



Twelve Foot Skiff Association

77th 12' Skiff Australian Championship

6th – 9th April 2012

NOTICE OF RACE

Organised By
NSW 12' Sailing Skiff Association

Hosted By
Woollahra Sailing Club

1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 The Prescriptions and Special Regulations of Yachting Australia.
- 1.3 The rules and by-laws of the NSW 12' Sailing Skiff Association.

2. ADVERTISING

Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organising authority.

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all registered 12-foot skiffs that comply with the measurement rules of the NSW 12ft Sailing Skiff Association.
- 3.2 All helmspersons and crew shall be financial members of the Queensland or New South Wales 12' Skiff Association and a yacht or sailing club affiliated with a start yachting authority.
- 3.3 Eligible boats may enter by completing online entry at www.skiff.org.au, together with the required fee by no later than 28th March 2012.
- 3.4 Late entries will be accepted.

4. FEES

Required fees are as follows:

12' Skiffs - \$180.00, includes 2 x dinner tickets at the presentation.

Late entries are an additional \$40.00

5. SCHEDULE

Date	Event	Time / Warning Signal
Friday 6 th April 2012	Registration	10:00am
	Competitors Briefing	12:00pm
	Race Day 1	Not before 2pm
Saturday 7 th April 2012	Race Day 2	TBA
Sunday 8 th April 2012	Race Day 3	TBA
Monday 9 th April 2012	Race Day 4	No later than 3pm
	Presentation	As soon as possible after racing

6. MEASUREMENTS

It is a competitor's responsibility to ensure that their boat and equipment comply with the class rules. Measurement and clothing checks may be carried out at any time.

7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be available from the Woollahra Sailing Club Office at registration.

8. VENUE

The host club is Woollahra Sailing Club, Vickery Avenue, Rose Bay.

9. SCORING

11.1 The Low Point Scoring System of Appendix A will apply.

11.2 Two (2) races are required to constitute a series.

11.3

(a) When from three (3) to five (5) races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.

(b) When six (6) or more races have been complete, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

10. PRIZES & DIVISIONS

Prizes will be given as follows:

13.1 Australian Championship – 1st (Norm Booth Perpetual Trophy), 2nd and 3rd

13.2 Handicap – 1st (Colin Clark Memorial Trophy), 2nd and 3rd

13.3 Veterans – 1st (Over 45 years as at 6th April 2012)

13.4 Juniors – 1st (Under 25 years as at 6th April 2012)

11. DISCLAIMER OF ENTRY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The organising 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 regatta.

12. INSURANCE

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

13. FURTHER INFORMATION

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