



Notice of Race

2009 NS14 YOUTH SERIES

12-13 September 2009

Organised jointly by

Connells Point Sailing Club

Donnelly Park, Kyle Pde, Connells Pt

And

Northbridge Sailing Club

Clive Park (End Of Sailors Bay Rd), Northbridge



1. RULES

The series will be governed by:

- The rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing (2009-2012)* (RRS)
- This Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions

2. ADVERTISING

Advertising will be restricted to Category A

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

3.1 This Series is open to all NS14's

3.2 No boat may score points unless:

- a) The boat is sailed by a crew of two persons, both people being financial members of a club recognised by Yachting Australia or any of its members for the 2009/2010 season
- b) To be eligible for the youth series both members of the crew must be under the age of 25 as of 12th September 2009

3.3 Entrants must register with a nominated club representative at each venue, before the first heat of each day's racing.

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4. EQUIPMENT AND MEASUREMENT

All sails, spars and hulls declared for use in each heat must have been measured and approved for use by a class measurer. All boats must conform to the NS14 Class rules and shall have a valid measurement certificate

5. PROPOSED SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

DAY / DATE	ACTIVITY	TIME
Saturday 12 th September 09	Registration (CPSC)	Before Race 1
	Competitors meeting / Club Briefing	After 1300
	Race 1 Race 2 Race 3	Approx. 1400 Following Race 1 Following Race 2 (conditions permitting)
Sunday 13 th September	Registration (NSC)	Before the days first race
	Club Briefing	After 1300
	Race 4	Approx. 1400
	Race 5	Following Race 4

6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be supplied at registration at the host club and/or the host venue's race briefing.

7. SCORING

7.1 The Low Point System of Appendix A will apply.

7.2 Two (2) races are required to be completed to constitute a series

7.3 If four (4) to five (5) races have been completed, a boat's score for the series will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score

7.4 Scoring will be kept for all participants, as well as a separate division for boats meeting the criteria for the Youth Series

7.5 Handicap scoring may also be maintained

8. VENUE

8.1 Connells Point Sailing Club is located at Donnelly Park Kyle Parade, Connells Point (Fig 1)

8.2 Northbridge Sailing Club is Located at Clive Park (End Of Sailors Bay Rd), Northbridge (Fig 1.1)

9. SAFETY REGULATIONS

The attention of all entrants is drawn to Yachting Australia Special Regulations Part 2 which shall apply.

10. PRIZES

Trophies to be awarded include 1st Place Scratch in the Youth Series

Further prizes may be issued dependent on the number of entrants in the Series. It should be noted that Scratch prize winners will not be eligible any Handicap prizes.

11. INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with a valid third-party liability insurance cover of not less than \$10 million per event or equivalent. All owners/entrants who sign the entry form are deemed to have made a declaration that they hold such cover.

12. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the series entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The organising authority and the NS14 Association of NSW Inc. will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the series.

13. FURTHER INFORMATION

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Fig 1. Connells Point Sailing Club

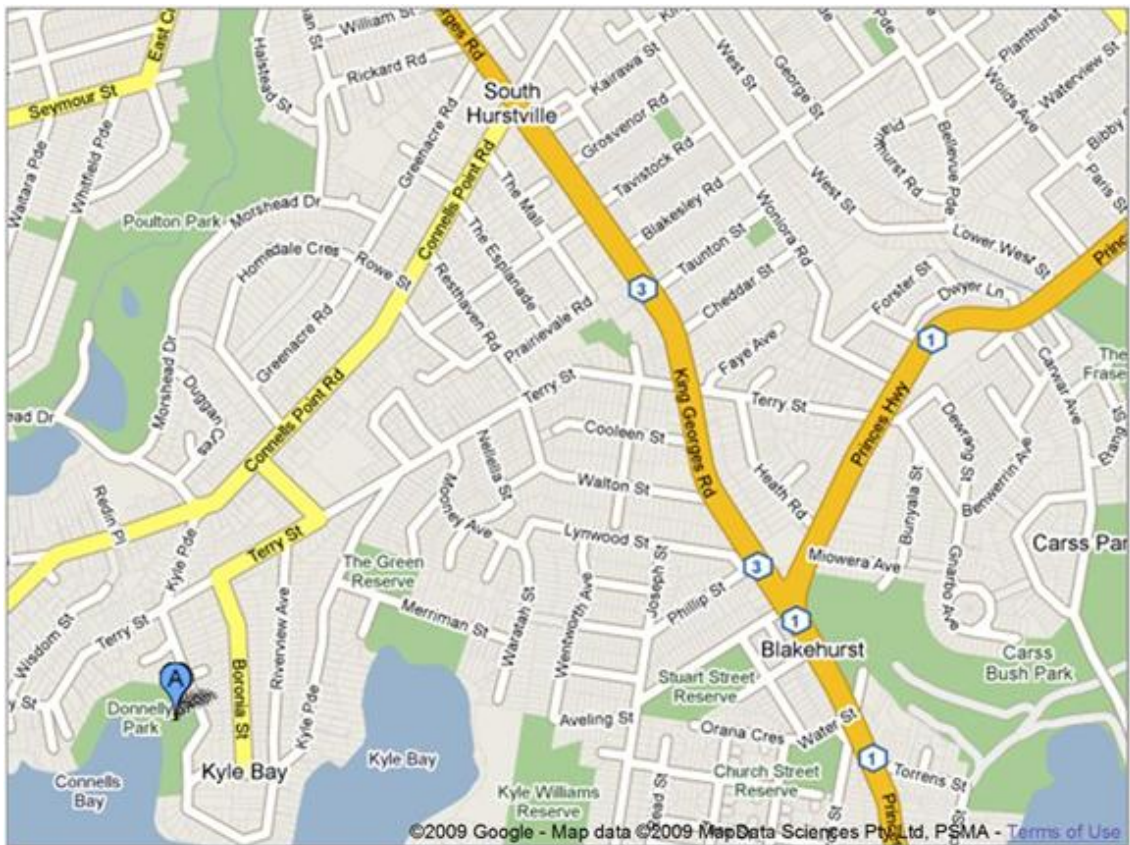


Fig 1.1. Northbridge Sailing Club

