



2018/19 Summer Season  
Hosted by  
Royal Melbourne Yacht Squadron

**NOTICE OF RACE**

The 2018/19 Summer Season shall run from Saturday 6 October until Saturday 27 April.  
The Organising Authority for the 2018/19 Summer Season is Royal Melbourne Yacht Squadron.

**1. Rules**

- 1.1. All races shall be governed by:
- 1.1.1. The rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS),
  - 1.1.2. The Sailing Instructions of RMYS and the Sailing Instructions of host clubs conducting events on behalf of RMYS,
  - 1.1.3. The Australian Measurement System (AMS) where applicable,
  - 1.1.4. The International Rule Club (IRC) rules, parts 1, 2 and 3 shall apply,
  - 1.1.5. The Yachting Victoria Handicap System (PHS) where applicable,
  - 1.1.6. The requirements of the Port of Melbourne (POMC) Regulations,
  - 1.1.7. And any amendments published during the season.

**2. Special Events – Notice of Race**

- 2.1. Notices of Race for special events, when issued, shall override this Notice of Race. Events for which a special Notice of Race is issued are shown in Schedule 1 and denoted by the letters “SE” (Separate Entry).

**3. Advertising**

- 3.1. Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organising authority.

**4. Eligibility and Entry**

- 4.1. The races are open to all yachts that:
- 4.1.1. Have lodged an Australian Sailing 2017-2021 Special Regulations Equipment Audit Form relevant to the highest category of race entered and affix a 2018/19 safety category sticker to the transom (if supplied)
  - 4.1.2. Have shown proof of appropriate third party and personal insurance cover, with a minimum of AUD \$10,000,000 public liability.

- 4.1.3. Can ensure that while the yacht is racing, equipment necessary to comply with the relevant safety prescriptions is carried and the appropriate level of insurance cover is maintained.
- 4.1.4. A yacht on the RMYS register with an owner/part owner or crew member with an account in arrears or without a temporary member day pass may be disqualified.
- 4.2. Eligible yachts may enter by completing the online entry form on the RMYS website ([www.rmym.com.au](http://www.rmym.com.au)). Telephone entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Sailing Coordinator.
  - 4.2.1. Casual race entry must be completed by using the online entry system on the RMYS website ([www.rmym.com.au](http://www.rmym.com.au)). Telephone entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Sailing Coordinator.
  - 4.2.2. Casual Entrants will not be included in the series scores.
- 4.3. For closing dates for series entry refer to Schedule 2.
  - 4.3.1. Casual entry for Wednesday races will close at midnight on the Monday prior to the race.
  - 4.3.2. Casual Entry for Saturday and Sunday races will close at midnight on the Thursday prior to the race.
  - 4.3.3. Casual for non-RMYS hosted events will close at midnight on the Wednesday prior to the event.
- 4.4. Yachts must complete a crew declaration in accordance with RMYS SI 1.5(e).

## 5. Fees

- 5.1. Eligible yachts on the RMYS register will not be charged entry fees.
- 5.2. Yachts not on the RMYS register will be charged \$30 per race.
- 5.3. Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Sailing Coordinator and shall be charged a fee of \$30.

## 6. Schedule

- 6.1. Refer to Schedule 1 for race dates and times.
- 6.2. Refer to Schedule 2 for series information.

## 7. Sailing Instructions

- 7.1. RMYS Sailing Instructions V5.0 and amendments are available from the RMYS Office or the RMYS Website.

## 8. Venue

- 8.1. Races will be conducted on the waters of Port Phillip.

## 9. Courses

- 9.1. The courses to be sailed and their locations are detailed in the RMYS SIs. For races that are conducted jointly with other clubs, please refer to the host club's current sailing instructions. Copies may be available from the RMYS Office. Alternatively, please check the host club's website.

## 10. Scoring

- 10.1. Series scoring
  - 10.1.1. For a series that is held over a period of time longer than a regatta, a boat that came to the starting area but did not *start*, did not *finish*, retired after *finishing*, or was disqualified shall be scored points for the finishing place one more than the number of boats that

came to the starting area. A boat that did not come to the starting area shall be scored points for the finishing place once more than the number of boats entered in the series.  
10.1.2. Scoring for the Long Distance Series is set out in Schedule 3.

#### **11. Radio Communication**

- 11.1.1. 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.
- 11.1.2. Competitors are encouraged to monitor their VHF radio on the advised race channel and also emergency channel 16.

#### **12. Prizes**

- 12.1. Trophies associated with races and events will be awarded as follows:
  - 12.1.1. Open – Yachts on the register of yacht clubs affiliated with Australian Sailing.
  - 12.1.2. Club – Yachts on the RMYS register.
  - 12.1.3. Prizes for the Long Distance Series are set out in Schedule 3.

#### **13. Disclaimer of Liability**

- 13.1. Competitors participate in the races and events entirely at their own risk. See RRS 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.

#### **14. Insurance**

- 14.1. Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of AUD 10 Million per incident of the equivalent.

#### **15. Further Information**

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### 1. DATES AND TIMES OF EVENTS – Schedule 1

WEEKEND SUMMER (SB = Summer Block without Nautilus Marine Series. SE = Separate Entry)

Date	Time	Host Club	Race & Notes	Course Type	Agg/Non-Agg	Safety Cat.	Entry Type
20/10/18	1330	RYCV	WT Crosbie Trophy (Edward Lumley Series – Race 1)	Laid/Comb	Agg	6	SB
03/11/18	1400	RMYS	Non-Aggregate Race	Sqd/Comb	Non-Agg	6	SB
24/11/18	1400	RMYS	Bert Watts Trophy (Charles Marshall Series – Race 1)	Laid/Comb	Agg	6	SB
01/12/18	1100	RMYS	Cactus Cup (Edward Lumley Series – Race 2)	Sqd/Comb	Agg	6	SB
15/12/18	1400	RMYS	Dick Lean Trophy (Charles Marshall Series – Race 2)	Laid/Comb	Agg	6	SB
05/01/19	1400	RMYS	Non-Aggregate Race	Sqd/Comb	Non-Agg	6	SB
12/01/19	1300	RYCV	Doc Bennell Trophy (Charles Marshall Series – Race 3) <i>Long Distance Series – Race 1</i>	Laid/Comb	Agg	6	SB
19/01/19	1400	RMYS	International Cup	Laid/Comb	Agg	6	SB
29/01/19	1000	RMYS	Agar Wynne Trophy <i>Long Distance Series – Race 2</i>	Passage	Non-Agg	5	SB
02/02/19	1230	RMYS	Squadron Trophy and Plate <i>Long Distance Series – Race 3</i>	Laid/Comb	Agg	5	SB
03/02/19	1100	RMYS	Jennifer Goldsmith Trophy <i>Port Phillip Women's Championship Series</i>	Sqd/Comb	Non-Agg	6	SE
16/02/19	1000	HBYC	Big Bay Challenge <i>Long Distance Series – Race 4</i>	Special	Non-Agg	5N+	SE
23/02/19	0800	RMYS	Ruth Nangle Trophy	Pursuit	Non-Agg	6	SE
24/02/19	1100	RMYS	Jeanette Turnbull Trophy <i>Long Distance Series – Race 5</i>	Passage	Non-Agg	6	SE
02/03/19	1000	RMYS	2 Aggregate Races (Top of the Bay Regatta)	Laid/Com	Agg	6	SB
09/03/19	1400	RMYS	Moomba Cup	Sqd/Comb	Non-Agg	6	SB
23/03/19	1300	RYCV	Measurement Cup	Laid/Comb	Agg	6	SB
13/04/19	1400	RMYS	Services Shield (Edward Lumley Series – Race 3)	Laid/Comb	Agg	6	SB
27/04/19			Provision for Re-Sail	TBA	TBA	TBA	SB

**WEDNESDAY SUMMER** (PT = Pursuit Twilight Block. ST = Spinnaker Twilight Block.)

<b>Date</b>	<b>Time</b>	<b>Race &amp; Notes</b>	<b>Course Type</b>	<b>Safety Cat</b>	<b>Entry Type</b>
10/10/18	1800	Super Wednesday Twilight Sprint Race 1	Pursuit	7	PT or ST
17/10/18	1800	Super Wednesday Twilight Sprint Race 2	Pursuit	7	PT or ST
24/10/18	1800	Super Wednesday Twilight Sprint Race 3 (Final)	Pursuit	7	PT or ST
31/10/18	1800	Jo Johannesen Trophy Twilight Series Race 1 Dennis Livingston AMS Trophy Race 1	Pursuit	7	PT
31/10/18	1800	Les Norton Trophy Summer Twilight Spinnaker Series 1 – Race 1	Pursuit	7	ST
07/11/18	1800	Jo Johannesen Trophy Twilight Series Race 2 Dennis Livingston AMS Trophy Race 2	Pursuit	7	PT
07/11/18	1800	Les Norton Trophy Summer Twilight Spinnaker Series 1 – Race 2	Pursuit	7	ST
14/11/18	1800	Jo Johannesen Trophy Twilight Series Race 3 Dennis Livingston Trophy Race 3	Pursuit	7	PT
14/11/18	1800	Les Norton Trophy Summer Twilight Spinnaker Series 1 – Race 3	Pursuit	7	ST
21/11/18	1800	Jo Johannesen Trophy Twilight Series Race 4 Dennis Livingston Trophy Race 4	Pursuit	7	PT
21/11/18	1800	Les Norton Trophy Summer Twilight Spinnaker Series 1 – Race 4	Pursuit	7	ST
28/11/18	1800	Jo Johannesen Trophy Twilight Series Race 5 Dennis Livingston Trophy Race 5	Pursuit	7	PT
28/11/18	1800	Les Norton Trophy Summer Twilight Spinnaker Series 1 – Race 5	Pursuit	7	ST
05/12/18	1800	Jo Johannesen Trophy Twilight Series Race 6 Dennis Livingston Trophy Race 6	Pursuit	7	PT
05/12/18	1800	Les Norton Trophy Summer Twilight Spinnaker Series 1 – Race 6	Pursuit	7	ST
12/12/18	1800	Jo Johannesen Trophy Twilight Series Race 7 Dennis Livingston Trophy Race 7	Pursuit	7	PT
12/12/18	1800	Les Norton Trophy Summer Twilight Spinnaker Series 1 – Race 7	Pursuit	7	ST
19/12/18	1800	Jo Johannesen Trophy Twilight Series Race 8 (Final) Dennis Livingston Trophy Race 8 (Final)	Pursuit	7	PT
19/12/18	1800	Les Norton Trophy Summer Twilight Spinnaker Series 1 – Race 8 (Final)	Pursuit	7	ST

02/01/19	1800	Club Captain's Invitational Race	Pursuit	7	PT or ST
09/01/19	1800	La Nangle Trophy Twilight Series Race 1 Terry Hill AMS Trophy Race 1	Pursuit	7	PT
09/01/19	1800	Les Norton Trophy Summer Twilight Spinnaker Series 2 – Race 1	Pursuit	7	ST
16/01/19	1800	La Nangle Trophy Twilight Series Race 2 Terry Hill AMS Trophy Race 2	Pursuit	7	PT
16/01/19	1800	Les Norton Trophy Summer Twilight Spinnaker Series 2 – Race 2	Pursuit	7	ST
23/01/19	1800	La Nangle Trophy Twilight Series Race 3 Terry Hill AMS Trophy Race 3	Pursuit	7	PT
23/01/19	1800	Les Norton Trophy Summer Twilight Spinnaker Series 2 – Race 3	Pursuit	7	ST
30/01/19	1800	La Nangle Trophy Twilight Series Race 4 Terry Hill AMS Trophy Race 4	Pursuit	7	PT
30/01/19	1800	Les Norton Trophy Summer Twilight Spinnaker Series 2 – Race 4	Pursuit	7	ST
06/02/19	1800	La Nangle Trophy Twilight Series Race 5 Terry Hill AMS Trophy Race 5	Pursuit	7	PT
06/02/19	1800	Les Norton Trophy Summer Twilight Spinnaker Series 2 – Race 5 (Napier Cup)	Pursuit	7	ST
13/02/19	1800	La Nangle Trophy Twilight Series Race 6 Terry Hill AMS Trophy Race 6	Pursuit	7	PT
13/02/19	1800	Les Norton Trophy Summer Twilight Spinnaker Series 2 – Race 6	Pursuit	7	ST
20/02/19	1800	La Nangle Trophy Twilight Series Race 7 Terry Hill AMS Trophy Race 7	Pursuit	7	PT
20/02/19	1800	Les Norton Trophy Summer Twilight Spinnaker Series 2 – Race 7	Pursuit	7	ST
27/02/19	1800	La Nangle Trophy Twilight Series Race 8 (Final) Terry Hill AMS Trophy Race 8 (Final)	Pursuit	7	PT
27/02/19	1800	Les Norton Trophy Summer Twilight Spinnaker Series 2 – Race 8 (Final)	Pursuit	7	ST
06/03/19	1800	Twilight Sprint Series Race 1	Pursuit	7	PT or ST
13/03/19	1800	Twilight Sprint Series Race 2	Pursuit	7	PT or ST
20/03/19	1800	Twilight Sprint Series Race 3 (Final)	Pursuit	7	PT or ST

## EVENTS – Schedule 2

To be held, each Aggregate or Series must have four or more entries, and each Regatta must have six or more entries. To score each race must have 3 starters.

Event	Safety Category	Date	Divisions	Start Time	Series	Status
<b>Divisional Aggregates</b>	6	Thursday 4 October 2018	1, 2, & 3	As shown in Summer NoR Schedule 1	Races in series: 12 Races to constitute a Series: 10 Races to score: 10	Club
<b>AMS Divisional Aggregates</b>	6	Thursday 4 October 2018	1, 2, & 3	As shown in Summer NoR Schedule 1	Races in series: 12 Races to constitute a Series: 10 Races to score: 10	Club
<b>IRC Aggregates</b>	6	Thursday 4 October 2018	Combined	As shown in Summer NoR Schedule 1	Races in series: 12 Races to constitute a Series: 10 Races to score: 10	Club
<b>Charles Marshall Trophy</b>	6	Thursday 4 October 2018	Combined - AMS	As shown in Summer NoR Schedule 1	Races in series: 3 Races to constitute a Series: 2 All races to score <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Bert Watts Trophy</li> <li>• Dick Lean Trophy</li> <li>• Doc Bennell Trophy</li> </ul>	Club
<b>Edward Lumley Trophy</b>	6	Thursday 4 October 2018	Combined - AMS	As shown in Summer NoR Schedule 1	Races in series: 3 Races to constitute a Series: 2 All races to score <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Cactus Cup</li> <li>• Services Shield</li> <li>• WT Crosbie Trophy</li> </ul>	Club
<b>Long Distance Series</b>	See Schedule 1	Thursday 4 October 2018	Combined – PHS	Refer to appropriate NOR for each race	Races in series: 5 Races to constitute a series: 3 If 4 or more races are completed – discard worst score. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Agar Wynne Trophy</li> <li>• Big Bay Challenge</li> <li>• Doc Bennell Trophy</li> <li>• Jeanette Turnbull Trophy</li> <li>• Squadron Trophy &amp; Plate</li> </ul>	Club (Big Bay Challenge is Open)
<b>Super Wednesday Twilight Sprint Series</b>	7	Monday 8 October 2018	RMYS pursuit	As shown in Summer NoR Schedule 1	3 races on consecutive Wednesdays, commencing 10 October 2018 Races to constitute a Series: 2 All races to score	Open

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<b>Les Norton Trophy Twilight Spinnaker Series</b>	7	Monday 29 October 2018	RMYS Pursuit	As shown in Summer NoR Schedule 1	Races in Series: 8 on consecutive Wednesdays, commencing 31 October 2018 Races to constitute a Series: 4 If 5 or 6 races completed – discard worst score. If 7 or more races completed – discard 2 worst scores	Open
<b>Jo Johannesen Trophy Twilight Pursuit Series</b>	7	Monday 29 October 2018	RMYS Pursuit	As shown in Summer NoR Schedule 1	Races in series: 8 on consecutive Wednesdays, commencing 31 October 2018 Races to constitute a Series: 4 If 5 or 6 races completed – discard worst score. If 7 or more races completed – discard 2 worst scores	Open
<b>Dennis Livingston AMS Trophy</b>	7	Monday 29 October 2018	AMS in conjunction with Jo Johannesen	As shown in Summer NoR Schedule 1	Races in series: 8 on consecutive Wednesdays, commencing 31 October 2018 Races to constitute a Series: 4 If 5 or 6 races completed – discard worst score. If 7 or more races completed – discard 2 worst scores	Open
<b>Les Norton Spinnaker Twilight Series</b>	7	Monday 7 January 2019	RMYS Pursuit	As shown in Summer NoR Schedule 1	Races in Series: 8 on consecutive Wednesdays commencing 9 January 2019 Races to constitute a Series: 4 If 5 or 6 races completed – discard worst score. If 7 or more races completed – discard 2 worst scores.	Open



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<b>L.A. Nangle Twilight Pursuit Series</b>	7	Monday 7 January 2019	RMYS Pursuit	As shown in Summer NoR Schedule 1	Races in series: 8 on consecutive Wednesdays, commencing 9 January 2019 Races to constitute a Series: 4 If 5 or 6 races completed – discard worst score. If 7 or more races completed – discard 2 worst scores	Open
<b>Terry Hill AMS Trophy</b>	7	Monday 7 January 2019	AMS in conjunction with LA Nangle	As shown in Summer NoR Schedule 1	Races in series: 8 on consecutive Wednesdays, commencing 9 January 2019 Races to constitute a Series: 4 If 5 or 6 races completed – discard worst score. If 7 or more races completed – discard 2 worst scores	Open
<b>Twilight Sprint Series</b>	7	Monday 4 March 2019	RMYS Pursuit	As shown in Summer NoR Schedule 1	3 races on consecutive Wednesdays, commencing 6 March 2019 Races to constitute a Series: 2 All races to score	Open

## **EVENTS – Schedule 3**

### **1. SCORING**

1.1 All events in the Long Distance Series, except the Big Bay Challenge will score double points. This modifies Low Point System (RRS A4.1).

### **2. PRIZES**

2.1 The Percy Damman Memorial Trophy will be awarded to the overall series winner. The winner will be determined by combining the best result overall from PHS and the next most populated measurement rating (AMS or IRC).

2.2 Additional prizes will be awarded at the discretion of the RMYS Sailing Committee.