



29er 49er FX 49er



2018 Victorian & Open 420 and '9er Championships

NOTICE OF RACE

10th, 11th and 12th March 2018

The Organising Authority is Sorrento Sailing Couta Boat Club in conjunction with the Victorian 420 and V9er Associations

1. RULES

- 1.1. The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS) and the Australian Sailing Special Regulations Part 2
- 1.2. RRS P5: (Oscar/Romeo), Appendices P5, S: Standard Sailing Instructions and T: Arbitration will apply.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1. The Official Notice Board <http://sscbc.com.au/420-and-v9er-victorian-championships/> has links to the entry form, other conditions and an alert about the risks of sailing, which the person entering the boat must agree to.
- 2.2. Race Committee approval is required to change entered competitors.
- 2.3. The regatta is open to all boats of the 420, 29er, 49erFX and 49er Classes that are skippered by a member of such a class association in the state that they reside (no '9er gender restrictions)

3. ADVERTISING

Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority. If this rule is broken, World Sailing Regulation 20.9.2 applies. [DP]

4. FEES

Early-Bird entry \$215 Late entry (after Friday 2/3/18) \$265

5. FORMAT

420 class up to 12 races to be conducted in sessions
29er / 49erFX / 49er classes up to 15 races will be conducted in sessions

6. SCHEDULE

Fri 2 Mar 2018	24:00 hrs.	Early Bird entry closes
Sat 10 Mar 2018	09:00 – 11:00 hrs.	Registration
	11:15 hrs.	Briefing- Support Persons –
	11:30 hrs.	Competitor Information Session
	13:00 hrs.	First Warning Signal – Session 1
Sun 11 Mar 2018	11:00 hrs.	First Warning Signal – Session 2
Mon 12 Mar 2018	10:00 hrs.	First Warning Signal – Session 3
	14:00 hrs.	Approx. Latest Warning Signal
	ASAP hrs.	Presentations

7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will consist of the instructions in RRS Appendix S, Standard Sailing Instructions and supplementary sailing instructions (SSI) that will be on the Official Notice Board. SSIs provided at registration.

8. VENUE

[Sorrento Sailing Couta Boat Club](#), 3154 Point Nepean Rd, Sorrento VIC 3943

9. THE COURSES

420 Outer trapezoid course, 29er, 49erFX and 49er Windward/Leeward course with hook finish.

10. SCORING

- 10.1 Three races are required to constitute a series.
- 10.2 Each boats series score shall be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score once 4 races are completed and excluding her worst 2 scores once 9 races have been completed.

11. SUPPORT PERSONS

Support Persons who are not SSCBC members will be granted honorary membership on regatta days and are required to abide by the Rules and Codes of SSCBC and Australian Sailing.

12. PENALTY SYSTEM

12.1 For 29ers, 49erFX and 49ers, RRS 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

12.2 Rule P2.3 will not apply and rule P2.2 is changed so that it will apply to any penalty after the first one.

13. PRIZES

420 Class

- Overall Victorian Champion – awarded to 1st Victorian Team
- 1st, 2nd, and 3rd overall
- 1st Female Team
- 1st Mixed Team
- Further prizes may be award at the discretion of the Association

'9er Classes

- Overall Victorian Champions, awarded to 1st Victorian teams.
- 1st, 2nd, and 3rd overall in 29er/49erFX/49er (Open) classes subject to numbers.
- 1st all Female 29er / 49erFX
- 1st Junior 29er (Crew under 17 @ 31/12/2018)
- 1st Junior 49erFX / 49er (Crew under 23 @ 31/12/2018)
- Further prizes may be award at the discretion of the Association

14. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. Neither the Organizing Authority nor it's in conjunction partners will accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

15. INSURANCE

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

16. FURTHER INFORMATION

Boats may be dropped off and stored at the club the weekend or Friday before the regatta

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