

RS 100 and VS 15

2024 National Championships

Notice of Race

26 – 28 January 2024

Toronto Amateur Sailing Club

27 Victory Parade, Toronto NSW 2283

The Organising Authority will be the Toronto Amateur Sailing Club (TASC) in conjunction with the RS Sailing Association Australia and conducted under the authority of Australian Sailing (AS).

Rules:

The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the current Racing Rules of Sailing. The Prescriptions and Special Regulations of Australian Sailing (AS) – Part 2 will apply.

Advertising:

Boats may be required to display advertising as supplied by the Organising Authority.

Eligibility:

The regatta is open to all RS100-and VS 15 sailors who are current financial members of a club affiliated with Australian Sailing and a member of the RS100 Class Association or VS 15 Class Association.

Entries:

Entry for RS100s and VS 15s is available online

<https://sailingresults.net/entry/default.aspx?ID=1064376>

Entry Fee is \$200 up until January 20, 2024 and \$250 after this date up until 5pm January 25th 2024.

Schedule of Races:

Registration: 26 Jan 2024	1030 to 1130	For RS100s at TASC
Briefing: 26 Jan 2024	1130	For RS100s at TASC & VS 15 Skiff Classes.
Racing: 26 Jan 2024	First warning signal not before 1300	Race schedule as per Sailing Instructions
Racing: 27 Jan 2024	First warning signal not before 1300	Race schedule as per Sailing Instructions
Racing: 28 Jan 2024	First warning signal not before 1000	No warning signal after 1400

Racing will normally be back to back with 9 races scheduled and a maximum of 4 per day.

Sailing Instructions:

It is recommended that all competitors access the Sailing Instructions from <https://www.revolutionise.com.au/rssaa> or www.tasc.org/sailing/regattas as no hard copies will be available at the regatta.

Courses:

The courses to be sailed will be windward-leeward courses as described in the Sailing Instructions.

Penalties:

RRS rule 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

Scoring:

- A maximum of 9 races to be completed over the weekend are scheduled, of which 4 (four) races shall constitute a series.
- Series Scores:
 - When there are 5 or fewer races completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
 - When from 6 to 9 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

Prizes:

Prizes for RS 100s will be awarded as follows:

- 1st, 2nd & 3rd on Scratch Overall
- Additionally there will also be prizes for the following

- Masters division: ages 45 to 54 yr
- Grand masters: ages 55 to 64 yr
- Great grand masters: ages 65 and over
- as at 31 January 2024
- VS 15 prizes will be as determined by the VS 15 Class Association.
- Further prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the Organising Authority.

Disclaimer of Liability:

- Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 3, Decision to Race. It is the competitor's decision to enter an Event or to start and continue in any race. Competitors shall accept that their participation in an Event is at their exclusive risk in every respect. None of the Organising Authority, RS Sailing Association Australia, VS 15 Class Association, Australian Sailing, their officers, members, volunteers, servants or agents accept any responsibility whatsoever in respect of loss of life, personal injury or damage to property which may be sustained by reason of their participation or intended participation in this event or howsoever arising in connection with the event.

Insurance:

All competing boats shall have third party insurance cover of not less than AUS\$10,000,000 or equivalent thereof in any other currency. A copy of current insurance policies may be requested at registration.

Rights to use Name and Likeness:

In participating, a competitor automatically grants to the Organising Authority and the sponsors, the right in perpetuity, to make, use and show, from time to time and at their discretion, any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or film television and other reproductions of him/her during the period of the competition in which the competitor participates and in all material related to the said Event without compensation.

Further Information:

For further information please contact:

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