

PARADISE RADIO YACHT CLUB INCORPORATED

**BY LAWS**

BY LAW 1. (repealed due to Constitutional amendment AGM 3/5/2014)

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\* As amended at Committee meeting, 1 June 2019

**RECOGNISED CLASSES** (clause 3 a of PRYC Constitution)

1. A recognised class is one for which adoption has been approved by the PRYC management committee. As at \* 1 June 2019\* PRYC recognised classes are:
  - (1) International One Metre (IOM)
  - (2) International Ten Rater (10R)
  - (3) \* Dragon Force 65 \*
  - (4) National RC Laser, and
  - (5) \* 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 PRYC should only support 3 fleets sailing at Emerald Lake on any one day. Mixed classes can be considered one fleet (e.g. 10R and Marbleheads). Before adopting this option, the committee must ensure that the majority of PRYC members in both classes are in favour of racing as a mixed fleet.

**BY LAW 2.** (Adopted 25/2/2017, amended 9 /3/2019)

**VISITORS** who are not members of another club affiliated with the ARYA 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 PRYC, they should be invited to join the Club, subject to the application for membership procedures.

All skippers, whether affiliated members or guests who are not so affiliated, must sign on in the sailing registration book and pay the prescribed fee every time they sail with PRYC, which includes spontaneous or brief sailing trials during a Club event.

**BY LAW 3.** (Adopted 9/7/22)

PRYC Member Protection Policy.