



# Updates and News

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## Oceania 25 Website.

Aussie mate Sean Wallis (AUS 171) has set up a clear and informative website for [Oceania 25](#). It is the official place for document originals and supporting information for all things Oceania 25.

I strongly recommend you visit the site and keep it open in your browser – whether you are an entrant, official, volunteer, supporter, or interested in the regatta as it unfolds and gets underway.

The Notice of Race, Entry Form and Allocation Process have been up for some time and Sean is about to post:

- An approved Amendment to the Notice of Race
- The Entries received so far – you can check your entry is there and work out who to remind to get their entry in before the end of April
- A first list of trusted accommodation options

Over the next few months, lists of Officials, and the Race Committee will be posted as well as useful information about preparing for racing on Lake Pegasus, having fun in Canterbury, and more.

[CLICK HERE FOR THE OCEANIA WEBSITE](#)

## How to Enter

**Download the entry form from the Oceania website now**, print it, fill in the competitor section and photograph the whole form.

Email the jpg to the NCA Secretary Chris Harmer: [ec12nz@outlook.com](mailto:ec12nz@outlook.com)

Your NCA will validate each entry and add it to the NZL list. Places will be confirmed 4 May 2025. No payment needed until you receive an email confirming your place and requesting payment by 13 May.

## Allocation Process

The notes below sum up the process from NZL's point of view. The IOM Class Championship Entry Regulations have been modified to allow for Oceania having only two nations, compared with Europe for example with twenty.

**Stage One** makes room for 20 places from the highest ranked NZL entries on the NZL NCA's list.

Depending on demand from Non-Continental Nations, **Stage Two** allows up to 7 more places from NZL.

**Stage Three** fills the remaining places, up to 72 from the Non-Continental lists and the two Continental lists.

**Stage Four** allows for the identification of reserves from all NCA lists if the 72 places are filled.

## Ranking Data

**Only if NZL entries become oversubscribed** will the NZL IOM NCA use the NZL ranking data from 1 May 2024 to 29 April 2025 for Oceania 25 entry ranking purposes.

## Let's Go New Zealand

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