NOTICE OF RACE

KCC Top Gun Regatta – 2026

Saturday 31st October and Sunday 1st November 2026

Kurnell Catamaran Club Incorporated
Corner of Prince Charles Parade & Ward Street, Kurnell. Sydney Australia.
(PO Box 255, Caringbah. NSW Australia 1495)

This Notice of Race is issued by Kurnell Catamaran Club Incorporated (KCC). The organising authority and officials consist of the KCC elected Executive Committee and rostered duty personnel.

1. Rules

The regatta will be governed by rules as defined in the current World Sailing Racing Rules of Sailing, the Special Regulations of Australian Sailing, relevant class rules and the Sailing Instructions.

2. Eligibility and Entry

2.1 Entry is open to all "off the beach" catamarans.

2.2 Class Associations wishing to conduct Class Events are welcome – Please contact the President or Race Secretary – Details below.

2.3 Entry forms are available at the KCC Clubhouse from 08:00 hrs Saturday.

3. Race Fees

3.1

Senior (18+)	**Double Handed $100**	**Single Handed $80**
***Junior (U18)**	**Double Handed $40**	**Single Handed $30**

*Junior Double Handed – both must be U18 (U25 if a student).

- Fees are payable at the Regatta Registration Desk. (EFTPOS available)
- Entrants must pay the prescribed entry fee and complete their Regatta Entry Registration, prior to competing in any race.

4. Schedule of Events

- There will be 2 Race Sessions of up to 4 races each session from 13:00 hrs on Saturday and from 10:00 hrs on Sunday.

- **Starting Divisions:** At the discretion of the Race Committee and advised at the Regatta Briefing.

- The Regatta Briefing is at 11:00 hrs on Saturday

5. Sailing Instructions

Limited abbreviated hard copies of the Sailing Instructions (final copy) are available from 08:00 hrs on Saturday at the Regatta Registration Desk. A full copy is posted on the Regatta Notice Board at the KCC Clubhouse.
A draft full copy (which becomes "Final" from 08:00 hrs on Saturday) may be available for download from the KCC Web Site (www.kcc.asn.au) prior to this time.

6. Course

The course is windward/leeward, except for 14' (loa ≤ 4.5 mts) classes, where the RO may set a triangular course where there are 5+ entries - Refer to Sailing Instructions.

7. Scoring

Timed "on the water" finishes for all divisions for calculation of the "Top Gun" Catamaran of the Regatta. Results are calculated using current Australian Sailing Catamaran Yardsticks. "Sailwave" hard copy provisional results (to date) posted on Saturday, asap after racing.
Refer to Sailing Instructions for more information.

8. Measurement

8.1. Measurement of boats and/or sails, or provision of class compliance certificates, is not required. However, the Race Committee reserves the right to inspect any individual boat for compliance with class rules.

8.2. Class Associations may require members/entrants to strictly comply with class rules (current measurement certificates etc) and be financial members of the Class Association etc, at their absolute discretion, for the awarding of Class Association trophies/prizes.

9. Racing

- Botany Bay, Sydney – the finest stretch of cat water in the Sydney Basin.
- Smooth open water with reliable sea breezes.
- Extensive grassed rigging area and easy beach wheeled access to sandy Silver Beach for launching.
- Limited power boat traffic and…
- KCC's renown Race Management team, support vessels and Race Course expertise.

10. Club Facilities

- Full use of Club facilities including separate male/female hot showers and toilets and a shaded veranda with tables/chairs and an elevated view of the race area.
- Club Canteen available for lunch, snacks, tea/coffee, soft drinks and beer/wine (subject to licensing restrictions). EFTPOS available.
- Limited camping may be available within club grounds.
  (Contact KCC President – refer contact details below).

11. Prizes

At the discretion of the KCC Executive/Regatta Race Committee.

12. Further Information

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