



02nd – 07th May 2025

NOTICE OF RACE (NoR)

ORGANISING AUTHORITY

ROYAL QUEENSLAND YACHT SQUADRON LTD
578 Royal Esplanade, Manly, QLD 4179

**MARINA BERTHING IS LIMITED PLEASE BOOK
EARLY WITH THE RQYS MARINA OFFICE**

The notation '[NP]' in a rule means that a boat may not protest another boat for breaking that rule. This changes RRS 60.1(a).

The notation '[DP]' in a rule means that the penalty for a breach of the rule may, at the discretion of the protest committee be less than disqualification. This changes Rule 64.2

1. RULES

- 1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS).
- 1.2 The Australian Sailing prescriptions and special regulations category 5 apply.
 - 1.2 (a) All entries shall supply a valid SR Category 5 Safety Equipment Audit which has been endorsed by a certified auditor. See NoR Attachment B.
- 1.3 RRS Appendix T – Arbitration will apply.
- 1.4 Each boat shall be crewed by at least two persons over the age of 19.
- 1.5 Competitors must follow Club Policies (<https://www.rqys.com.au/membership/rules-and-regulations/>)

2. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

- 2.1 The sailing instructions will be available after 1700 hrs on 25th April 2025 at <https://www.rqys.com.au/brisbane-race-week-2025/>.

3. COMMUNICATION

- 3.1 The online official notice board is located at <https://www.rqys.com.au/brisbane-race-week-2025/>.
- 3.2 Secondary to the Official noticeboard “instant messaging” system WhatsApp will be used to notify skippers of timely information, confirmation of days course, Protest Time limit etc. account creation is free, you can join at: <https://chat.whatsapp.com/BcbScRu13Sw7iZrHtgaiMB>
- 3.3 [DP] All boats shall carry a VHF radio capable of communicating on the [VHF maritime mobile band](#).
- 3.4 On the water, the race committee will make courtesy broadcasts to competitors on VHF radio. The channel will be stated in the SIs.
- 3.5 [DP] While racing, except in an emergency, a boat shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats.

4. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1 The event is open to all Monohull & Multihull boats complying with NoR 1.2
- 4.2 Regatta Divisions;
 - 4.2 (a) Monohull Performance Division (Monohull with spinnakers):
 - Division 1 PHS equal or greater than 0.95.
 - Division 2 PHS less than 0.95.
 - 4.2 (b) Monohull Cruising Division (furling sails only no spinnakers)
 - Furling sails include Code 0, Gennaker, Reacher
 - 4.2 (c) Multihull Division
- 4.3 Boats may enter the event by registering online at <https://www.rqys.com.au/BrisbaneRaceWeek/Entry> by 1600 hrs 26/04/2025.
- 4.4 To be considered an entry in the event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements and pay all fees.
- 4.5 The Race Committee may change a vessels original entry division based on number of entry or for the purposes of ensuring a fair event.
- 4.6 Late entries may be accepted at the discretion of the Organising Authority.

5. FEES

5.1 Entry fees are as follows:

Divisions	Standard Fee
All Divisions, all racing	\$150.00
Late Entry Fee (Entry received after 1600 hrs 26/04/25)	+\$50.00
Casual (Daily) Entry	\$38.00 per day

5.2 Boats entered as a casual entry will only be eligible for daily prizes.

5.3 Any Refunds will be as per the RQYS Sailing Refunds Policies (<https://www.rqys.com.au/membership/rules-and-regulations/>)

6. ADVERTISING

6.1 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

7. EQUIPMENT INSPECTION

7.1 Boats may be inspected at any time for compliance with Special Regulations Part 1 Category 5.

8. VENUE

8.1 NoR Attachment A shows the approximate starting race location.

8.2 NoR Attachment C shows the plan of the event venue.

9. COURSES

9.1 The courses to be sailed & marks used shall be as described in the Sailing Instructions.

10. PENALTY SYSTEM

10.1 RRS 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

11. [NP][DP] BERTHING

11.1 Boats shall be kept in their assigned places while in the harbour.

11.2 Entrants are responsible for organising their own berthing.

11.2 (a) For RQYS Marina Berths, please contact the RQYS Marina Office on 3396 8666 during business hours, **Berthing is limited early booking is essential.**

12. RACE FORMATS

- 12.1 **The Hairy Hot Lap** shall consist of course around Green Island boats may start and finish as many times as they like in the “race time window” (See NoR 8 Schedule), results will be based on fastest elapsed time around the course in a single lap.
- 12.2 **Short Course Racing** shall consist of short courses utilising the Fixed Marks in Moreton Bay, two races are scheduled for each day of racing.
- 12.3 **Passage Race**, the format of the passage race shall be confirmed in the Sailing Instructions a tentative course is for boats to race from Waterloo bay to the Sandhills and back.
- 12.4 **Pursuit Race**, The Pursuit Race shall be a similar format to RQYS WAGS (with spinnakers).

13. SCHEDULE

Date	Races	Time or First Warning Signal
Friday 2 nd May	Mandatory Skippers Briefing	1200 hrs Location TBC on Official Noticeboard.
	The Hairy Hot Lap	Between 1300 hrs & 1600 hrs.
	Daily Presentation	1800 hrs, TBC by WhatsApp
Saturday 3 rd & Sunday 4 th May	Short Course Races	First warning 1100hrs Second Race First Warning ASAP after pervious race
	Daily Presentation	Approx. 90 minutes after last boat finished TBC by WhatsApp.
Monday 5 th May	Long Passage Race	First Warning 1100hrs
	Daily Presentation	Approx. 90 minutes after last boat finished TBC by WhatsApp.
Tuesday 6 th May	Lay Day	
Wednesday 7 th May	Pursuit Race	From 1130 hrs
	Brisbane Race Week Final Presentation	1700 hrs Combined with WAGS Presentation

- 13.1 A Social Events schedule shall be posted on the regatta page.

14. SCORING

- 14.1 One (1) race is required to be completed to constitute a series
- 14.2 A boat's series score shall be the total of her race scores.

15. HANDICAPS

- 15.1 Performance Handicapping System (PHS):
- 15.1 (a) Race 1 PHS Handicaps shall be as approved by the RQYS Handicappers.
 - 15.1 (b) Review of Handicap forms can be found at <https://form.jotform.com/232208763124047> and must be submitted before the first day of racing.
 - 15.1 (c) Adjustments to a boats PHS between races shall be as defined by the "SailSys" system, information about SailSys PHS Handicapping can be found at: <https://www.sailsys.com.au/handicapping>
- 15.2 International Racing Certificate (IRC):
- 15.2 (a) Boats may compete in the IRC Category if the boat submits a current and valid endorsed IRC certificate prior to the first day of racing.
- 15.3 Attention is drawn to NoR 21 for eligibility of prizes.

16. HAUL-OUT RESTRICTIONS

- 16.1 [DP] Boats shall not be hauled out during the event except with and according to the terms of prior written permission of the race committee.

17. DIVING EQUIPMENT AND PLASTIC POOLS

- 17.1 Underwater breathing apparatus and plastic pools or their equivalent shall not be used around boats between the preparatory signal of the first race and the end of the event.

18. DATA PROTECTION

- 18.1 By participating in an event, a competitor automatically grants to the Organising Authority and the sponsors of the event, the right in perpetuity, to make, use and show, from time to time and at their discretion, any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or film television and other reproductions of him/her during the period of the competition for said event in which the competitor participated and in all material related to the said event without compensation.

19. RISK STATEMENT

- 19.1 RRS 3 states: 'The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue to race is hers alone.' By participating in this event each competitor agrees and acknowledges that sailing is a potentially dangerous activity with inherent risks. These risks include strong winds and rough seas, sudden changes in weather, failure of equipment, boat handling errors, poor seamanship by other boats, loss of balance on an unstable platform and fatigue resulting in increased risk of injury. **Inherent in the sport of sailing is the risk of permanent, catastrophic injury or death by drowning, trauma, hypothermia or other causes.**

20. INSURANCE

- 20.1 Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$10,000,000AUD per incident or the equivalent.

21. PRIZES

- 21.1 Prizes will be given to each division as follows:
- 21.1 (a) 1st, 2nd, 3rd Overall Brisbane Race Week on PHS
 - 21.1 (b) 1st Hot Lap Scratch (Fastest lap elapsed time on Scratch)
 - 21.1 (c) 1st Hot Lap PHS (Fastest Lap on corrected PHS)
 - 21.1 (d) Passage Race Prize - 1st on PHS
 - 21.1 (e) Pursuit Race Prize - 1st over the line
 - 21.1 (f) Other Prizes may be awarded by the Organising Authority

22. FURTHER INFORMATION

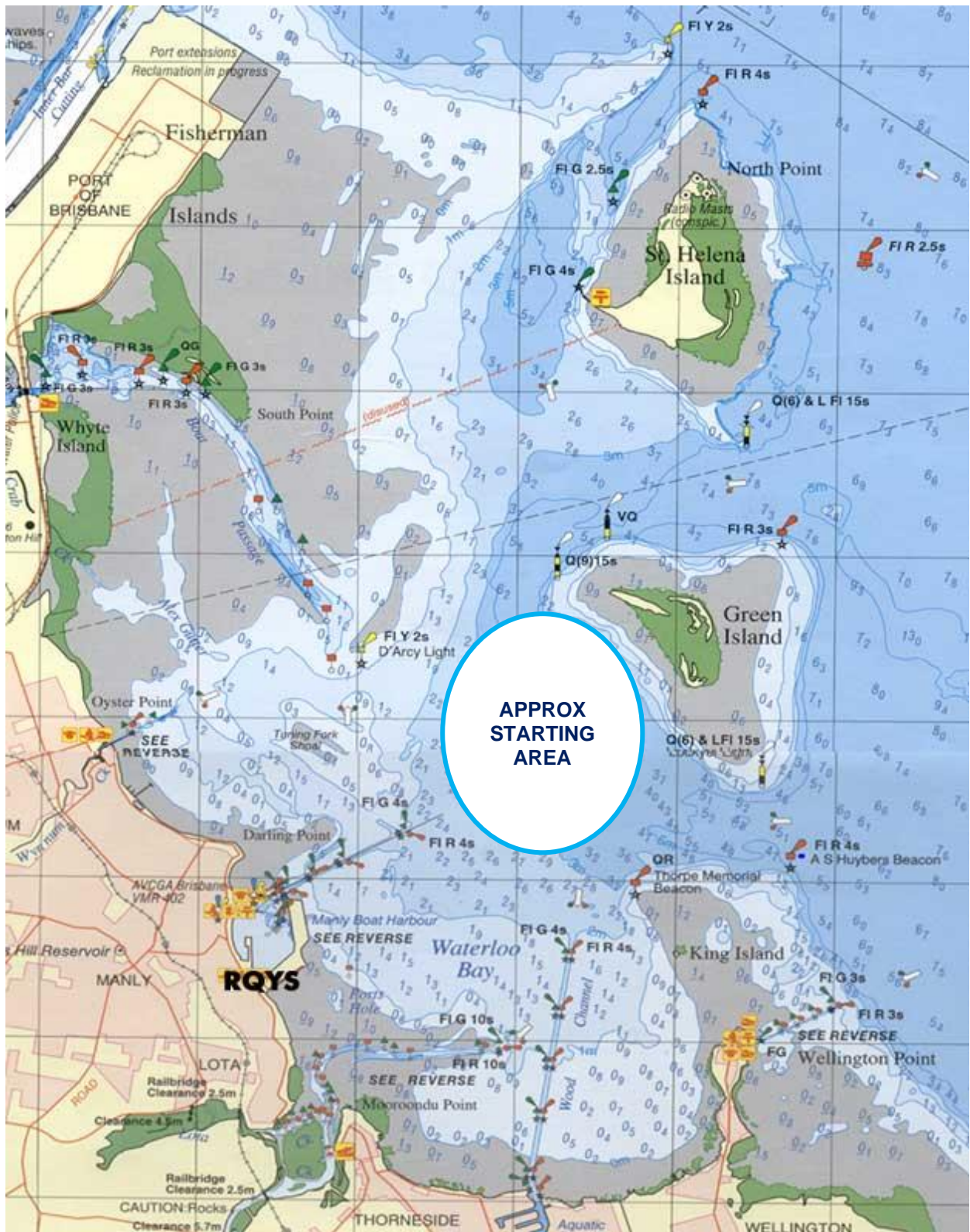
22.1 For further information please contact:

RQYS Sailing: 07 3396 8666 / sailing@rqys.com.au

578 Royal Esplanade MANLY QLD 4179 AUS

www.rqys.com.au

NoR Attachment A



NoR Attachment B

SAFETY FIRST

As part of a national incentive by Australian Sailing, RQYS has adopted 'Whole of Fleet' Safety Audits appropriate to your race category.

So why extend equipment audits to all of our fleet?

The simple answer is compliance and good safety practice within the club. We have a Duty of Care to those participating in RQYS events and this extends beyond RQYS responsibility to boat owners and skippers.

Nationally, self-audits have not, in the majority of cases, been completed to a satisfactory standard and it is our intention to engender into our sailors a culture of safety which benefits us all.

Chris Morgan, a RQYS yacht owner and Queensland's Senior Sailing Australia Equipment Safety Auditor, has agreed to undertake the management of this program alongside the Sailing Office.

- All yacht and off the beach boat owners will be required to complete the appropriate Sailing Australia category form applicable to the racing they intend to enter.
[AS SR Safety Equipment Checklists](#)
[Blank AS Equipment Audit Forms](#)
- Owners will then be required to contact an Australian Sailing approved auditor(s) to arrange an inspection and sign off – All Auditors are volunteers and there is no cost associated with the inspection or sign off.

This is a compliance required under RRS 75 "entering an event".

Below is a list of our current RQYS auditors. If you are interested in becoming an auditor please contact Chris Morgan.

RQYS AUDITORS for Division Yachts

Senior National Equipment Auditor		
Chris Morgan	0418 767 591	chrismorgan5@outlook.com
National Equipment Auditor (Cat 1 – 7)		
Genevieve Warlow	0438 159 089	gwarlow@gmail.com
Peter Kruger	0402 295 283	p.kruger1@uq.edu.au
Ian Davis	0419 799 958	hoodsailmakers@gmail.com
Paul King	0409 725 488	paulkingmwa@gmail.com
Dave Richards		davidrichards30.dr@gmail.com
Helen Warneke	0417 074 990	helen.warneke@cofcqld.com.au
Simon Turpin	0400 558 917	sailing.ops@svccq.com.au
Harley Cowlshaw	0437 729 642	hcowlsh@bigpond.net.au
James Chilman	0420 335 552	jchilman5@gmail.com
Club Equipment Auditor (Cat 3 – 7)		
Anton Prange	0410 696 578	anton@yachtshare.com.au
Hilary Arthure	0419 774 092	hilary.arthure@bigpond.com
Geoffrey Berg	0419 672 565	berg1971qn@gmail.com
Phil Kirby	0402 005 921	kirby.pe@hotmail.com
John Connelly	0432649187	johnconnelly@yoti.com.au

Attachment C – Location Information

EMERGENCY CONTACTS

Emergencies	000	
RQYS Sailing Manager	0424 101 732	
Royal Queensland Yacht Squadron	(07) 3396 8666	578 Royal Esplanade, Manly QLD
Manly Coast Guard	(07) 3396 5911	40 Trafalgar St, Manly QLD
Wynnum Police	(07) 3308 8100	82 Pine St, Wynnum QLD
Wynnum Fire & Rescue	(07) 3396 3297	2006 Wynnum Rd, Wynnum West
Brisbane Water Police	(07) 3895 0333	2 Howard Smith Dr, Port of Brisbane

Location, access & communication of Next of Kin Details

Sailing Office & SailSys Databases including information gathered from regatta registrations and/or indemnity forms.

Location of Nearest Emergency Medical Facilities

Redlands Hospital	(07) 3488 3111	21 Weippin St, Cleveland QLD
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Location of Nearest Medical Facilities

Wynnum Family Health Service	(07) 3893 0093	116 Edith St, Wynnum QLD
Doctors on Manly Road	(07) 3348 6111	12 Manly Rd, Manly QLD
Silky Oaks Medical Practice	(07) 3396 9855	218 Manly Rd, Manly QLD
Dental On Cambridge	(07) 3348 6661	4/99 Cambridge Parade, Manly QLD

LOCAL SERVICES

Sail Maker

North Sails

1/264 Tingal Rd, Wynnum QLD
3396 5822

Hood Sails

181 Wynnum Esplanade, Wynnum QLD
0419 799 958

Ullman Sails

112 Glenora St, Wynnum QLD
(07) 3348 7245

Chandlery

Muir Marine

453 Esplanade, Manly QLD
(07) 3396 9988

Road Tech Marine

20 Redland Bay Rd, Capalaba QLD
(07) 3914 9543

Boat Building / Repairs – Located at RQYS

JSA Marine

(07) 3348 5682

David Glenn Boat Building

0412 878 144

Physio

Manly Physiotherapy & Pilates

3/443 Esplanade, Manly QLD
(07) 3396 8137

Bounce Physio Birkdale

190 Birkdale Rd, Birkdale QLD
(07) 3822 2122

Pharmacy

Manly Village Pharmacy

9/222 Stratton Terrace, Manly QLD
(07) 3396 8999

Groceries

IGA Manly Village

Cnr Stratton Tce & Cambridge Parade
(07) 3396 1980

Woolworths Wynnum Central

145 Florence St, Wynnum QLD
(07) 3513 4416

Butcher

The Local Butcher

222 Stratton Terrace, Manly QLD
(07) 3396 2195

Bakery

Manly Bakery

222 Stratton Terrace, Manly QLD
(07) 3396 5688

Accommodation

[Manly Marine Cover Motel](#)

Located on the Grounds of RQYS
(07) 3348 1000

Limited Camping Facilities at RQYS

[Limited camping MAY be available](#)
(07) 3396 8666

[The Manly Hotel](#)

54 Cambridge Parade, Manly QLD
(07) 3249 5999

[Waterloo Bay Hotel](#)

75 Berrima St, Wynnum QLD
(07) 3893 2344

[Pelican's Nestle Inn](#)

149 Wynnum Esplanade, Wynnum QLD
(07) 3396 3214

[Wynnum Anchor Motel](#)

14 Adam St, Wynnum QLD
(07) 3396 3037

LOCAL WEATHER TIDE

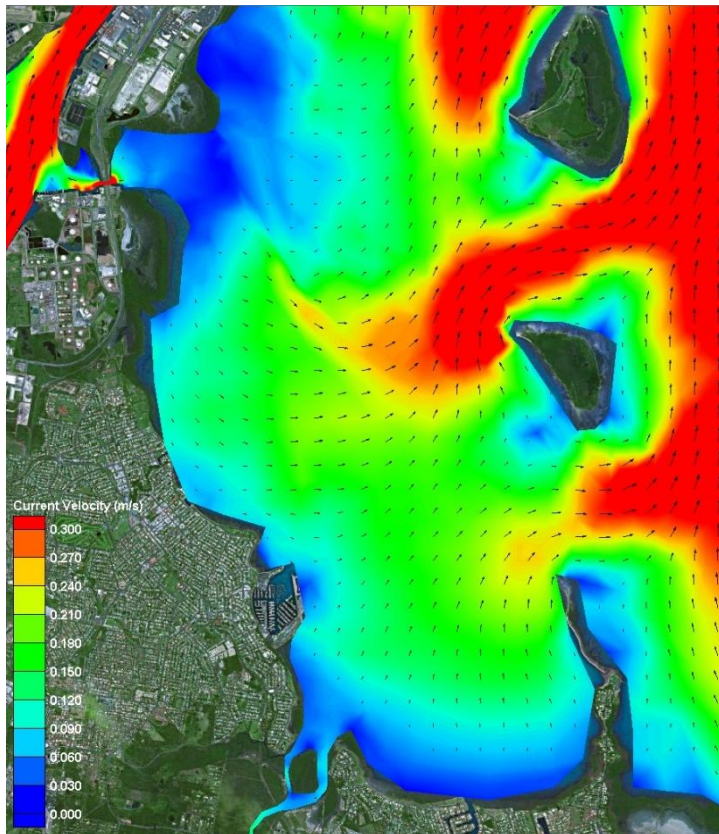
Local Weather: The RQYS Weather Station can be found at:
<https://www.rqys.com.au/weather-station/>
The Weather Station records from above the club Bay Lookout.

BOM: Radar: <http://www.bom.gov.au/products/IDR663.loop.shtml>
Marine Forecast:
<http://www.bom.gov.au/qld/forecasts/moreton-bay.shtml>

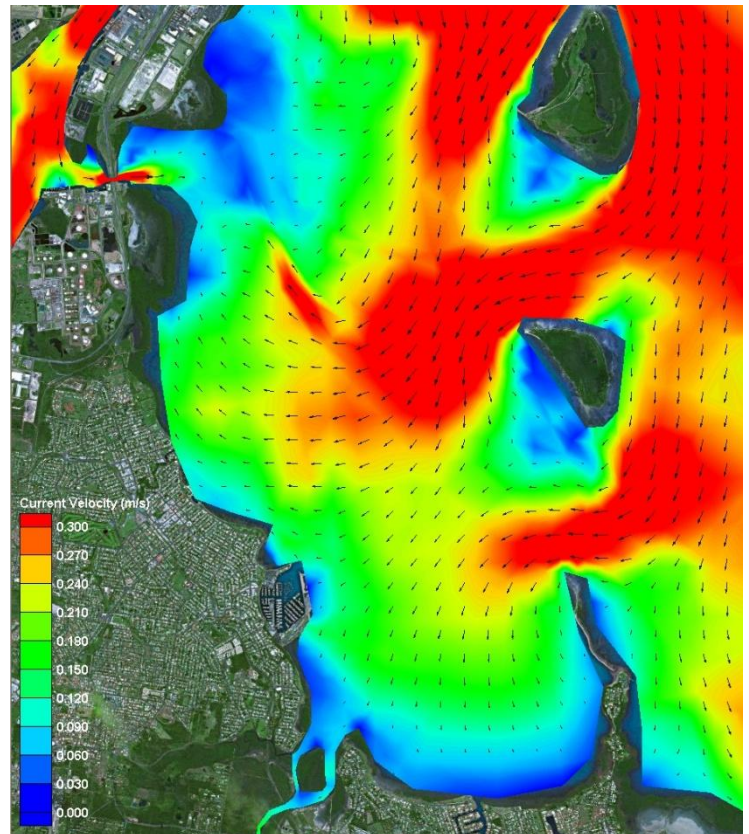
Other Popular forecasts:

Predict Wind: <https://forecast.predictwind.com/table/>
Seabreeze: <https://www.seabreeze.com.au/weather/wind-forecast/brisbane>
WillyWeather: <https://wind.willyweather.com.au/qld/brisbane/brisbane.html>

Waterloo Bay Ebb



Waterloo Bay Flood



LOCALITY		MAP GRID
578 Royal Esplanade access		A6
Eastern Beach (windsurfing)		P7-P8
Davenport Drive dog off-lead area		N10-P7
Inspiration Point lookout (fishing)		M10
Public (Harbour South) Carpark		A4
Public (South) Boatramp		B4
Public (South) Pontoon		C3

NEARBY MANLY HARBOUR VILLAGE SERVICES
 900m / 5-15min

CONVENIENT RQYS & BAYSIDE MANLY ACCESS
 Manly Station: 1.5km
 Brisbane CBD: 30min
 20min drive

BUILDINGS		MAP GRID
Australian Sailing (QLD)		C8
Bayview Lookout		P6
Boatyard [Former Marina] Office		H5
Cavill Building / FLAGS Room		C5
Clubhouse		C6
Manly Marina Cove Motel (MMCM)		A7 / B8
Marina Office		F5
Monument		K6
Sailing Academy		B5
Sailing Office		D6
Sheds / Storage Lockers		K6, J7- L7
Sports Amenities Block		F5
Trades / Services Sheds		H7
Volunteers' Sheds		D8, J5
Windsurfing Centre of Excellence		P6
Youth Squad Shed		F7

GROUNDS		MAP GRID
Academy (Tackers) Rigging Lawn		B5
DOSA (designated smoking) areas		A6, A7
Kids' / dinghy beach		N5
Rigging Lawn 1 (Main / Functions)		D5
Rigging Lawn 2 (Marina Office)		F6
Rigging Lawn 3 (Youth Squad)		F7
Rigging Lawn 4 (Eastern grounds)		L6, M6
Regatta camping area		M7
Regatta trailer parking area		L6
Slipway 2 (Longer-term storage)		J7-L7
Windsurfing - rigging / hosedown		N7, P6

FACILITIES		MAP GRID
Dock - Bill Kirby (VIP: booking only)		D4
Dock - Fit-out work (short-term)		H4
Dock - Fuel (Diesel & PULP)		D4-E4
Fuel - Bowser (shoreside)		D5
HAZMAT Disposals shed		H5
Ramp 1 - Academy (Tackers)		C4
Ramp 2 - Main (Launch / retrieval)		E5
Ramp 3 - Slipway (Boatyard)		G5
Ramp 4 - Dinghy (Kids' beach)		N5
RQYS Boatyard		G5/6-H5/6
RQYS Sheds / Storage Lockers		K6 / J7-L7
Slipway 2 (longer-term storage)		J7-L7
Travelift (35t) & Slewing Crane		H4/H5

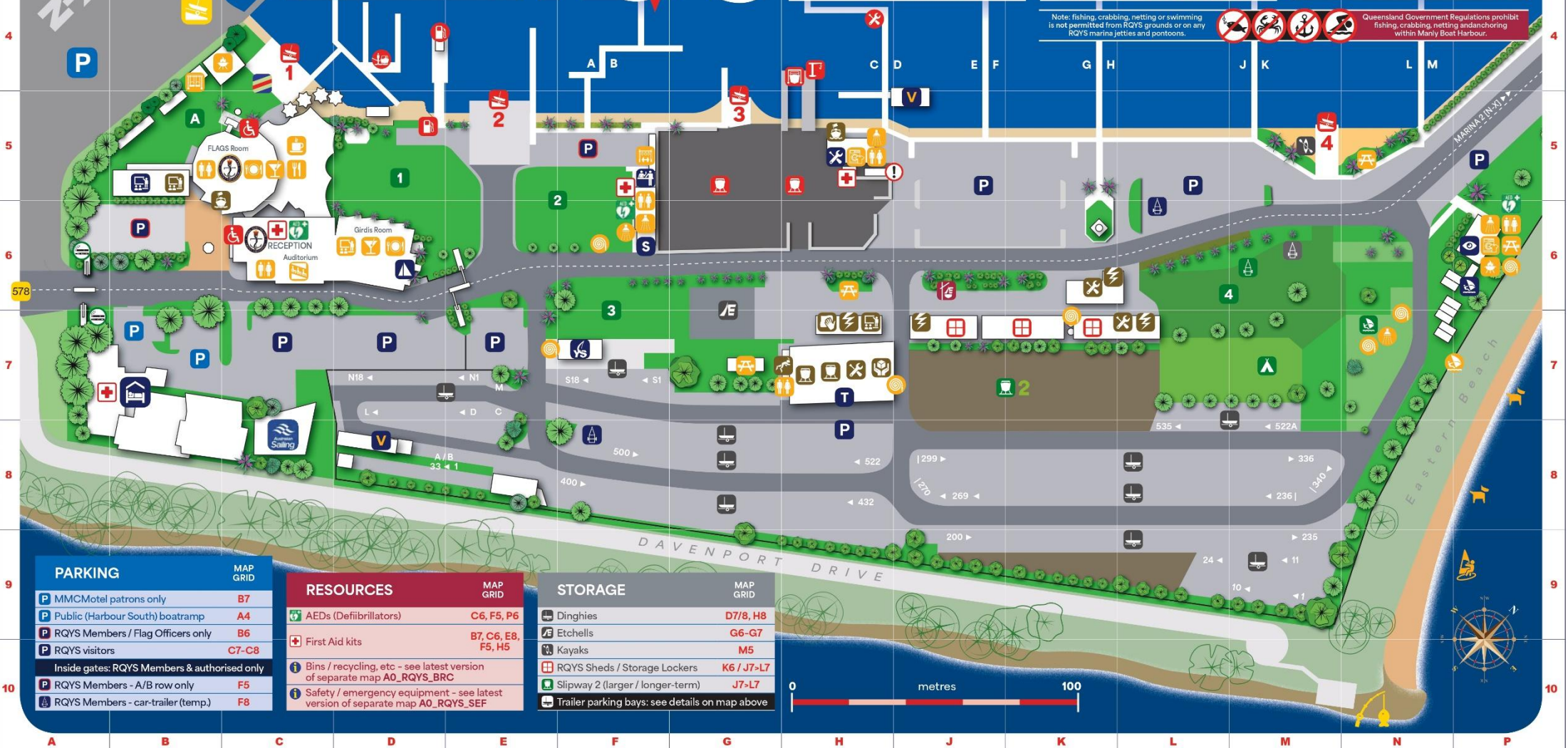
AMENITIES		MAP GRID
BBQs		B4, P6
Beach (RQYS - dinghy / kids')		N5
Beach (windsurfing, dogs, etc)		N10-P7
Gym		F5
Hosedown stations (boats, trailers, vehicles)		E7, F6, K7, M5
Hosedowns (personal / gear)		N7, P6
Kids' play areas		B4, N5
Laundry facilities		H5, P6
Seating / picnic areas		D5, G7, H6, N5, P6
Showers (bathrooms)		F6, H5, P6
Showers (outdoors)		F6, N7
Toilets		C5, C6, F6, H5, H7, P6

BUSINESSES		MAP GRID
Andrew Woodforth Marine		H7
Brisbane Scuba		H7
CMA Mechanical & Marine		K6
David Glenn Boat Builders		H7
Electech Industries		H7
Green Marine Electrical		K6
JSA Marine		H7
Ocean Logic		J7
Paper Sailors Rock		H7
Professional Boat Care		H7
Qld Marine Training Services		B5
Seadog Marine		H7
Signature Yacht Services		L7
SigTech Electrical		L7
World Wide Boat Brokers		B6
Yachtshare		H5

RQYS DIRECTORY

Note: fishing, crabbing, netting or swimming is not permitted from RQYS grounds or on any RQYS marina jetties and pontoons.

Queensland Government Regulations prohibit fishing, crabbing, netting and anchoring within Manly Boat Harbour.



PARKING		MAP GRID
MMCMotel patrons only		B7
Public (Harbour South) boatramp		A4
RQYS Members / Flag Officers only		B6
RQYS visitors		C7-C8
Inside gates: RQYS Members & authorised only		
RQYS Members - A/B row only		F5
RQYS Members - car-trailer (temp.)		F8

RESOURCES		MAP GRID
AEDs (Defibrillators)		C6, F5, P6
First Aid kits		B7, C6, E8, F5, H5
Bins / recycling, etc - see latest version of separate map A0_RQYS_BRC		
Safety / emergency equipment - see latest version of separate map A0_RQYS_SEF		

STORAGE		MAP GRID
Dinghies		D7/8, H8
Etchells		G6-G7
Kayaks		M5
RQYS Sheds / Storage Lockers		K6 / J7-L7
Slipway 2 (larger / longer-term)		J7-L7
Trailer parking bays: see details on map above		

ROYAL QUEENSLAND YACHT SQUADRON – THE SAILING GATEWAY TO MORETON BAY

Gold Coast

75km

Brisbane CBD

Sunshine Coast

100km



Waterloo Bay



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