



2010 RS:X AUSTRALIAN NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIP

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19, 20 & 21 February 2010

Bathers Bay, Fremantle, Perth, Western Australia

NOTICE OF RACE

1 RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 The prescriptions of Yachting Australia will apply.
- 1.3 The Off the Beach Special Regulations of Yachting Australia will apply.
- 1.4 The International RS:X Class Rules 2010. Rules C 7.1d) and C 8.1b) do NOT apply.

2 ADVERTISING

- 2.1 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the Laser, Laser Radial, Laser 4.7 and RS:X classes
- 3.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing the attached form and sending it, together with the required trophy fee, to michael.downing@perth2011.com or

ENP Regatta
PO Box 1850
Fremantle, Western Australia 6959

And to be received by Tuesday 16 February 2010.

4 FEES

- 4.1 Required fees are as follows
Trophy Fee: RS:X AUD \$90.00

5 SCHEDULE

- 5.1 Registration:
Day and date Friday 19th February 2010

From 0745 to 0830.

5.2 Dates of racing:

<u>Date</u>	<u>Time</u>	<u>RS:X</u>	<u>Lasers</u>
19 February 2010	AM	Racing	
19 February 2010	PM	Racing	Racing
20 February 2010	All day	Racing	Racing
21 February 2010	All day	Racing	Racing

5.4 Number of races:

<u>Class</u>	<u>Number</u>	<u>Maximum Races per day</u>
RS:X	Up to 10 & Medal race	4
Lasers	Up to 8 & Medal race	4

5.5 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race on the 19 February 2010 is 0930 for the RS:X class and 1500 for the Laser classes and the scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race on the each following day is 0900.

6 MEASUREMENTS

It is the responsibility of the skipper to ensure that their equipment complies with class rules and YA Safety Regulations. Competitors may be required to produce their equipment upon request for inspection and measurement.

7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available after 1800 on 17th February 2010 from the event website.

8 VENUE

Attachment A shows the location of the regatta harbour and the location of the racing areas.

9 THE COURSES

The diagrams in Attachment B show the courses, including the approximate angles between legs, the order in which marks are to be passed, and the side on which each mark is to be left.

10 PENALTY SYSTEM

For the RS:X classes rule 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

11 SCORING

11.1 Three races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

11.2 (a) When fewer than 5 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.

(b) When 5 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

(c) A boat's score in the medal race shall not be excluded.

12 SUPPORT BOATS

Support boats shall be marked with the Perth 2011 brand/flag or a flag identifying them as a coach boat by the displaying of a flag carry a black "C" on a white back ground.

13 COACHING

Coaching will be allowed for during racing for the Laser, Laser Radial and Laser 4.7 classes only.

14 BERTHING

Boats shall be kept in their assigned places in the boat park.

15 RADIO COMMUNICATION

Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

16 PRIZES

Trophies will only be given to the first placed boat of male, female and youth and second and third overall in the RS:X fleet.

17 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta 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 regatta.

18 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$AUD5 000 000.00 per event or the equivalent however \$AUD10 000 000.00 is strongly recommended.

19 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact:

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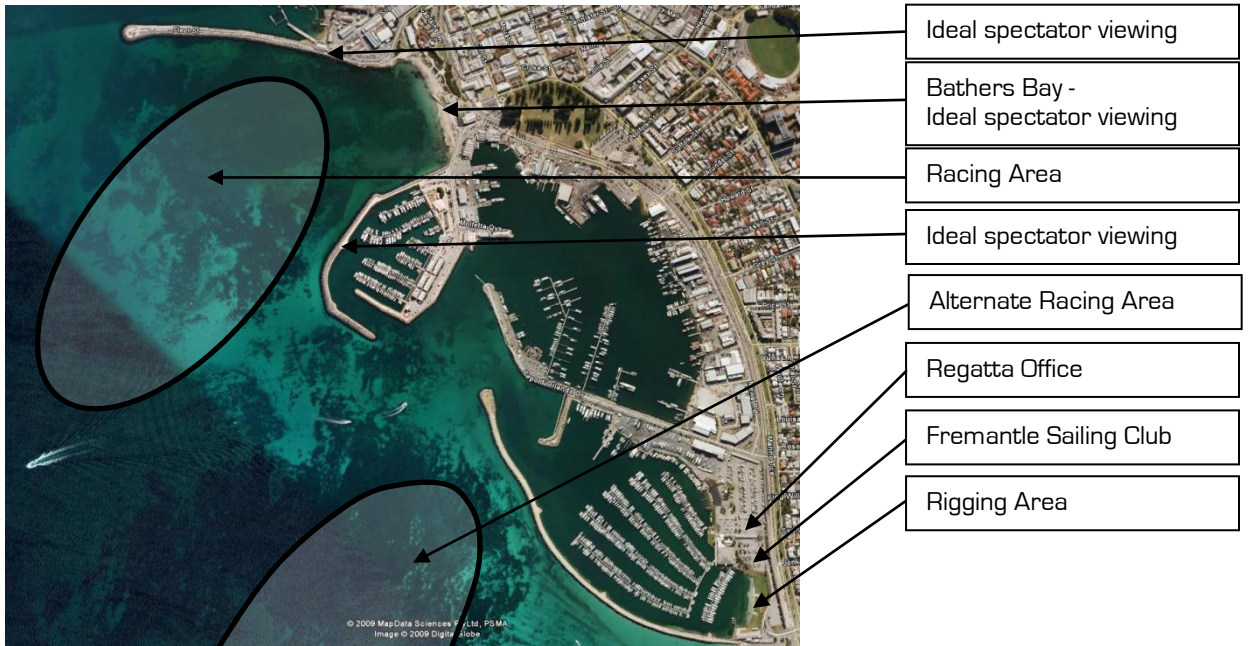
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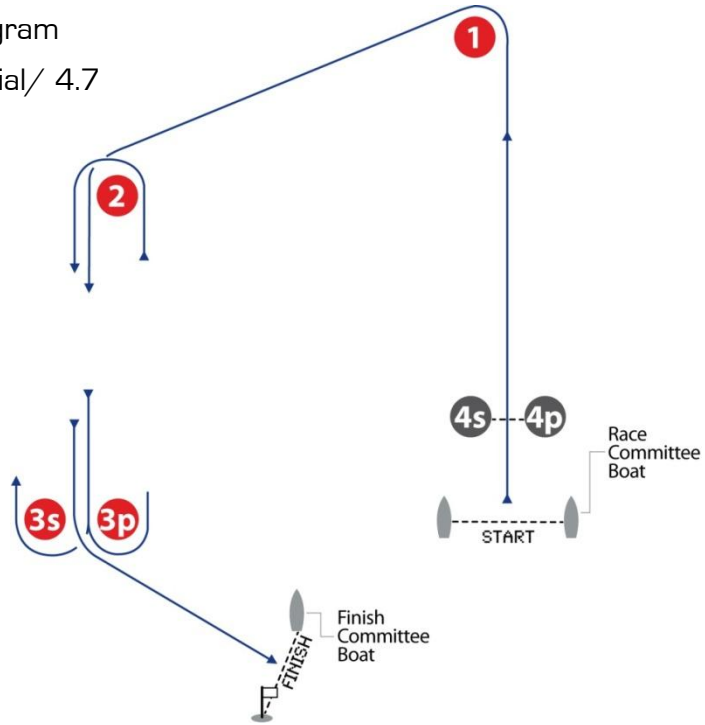
Attachment A

Diagram of venue



Attachment B

Course Diagram
Laser/ Radial/ 4.7



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