after racing on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> there will be an hour of celebration drinks on the lawn. All families welcome to come and remember our crazy mate Dazza.

**Sunday 20<sup>st</sup> Feb.** 3 Races are scheduled to be sailed back to back. The races will not commence before 9.30am, with the last Race of the day not to commence after 3pm. Refer to the Sailing Instructions for a detailed Schedule of Events.

## **5. Class Rules/Measurement**

Class compliance certificates and/or measurement certificates are not required. However, the Race Committee reserves the right to inspect any boat and vary class yardsticks for individual boats, where considered appropriate, at the Committee's absolute discretion and without right of protest.

## **6. Sailing Instructions**

The Sailing Instructions (final copy) will be available by Midday on Saturday 19<sup>th</sup> Feb 2022 at the Clubhouse.

## **7. Racing Area**

Trial Bay, South West Rocks, Australia.

## **8. Courses**

Refer to Sailing Instructions.

## **9. Scoring**

You will drop your worst result provided 4 or more Races are sailed. Divisions will depend on entrants. The Darren Lowder Memorial Trophy will be awarded to the overall regatta winner. Refer to the Sailing Instructions for further details.

## **10.Prizes**

Prizes are awarded at the discretion of the Race Committee. Perpetual Trophies shall remain on display at the Clubhouse.

## **11.Further Information**

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## **12.Accommodation**

Camping available. Contact Arakoon State Recreation Area (02) 6566 6168.

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