



The 53rd Currigee Cup

Their LORDSHIPS of the Admiralty have requested and required that you start at the given signal, travel on foot with all due speed around the marker bearing South by East of the starting line & returning past the Commodores to salute them & then proceed to your vessels. Upon boarding, you shall note the direction of the breeze & complete the assigned course with due skill and precision.

vessels carrying on board at least one ships girl/boy or cabin girl/boy – the purpose being for the training of the youth of Australia in the ways of the sea – will be looked upon favourably. So too, though less so, will crossing the finishing line ahead of your competitors. Bribes may help.

RACING SCHEDULE:

Registration:	10:00 hrs
Briefing:	10:45 hrs
Trailer Sailors:	11:00 hrs
Sabots and Small Boats:	11:05 hrs
Lasers:	11:10 hrs
14' Catamarans:	11:15 hrs
16' Catamarans:	11:20 hrs
Junior Paddle Craft:	11:30 hrs approx
Senior Paddle Craft:	11:40 hrs approx.
Junior Iron Person:	11:50 hrs approx.
Senior Iron Person:	11:55 hrs approx.
Trophy Presentations:	12:00 hrs approx.

NOTES: The new Paddle Craft events are for any paddle powered craft including stand-ups, kayaks and skis. The Paddle Craft and Iron Person events will be on handicap, with a staggered start at the sole discretion of the Commodores.

The premier sailing regatta and most elite sporting event in the Australian calendar

'Vikings'

Join us on the beach to the north of the swamp entrance to celebrate the start of another year.

This year we celebrate heroism and courage with our Vikings theme – come regaled in your helmets, capes and shields.

Slip, slop, slap. If you can, bring shade and water.

Trophies to be Awarded

Best dressed boat and crew, for the beautiful not the good

Best Spectator, for the attention seekers

The Veterans Trophy – age and wisdom beats youth and enthusiasm

Bob Beckman Memorial Trophy, for Excellence.

John Roe Memorial Trophy for creative reconstruction or running repairs

Charlie Howard 'Imaginative Bribe' Trophy (bribes accepted any time before noon)

The Currigee Cup, that most coveted of awards presented to the person or persons who best represent the spirit expected of Cup participants

COMMODORES

Mark Easton, Howard Wilson, Anthea Bach

All competitors are respectfully requested to ensure that bribes and inducements are discretely offered and are in consumable form (though cash will do).

All decisions of the race officials are final and not subject to review – except if induced by substantial bribes in the aforementioned form.

Low Tide approx. 12midday