

New South Wales 16ft Skiff Association Inc.

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Attention: Club Race Secretary

The next meeting of the Association will be held at the **Middle Harbour Club** on **Wednesday 26th November 2008** at 7.30pm.

Individual entries for the **Drummoyne Regatta** to be sailed on Saturday 6th December 2008 close at the next meeting.

It was agreed at the last Association meeting that the Association will commit \$4,290 in prizemoney to the overall placings for both scratch and handicap in the 2008-09 State Championships. The allocation will be as follows and, to be eligible, a skiff must attempt to start in all four heats:-

SCRATCH

1 st	\$500
2 nd	\$400
3 rd	\$300
4 th	\$250
5 th	\$200
6 th	\$150
7 th	\$120
8 th	\$100
9 th	\$75
10 th	\$50

HANDICAP

1 st	\$500
2 nd	\$400
3 rd	\$300
4 th	\$250
5 th	\$200
6 th	\$150
7 th	\$120
8 th	\$100
9 th	\$75
10 th	\$50

At the Manly Regatta, it was evident that there are an increasing number of skiffs whose sail signs (insignias) do not comply with the Class Rules (refer to Rules 9.6 and 9.7), particularly where it comes to the minimum dimensions (ie. signs are too small). Failure to comply can render a skiff liable to disqualification in any Association events.

A reminder that the minimum dimensions are as follows:-

- company logo or emblem – 1000mm x 1000mm
- vertical or horizontal bars – 1000mm x 100mm
- all other configurations - 800mm x 800mm

M.J. McMahon

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Hon. Secretary