



## Coral Sea OCC

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### Wah Pui Downwinder OC1/2 Race Series

**RACE PROGRAM AND MAPS ONLY**

*to be read in conjunction with the*

*AOCRA Regatta and Training Rules August 2017 and Matters for Attention  
2018*

# Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> August 2019

to be held at

The Strand (Rockpool End) Townsville



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# **RACING PROGRAM**

## **IMPORTANT NOTICE**

The Race Program will run on time, or at the discretion of the Race Director. Please be ready for your event. The Race Director will not wait for paddlers to get to the START LINE.

**All canoes are required to carry one PFD per paddler, and must be easily accessible.**

**Always be Sunsmart.**

**Remember it is stinger season between November and April – you should wear appropriate clothing.**

**Race Director: Scott Gardner**

## **THE VENUE**

The Race will start at Finish on the Beach at the ROCKPOOL end of THE STRAND in front of the Coral Sea Canoes.

## **PARKING AND TRAILER PARKING**

Parking directly on the Strand can be limited however there is additional parking in carparks at Jezzine Barracks and in the streets adjacent to The Strand. OC1/2 trailer parking is best accommodated on Mitchell St behind The Strand.

## **REFRESHMENTS**

Following the race Coral Sea will be providing a bbq and cold (non-alcoholic) drinks to paddlers, included in the nomination fees.

## **PRESENTATIONS**

Will be held at the conclusion of racing on The Strand.

## **NOMINATION FEES**

**Nomination fees will be \$40.00 per paddler.**

**All outrigger paddlers must be current AOCRA members**

**Ski paddlers must pay an additional \$8.00 single day AOCRA licence**

**Race divisions will be**

**OC1 (Men and Women) Open, Master, Senior Master, Golden Master, Platinum**

**OC2 (Men, Women and Mixed) Open, Master, Senior Master, Golden Master , Platinum**

**Surf Ski (Men and Women) Open and Master**

# **PADDLER NOMINATIONS**

**All nominations with payment,  
performed online,  
at [www.aocra.com.au](http://www.aocra.com.au)**

All nominations close at **5pm Saturday one weeks prior to our  
event 24<sup>th</sup> August 2019**

No late nominations will be accepted.

**If nominations are not received for certain divisions,  
the host club will organize to delete these from  
the schedule of events**

When Signing In for events individuals need to:

1. Confirm the division
2. Indicate individual/s paddling
3. Canoe number (and any identifying feature eg  
colour of ama)

**Race Co-ordinator: Emma Gorman**

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## Saturday 31<sup>st</sup> August 2019

Sunrise: 6:20am    Sunset: 6:04pm

**High Tide:** 9:16am 3.1m    **Low Tide:** 15:30pm 0.3m

**Race Briefing will commence at 12:15pm on the beach at The Strand**

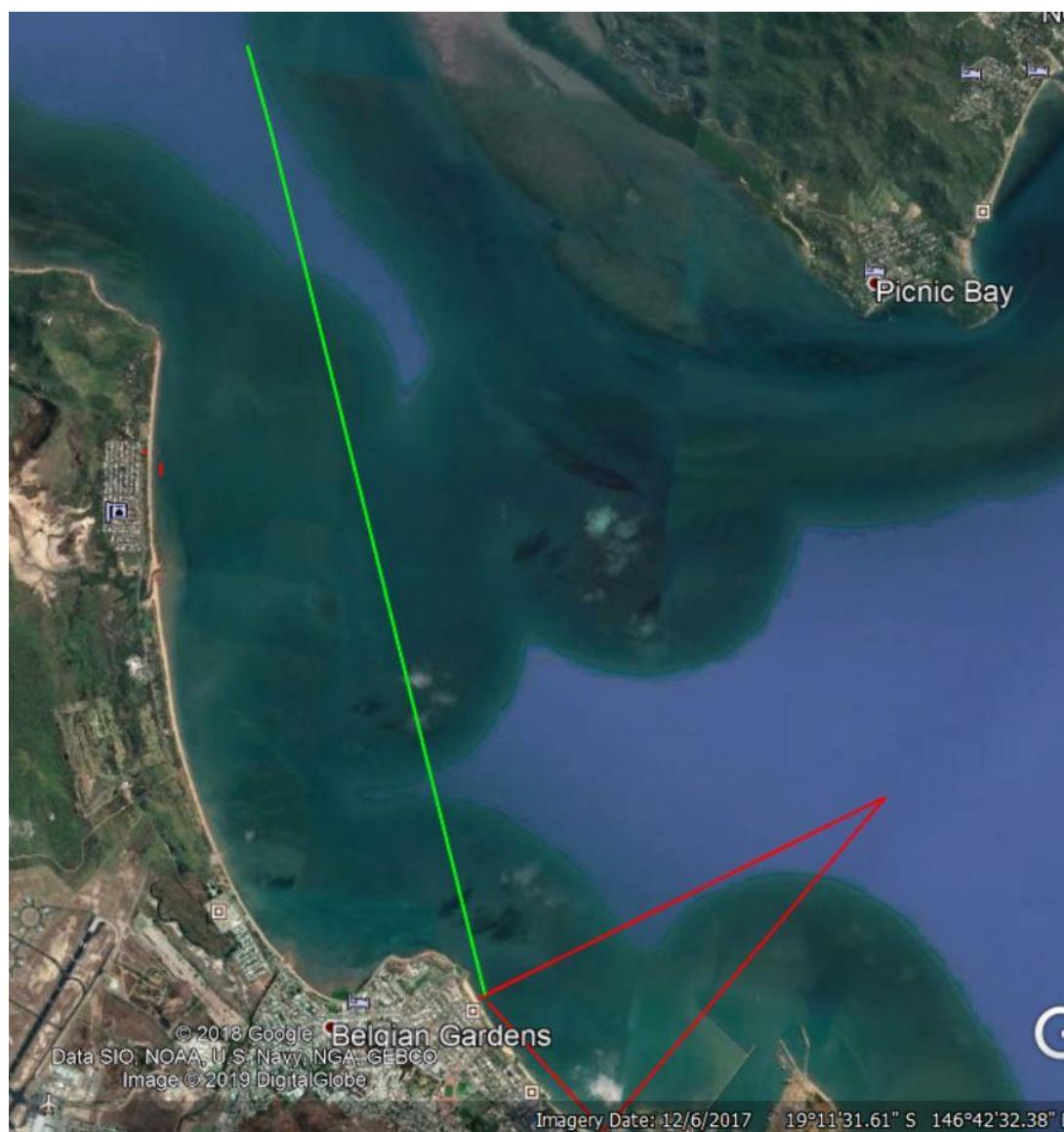
**Race Start Time will be 12:30pm and will be a single start including all divisions.** The Start time will be at the discretion of the Race Director so please listen to race briefing carefully.

**NOTE:** There is an outgoing tide through the afternoon with a low of 0.3m. The course and alternate course has been set with this in mind to avoid the shallowest parts of reef. Please follow the lead boat's line to avoid shallow water.

The course set out for Southerly winds will be 2 laps of triangle, to avoid crossing the shipping channel.

The course set out for Northerly winds are a direct out and back course.

Both courses are 18km long and allow for a downwind run back towards shore.



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