2025 Queensland 125 State Championships Friday 18th – Sunday 20th April 2025 Organised and conducted by the Maryborough Sailing Club, Esplanade Scarness (In conjunction with the QLD 125 Sailing Assoc Inc.)

NOTICE OF RACE

1. RULES

The Regatta will be governed by:

1.1 The rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing 2025-2028 and

1.2 The AS Special Regulations Part 2 For Off The Beach Boats 2024; and

1.3 The class rules of the National 125 Association; and

1.4 The Sailing Instructions.

If there is a conflict between the Rules or Regulations, other than the RRS, the Sailing Instructions will prevail.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

2.1 The Regatta is open to members currently registered with the Queensland 125 Association.2.2 All Competitors (both helm and crew) shall be financial members of the Queensland 125 Association2.3 Both helm and crew shall be current financial members of Australian Sailing or affiliated to an alternative Member Nation Authority.

2.3 Eligible boats must be entered by completing the attached Entry Form and sending by email or post to the below.

Email: qld125s@outlook.com

The Secretary QLD 125 Association 1 Luke Court, Wurdong Heights QLD 4680

ALL Entries are to be received no later than Monday the 15th April 2025.

2.5 Entries may be accepted up until Friday 18th April at the discretion of the QLD 125 Sailing assoc. (This is also providing that the entry fee is paid by EFT and that the sailors are current financial members of the assoc. prior to Heat 1)

3. FEES

Entry Fee: \$60 / boat. **Payments must be by direct deposit by 18th April 2025**. No cash will be accepted on any day of the regatta.

Please email Secretary when you transfer money so that a record can be kept. Email above. Direct Deposit details for the Queensland 125 Sailing Association:

BSB: 484-799 Account Number: 606046908

4. SCHEDULE

Date Event Warning Signal

•	Friday 18 th April	Registration:	from 0900-1100hrs
		Briefing:	1200hrs
		Race 1:	First Warning Signal not before 1355hrs
•	Saturday 19 th April	Briefing:	0900hrs (if required)
		<u>Race 2</u> :	First Warning Signal not before 1025hrs
		<u>Race 3</u> :	First Warning Signal not before 1355hrs
•	Sunday 20 th April	Briefing:	0900hrs (if required)
		<u>Race 4</u> :	First Warning Signal not before 1025hrs
		<u>Race 5</u> :	First Warning Signal not before 1355hrs
		Presentation:	1730hrs or soon there after

5. MEASUREMENTS

5.1 Owners / helmspersons may be requested to present their hulls, foils, masts, spars and sails for measurement, inspection for compliance with AS Special Regulations Part 2 during the time specified prior to the Regatta and at any time during the Regatta when requested by the 125 Association Measurer or Race Committee.

5.2 Only one set of sails, one set of spars, one centreboard and one rudder are permitted to be used in the Regatta. The Race Committee may approve replacement if the original of these items is damaged beyond repair.

6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing instructions will be available after 0900am Friday 18th April 2025 from the desk in the Maryborough Sailing Clubhouse, Scarness Beach.

7. Regatta Site

The Regatta will be conducted at the Maryborough Sailing Club, adjacent to the Scarness Caravan Park, Hervey Bay and sailed on the waters of Hervey Bay.

8. RACING AREA

The racing area will be on the waters of Hervey Bay in the vicinity of the Maryborough Sailing Club Clubhouse at Scarness.

9. COURSES

All courses will be sailed in Hervey Bay from the Maryborough Sailing Club Scarness Clubhouse. Courses will be advised at the briefings.

10. SCORING

10.1 The low point system of Appendix A will apply.

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

10.3 When only three races can be completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores 10.4 When more than 3 races are completed, a boats worst score will be discarded.

11. SUPPORT BOATS

Spectator craft will ensure they do not interfere with any boats racing on the course.

12. RADIO COMMUNICATION

A boat shall neither make radio transmissions whilst racing nor receive radio communications. This restriction also applies to cellular telephones.

13. PRIZES

Perpetual trophies and prizes will be awarded as listed below and other trophies and prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the organising authority

Jan Seto Memorial – 1st Scratch Race 1

Open Championship - 1st, 2nd & 3rd

Open Handicap - 1st, 2nd & 3rd

Juniors 1st (Skipper and Crew under 18 on the 18th April 2025)

Masters 1st (Skipper over 40yrs or combination over 70yrs as of 18th April 2025)

Family Division - 1st Handicap and others at the discretion of the QLD 125 Sailing Association. (Minimum 3 entries for the Family Division to be eligible)

Brenda Steinback Memorial Trophy – 1st Handicap in Family Division or at the discretion of the Steinback Family if no Family Division.

Other prizes may be awarded at the discretion of the QLD 125 Sailing Association.

14. DISCLAIMER

All those taking part in this Regatta do so at their own risk and responsibility. The Maryborough Sailing Club, the QLD 125 assoc, their members, officers or sponsors, and all others involved in the conduct and management of this event, shall not be liable for any loss of life or injury, or for the loss of property or damage thereto, whatsoever or howsoever occurring. ATTENTION IS DRAWN TO RRS4 which states: **"The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue racing is hers alone."**.

15. INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with third party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$10 Million. Entrants must supply a copy of current insurance certificate with entry form.

16. FURTHER INFORMATION

Contact Peter Mann (QLD 125 Sailing Assoc. Secretary) Mobile: 0418138182 or email qld125s@outlook.com

ENTRY FORM 2025 QUEENSLAND 125 CHAMPIONSHIP 18th to 20th April 2025

Boat Number		Boat Name	
Hull Colour			-
Name of Skipper			DOB
Address			
Street			
City / Suburb		State	Postcode
Phone	Home	Mobile	
email			
Club			AS Number
Name of Crew Address			DOB
Street			
City / Suburb		State	Postcode
Phone	Home	Mobile	
email			
Club			AS Number

Entry Declaration:

I agree to be bound by the current Racing Rules of Sailing and all other rules that govern the conduct of this event, and as described in the Notice of Race. I acknowledge that the 125 Association Association of Queensland, Maryborough Sailing Club, and all others involved in the management and conduct of this Regatta, shall not be liable for any loss of life or property, personal injury or damage caused by or arising from participation in this event. I confirm that I hold a valid and current Certificate of insurance in accordance with the Notice of Race.

SignedDate.....

Skipper/Owner

Entrants under 18 years

As parents / guardian of the above named entrant I agree to his/her participation in this event on the terms and conditions as outlined in the Notice of Race and understand that competitors sail at their own risk. I further confirm that the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions in no way limit or reduce the complete and unlimited responsibilities of the competitor for the management and care of a boat she or he has entered in the regatta. I confirm that there is a valid and current certificate of insurance in accordance with the Notice of Race and I acknowledge that the competitor is not eligible to participate in the regatta where such Insurance is not in place.

SignedDate.....