



NOTICE OF RACE

PACER AUSTRALIA 2019-20

NATIONAL CHAMPIONSHIPS

1. RULES

- 1.1 The organising authority of the regatta is Mordialloc Sailing Club in conjunction with Pacer Australia Inc.
- 1.2 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing and the Australian Sailing Special Regulations Part 2.
- 1.3 There will be no changes to the prescription of the Racing Rules of Sailing.
- 1.4 The class rules of the Pacer and Pacer Pursuit classes shall apply. The Pacer Sailing Rules shall also apply.

2. ADVERTISING

- 2.1 Boats may carry Category A advertising.
- 2.2 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the Pacer and Pacer Pursuit class.
- 3.2 Competitors must be current members of their Member National Authority and the Pacer Class Association.
- 3.3 Eligible boats may enter at: www.trybooking.com/524050
- 3.4 Late entries will be accepted up until 28th December 2019 with payment of the late entry fee – refer Fees.

4. FEES

- 4.1 Entry fees are as follows and include two tickets for both the welcome function and the presentation dinner.

Class / Division	Std Fee	Late Fee
Pacer & Pacer Pursuit	\$320	\$350

Late entry fee applies after 15th December 2019

5. SCHEDULE

Day / Date	Event	Target Time / Warning signal
Saturday 28/12/2019	Registration and Measurement	10.00 am – 12.00 pm
	Information Session	12.00 pm
	Invitation Race	2.00 pm
	Annual General Meeting	6.00 pm
	Welcome function	6.30 pm
Sunday 29/12/2019	Racing AM/PM	10:30 am
Monday 30/12/2019	Racing AM/PM	10:30 am
Tuesday 31/12/2019	Racing AM/PM	10:30 am
Wednesday 01/01/2020	No racing	
Thursday 02/01/2020	Racing AM/PM	10:30 am
Friday 03/01/2020	Racing AM/PM	10:30 am
	Presentation Dinner	Evening

5.1 No warning signal shall be made after 4.00 pm on 3rd January 2020.

5.2 10 races (excluding any invitation race) are scheduled.

5.3 No more than four races will be sailed on any one day.

6. MEASUREMENTS

6.1 All boats must have an up to date measurement certificate. In addition the following equipment may be inspected: Sails, foils, hulls and spars. Old boats (those over 20 years old), club boats and training boats are exempt from measurement at the discretion of the organising authority.

7. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be available at Mordialloc Sailing Club on Saturday 28/12/2019.

8. VENUE

Racing will be conducted on the waters off Mordialloc Sailing Club.

9. THE COURSES

9.1 Courses will be set as variations of a Windward /Leeward/ triangle course with both short and long course lengths.

9.2 Course diagrams, including the approximate angles between legs, the order in which marks are to be passed, and the side on which each mark is to be left will be provided in the Sailing Instructions.

9.3 The approximate course length / race duration will be 30 minutes for short courses and 60 minutes for long courses.

10. SCORING

10.1 The Low Point scoring system of RRS Appendix A4 shall apply

10.2 Four races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

10.3 (a) When fewer than six races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.

(b) When six to eight races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the

total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

- (c) When nine or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her two worst scores.

11. SAFETY

- 11.1 All sailors competing in the Regatta must comply with Yachting Australia Special Regulations Part 1.2. Personal Equipment.
- 11.2 All competitors shall wear personal flotation devices (PFD), which are in good condition and are in accordance with the specifications issued or approved by a national authority or standards organisation and branded in the country of origin or manufacture. PFD1 flotation devices are recommended for children 12 years and under.
- 11.3 Discretionary penalties will apply to Rule 41 – Outside Help. Actions of the Race committee in retrieving crews from the water and returning them to their boats may not be penalised.

12. PRIZES.

Prizes shall be given as follows;

Open	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd Skipper & Crew
Non Spinnaker	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd Skipper & Crew
Junior Skipper/Crew	1 st , 2 nd , 3 rd Skipper & Crew
Junior skipper/Senior Crew	1 st Only
Masters	1 st Only
Pacer Pursuit	1 st Only
Other prizes as the committee decides	

Junior = Under 18, Senior = 18 and over, Masters = 55 and over as at 28/12/19

13. RIGHTS TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS

In participating in the regatta, a competitor automatically grants the Organising Authority and the sponsors of the regatta, 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 for the said regatta in which the competitor participates and in all material related to the said regatta without compensation.

14. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4, Decision to Race. The organizing authorities 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.

15. INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of AUD \$10M. By signing the Entry Form sailors are deemed to have made a declaration that they have such cover.

16. BOAT STORAGE.

Boat storage is available at the Mordialloc Sailing Club. Boats may be delivered during the week prior to the event by arrangement.

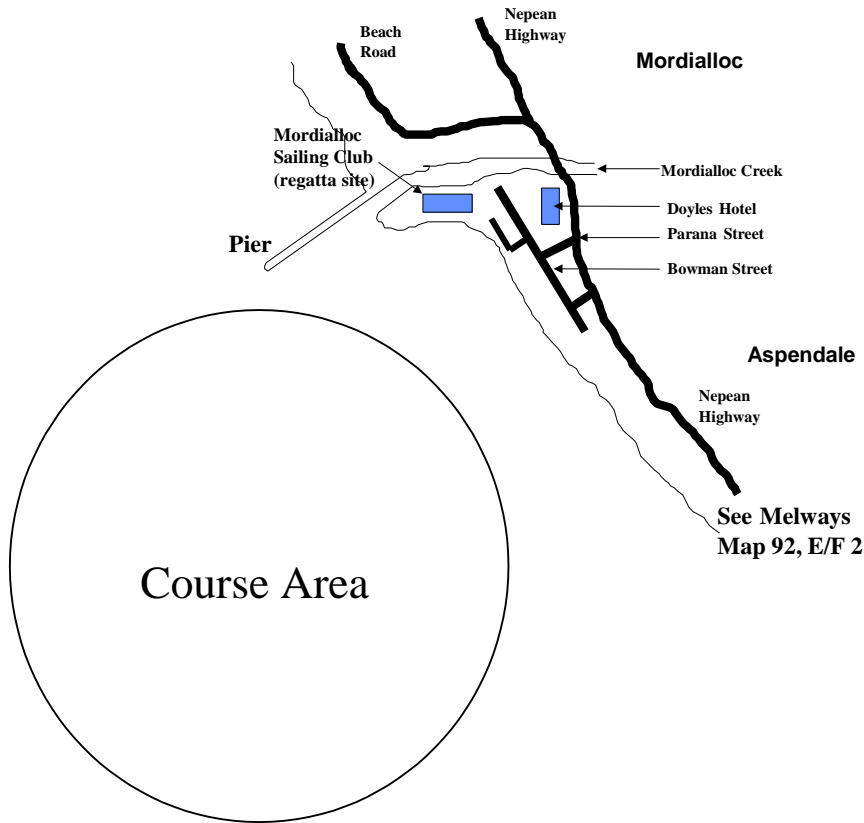
Contact Details are: Peter White 0466 272 722

17. CAMPING

Camping will be available at the local school, Mordialloc College, approximately 1 km from the club. Toilets and showers will be available. Some power may be available for camping fridges. Fridges can be connected at the club.
Cost: \$15.00 per person per night and families \$40.00 per night.

Dogs will be allowed at the camp (must be under control and poo picked up).
Dogs are allowed at the club. The following restrictions apply on the adjacent beach.
Sunrise-10am Off leash area on sand only
10am-7:30pm No dogs allowed on sand
7:30pm-sunrise On leash area
See attached headed 'Camping Terms & Conditions'

ATTACHMENT 1: Map of Mordialloc SC Sailing Area



CAMPING TERMS AND CONDITIONS

Through co-operation with Mordialloc College, unpowered camping is available for competitors and family involved in the 2019/20 National Pacer Titles.

This facility is kindly provided by the School Council of Mordialloc College and all camping fees collected will be donated to Mordialloc College. It is expected that all campers treat college property with respect and abide by all the terms and conditions listed here. Any person not fully complying with these terms and conditions will be asked to immediately leave college property.

Location



Availability

Camping places will be available from 2.00pm on Friday 27th December 2019 and must be vacated by 10.00am on the 4th January 2020

Cost

Individuals - \$15.00 per person per night
Families - \$40.00 per family per night
Payment must be made in full at registration

Bookings

Via email

Scheen.bart@gmail.com

Provide:

- Number of camping sites required
- Family or Individuals
- Full Name of each person staying on each site
- Car registration
- Contact details

CAMPING TERMS AND CONDITIONS (CONTINUED)

Camp Rules

Disclaimer of liability

Campers camp or visiting Mordialloc College as part of the 2019/20 Pacer National Titles do so entirely at their own risk. Mordialloc sailing Club and Mordialloc College will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with, or prior to, during, or after camping or visiting Mordialloc college grounds.

Camp Rules

These camping facilities have been provided to increase the level of convenience and enjoyment while competing in the 2019/20 Pacer National Titles here at Mordialloc.

The camp rules set out below are aimed at ensuring the enjoyment of all campers, while creating the least possible disruption to the school and local residents.

Any person not abiding by the rules set out below will be asked to immediately vacate the college property.

1. Be respectful of other campers:
 - a. No noisy activities/parties, you are welcome to party at the club.
 - b. No generators
 - c. Quiet time will be from 10.00pm until 8.00am
 - d. Pets must be kept on a lead, never be left unattended, be cleaned up after. Noisy pets should not be brought to this regatta
 - e. Loud and disorderly conduct will not be tolerated at any time

2. Be respectful of Mordialloc College property
 - a. All college grounds not allocated to camping are strictly out of bounds
 - b. The amenities block must remain locked when not in use. (The key will be kept in a combination lock key safe)
 - c. Please keep the amenities block clean and tidy
 - d. Report any damage to the MSC camp resident or the OOD immediately it is noticed
 - e. Keep the camp area tidy and free of rubbish, place all rubbish in bins provided
 - f. Keep water usage to the required minimum
 - g. If you need to smoke, please do not throw cigarette butts onto the ground

3. Be safe
 - a. Do not leave any valuables unattended (refer to disclaimer of liability)
 - b. Children under the age of 10 must be accompanied by an adult to toilets and showers.
 - c. Cars should only be driven at a SLOW walking pace
 - d. No persons other than those associated with the regatta may enter college grounds
 - e. Strictly no alcohol may be consumed on college grounds
 - f. Strictly NO fires or coal/wood fire BBQs are permitted