



Notice of Race

61st 12ft Skiff Interdominion Championship January 2023

Organised and conducted by

NSW 12ft Sailing Skiff Association

In association with

Sydney Flying Squadron Ltd.

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 Australian Sailing will apply.
- 1.3 The 12ft skiff rules as defined in the Interdominion 12ft Sailing Championship Rules, as accepted on 07/01/2012.
- 1.4 Any changes to the Racing Rules will be outlined in the regatta Sailing Instructions
- 1.5 RRS Appendix T, Arbitration, will apply.

2. Advertising

- 2.1 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organising authority. If this rule is broken, World Sailing Regulation 20.9.2 applies.
- 2.2 A boat may carry advertising on her hull and sails with no restriction

3. Eligibility and Entry

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the 12foot sailing skiff class.
- 3.2 To be eligible to compete in these championships each competitor shall be a financial member of their relevant association.
- 3.3 Eligible boats may enter by completing the official Entry Form that is available at https://skiff.org.au/61st_intersentry/ and making payment to the NSW 12ft Skiff Association no later than the 16th December 2022. (Refer Entry Fee)
- 3.4 Electronic entry payment may be made via direct debit to:
NSW 12ft Skiff Association
BSB: 032038 Account: 690509
Note: include boat name in transaction details so payment can be identified

4. Entry Fee

- 4.1 A\$350.00 (incl. GST) per boat
- 4.2 A\$50 (incl. GST) extra charge for late entries.
- 4.3 Entries cancelled in the week preceding the event will not be refunded. If cancellation occurs prior to this date, 75% of the fee will be refunded upon receipt of a written request.
- 4.4 Those only competing in the Interdominion Invitation Race are to pay an entry fee of A\$20 on the day. Please indicate your intention to sail to the Race Secretary.

5. Race Schedule

- 5.1 A total of 10 races (excluding the Invitation Race) are scheduled.
- 5.2 Registration is to occur from 10.00am Friday 6th January 2023. An Invitation handicap event is planned to be held on this date.
- 5.3 Anticipated days of racing are Saturday 7th January to Saturday 14th January inclusive and it is anticipated there will be two lay days.
- 5.4 On Saturday 14th January, there will be no warning signal after 3.00pm.
- 5.5 The Race Committee reserves the right to reschedule races within these dates.

6. Sailing Instructions

Sailing Instructions will be available from Friday 6th January 2023 from the organising body.

7. Venue

7.1 The regatta site will be in Milson Park, adjacent to the Sydney Flying Squadron, 76 McDougall Street, Milsons Point, NSW.

7.2 The racing area will be on Port Jackson, east of the Sydney Harbour Bridge, in the area bounded from Garden Island to the Sow and Pigs reef.

8. Courses

The courses to be sailed will be outlined in the Sailing Instructions.

9. Scoring – Silasec Trophy and Jack Winning Handicap Trophy

The low points scoring system of RRS Appendix A will apply. Five races are required to constitute a series.

9.1 When fewer than six races have been completed, a skiff's score will be the total of her race scores.

9.2 Where six or more races have been completed, a skiff's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

9.3 Where eight or more races have been completed, a skiff's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her two worst scores.

10. Safety

All competitors shall wear personal floatation devices while on the water, which are in good condition and are in accordance with the specification issues or approved by a national authority of standard organisation. ATTENTION IS DRAWN TO RRS 1.2

11. Radio Communications

Except in an emergency, a boat that is racing shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats. Restrictions also apply to mobile telephones.

12. Prizes

Silasec Trophy - Overall Champion

John Brooke Team Trophy - Winning Team/Country

Tapper Trophy – 1st Placed NZ Skiff

Norman G Booth 'Rothman' Trophy - Invitation Race Handicap (Mark Foy)

Nimble Trophy – Rookie Skipper

Advax Veterans Trophy – First Place Veteran (over 55)

Alf Fleet Memorial Trophy – Forward hand of the skiff winning the first heat of the series

Jack Winning Handicap Trophy – Overall Handicap

Miners Underall Champion – Best Underall Performance in the series

13. Disclaimer of Liability

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS Rule 3, 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 regatta.

14. Insurance

All boats shall have current Third-Party Insurance with a racing cover considered by the insurer as adequate for the risks involved. Minimum A\$5million or equivalent thereof for any incident.

15. Contact Details

Glenn Farquhar, NSW 12ft Skiff Association Race Secretary
gfa64053@bigpond.net.au
0418 425 422

61st 12 Foot Sailing Skiff Interdominion Championship Entry Form

Boat Name			
Boat Identification	Hull Number	Sail ID or logo	
SKIPPER			
Address			
Mobile Phone			
Email			
Club		AS # or YNZ #	
CREW			
Address			
Mobile Phone			
Email			
Club		YA # or YNZ #	
DECLARATION			
<p>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.</p> <p><i>I hereby agree to the terms and conditions.</i></p>			
Signature Skipper		Date	
Signature Crew		Date	
Payment:			
Direct Transfer		OR	Cash
<u>BSB:</u> 032038 <u>Account:</u> 690509 <u>Account Name:</u> NSW 12ft Skiff Association Please quote your BOAT NAME as the reference.			
Please forward to:		Entry Fees:	
NSW 12ft Skiff Association		AUD \$350 (regular entry)	
PO Box 1178		AUD \$400 (late entry)	
Lane Cove NSW 1595		To avoid the late entry fee a completed	
OR		Entry Form must be received by the	
Glenn Farquhar		Organising Committee by 16 December	
gfa64053@bigpond.net.au		2022.	