

# WAZA 2025 State Titles

Hosted by Hurricane Paddling crew

Jervoise Bay Sailing Club

11-13<sup>th</sup> Of April



## Introduction

Hurricane Paddling Crew is proud to host the 2025 WAZA outrigger canoe State Titles from the Jervoise Bay Sailing Club at Woodman Point. Jervoise Bay Sailing club is just minutes from the cities of Cockburn and Fremantle both have a long History with sailing and water activities. Hurricane is proud to be supported by so many wonderful sponsors this year who each event will be named for.

Registration for all 3 days will be on the grassed area adjacent to the beach access.

Friday 11<sup>th</sup> registration and scrutineering at 3:00pm for a 3:00pm start.

Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> registration and scrutineering at 7:00am for an 7:45am start.

Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> registration and scrutineering at 7:00am for an 8:00am start.

Presentations will be 30 minutes after the last race of each day.

### Day 1 Race schedule

Time	Event	Category	Distance
3:00pm	Registrations and Canoe scrutineering Open		
4:00pm	Race start - Running with Theives - OC1 Long course.	Men's/ Women's	14km
6:30pm	Presentations and drinks in club bar		





### Day 2 Race schedule

Time	Event	Category	Distance
7:00am	Registrations and Canoe scrutineering all craft.		
7:45am	Race start - West Construction - V1 Long course, V1/OC1 short course.	Men's/Women's	Long course 14km Short Course 8km
10:00	Race start - Milestone Realty - OC6 long course	Men's	14km
	Race Start - Lynas Rare Earths - OC2 short course	Women's	8km
1:00pm	Race start - GSK Insurance Brokers - OC6 long course.	Women's	14km
	Race Start - Scorpio Electric - OC2 short course	Men's	
4:00pm	Presentations and drinks in club bar		

### Day 3 Race schedule

Time	Event	Category	Distance
7:00am	Registrations and Canoe scrutineering all craft.		
9:00am	Race Start - All Tools WA - OC6 long course	Mixed	14km
12:00pm	Race start - Ozone - OC2 Short course	Mixed	8km
	Race Start - Brabus Marine - OC6 Seniors short course	Mixed	8km
3:30pm	Presentations and drinks in club bar		





## Start location and Parking

Jervoise Bay Sailing Club will be the launch point and race briefing site. **128 Woodman Point, Coogee WA**

Parking available for OC6 trailers inside the compound competitor parking outside of sailing club.



## Amenities





Camping sites are available on site for those that wish to stay at Jervoise Bay for the weekend. At \$30 per night there are limited space available. To book please contact the club at [Secretary@hurricanepaddlingcrew.com](mailto:Secretary@hurricanepaddlingcrew.com)

## General Safety – as per AOCRA rules 16.2

- ❖ *Life Jackets:* Must be worn by all paddlers on OC1, V1 and OC2 craft, with six to be available in each OC6.
- ❖ *Leg Leashes:* Must be worn by all paddlers on OC1, V1 and by 1 paddler on OC2 craft.
- ❖ *Water Safety Requirements*
  - A beach coordinator, first aiders will be within the start vicinity.
  - Tender craft with drivers and crews will also be tracking the races to assist paddlers that find themselves in any difficulties.
- ❖ *Paddlers Ability:* Paddlers are reminded that adequate training for this race is recommended and that all paddlers must be familiar with 'huli' procedures and have an appropriate level of fitness.
- ❖ *Canoes and Equipment:* All canoes to comply with **AOCRA** and **Department of transport specifications**. Canoes will be checked on the beach prior to the race briefing.

Please ensure your canoe has the following:

- Tow rope attached;
- Leg leash for OC1/V1;
- Appropriate rigging;
- Spare paddle (s);
- At least two (2) bailers attached in OC6;
- With one (1) bailer for a V1;
- Spray covers (if necessary);
- Positive buoyancy device;
- **GPS Enabled EPIRB or PLB**
- **2x Handheld red flares and 2x handheld orange smoke flares or EVDS**

	<b>Lifejacket Carriage</b> A lifejacket, as indicated in the table opposite, must be carried for every person on board.	<b>Vessels smaller than 4.8m</b>
	<b>Distress Beacon (in-date)</b> A GPS enabled 406 MHz EPIRB	<b>Vessels 4.8m and larger</b>
<b>OR</b>		
	<b>Red and Orange Flares (in-date)</b> At least two hand held red flares and two hand held orange flares must be carried.	
<b>OR</b>		
	<b>Electronic Visual Distress Signal (EVDS)</b> An electronic signalling device may be carried in lieu of flares <b>IF</b> a GPS enabled EPIRB or PLB (must be worn) is also carried.	

## Race Specifics Rules

The regatta will be run under AOCRA Regatta & Training Rules, available under the [Administration](#) tab on the AOCRA website

**Time penalties may be applied for violations.**

Race times may change at the discretion of the race director and/or shipping movements, weather/ water conditions dictate a necessary rescheduling.

All Clubs and individuals must register online at [www.aocra.com.au](http://www.aocra.com.au)

To compete all paddlers must be current financial AOCRA and CLUB members.

## Categories

OC1/ V1/ OC2

**Long Course/ Short Course**

Men, Women and Mixed: Under 16, Under 19, Open, Master, Senior Master, Golden Master, Platinum Master. As per **AOCRA rules 13 – 13.5**

OC6

**Men, Women and Mixed:** Due to numbers OC6 will only be in wight categories. There are two canoe weight categories, being 130kgs class and an unlimited class. An OC6 canoe in the 130kg class shall have a minimum weight of 130 kg. as per **AOCRA rule 12.2**

**There must be a minimum of \*3\* nominations in all races to make an eligible event category. If less than 3, the entry will move down into the next division.**

### 13.2 Division and Age – Adult

DIVISION	AGE
Open	20 years and above
Masters (Master 40)	40 years and above
Senior Masters (Master 50)	50 years and above
Golden Masters (Master 60)	60 years and above
Platinum (Master 70)	70 years and above

## Starts

Competitors must be present at the start line for their event as shown on the program. Starting signals shall be given regardless of absentees.

The order of the start is:

Raising the white flag – indicates two minutes to the race start. The race shall start any time within that two minutes.

Raising of the red flag – canoe move to a starting position behind the start line.

Raising of the green flag indicates the start of the race.

Crossing the start line at any time after the red flag and just before the raising of the green flag will result in a black flag being raised. It is up to the offending craft to move back behind the start line. Not following starter orders will result in disqualification.

## Entry Fees

Per senior paddler for each event raced	\$25.00
Per Junior Paddler for each event raced	\$15.00

Entries and payment are to be completed online via the AOCRA website

**Club points will be awarded to all divisions where there are a minimum of 3 entries.**

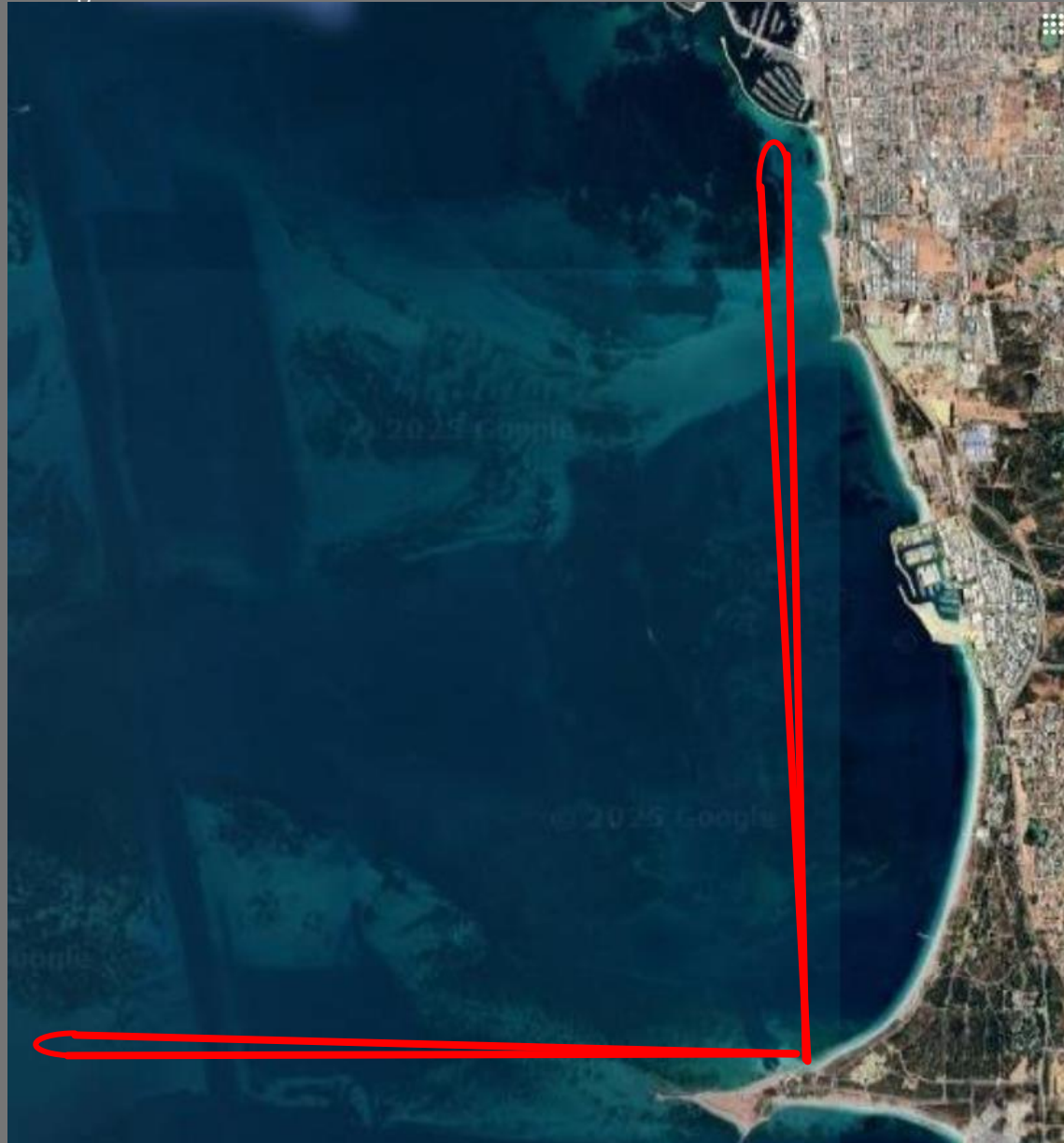
PLACING	POINTS	PLACING	POINTS
1 <sup>st</sup>	14	6 <sup>th</sup>	6
2 <sup>nd</sup>	12	7 <sup>th</sup>	5
3 <sup>rd</sup>	10	8 <sup>th</sup>	4
4 <sup>th</sup>	8	9 <sup>th</sup>	3
5 <sup>th</sup>	7	10 <sup>th</sup>	2

**Plus 1 point will be awarded to all other teams completing a marathon event from and including 11th place.**

## Course Maps

### Long Course

This course will consist of a 7km straight out and straight back line to the North or the West dependent on conditions. Alternate courses will change in direction on the day depending on weather conditions.





### Short Course

The short course will follow a 4km out and back course along similar direction to the long course. Heading North or West dependent on wind conditions.

