



NOTICE OF RACE

SUNSET SERIES

FRIDAY 18TH JULY

1630 hours

- This race will be governed by the rules defined in the ISAF Racing Rules of sailing 2013-2016.
By lodging an entry the owner/charterer agrees to be bound by all the rules and conditions of the race. Entry fee is \$10.00 for members and \$15.00 for non-members, payable before race at North Marina office.
- **Notice to competitors will be posted on the notice board located at Sorrento's Restaurant.**
- Any changes to sailing instructions will be posted not less than two hours before taking effect.
- **Signals made ashore will be displayed on the flag pole on the rock wall adjacent to Sorrento's Restaurant.**
- Sunset Series races will be held each Friday from 18/7/14 any changes will be posted on notice board at Sorrento's and skippers will be notified via text or e-mail. Racing will start at 1630.
- There may be one, two or three divisions depending on number of entries. (Note. It will take three entries to make a division.)
 - **Division 1 Racing Multi Hulls spinnaker or non-spinnaker. White flag. Start 1630**
 - **Division 2 Racing Mono Hulls spinnaker or non-spinnaker. Purple flag Start 1635.**
 - **Division 3 Cruising Pink flag. Start 1640.**
- The race will be conducted within the area of Pioneer Bay defined on charts AUS 825 & 252.
- **The course for racing boats will be from the start to mark 1 this will be approximately north of the start line. This mark will be left to starboard. Then on to mark 2, which will be in the vicinity of Mandalay Point and left to port. Then back to mark 1 which will be left to port onto finish line. The length of the**

course will be set to take approximately 1 hour in the conditions of the day. The course for cruising boats will be from the start to mark 1. This will be left to port, then back to the finish. Length of course may be varied to suit conditions. * Refer to attachment 'APYC Sunset Series Race Course'

- The start/finish mark and turning marks will be yellow/orange inflatable buoys.
- **The start will be between yellow/orange inflatable mark left to port and the flag pole on the rock wall in front of Sorrento's Restaurant.**
- The start sequence will be conducted in accordance with RRS 26. The first warning signal will not be before 1625 hours.
- **The finish will be between the yellow/orange inflatable mark left to starboard and the flag pole on the rock wall in front of Sorrento's Restaurant.**
- The time limit for each division will be 1830. A boat not finishing within the time limit will be classified DNF.
- Any boat retiring from the race shall use all available means to promptly advise the APYC committee.
- This race is YA special regulations category 5 – boats must be compliant.
- **All competing boats shall monitor VHF channel 73.**
- Presentations will be as soon as practicable after the finish of the race at Sorrento's Restaurant.
- **Competitors participate in this race entirely at their own risk and are responsible for the seaworthiness of the boat whose entry is accepted.**
Insurance – Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$10,000,000 AUD per incident or the equivalent.
- A skipper involved in any incident i.e. serious injury, grounding or collision, is required to lodge an Incident Report with Maritime Safety Queensland.