NEW SOUTH WALES VX One CHAMPIONSHIP 2025



NOTICE OF RACE

Saturday November 15 - Sunday November 16, 2025

Organising Authority

Australian VX One Class Association Inc in conjunction with Cronulla Sailing Club Inc





The Australian VX One Class Association Inc (AVXOCA) in conjunction with Cronulla Sailing Club (CSC) as the organising authority, invite you and your crew to the New South Wales VX One Championship, to be held on the inshore and offshore waters of Cronulla from 15th to 16th November 2025.

1. Rules

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the 'rules' as defined in the *Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- 1.2 Australian Sailing Special Regulations 'Part 2' will apply,
- 1.3 The VX One International Class Rules will apply.
- 1.4 Local Rules will apply.
 - Knife sheaved in cockpit
 - Chart of the area
 - 1 paddle
 - 1 litre of water per person
 - Tow rope
 - VHF Transceiver

2. Advertising

Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

3. Eligibility and Entry

- 3.1 Entries will only be accepted for VX One Class vessels, whose skipper and crew are members of an Australian Sailing (AS) affiliated club. The owner and helmsperson must be financial members of the AVXOCA (Class rule C.2.1.(d))
- 3.2 A completed entry form and entry fee shall be lodged with the NSW representatives of the AVXOCA. To register, please go to the following link:

Enter here: https://app.sailsys.com.au/club/18/entry/series/5144/pricing

Entries close at 1700hrs on Friday 7 November 2025. Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the OA, subject to a late entry surcharge of \$50.

3.3 The entry fee will be \$250.00

4. Schedule of Events

4.1 Registration:

Saturday, 15th November 2025 between 0930 and 1130 hrs.

Registration will close promptly at 1130 hrs.



4.2 Briefing:

Saturday, 15th November 2025 at 1145 hrs.

4.3 Racing Sessions:

Session	Date	First Warning
Session 1	Sat, 15 November	Not before 13:00
Session 2	Sun, 16 November	Not before 11:00

4.4 No warning signal shall be made after 1500 hrs on Sunday 16 November.

5. **Sailing Instructions**

The Sailing Instructions will be made available at registration and will be available to registered entrants prior to the regatta.

6. Venue

- 6.1 The regatta will be conducted from *Cronulla Sailing Club, 50 Waratah Street Cronulla, NSW* 2230.
- 6.2 The regatta will be conducted on the waters of Port Hacking Estuary and Bate Bay

7. Courses

The courses shall be as described in the Sailing Instructions.

8. **Penalty System**

The penalty for breaking a rule of Part 2 shall be a One Turn Penalty, except that for infringements within the Zone, as defined in the RRS18, shall be a Two Turns Penalty. This changes RRS 44.1 and 44.2.

9. **Scoring**

- 9.1 A maximum of 6 races are scheduled with a minimum of three races to be completed to constitute a series.
- 9.2 (a) When fewer than 4 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
 - (b) When 4 to 6 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

10. Wet Regatta

This regatta will be a wet regatta unless deemed unsafe by the Race Committee. Boats shall be launched by 1000 hrs on Saturday 15th November. Boats shall only be lifted out for essential repairs which will require written approval from the race committee.



11. Personal Floatation Devices

Except when adjusting clothing, all competitors shall wear personal flotation devices which are in good condition and are in accordance with applicable boating regulations in New South Wales. Attention is drawn to Fundamental Rule 1.2.



12. Support Boats

Team managers, coaches and other support personnel shall stay at least 100 metres outside racing lay lines from the time of the preparatory signal until the finish of the last boat in a race, except when asked to assist by the Race Committee. Failure to comply with this Instruction may result in action being taken against the support personnel and/or any boats supported by them. This changes Class Rule C.1.1.

13. Radio and Electronic Communications

All competing boats shall carry a functioning VHF Radio.

Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio transmissions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones.

14. Prizes

14.1 Prizes will be awarded for the following:

Perpetual trophies for:

- The NSW VX One Champion Scratch Trophy will be awarded to the overall winners.
- 14.2 Other prizes may be awarded arbitrarily by the Race Committee.
- 14.3 The presentation of prizes will take place on the evening of Sunday 16th November 2025 as soon as possible after Racing.

15. **Disclaimer of Liability**

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

16. **Risk Warning**

- 16.1 It is the competitor's decision to enter the Event or to start and continue in any race.

 Competitors accept that their participation in the Event is at their exclusive risk in every respect. By way of entry in the Event competitors indemnify the Organising Authority their officers, members, staff and agents in respect to all claims and demands of whatever nature which may be made upon them in connection with or howsoever arising from their participation or intended participation in the Event.
- 16.2 The Organising Authority their officers, members, staff and agents accept no responsibility in respect of loss of life, personal injury or loss or damage to property which may be sustained by reason of their participation or intended participation in the Event or howsoever arising in connection with the Event
- 16.3 Competitors' attention is drawn to RRS 3 decision to Race.



17. Insurance

- 17.1 All boats competing in the 2025 New South Wales VX One Championship shall have third party insurance cover of not less than AUD \$10,000,000 or equivalent.
- 17.2 All owners/competitors who completes and lodges an entry to the event are deemed to have made a declaration that they hold such cover. Competitors may be required to produce evidence of such insurance and any competitor not holding this cover shall withdraw their entry.

18. Media

By lodging an entry, all competitors, including owners, gives permission to the OA for any photographs and/or video footage captured during the regatta of their boat and crew to be published in any media stream for editorial, publicity or advertising purposes.

19. **Accommodation**

Rydges, Quest and Cronulla Motor Inn are in easy walking distance to the club.

Rydges

Quest

Cronulla Motor Inn

20. Further Information

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