



## **INTERNATIONAL 505 CLASS**

### **2023 AUSTRALIAN and OPEN CHAMPIONSHIP**

#### **NOTICE OF RACE**

**Date:**

22 to 28 January 2023

**Organising Authority:**

Darling Point Sailing Squadron Inc.

**Event website:**

<https://www.int505.org/australia-home-page/2023-australian-nationals/>



The notation '[DP]' in a rule in the NoR means that the penalty for a breach of that rule may, at the discretion of the protest committee, be less than disqualification.

## **1. RULES**

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the current *Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)*.
- 1.2 Australian Sailing Prescriptions and Special Regulations Part 2 Off the Beach Boats will apply. It will be the responsibility of all competitors to ensure that personal floatation devices comply with a standard equivalent to those listed in Special Regulations 5.01 Personal Floatation Devices, are maintained and in a good condition.
- 1.3 The class rules of the International 505 Class shall apply.
- 1.4 The following rules will be changed:
  - 1.4.1 Rule 42.3 c) is replaced by Class Rule B13 as follows: "Except on a beat to windward, when surfing (rapidly accelerating down the face of a wave) or planing is possible, the boats crew may pull the sheet and guy controlling any sail in order to initiate or maintain surfing or planing, but not more than three repeated pulls and releases of the sail may be made for each wave or gust of wind."
- 1.5 Any amendments to this Notice of Race will be posted on the event website prior to 31 December 2022.

## **2. ADVERTISING**

- 2.1 [DP] Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the Organising Authority.

## **3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**

- 3.1 The Australian and Open Championships are open to all boats of the International 505 Class.
- 3.2 Only teams with Australian skipper and crew are eligible to be crowned Australian Champion.
- 3.3 All competitors shall be current members of their National 505 Association or individual members of the International 505 Association.
- 3.4 Depending on entries there will be a Classic Division for boats with sail numbers less than 8400.
- 3.5 Eligible boats may enter on-line at the event website:  
<https://www.int505.org/australia-home-page/2023-australian-nationals/>
- 3.6 Competitors under the age of 18 years at the time of the event shall be required to complete and lodge the parental/guardian consent form included on the entry form at time of registration and prior to commencement of racing. The decision to race is therefore the responsibility of that parent or guardian.
- 3.7 Boats may be requested to carry cameras, sound equipment or positioning devices as specified and provided by the Organizing Authority.

#### 4. FEES

- 4.1 Entry Fee is \$450 up until 31 October 2022
- 4.2 Late Entry Fee of an additional \$90 will apply to all entries after 31 October 2022.
- 4.3 Junior Entry Fee for teams travelling more than 1000km with either member under 25 years old will be \$300 until 31 October 2022.
- 4.4 Free entry until 31 October 2022 is available to one team from each state with either member under 25 years old who finished as top junior in their state championships.
- 4.5 Entry Fees are to be paid using the online entry system.

#### 5. SCHEDULE

Date	Event/Race	Time of Event Or Warning Signal
22 Jan 2023	Measurement and registration	1000 to 1700
23 Jan 2023	Measurement and registration Competitors Meeting Invitation (Practice) Race	1000 to 1200 1200 1400
24 Jan 2023	Racing	1300
25 Jan 2023	Racing	1300
26 Jan 2023	Racing	1300
27 Jan 2023	Racing	1300
28 Jan 2023	Racing	1200

- 5.1 Ten (10) races are scheduled.
- 5.2 There will be no warning signal made after 1500 hours on 28 January 2023.
- 5.3 No more than 3 races will be sailed on any race session.

#### 6. MEASUREMENT AND EQUIPMENT INSPECTION

- 6.1 Each boat shall present a valid measurement certificate.
- 6.2 1 hull, 1 boom, 1 mast, 1 or 2 spinnaker poles, 1 centreboard, 1 rudder, and 1 or 2 suits of sails shall be presented for inspection.
- 6.3 [DP] Each boat shall carry at all times while afloat:
- A tow line of at least 10 metres in length and 6mm in diameter;
  - A tow loop at the front of the boat;
  - A paddle with a minimum blade area of 250mm x 125mm and minimum length of 750mm;
- 6.4 Boats and equipment may be subject to additional inspection at any time during the event.

#### 7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Sailing Instructions will be posted on the regatta website no later than seven (7) days prior to the event, and will be available from the registration desk at the event.

## **8. VENUE**

- 8.1 The regatta location is the Darling Point Sailing Squadron, Trafalgar Street, Manly 4179, QLD. Attachment A shows the location of the venue.
- 8.2 Attachment B shows the approximate location of the racing area.

## **9. THE COURSES**

- 9.1 The courses will be described in the Sailing Instructions and will be Windward/Leeward or Windward/Leeward/Triangle configurations.
- 9.2 The approximate race duration will be 60 minutes.
- 9.3 Gate starts will be used.

## **10. PENALTY SYSTEM**

- 10.1 Rule 44.1 is changed so that the Two – Turns Penalty is replaced by the One – Turn Penalty.
- 10.2 Decisions of the Protest Committee will be final as provided in RRS 70.5.

## **11. SCORING**

- 11.1 4 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, 6, 7 or 8 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.
  - c) When 9 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her two worst scores.

## **12. SAFETY**

- 12.1 Attention is drawn to RRS 1.2 and RRS 3
- 12.2 [DP] Discretionary penalties will apply to RRS 41 – Outside Help. Actions by the Race Committee in retrieving crews and returning them to their boats may not be penalized.

## **13. SUPPORT BOATS**

- 13.1 [DP] Coach and support boats shall register before racing commences by completing the form available at registration.
- 13.2 Support boats with team leaders, coaches and other support personnel shall stay outside areas where boats are racing from the time of the preparatory signal for the first fleet to start until all boats have finished or the Race Committee signals a postponement, general recall or abandonment. (Outside areas where boats are racing also includes areas where support boats and competitors' boats will affect the wind conditions of boats still racing, especially at the finish.)
- 13.3 [DP] Each coach/support boat is required to have a working VHF radio tuned into a frequency designated by the Race Committee and be available to act as a safety boat as directed by the Race Committee if required.
- 13.4 All coach / support boats shall be insured with third party liability insurance with a minimum cover of AUD\$10,000,000 per incident. Proof of insurance may be required by the Organising Authority.

## 14. BERTHING

- 14.1 Boats shall be kept on the grounds of DPSS as directed.
- 14.2 Containers will be placed in the vicinity of DPSS and easily accessible throughout the Event.
- 14.3 Support boats will be berthed as directed by the Organising Authority.

## 15. RADIO COMMUNICATION

- 15.1 [DP] Except in an emergency, a boat shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication.

## 16. PRIZES

Prizes will be awarded as follows:

Channel 7 Perpetual Trophy	First Overall
Lawford Perpetual Trophy	First Overall
Memo Sail Trophy (2 parts)	Crew (First Overall)
Kyrwood Family Perpetual Trophy	First Handicap
Delmar Morgan Perpetual Trophy	First Invitation Race
Junior Division Perpetual Trophy	First team with either member under 25
Masters Division	First team with either member over 45 or combined age of over 80
Grand Masters	First team with either member over 55 or combined age of over 100
Ladies Division Perpetual Trophy	First team with female skipper or crew
Rod Challinor Perpetual Teams Trophy	First three boats from the same fleet
Rookie Division Perpetual Trophy	First team with either member sailing in their first championship
Peter Pisters Perpetual Prize	Most persistent team who finishes all races and scores the most points.

Additional prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the Organising Authority.

## 17. RISK STATEMENT

- 17.1 RRS 3 states: 'The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue to race is hers alone.' By participating in this event each competitor agrees and acknowledges that sailing is a potentially dangerous activity with inherent risks. These risks include strong winds and rough seas, sudden changes in weather, failure of equipment, boat handling errors, poor seamanship by other boats, loss of balance on an unstable platform and fatigue resulting in increased risk of injury. **Inherent in the sport of sailing is the risk of permanent, catastrophic injury or death by drowning, trauma, hypothermia or other causes.**

## **18. INSURANCE**

- 18.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of AUD2,000,000 per incident or the equivalent.

## **19. FURTHER INFORMATION**

- 19.1 For further information please contact:

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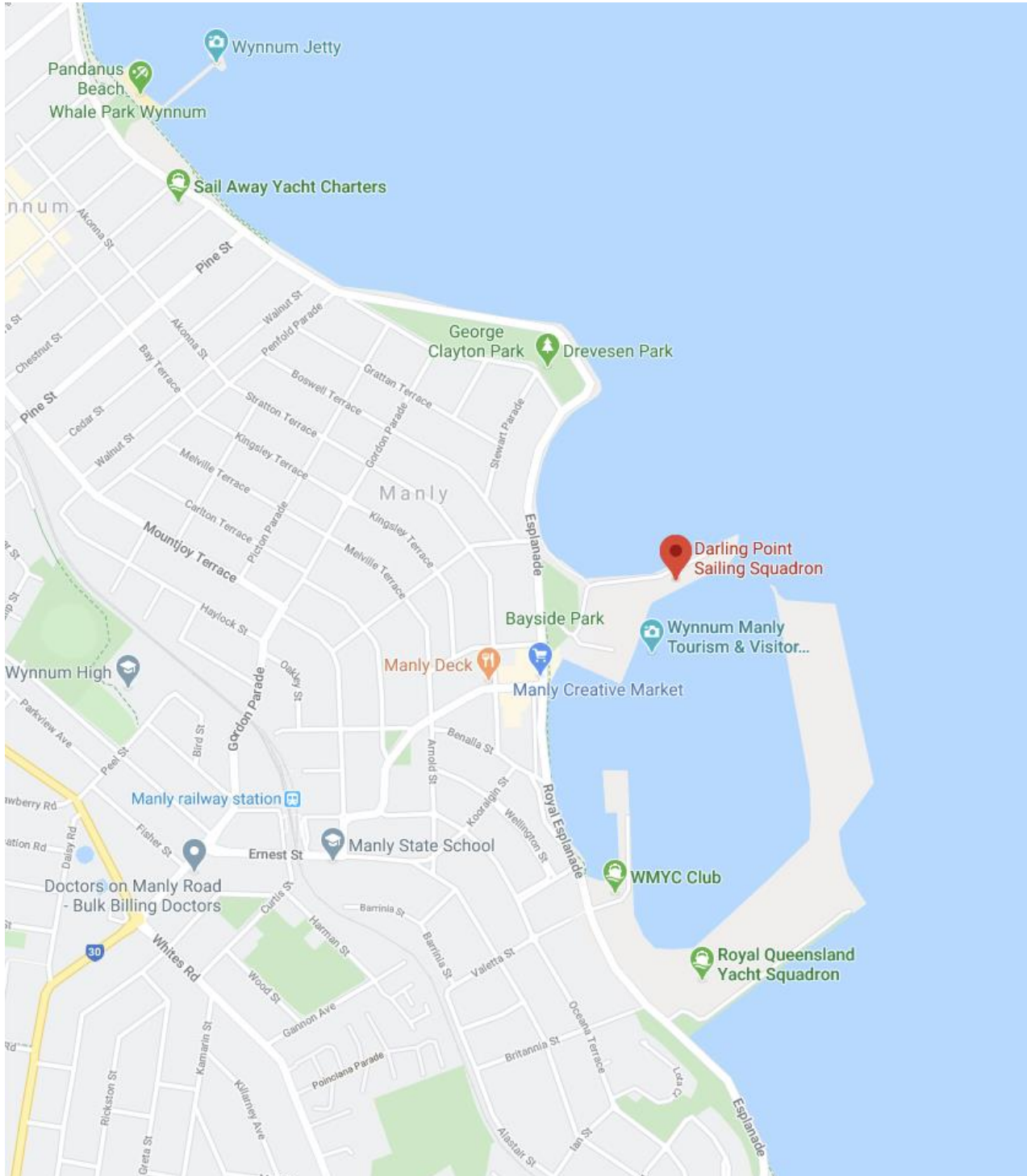
# Attachment A

## Darling Point Sailing Squadron Location

16 Trafalgar St

Manly 4179 QLD

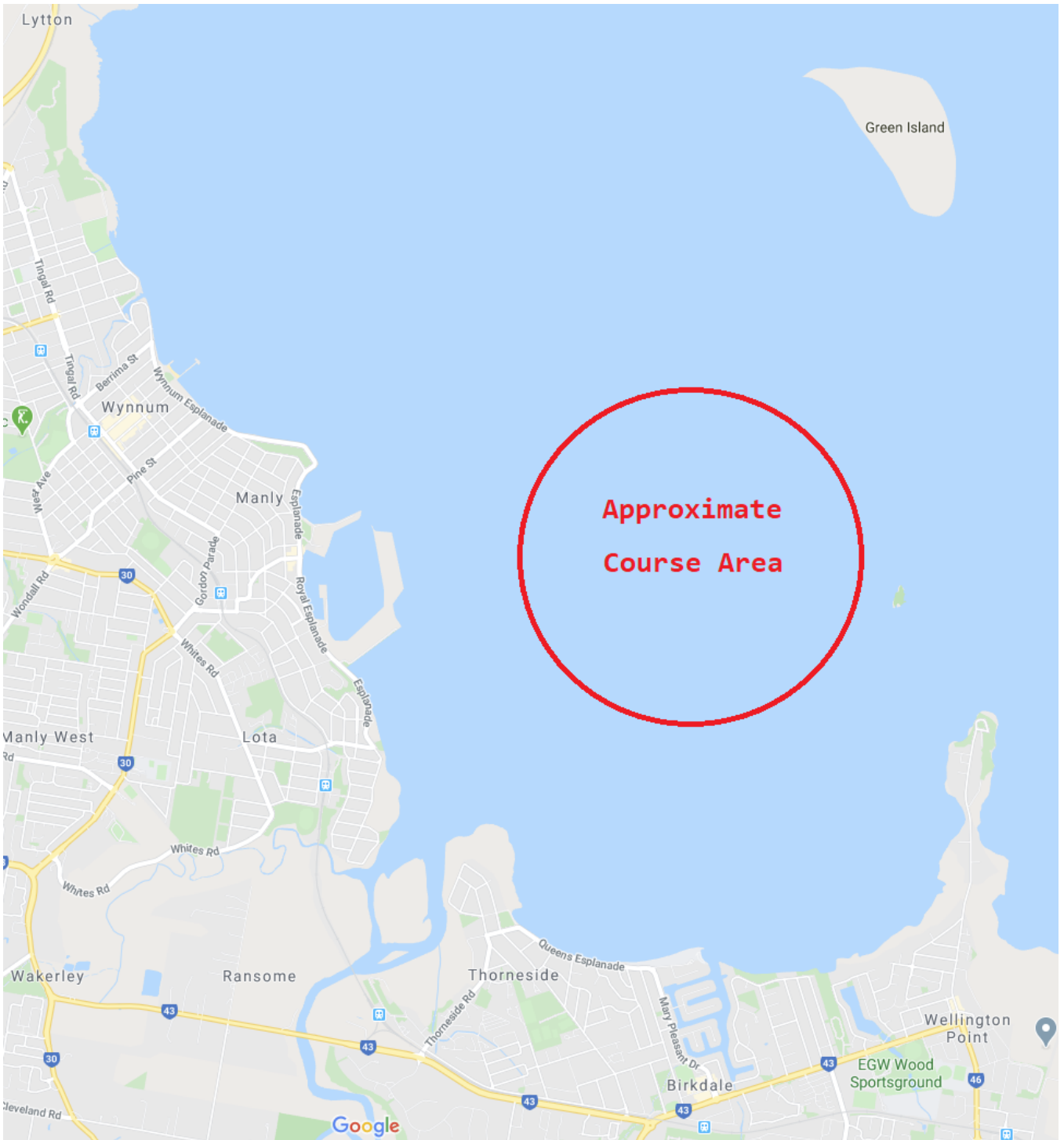
[Google Maps Link](#)



# Attachment B

## Proposed Course Area

The waters of Waterloo Bay





## General Information – Not Part of the Notice of Race

### Accommodation:

Manly Harbour Village Accommodation - range of accommodation options -

<https://manlyharbourvillage.com/wynnum-manly-tourism-visitor-information-centre/accommodation/>

Visit Wynnum Manly - range of accommodation options -

<https://www.visitwynnummanly.com.au/where-to-stay/>

Houses - Wynnum Manly Hideaway

<https://www.wynnummanlyhideaway.com.au/holiday-accommodation-brisbane/>

Corporate Beach House - <http://www.corporatebeachhouse.com/>

Apartments - <http://www.wynnumbayside.com.au/>

Unit - <http://www.rosebaygetaway.com.au/>

Cottages and units - <http://www.pelicansnestleinn.com.au/>

Motel at RQYS - <https://www.manlymarinacove.com/>

Stayz - search for Wynnum Manly

Airbnb - search for Wynnum Manly

Camping - Royal Queensland Yacht Squadron offers camping for \$15 per person (over 12yo) per night.

Phone (07) 3396 8666 to book.

RQYS is at the opposite end of Manly Boat Harbour and is an easy stroll to DPSS.