



**Cruising Yacht Club  
of South Australia**  
Racing Association

# ANNUAL RACING AWARDS

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## **1 OVERVIEW**

1.1 The CYCSA Racing Committee (REX) recognises the importance of rewarding sailing achievement. On top of the individual regatta and series trophies already available, the CYCSA has adopted an award scheme to recognise:

- Individual crew contribution
- Yachting results achieved in racing activities
- High performance for outright sailing excellence

1.2 Achievement will be recognised, depending on the award, by judgement of applications or numerical means, as specified in this document.

## **2 INDIVIDUAL CONTRIBUTION – “CREW OF THE YEAR”**

2.1 The annual “Crew of the Year” will be assessed and awarded by REX using the following application process.

2.2 The period under review shall be from 1 May the previous year to 30 April the current year.

2.3 The award is presented for outstanding conduct as a crewperson on a racing yacht at the CYCSA.

2.4 Such achievement may be demonstrated in club, interclub, state, national or international competition on board a yacht representing the CYCSA.

2.5 It is desirable that the nominee has contributed to their team in a multi-faceted way, demonstrating a willingness and ability to positively impact the racing program of their yacht.

2.6 Nominees shall also be assessed on their sportsmanship.

2.7 Nominees must be Racing Members of the CYCSA.

2.8 Nomination may only be made by CYCSA members (all membership categories).

2.9 Each year the REX shall publicize a closing date after which nominations will not be accepted.

2.10 Selection of the successful nominee shall be made by the Racing Executive.

2.11 It shall not be mandatory of the Racing Executive to make the award if, in their opinion, no nomination meets the minimum requirements.

### **3 RACING RESULTS – “YACHT OF THE YEAR”**

3.1 The annual “Yacht of the Year” will be awarded using a measurement system designed to recognize achievement in racing activities.

3.2 The yacht shall be owned by a Senior Member of the CYCSA.

3.3 The measurement period shall be from 1 May the previous year to 30 April the current year.

3.4 Measurement of racing activities shall be in accordance with the following principles:

- There must be 5 boats minimum for any event/series to be counted
- Points awarded for race series & regattas at Club, State and National levels for 1st, 2nd, or 3rd places ONLY, based on a table of scores based on field size, as defined and contained in ANNEX A.
- Measurement-based/One Design results score higher than PHS, and National results shall score higher than State, which shall score higher than Club, as defined and contained in ANNEX B.
- Only the best score (ie PHS/AMS/IRC) in any series/regatta shall be counted.
- Port Lincoln Race and Regatta are considered National Level.

3.5 Interstate results must be provided to REX before 30 April, ideally within 7 days of competition completion.

### **4 OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE – “RACING EXCELLENCE”**

4.1 The “Racing Excellence Trophy” will be assessed and awarded by REX using the following application process.

4.2 The period under review shall be from 1 May the previous year to 30 April the current year.

4.3 A yacht shall be considered for the Racing Excellence Trophy if:

- the yacht is registered at the CYCSA or chartered by a CYCSA member, and
- the yacht achieves an outstanding result at an international or national competition, and
- the competition is acknowledged to be high or elite level.

4.4 Each year the REX shall publicize a closing date after which nominations will not be accepted.

4.5 In the case of more than one yacht achieving the above criteria, the trophy shall be awarded to all yachts.

## A. APPENDIX – POINTS TABLE

The following points shall be awarded for series/regatta places based on the following table:

No of Boats in Div Series/Regatta Division	1st	2nd	3rd
5	3.40	2.40	1.40
6	6.80	5.80	4.80
7	8.10	7.10	6.10
8	8.70	7.70	6.70
9	8.77	7.77	6.77
10	8.92	7.92	6.92
11	9.02	8.02	7.02
12	9.14	8.14	7.14
13	9.27	8.27	7.27
14	9.38	8.38	7.38
15	9.53	8.53	7.53
16	9.66	8.66	7.66
17	9.8	8.80	7.80
18	9.94	8.94	7.94
19	10.07	9.07	8.07
20	10.24	9.24	8.24
21	10.39	9.39	8.39
22	10.55	9.55	8.55
23	10.72	9.72	8.72
24	10.88	9.88	8.88
25	11.07	10.07	9.07
26	11.25	10.25	9.25
27	11.44	10.44	9.44
28	11.64	10.64	9.64
29	11.83	10.83	9.83
30	12.05	11.05	10.05
31	12.26	11.26	10.26
32	12.49	11.49	10.49
33	12.72	11.72	10.72
34	12.95	11.95	10.95

**B. APPENDIX – COMPETITION LEVEL POINTS TABLE**

The following points awarded for places in ANNEX A shall be multiplied based on the nature of the completion as defined in the following table:

<b>Competition Level</b>	<b>Multiplication Factor</b>
Club/State PHS Series	1
Club Measured/OD Series	1.5
State Measured/OD Series	1.5
National PHS Regatta	1.5
National Measured/OD Regatta	2