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# MORETON BAY CLASSIC

## 45<sup>th</sup> ANNIVERSARY REGATTA 2012. v2

**NOTICE OF RACE**  
3rd / 4<sup>th</sup> March 2012  
(Fallback 17<sup>th</sup> / 18<sup>th</sup> March)

**NOMINATIONS CLOSE**  
24<sup>th</sup> February 2012

Race Fee \$65.00

Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> March – Manly to Scarborough  
Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> March - Scarborough to Manly

OPEN TO ELIGIBLE TRAILERABLE MONOHULL & MULTIHULL YACHTS

**Free entry for women skippers!**

Prizes & Trophies for:  
(up to)  
5 Divisions  
+  
Classic Division  
+  
Family Division  
+  
Spot Prizes



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**GENERAL:** The Trailer Sailer Club of Queensland Inc. (TSCQ) invites entries for their annual regatta to be sailed on the 3<sup>rd</sup> & 4th March. The race will be conducted on the scenic waters of magical Moreton Bay. The course will take competitors from Manly, North past the Coffee Potts (Brisbane River Channel), towards Otter Rock, along the Redcliffe foreshore to the Moreton Bay Boat Club - Scarborough, staying overnight in the Marina, and returning on Sunday.

**COURSES:** Saturday's race will start off the Manly Boat Harbour and navigate a course around beautiful Moreton Bay to finish off West of North Reef Point at Scarborough, a distance of some 20 nautical miles. Sunday's return is expected to be the reverse of Saturday's course and finish off the Manly Boat Harbour.

**CHARTS:** Current chart, AUS 814 is suggested (refer your chandlery).

**ELIGIBILITY:** Trailable monohull and multihull yachts meeting the following requirements are eligible to compete in this Regatta.

- Trailable mono and multihull yachts over 4.8m in length.
- Crewed by a minimum of two persons, including skipper, capable of handling the boat safely under racing conditions.
- All trapeze and leverage devices must be declared on the application form at the time of submitting regatta entry.
- Yachts must be owned and/or skippered by members of YA affiliated clubs (membership # is required with entry).
- The yacht must be capable of being transported on its own trailer and be capable of being launched and retrieved without the assistance of external equipment or require detachment of the trailer from the towing vehicle.
- Neither the yacht, nor its trailer, shall require a special permit or permission for road transportation.
- Multihulls and Sports Boats will not be eligible for the Nev Schaffer Trophy, only divisional trophies & prizes.

**HANDICAPS:** Handicaps will be assigned on the basis of previous known performance and known class ratings (where supplied), if not supplied they will be at the handicappers' discretion. Handicaps will be advised immediately prior to the Saturday briefing and are not subject to protest. Handicaps might be altered if a large discrepancy in stated performance is indicative following Race 1. This is primarily a Performance Based Handicap event.

**RULES AND SAFETY REGULATIONS:** The safety category for the Regatta is 6 and will be governed by the current Racing Rules of Sailing of the ISAF, international rules of prevention of collision at sea, Notice of Race, and relevant government authorities together with the prescriptions of the AYF and as varied by the Sailing Instructions of the TSCQ. All yachts competing in the event, including boats from interstate, shall comply with the safety

equipment regulations of the Queensland Department of Transport, as varied by the Sailing Instructions.

**RADIO FREQUENCY:** Both 27/94 and VHF 72 will be monitored over the weekend. Fixed or handheld radios are allowed. It should be noted that VHF has the best coverage for the proposed course.

**CLASSIC DIVISION:** Trailer sailers designed on, or prior to 1983, built and rigged according to original design and specifications are eligible to compete in this Division. A list of eligible classes is available on the website. Should you believe your boat should be eligible, supply supporting documents (i.e. dated plans) with your entry.

**FAMILY DIVISION:** Crews comprising 2 or more members of the 1 family (i.e. Father/Daughter, Uncle/Nephew etc) are eligible to enter for the Family Division prizes. Note this on the entry form &/or at sign-on.

**SPORTS BOAT DIVISION:** Boats with a handicap of 0.800 or above may be placed the Sports Boats Division (Div 5), and may be eligible for a separate overall trophy and similar trophies to all other divisions if sufficient numbers – if not they will join Div 4.

**ADVERTISING:** The Regatta Committee reserves the right to refuse any entry which displays names or logos in conflict with race sponsors, or for any other reason. Sponsored boats are required to be cleared by the Race Committee prior to entry.

**OVERNIGHT:** Competitors are reminded that anchoring in the Manly Boat Harbour is prohibited. A public ramp and parking is available immediately North of Moreton Bay Trailer Boat Club in Fairlead Cr - Manly. Competitors requiring



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wet berths are advised to contact M.B.T.B.C. Marina on 07 3893 0810 to make arrangements – quote “TSCQ Regatta”.

Ample public trailer parking is available immediately north of the Club. All facilities of the Moreton Bay Boat Club at Scarborough will be made available to competitors on the Saturday evening and Sunday morning however everyone must sign-in as a visitor. Alcohol not purchased at MBBC must not be taken on to the Licensed premises. Provisional placings will be posted at MBBC if possible.

**PRIZES:** Prizes, dependant upon sufficient entries in each division, will be awarded for various criteria as follows:

Monohull Div 1,2 & 3	Multihull Div 4	Sports Div 5
Nev Schaffer Anniversary Trophy	X	X
1st, 2nd and 3rd Overall (PBH & CBH)	X	X
1st, 2nd and 3rd within each Division.		
1st, 2nd and 3rd Classic Division *	1st, 2nd and 3rd Classic Division *	X
1st, 2nd and 3rd Family **	1st, 2nd and 3rd Family **	
Slowest Handicap	Slowest Handicap	

\* Eligible yachts in Divisions 1, 2, 3 and 4 compete for the Classic Division (Multihulls racing for a separate prize).

\*\* Multihulls and Sports Boats will compete for a separate Family Division Prize.

Only Div 1, 2 & 3 yachts are eligible to win the overall Regatta Champion trophy, the *Nev Schaffer Anniversary Cup*, which is an engraved perpetual trophy. The winner will also receive an engraved trophy as a permanent memento of their victory.

Multihulls are eligible to win prizes in Division 4, Classic and Family Divisions only.

Sports Boats, dependant upon entries, are eligible to win prizes in Division 5 and Family Divisions only.

**SAILING INSTRUCTIONS:** Sailing Instructions, together with details of your allocated race number will be posted to all entrants no later than **FIVE** days prior to the Regatta if and will be available on the website [www.tscq.org.au](http://www.tscq.org.au) .

**POSTPONEMENT:** If (due to inclement weather or for any other reason this weekend is unsuitable) the Anniversary Regatta will be re-scheduled to take place the **17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> March.**

**ENTRY FORMS:** Entries must be submitted on the entry form provided, be signed and posted with the entry fee to:  
T.S.C.Q. Moreton Bay Classic  
PO Box 2293 Tingalpa QLD 4173

Entries, complete with race fee of \$65.00 (Free Entry if a woman Skipper), are to reach the treasurer by close of business Friday 24<sup>th</sup> February.

Nominations received after that date will attract a late fee of \$30 (\$95.00 in total). The cut-off for late nominations is 5pm on Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> February (ALL sections of the application MUST be completed on late entries).

**A refund cheque (less a \$5 handling fee) will be posted out in the event of the Regatta being called off, or if the Regatta is postponed to the fallback date and this date is unsuitable for the entrant.**

**The Trailer Sailer Club of Queensland Inc. extends thanks to our Host Clubs & sponsors whose support makes this annual event possible**

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**Moreton Bay Trailer Boat Club – Manly  
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