

Southport



Yacht Club Inc.

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incorporating

BART'S BASH

Sunday 16th September 2018



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NOTICE OF RACE



Organising Authority
Southport Yacht Club Inc.
Hollywell Sailing Squadron

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INVITATION

Southport Yacht Club extends a warm invitation to all owners, skippers and crews of all eligible boats to enter and compete in the Dash for Cash incorporating the worldwide fundraising event "Barts Bash" to be sailed on the Gold Coast Broadwater on Sunday 16th September 2018.

ORGANISING AUTHORITY

The Organising Authority will be Southport Yacht Club Inc. (SYC) located at the Hollywell Sailing Squadron located at 1 Marina Crescent, Hollywell, Qld 4216, Phone (+61) (07) 5537 7030

1. RULES

- 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the current rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing.
- 1.2. The Special Regulations of Australian Sailing: Part 1 shall apply for trailable and fixed keel yachts.
- 1.3. The Special Regulations of Australian Sailing: Part 2 shall apply for Off the Beach Boats
- 1.4. The relevant Class Rules.
- 1.5. The Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions. When conflict occurs between the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions, the rules of the Sailing Instructions shall prevail. This changes RRS 63.7

2. ELIGIBILITY & ENTRY

- 2.1. Dash for Cash incorporating Barts Bash is open to:
 - 2.1.1. **Performance Handicap System (PHS)** Rated Racing & Cruising monohull and multihull boats that comply with Australian Sailing Special Regulations Part 1 Category 6.
 - 2.1.2. **Trailable Yachts** that comply with Part 1 Category 6 up to 8m in length.
 - 2.1.3. **Sports Boats** with a current SMS rating certificate that complies with Part 1 Category 6.
 - 2.1.4. **International Etchell** yachts that comply with Etchell Class rules.
 - 2.1.5. **Off The Beach Catamarans** must comply with Australian Sailing Special Regulations Part 2 for Off-The-Beach Boats.
 - 2.1.6. **Off The Beach Dinghies** that comply with Australian Sailing Special Regulations Part 2 for Off-The-Beach Boats and have VYC Rating less than and or equal to 122.
- 2.2. There will be provisions for four (4) divisions and Competitors may only enter one Division:
- 2.3. OTBD Junior Division, OTBD Division A & B Combined, OTBC & Keelboat Division (PHS, Trailable, Etchell and Sportsboats).
- 2.4. A minimum of Five (5) entries are required to constitute a division.
- 2.5. The Club can make more divisions if necessary
- 2.6. The person-in-charge of a boat shall be a current financial member of a Club affiliated with Australian Sailing, and an affiliated member of Australian Sailing, and the boat shall be listed on the register of vessels of a Club affiliated with Australian Sailing.
- 2.7. A boat shall not change specifications after the close of entries. Any change to the hull, spars, sails, foils, appendages, ballast, equipment or any other factor which may affect the performance of the boat may be made only with the express written consent of the Race Committee. Substitution of damaged or lost equipment will not be allowed unless approved by the Race Committee. Requests for substitution shall be made to the Committee at the first reasonable opportunity.

3. FEES

- 3.1. The required Entry Fee is \$50
- 3.2. Entries shall be lodged with the Organising Authority by 1700 (5pm) Thursday 14th September 2017. Eligible boats shall enter via the Southport Yacht Club Website <http://www.southportyachtclub.com.au/sailing/special-sailing-events-2/> accompanied by the required Entry Fee.
- 3.3. Barts Bash T-shirts will be available at Entry for \$25 each with all profits going towards the Andrew Simpson Sailing Foundation.

4. SCHEDULE

DATE	EVENT	TIME
Sunday 16 th September	Registration & Rigging of Boats	0830 - 1000
	Compulsory Skippers Briefing & Barts Bash Star Sailor Auction	1030
	Breaking of the Flag Ceremony Starts	1100
	Division 1	1155
	Division 2	1205
	Division 3	1215
	Division 4	1240
	Division 5	1255
	Division 6	1300
	Prize Presentation	ASAP after racing

5. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be available from the SYC Hollywell Sailing Office and online on the SYC website after 1700hrs Sunday 2nd September 2018.

6. VENUE

Dash for Cash & incorporating Barts Bash will be conducted from Southport Yacht Club Hollywell 1 Marina Crescent Hollywell. The racing area shall be the Broadwater, between the Gold Coast Seaway and the entrance to the Coomera River.

7. THE COURSES

The course shall be a passage type course as described in the Sailing Instructions.

8. HANDICAPS

Handicaps and results will be based on VYC, CBH or PHS or assigned by the organising authority where necessary

9. ALTERNATIVE PENALTIES

The Two-Turns penalty (RRS 44.1) is changed to a One Turn penalty except for infringements that occur within the *zone*.

10. SCORING

The Low Point Scoring System of Appendix A.

11. PRIZES

11.1. Over \$2000 in Members Cash Prizes will be awarded.

12. RIGHTS TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS

By participation in this event, a competitor automatically grants to the Organising Authority and the sponsors of the event, the right in perpetuity, to make, use and show, from time to time and at their discretion, any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or film television and other reproductions of him/her during the period of the competition for said event in which the competitor participated and in all material related to the said event without compensation.

13. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the series entirely at their own risk. See Rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during or after the series.

14. INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance, with a minimum cover of \$10M (AUD) for any one incident. By taking part in a race all boat owners are deemed to have made a declaration that they have such cover.

15. FURTHER INFORMATION

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