



Champion Lakes Boating Club (Radio Sailing)
Radio Sailing Calendar of Events
01 January – 31 December 2023
AUSTRALIAN RADIO YACHTING ASSOCIATION (Inc.)
Champion Lakes Regatta Centre, Henley Drive, Champion Lakes
Excelsior Drive Lake, Excelsior Drive, Canning Vale

NOTICE OF RACE

1 ORGANIZING AUTHORITY

All events as outlined in the Champion Lakes Boating Club (Radio Sailing) calendar of events are organised under the overall authority of the Australian Radio Yachting Association Incorporated (ARYA) and conducted by the Champion Lakes Boating Club (Radio Sailing) and its duly appointed Race Committee.

2 RULES

- 2.1** All races will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing 2021-2024 as amended by Appendix E (Radio Sailing Racing Rules).
- 2.2** The following documents will apply: This Notice of Race (NoR), the event's Sailing Instructions (SI), International Class Administration Rules, the Equipment Rules of Sailing (ERS), the respective International Class Rules.

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1** Participation is open to:
- (a) affiliated members in good standing with ARYA (Inc.) and
 - (b) members in good standing with the IRSA Delegated National Member of their country of residence.
 - (c) members of the Champion Lakes Boating Club (Radio Sailing)
- 3.2** Entry will be denied to anyone who has been expelled or is currently serving a suspension from the Champion Lakes Boating Club (Radio Sailing), ARYA (Inc) or any state or territory RC sailing association affiliated with the ARYA (Inc).
- 3.3** Competitors with a disability who require assistance or special arrangements to participate in the event should, prior to entry, contact the organising club to confirm that these can be made. The onus is on the competitor to establish whether the available facilities are suitable and, if necessary, make arrangements for a support person.
- 3.5** Events for classes sailed shall be outlined in the club sailing calendar.
- 3.6** Members are not required to register in advance to participate in any of the scheduled events outlined in the club calendar unless otherwise required in accordance with a Notice of Race specific to the event.

4 FEES

- 4.1** Entry fees will be set by the Club and may be required for participation in any of the scheduled events outlined in the club sailing calendar, unless otherwise required in accordance with the Notice of Race specific to the event.

5 EVENT SCHEDULE

- 5.1** The event schedule is outlined in the club calendar which is available from the club website (<https://clrsc.com>)

6 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The ARYA Standard Sailing Instructions are available on the ARYA website (www.arya.asn.au).

7 VENUE

- 7.1** The event will be sailed at Champion Lakes Regatta Centre, Henley Drive, Champion Lakes WA 6111, Excelsior Drive Lake (Spinifex Lake), Excelsior Drive, Canning Vale WA 6110 or an alternate venue as required.

8 COURSES

- 8.1** Courses will be at the discretion of the Race Officer and announced prior to the race.

9 PENALTY SYSTEM AND PROTESTS

- 9.1** RRS 44.1 is amended by RRS E4.3: Taking a Penalty.
- 9.2** The Arbitration System for Protest Hearings (Sailing Instructions Appendix A) will be used.
- 9.3** A Protest Committee will be appointed to hear any protests arising from the event and may comprise competitors not involved in the incident. RRS 61.2 and 62.2 may be replaced by a verbal notification and hearing if all parties affected by the incident agree.
- 9.4** Decisions of the protest committee will be final as provided in RRS 70.5.

10 SCORING

- 10.1** For Club Championship series a minimum of 5 races are required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 10.2** The scoring system for Club Championship series is as follows:
- i) The Low Point System (RRS A4) will apply.
 - ii) After 3 races have been completed, 1 discard.
 - iii) After 6 races have been completed, 2 discards.
 - iv) After 9 races have been completed, 3 discards, then adding one extra discard for every further 3 races completed.

11 CONDUCT

The Australian Radio Yachting Association Inc and the Champion Lakes Boating Club (Radio Sailing) recognise that all events offer considerable publicity opportunities to Clubs, Associations and the sport generally. Competitor behaviour can impact unfavourably on the sport and all competitors.

Behaviour by a competitor that is in breach of good manners or sportsmanship or which may bring the sport into disrepute shall result in a hearing in accordance with RRS 2 or RRS69.1 or the PRO may offer a competitor a two turns on the spot penalty to avoid going to protest. However, the PRO is not obliged to make this offer, nor is a competitor obliged to accept it in which case a protest hearing shall proceed.

12 DIGITAL PROPERTY RIGHTS

By taking part in this event, the competitor gives the organisation and the event's sponsors the right to use and show at any time static or moving pictures, films and TV recordings of the competitor and/or their boat made during this ARYA Ranking regatta in any materials, on any Web pages, and on any social media in support or in connection with the event, including the publication of results.

13 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

All those entering or taking part in these Championships do so at their own risk and responsibility. (See RRS 4). The Australian Radio Yachting Association (Incorporated), Champion Lakes Boating Club (Radio Sailing) and any other parties involved in the organisation of this event disclaim:

“Any and every responsibility whatsoever for loss, material damage, personal injury or death, or inconvenience that might occur to persons and goods, both ashore and on the water, prior to, during or after the regatta, as a consequence of entering or participating in the Championship covered by this Notice of Race.”

At all times the responsibility for the safety of their boat and themselves plus the decision to participate or continue must rest solely with and remain at all times with the competitors.

14 FURTHER INFORMATION

14.1 For further information please contact Sean Wallis (sean.wallis@iinet.net.au).