



NOTICE OF RACE

Green Island Marathon

Date: Sunday 6th of February, 2022

Location: Davenport Drive, Manly (RQYS Eastern Beach)

1. Divisions

Fin	Foil	Combined
Open	Open	Open

2. Cost

\$20 to Bayside Members and affiliated club members. \$30 to non-members with insurance.

3. Venue

You can either park on Davenport Drive or organise entry to RQYS grounds.

4. COVID-19 Requirements

As per the COVID Safe Plan and Queensland Health directive, it is a requirement for all competitors and guests to sign in and out. You are required to sign in and out using the QR code located at the sign on desk.

5. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

12:00pm	Briefing at the gazebo on the beach
1:00pm	Earliest start (depending on wind)

6. RACING AREA

Races will be conducted in Waterloo Bay.

7. THE COURSE

Two marks set, one set off Manly and the other set off Green Island. The course is a figure 8, see diagram in Appendix A.

8. SCORING

Scoring is based on the most laps completed in the fastest time within the time limit. Boards need to complete at least one lap to be scored. Boards that complete more laps will score better, and boards that complete the same number of laps in a shorter time will score better.

9. MARKS

Marks will be yellow inflatable buoys.

10. THE START

The start will be a 'rabbit' start, with a rescue boat used as the rabbit. Boards will be considered to have started when they have passed behind the stern of the rabbit. The starting area will be off the beach at Manly.

11. THE FINISH

The finish line will be between the gybe mark and a flag on the beach, and will be described at the briefing.

12. TIME LIMITS

The time limit is one hour. Any laps completed outside the time limit will not be scored and any boards that fail to complete a single lap will be scored DNF.

13. SAFETY REGULATIONS

- 11.1 All skippers shall SIGN ON before racing and SIGN OFF at the earliest possible time after the completion of racing, but no later than 30 minutes after the last competitor has finished in the last race of the day. Sign On/Sign Off forms will be available at the Registration desk.
- 11.2 The skipper of a board that retires or does not intend to continue racing, is required to SIGN OFF immediately on return to shore. Failure to comply with this instruction may result in protest and subsequent disqualification.
- 11.3 A board which retires from a race shall, if reasonably practicable, pass close enough to a race committee vessel or patrol boat to signal its retirement.
- 11.4 A competitor who fails to wear an approved buoyancy vest or harness while racing, will be scored DNS. The requirement of RRS 40 to display flag Y will not apply.

- 11.5 Helmets will be compulsory for foil competitors.
- 11.6 Clothing – Refer RRS 43 & B4.43
- 11.7 Coloured rash vests provided by the club must be worn by all competitors.

14. IDENTIFICATION NUMBERS

All competing boards shall have sail numbers correctly displayed at all times. Sailors without legible sail numbers will not be scored.

15. DISCLAIMER

Each competitor must have valid third-party liability insurance.

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See Rule 4 – Decision to Race.

The organizing authority shall not be liable for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

Appendix A:

