

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME ETHEL SYDNEY, LADY
STONEHAVEN (hereinafter called "The Donor") SENDS GREETING
W H E R E A S the Donor being desirous of encouraging the
sport of Yachting in Victorian waters has donated a Cup
being the Cup now in the possession of the Royal Brighton
Yacht Club (hereinafter called the "Donee" which expression
shall include any other Victorian Yacht Club appointed by
the Royal Brighton Yacht Club to act in its stead either
for the time being or permanently) to be sailed for annually
in friendly competition AND WHEREAS the Donor is desirous
of declaring the conditions on which such Cup shall hereafter
be held NOW THESE PRESENTS WITNESS that the Donor does hereby
grant and assign the said Cup unto the Trustees hereinafter
nominated to be held on the following conditions:-

1. The Cup shall be called "THE LADY STONEHAVEN CUP".

2. It shall be preserved as a perpetual Trophy for the
Victorian Championship of the Victorian twelve feet cadet
Dinghies or for such other class of Victorian Dinghies as
may from time to time be determined in the manner herein-
after provided with respect to the alteration of any of the
conditions of this Deed.

3. The Trustees of the Cup shall be the Flag Officers
for the time being of the Donee and the property in the Cup
shall be vested in such Trustees but the possession of the
Cup shall from time to time be held by the Dinghy winning
the Cup in the annual contest last held until it shall be
won by another Dinghy and it shall be held subject to such
conditions for its safe custody as may from time to time
be deemed proper by the Flag Officers for the time being
of the Donee.

4. Contests shall be held annually in Victorian waters
and shall be open to twelve feet Cadet Dinghies on the
register of any recognised Yacht Club in Victoria and the
form of entry shall not less than one month before the date
fixed for the race be forwarded to the Donee Yacht Club.

Such form of entry shall state the name of the Dinghy or Dinghies and the name of the owner or owners of each Dinghy and a copy of the Certificate of Measurement of each Dinghy shall accompany such form of entry.

5. The contest in each year shall be under the control and management of the Donee and shall be regulated by the Racing Rules (other than those relating to measurement) of the Victorian Yacht Racing Association in force in Victoria during the summer previous to the contest save as modified by any of the provisions hereof. The Donee shall appoint a Sailing Committee which shall have all the powers of a Sailing Committee under the above rules. The contest shall take place each year during the month of March.

6. Each contest shall be without handicap or time allowance and the Dinghies shall be sailed and manned only by lads under nineteen years of age who shall be approved and nominated and also be a member of a recognised Yacht Club in Victorian Waters. The races shall be held in the home waters of the Donee and over a distance to be determined by the Donee.

7. Each Dinghy on a day to be fixed by the Sailing Committee at a reasonable time prior to the day of the race shall be docked or slipped to permit of inspection by or on behalf of the Sailing Committee and of the owners of other competing Dinghies or their representative and every reasonable facility shall be given for such inspection in regard to measurements, marks, sail area, and such other matters as the Sailing Committee shall think proper.

The Sailing Committee may appoint a person to check and certify to the measurements of competing Dinghies provided that a Dinghy owner or his representative shall have the right of appeal against any such Certificate to the Sailing Committee which should it think fit may order re-measurement by such other person as it may think fit and the Certificate given on such re-measurement shall be final and conclusive.

8. In case there shall be a tie between two or more

Dinghies in a race such the shall be sailed off and the Dinghies affected by such the shall be the only Dinghies allowed to start in such race.

9. The blackleading of Dinghies shall be prohibited. No member of the crew of a competing dinghy shall join or leave the Dinghy during a race.

10. A Club shall for the purpose of this Deed be deemed a recognised Yacht Club if it be recognised by the Victorian Yacht Racing Association.

11. No protest shall be valid unless lodged with the Sailing Committee controlling the contest within forty eight hours after the completion of the race in which the subject matter of the protest shall have occurred. A protest shall be considered by the Sailing Committee and its decision shall be final except that an appeal from such decision shall lie on matters other than of fact to a Federal Yacht Racing Association if hereafter constituted and in the meantime to the Victorian Yacht Racing Association.

12. For the purposes of "The Lady Stonehaven Cup," each and every twelve foot cadet dinghey must in every way conform with the plans, specifications and rules, as laid down by the founders of the class namely :- The Royal Prince Alfred Yacht Club Sydney.

13. All or any of the conditions of this Deed may from time to time be altered and further conditions may be added hereto provided that so long as the Donor is resident in the Commonwealth of Australia no such alterations or additions shall be made without her sanction. Any alteration or addition shall be recorded by endorsement or annexure to this Deed signed by the Flag Officers for the time being of the Donor.

IN WITNESS HERETO the Donor has hereunto set her hand and seal this *seven* ~~seventh~~ day of *March* One thousand nine hundred and twenty eight.

SIGNED SEALED AND DELIVERED by the Donor

ETHEL SYDNEY, LADY STONEHAVEN in the

presence of

H. G. Wilson *Flag Officer*


Lady Stonehaven



Governor's House, Melbourne.

SIGNED SEALED AND DELIVERED By the
FLAG OFFICERS of the Royal Brighton
Yacht Club

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By the Authority of Clause 13 of the Deed of Gift of the
LADY STONEHAVEN CUP

it is resolved that the following alterations be made to the said
DEED by Annexure thereto.

1. Clause 4. Delete "race" and substitute "series of races".
2. Clause 5. Delete "Victorian Yacht Racing Association" and substitute "Victorian Yachting Council".
3. Clause 6. Delete "lads" and substitute "persons".
4. Clause 7. Delete "shall be docked or slipped" and substitute "may be docked or slipped".
5. Clause 11. (a) Delete "Federal Yacht Racing Association" and substitute "Australian Yachting Federation".
(b) Delete "Victorian Yacht Racing Association" and substitute "Victorian Yachting Council".

SIGNED SEALED AND DELIVERED By the
FLAG OFFICERS for the time being of
the DONEE this 29th Day of April 1989

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