

SUNSHINE COAST RADIO SAILING CLUB

BY LAWS

BY LAW 1. A recognised class is one for which adoption has been approved by the SCRSC Management Committee. SCRSC recognised classes are: (1) International One Metre (IOM) (2) National RC Laser, and (3) "Tentatively" Dragon Flite 95

2) In considering a request for recognition of a new class, the management committee must establish that the inclusion of another class is in the best long-term interests of the club. Factors to be considered are to include: a. Will establishment of a new class be at the expense of an existing recognised class? b. Has the proposed new class demonstrated that it is a viable long-term option for the Club and can maintain a regular racing programme? c. Does the proposed new class have an approved set of class rules with a recognised authority that maintains a register of boats? d. Will the proposed new class attract new members to the club or draw members away from existing fleets? e. Is there any new equipment required? Does the club have the ability to store and maintain the additional equipment?

3) As a guideline the SCRSC should only support 3 fleets sailing at Lake Kawana. Before adopting this option, the committee must ensure that the majority of SCRSC members in all classes are in favour of racing as a mixed fleet.

BY LAW 2. Visitors who are not members of another club affiliated with the ARYA will be welcomed and invited to race. This invitation allows for a maximum of 3 race days per annum with any class supported by the Club; thereafter if they wish to continue racing at SCRSC, they may be invited to apply to join the Club, subject to the application for membership procedures and policy. Skippers who are full members of another affiliated club may sail a maximum of 2 races before making application for membership. All visitors must apply for membership (Full or Associate Membership) after the required 2 or 3 visitor days has expired or cease to sail with SCRSC. All visitors on arrival must see a committee member and seek approval to sail. Temporary interstate and international visitors may sail at no cost.

BY LAW 3. Members who miss a club competition day due to they're representing the club officially at a state or national meeting will be allotted average points for the missed day of sailing. This will be calculated on the average scores of previous race days within that competition.

BY LAW 4. Visitors to the club may use the club's boat to "try out" radio sailing with the focus on encouraging more people to take up the sport of radio sailing and to join SCRSC. The boat can be used by a particular individual for a maximum of three times. The boat is managed by a designated member who can sail it whenever and however often he/she wishes to.

BY LAW 5. For members health, safety and welfare, dogs are not to be in the sailing control area under any circumstances with the exception of evidenced legally permissible dogs maintained under strict supervision by their owner ensuring no interference with members.