

2026 SCHEDULE OF RACES

DATE	DAY		START	RACE / EVENT	START DUTY
24 th Jan	Sat		1000	TYC Cruise to Magnetic Island	
26 th Jan	Mon		1030	Daybreak Rotary Strand Sail Past	
7 th Feb	Sat		1000	TYC Sailing Open Day	
12 th Feb	Thu		1800	2026 Season Briefing	
15 th Feb	Sun		1030	2026 Blessing of the Fleet	
TROPICAL SERIES					
28 th Feb	Sat		1300	Magnetic Island Race 1	TYC Volunteers
7 th Mar	Sat		1300	Well Hung Two Handed Race 1	TYC Volunteers
14 th Mar	Sat		1300	Novice Helm Race 1	TYC Volunteers
21 st Mar	Sat		1300	Fixed Mark – Long Race 1	Single Malt
29 th Mar	Sun		1100	Magnetic Island Race 2	Boudica
11 th April	Sat		1100	Fixed Mark – Short Race 1	TYC Volunteers
			1330*	Buoy Race 1	
AUTUMN SERIES					
18 th April	Sat		1300	Fixed Mark – Long Race 2	Dreamagic
		Tropical Series Presentations			
9 th May	Sat	K	1200	Buoy Race 2 (Knobel Cup Race 1)	TYC Volunteers
		K	1500*	Fixed Mark – Short Race 2 (Knobel Cup Race 2)	
17 th May	Sun		1100	Magnetic Island Race 3	Akarana
23 rd May	Sat	K	1300	Fixed Mark – Long Race 3 (Knobel Cup Race 3)	Chinook
30 th May	Sat			Mariner's Ball	
6 th Jun	Sat		1300	Novice Helm Race 2	TYC Volunteers
7 th Jun	Sun		1100	Well Hung Two Handed Series – Race 2	TYC Volunteers
WINTER SERIES					
13 th Jun	Sat		1300	Fixed Mark – Short Race 3	Crossroads
		Autumn Series Presentations			
20 th Jun	Sat		1300	Fixed Mark – Long Race 4	Zoe
27 th Jun	Sat		1100	Fixed Mark – Short Race 4	TYC Volunteers
			1330*	Buoy Race 3	
4 th Jul	Sat			Social Cruise to Herald Island	
19 th Jul	Sun		1100	Magnetic Island Race 4	Shazam
25 th Jul	Sat		1300	Novice Helm Race 3	TYC Volunteers
26 th Jul	Sun		1100	Well Hung Two Handed Series – Race 3	TYC Volunteers
SPRING SERIES					
1 st Aug	Sat		1100	Fixed Mark – Short Race 5	Gone with the Wind
			1330*	Buoy Race 4	
Winter Series Presentations					
15 th Aug	Sat		*TBC	TYC Social Race	TYC Volunteers
19 th Sept	Sat		1300	Magnetic Island Race 5	Elyara
26 th Sept	Sat		1300	Novice Helm Race 4	TYC Volunteers
3 rd Oct	Sat			October Long Weekend Social Cruise	
10 th Oct	Sat		1300	Buoy Race 5	Blackjack
17 th Oct	Sat		1300	Well Hung Two Handed Series – Race 4	TYC Volunteers
24 th Oct	Sat		*1100	Fixed Mark – Long Race 5 - Herald Island	Not Guilty 2
14 th Nov	Sat			TYC Sailing Presentation Night	

* Where 2 races are held on the same day, the start of the second race shall be no earlier than the time shown.

2026 SCHEDULE OF SOCIAL EVENTS

DATE	DAY	TIME	EVENT	COMMENTS
7 th Jan 2026	Wed	1700	Twilight Sailing Resumes	
21 st Jan	Wed	1200	JCU Market Day	
24 th Jan	Sat	1000	Australia Day Cruise to Maggie & Beach Sausage Sizzle	
26 th Jan	Mon	1000	Daybreak Rotary Sail Past the Strand	Rotary BBQ Party at TYC
31 st Jan	Sat	0930	ADF – Welcome to Townsville Expo	
1 st Feb	Sun	0900	Get Active Expo	
7 th Feb	Sat	1000	TYC Sailing Open Day	
12 th Feb	Thu	1800	Season Briefing	Mariner's Room (TYC)
15 th Feb	Sun	1000	Blessing of the Fleet	Registration Required
25 th Apr	Sat		Anzac Day Public Holiday	
18 th Apr	Sat		Tropical Series Presentations	Captain's Bar (TYC)
2 nd – 4 th May	Sat – Mon		Labour/May Day Long Weekend	
18 th – 23 rd May	Mon - Sat		Port Douglas Race Week	
30 th May	Sat	1830	TYC Mariners Ball	TYC
13 th June	Sat		Autumn Series Presentations	Captain's Bar (TYC)
23 rd June	Tue	1800	Townsville Yacht Club AGM	Mariner's Room (TYC)
4 th July	Sat		Social Cruise to Herald Island	
6 th July	Mon		Townsville Show Day Holiday	
1 st Aug	Sat		Winter Series Presentations	Captain's Bar (TYC)
6 th – 13 th Aug	Thu – Thu		Airlie Beach Race Week	
5 th Aug	Sat	TBC	TYC Social Race	
15 th – 22 nd Aug	Sat – Sat		Hamilton Island Race Week	
27 th Aug–2 nd Sep	Thu - Wed		SeaLink Magnetic Island Race Week	
4 th – 6 th Sep	Fri – Sun		TYC GaLS Regatta	
3 rd Oct	Sat		Social Cruise - October Long Weekend	
3 rd – 5 th Oct	Sat – Mon		King's Birthday Long Weekend	
24 th Oct	Sat	1700	Herald Island BBQ	
14 th Nov	Sat	1830	TYC Sailing Presentation Night	
9 th Dec	Wed	1700	Christmas Twilight Sail	
23 rd Dec	Wed	1700	Last Twilight Sail of 2026	
6 th Jan 27	Wed	1700	Twilight Sailing Resumes 2027	

*We welcome all Vessels to participate