

AusChamps 2024

Champion Lakes Armadale

17-21 April 2024

Champion lakes regatta centre is purpose built for community, state, national and international competitions.

Spanning over 55 hectares Champion Lakes Regatta Centre regularly hosts training and competitions for rowing, canoeing, dragon boating, triathlon and more.

With parkland surrounds, barbecue facilities and dedicated public swimming areas the venue is also popular amongst the local community.

The Lake is located approximately 21 km south east of the Perth CBD and approximately 4.5 km north of the Armadale Town Centre.



Organising Committee

Barbara Clarkson	Chair
Brad Brooksby	Vice Chair
Kelly Whyte	Secretary/Administration
Rex Tindal	Technical
Malcolm Anderson	Course
Georgina Smith	Volunteers
Debbie Fenn	DBWA member

The Course

Champion Lakes is a 2000m course with 8 lanes at 13.5m (108m in total) are to be provided with an added 11m on the northern and southern sides of the course.



Starting Pontoons

Starts will be pontoon starts. We are looking at a hand rail for the Sweeps to hold prior to the start. This will reduce the number of boat handlers required and potential injuries for both sweeps and volunteers.



Boats

Two fleets of 20s Champion boats, plus a spare, and two fleets of tens Peishong boats. We plan on using 6 lanes, 7 if required (20's only) to reduce heats, so 2 fleets of 20's boats and 2 fleets of 10's boats. This may result in the program being slightly different from previous years mixing 20's racing in with 10's racing.

The boats will be weighed prior to the event using compression load cells. The load cells are 120ml in diameter with button on top. We will use 2 for front and 2 for back with a piece of timber across front 2 and same for back. Because we are a not for profit, the supplier will provide at no charge.



First aid and risk management

The first aid will be managed by St Johns Ambulance and the risk management through ERMS who have a sponsorship agreement with AusDBF.

Boat loading

Boat loading will be from the beach in front of the Control Tower. Crews will go from Marshalling, down a marked path and get in their boats.

When unloading crews will be directed along the front of the loading area and off on a path on the right away from Marshalling.



Umpire boats and rescue boats

We are hiring from Rowing WA umpire boats and rescue boats. There will be four umpire boats and three rescue boats, two for following down the course and one for miscellaneous trips such as food runs and people moving.



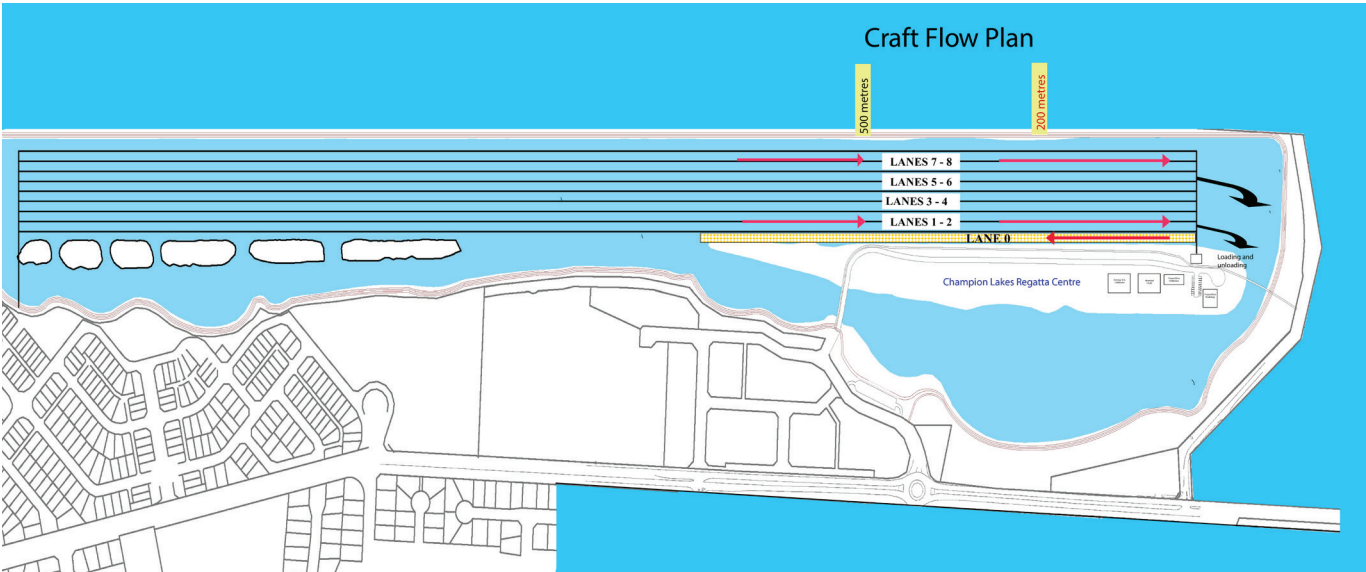
Control Tower

There are three levels to the control tower. The ground floor is an administration centre, the middle level is race control and the top level is for the announcers. Brooks will be managing the timing system.



The Course

See the craft flow plan below.

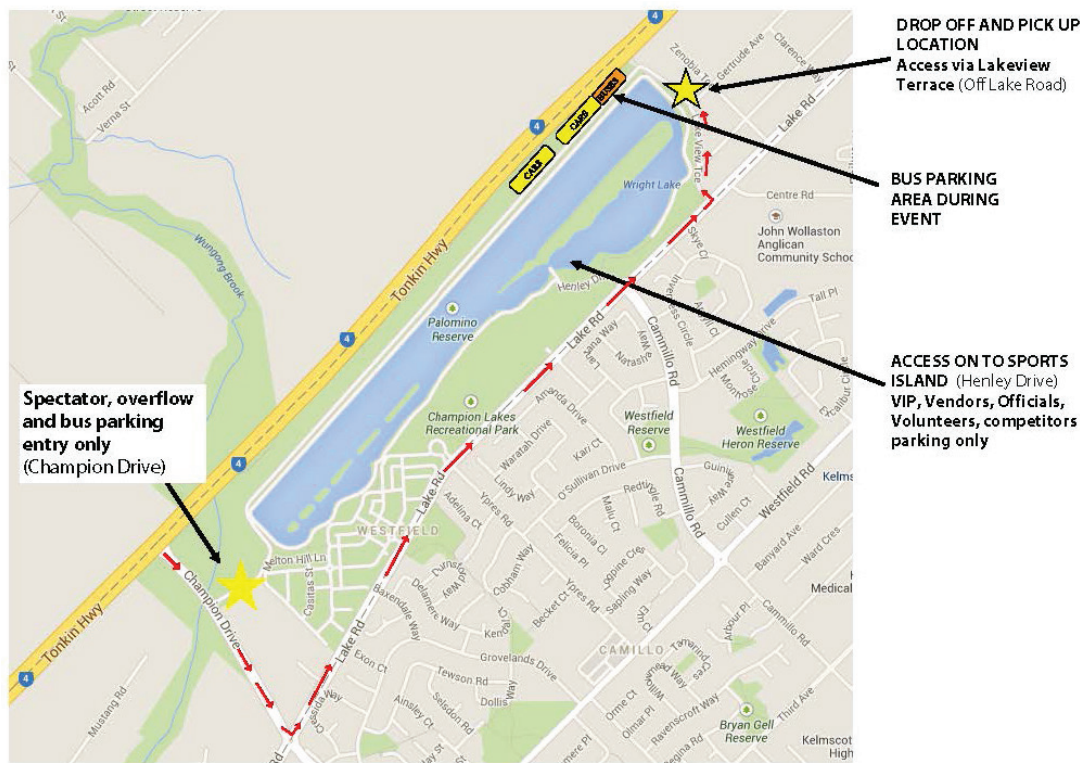


Venue Layout



Parking

Below is a traffic management plan for the event.



Volunteers

Volunteers will be located on the top floor of the clubhouse. One side of the clubhouse will be an operational area and the other side a rest area.



Accommodation

Perth has a number of options when it comes to accommodation. Below is a list of potential accommodation types that may suit clubs. Also below is a map showing distances from Champion Lakes.

Name	Address
Hotels	
Four Points Sheraton	707 Wellington Street, Perth, 6000 - Already been in touch to offer deals
Aloft Perth	27 Rowe Avenue, Rivervale, 6103
Crown Promenade	Great Eastern Highway, Burswood, 6100
Quest Perth Ascot	266 Great Eastern Highway, Ascot, 6104
Nesuto Curtin Perth Hotel	Beazley Avenue, Bentley, 6102
Be. Fremantle Apartments	43 Mews Road, Fremantle, 6160
Esplanade Hotel	46-54 Marine Terrace, Fremantle, 6160
Quest Fremantle	Unit 1, 8 Pakenham Street, Fremantle, 6160
Caravan Parks	
Discovery Parks Perth Airport	186 Hale Road, Forrestfield, 6058
Discovery Parks Woodman Point	132 Cockburn Road, Munster, 6166
Discovery Parks Coogee Beach	3 Powell Road, Coogee, 6166
Hostels	
YHA Fremantle Prison	6A The Terrace, Fremantle, 6160
Fremantle Old Fire Station Hostel	18 Phillimore Street, Fremantle, 6160

To assist with your accommodation bookings, please contact the Armadale Visitors Centre who will be more than happy to help you.

www.perthhillsarmadale.com.au/



Location Map

