



**DRUMMOYNE SAILING CLUB
NOTICE OF RACE
'2017 COMBINED CLUBS WEST HARBOUR SUMMER SERIES'**

1. Invitation

An invitation is extended to owners of eligible boats to enter the '2017 West Harbour Summer Series' comprising of 6 Pointscore races. The Organising Authority is the Drummoyne Sailing Club ("DSC").

2. Races Schedule

Race 1	15 January 2017
Race 2	29 January
Race 3	12 February
Race 4	26 February
Race 5	12 March
Race 6	26 March

3. Divisions

Racing will be conducted in divisions determined by the number of entries received.

4. Rules

The races will be governed by the *rules*, as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing 2017 - 2020 ("RRS") of the International Sailing Federation (ISAF), and the prescriptions and regulations of Australian Sailing ("**Special Regulations**") these may be amended by the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions.

The sailing instructions will be available on the DSC and Balmain Sailing Club's (BSC) websites:

www.drummoynesailingclub.com.au
www.balmainsailingclub.com

The Sailing Committee of the DSC will be the Race Committee under the RRS.

5. Courses

The courses shall be as detailed in the *2017 Combined Clubs West Harbour Summer Series* Sailing Instructions.

6. Handicaps / Scoring

Handicapping for the series will be Performance Handicapping System. Handicaps based on time correction factors (TCF) as determined by the Sailing Committee.

7. Eligibility

Yachts shall comply with the Special Regulations Part 1 for Race Category 7. An audited Special Regulations Equipment Form for Category 7 (or higher) shall accompany the entry form if not already held by the Drummoyne Sailing Club, Balmain Sailing Club, Greenwich Flying Squadron (GFS), or Parramatta River Sailing Club (PRSC).

8. Trophies and Prizes

Prizes may be awarded to the first, second and third placing boats in each division at the DSC, or other nominated club, following the race. Trophies may also be awarded to first, second and third placing in the Series Pointscore in each Division. The pointscore series is only open to series entries.

9. Results and List of Entries

Results will be published on the BSC's website.

10. Entry & Entry Fees

Entry must be completed via the Top Yacht Entry System on the Balmain Sailing Club's website: www.balmainsailingclub.com.

The DSC will waive the entry fee to the 2017 West Harbour Summer Series for boats from BSC, GFS and PRSC who have entered and paid the 2016/2017 race fees for their club.