



Teams Bulletin #3 - Sept 2025

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ACCREDITATION & ITO FEE

Invoicing information

The HOC will invoice your Federation for

- The accreditation fee of 240 euro per participant and
- The ITO fee

For us to prepare these invoices, we require the following details:

- Exact name and address of your Federation office
- Contact details for your Federation (email, phone)
- Any specific information that is required on the invoice
- Name and contact details of the Team Leader attending the competition.

To assist us, please complete and return the form at your earliest convenience.

Invoicing Form

The invoice we send your Federation will be in Australian Dollars (AUD) and we expect to send this on 22nd September. To facilitate prompt payment, we are sending you our account details so you can complete any necessary bank verifications prior to receiving the invoice. We hope that this will make it a quicker and easier process for you.

Below are our bank account details:

Paddle Australia
International Number: 006217210087818
Swift code: CTBSSU2S

If you require any further information, please let us know.

MEDICAL

The emergency number in Australia is 000.

You will be connected to an operator who will ask you what service you need – Fire, Police or Ambulance. You will then be directly connected to that service, follow the operators instructions carefully and they will guide you step by step until help arrives.

OTHER SERVICES

Nepean Hospital

Emergency Department
Ground floor, Building A (enter via Gate 7)
Somerset st, Kingswood

Penrith After Hours Doctors

Healthsmart Medical Centre
Nepean Village
51/122 Station St, Penrith
+61 (0)2 4722 8889
[Link here](#)

Penrith 24 Hour Pharmacy

healthSAVE
438 High St · (02) 4721 5527
[Link here](#)

Physiotherapy, Massage and other allied health services

One Point Health
510/536 High st, Penrith
[Link here](#)

WHATS ON IN PENRITH

Penrith Real Festival - 12 - 15 September

Address: Tench Reserve, Tench Avenue, Penrith, NSW 2750
For more information, [click here](#)

Richmond air show - 27 - 28 September

Address: RAAF Base, Dight St, Richmond, NSW
For more information, [click here](#)
(You may see many military planes flying over the venue!)

WHATS ON DURING THE COMPETITION

DATE	FUNCTION	LOCATION
Tuesday, 16 Sept	Athlete Trivia Night (see info below)	Mr Watkins High Street, Penrith 7 - 9 pm
Saturday, 27 Sept	Team Leader Meeting & Reception	The Lobby, Sydney Helicopters
Tuesday, 29 Sept	Women's Symposium (See info below)	The Lobby, Sydney Helicopters
Saturday, 4 Oct	Farewell Party	The Log Cabin, Penrith

Please see the accompanying flyer for more information about the trivia night. If athletes are interested in attending, they will need to book as places are limited.

Women's Symposium - 29 September

This event is designed to inspire, connect, and empower the global paddling community. This is your chance to be part of an unforgettable gathering of trailblazers (Male & Female) shaping the future of our sport.

Why you can't miss it:

1. Exclusive access - only 60 seats available
2. Inspiring speakers & panels - hear from some of the most influential voices in leadership, coaching, and performance
3. Unmatched networking - connect with fellow leaders from around the world in an energising, collaborative setting

This symposium, will build upon the the ICF Women in Paddlesports Symposium— held in Dublin, Ireland in 2023 which was hosted by Canoeing Ireland & International Canoe Federation (ICF), which at the time marked the first global gathering of its kind for women in paddlesports

This is an extraordinary opportunity to learn, share, and shape the future together. **RSVP** to secure your place by emailing cassie.mitchell@paddle.org.au or kim.crane@paddle.org.au.

INTERNET ACCESS IN AUS

If you are not planning to use an eSIM, internet options are available from Telstra and Vodafone. Please note, Telstra generally offers more reliable coverage at the venue. For more information, visit:

[Telstra](#)

[Vodafone](#)

ATHLETE NAME AND COUNTRY CODE STICKERS

The HOC can produce athlete name and country code stickers for boats that do not already have them.

- Athlete name stickers (set of 2): \$20
- Country code sticker (each): \$15

Payment is required at the venue when you collect your stickers.

If you need these stickers, please place your order in advance to ensure they are ready for you. [Order here](#)

THE VENUE



The Café at PWS will be open from Thursday 10 September from 8:00am till 3:00pm selling a range of breakfast and lunch items, beverages (yes barista coffee!) and delicious snacks.

OTHER INFORMATION

Legacy Survey:

Legacy is a key focus for the Slalom World Championships Sydney 2025. To support us, we kindly ask you to complete the Pre-Event Legacy Survey.

This survey is being conducted on behalf of Paddle Australia with their partners Griffith University. Your responses will allow us to capture demographic insights and geographical reach, understand travel choices to assess our carbon footprint, and evaluate the effectiveness of our communication and initiatives.

By sharing your thoughts, you'll directly influence how paddling grows, how events are shaped, and how the community thrives long after the Championships. It only takes a couple of minutes, but your voice will make a real difference.

Take the survey

Local Supporters: If you have any local supporter or cultural groups based in Sydney, we would love to invite them to attend the competition. Please send their contact details to Sue.natoli@paddle.org.au

Merchandise: There will be an opportunity to purchase event branded items from the merchandise shop that will be located at the venue. For discount offers, please refer to the accompanying merchandise flyer.

Aus Power plugs: Please ensure you pack the correct power plugs, Aus power is 240V, 3 pin plugs as shown below. You will need adaptors if you do not already have 3pin plugs.



What to bring: Please pack a water bottle and a Keepcup, there will be water stations around the venue where you can refill.

WEATHER

In September/October, Penrith typically experiences daytime temperatures around 25 °C, cooling to around 10 °C overnight.

Rainfall is generally low, with forecasts indicating an average of around five rainy days in October. As part of your event uniform, you will be provided with a hat and a rain jacket.

Please remember the sun is extremely strong in Australia. Ensure that you pack sunscreen and apply it regularly throughout the day.



SLIP



SLOP



SLAP



SEEK



SLIDE

Daylight Savings - On Sunday 6 October, daylight saving begins in Australia. The clocks will go forward 1 hour, so you will lose an hour overnight. Please be aware of this for any travel schedules you may have on Sunday.

ARRIVING IN AUSTRALIA

You will be required to complete an Incoming Passenger Card (IPC) on the final leg of your flight to Australia. Please note, one of the required details on the form is your intended place of stay in Australia.

Please remember that all paddling clothing and equipment - including items such as boat sponges, must be completely dry before bringing into Australia. If items are not dry they will be held at the airport, usually for a few days.

Please check and prepare your equipment carefully before travelling.

We have been working closely with Sydney International Airport to make boat collection and drop off as smooth as possible.

For boat collection at the airport (and drop off on your way home), please follow these directions.

1. **Follow the signs to arrivals** and stay in the middle lane (on Arrival Court) labelled 'Parking/Valet/Pick up'



2. Staying on Arrival Court, follow the road around past the Car park building on your right and the taxi rank on your left. Take a left turn here.



3. You will then arrive at the designated door where your boats will be delivered from the airport here.



KEY CONTACTS

Should you experience any issues on arrival into Australia, please contact:

Sue Natoli

Mobile: +61 428 576 810

Email: sue.natoli@paddle.org.au

For other enquires, please email - slalom@paddle.org.au

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