



Barefoot Waterski Australia (BWA)

2021 Rule Book

BWA Membership Requirements

1. Candidate must be a member in good standing of Water Ski and Wakeboard Australia (WAWA)
2. To achieve a Barefoot Badge and Membership Number from Barefoot Waterski Australia AKA - BWA, the candidate must maintain Barefoot Skiing Position (Ref: Rule 102 (A) of the IWWF World Barefoot Technical Rules) for a minimum of SIXTY seconds
3. Losing the handle after the candidate signals the boat to go but before BSP has been displayed for SIXTY seconds constitutes a failed attempt. The examiner may give a re-run only if he/she believes the candidate was not at fault.
4. Only THREE attempts may be made on any single day.
5. A candidate is responsible for obtaining the boat, driver and BWA approved examiner. The examiner may act as the observer.

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RULE 1 – GENERAL

The following Australian amendments take precedence over the corresponding numbered World Rules or are additional rules for BWA sanctioned tournaments.

1.01 These rules are to be read in conjunction with the IWWF WBC Barefoot Technical Rules. The rules set forth here shall: Govern the Australian National Barefoot Water Ski Championship (Nationals), define the divisions of competition and their requirements, define divisions for national records, define official's requirements, and define all requirements for Australian barefoot water ski endurance records.

1.02 All clubs affiliated with BWA shall follow these rules as closely as possible.

1.03 The Australian National Barefoot Water Ski Championship shall be contested annually and shall be scheduled to be held over a period approved by the BWA Committee.

1.04 INTERPRETATION OF THE RULES

Questions of interpretation of the rules shall be referred by the Chief Judge to the BWA Chairman or their nominee, who shall, whenever possible, immediately convene a BWA Executive Board meeting to address the issue. All interpretations made by the BWA Executive Board shall be considered final. If a BWA Executive Board meeting cannot be convened in a timely manner, the interpretation shall be made by a majority vote of the Appointed Officials, and the Chief Judge shall submit a complete report to the BWA Chairman within SEVEN days of the event.

1.05 AMENDMENTS TO THE RULES

These rules shall be amended by the BWA Committee and such amendments shall become effective THIRTY days after the amendment(s) have been promulgated to the Secretary of each BWA affiliated State. Any amendment/s deemed necessary between meetings shall be approved by a simple majority vote of the BWA Executive Board. No rule change shall be made between the 30th of November of the tournament season and the Nationals unless such rule change is an IWWF WBC World Rule, or by a unanimous agreement of all states.

1.06 VALIDITY

The inability of any State to attend the Australian National Barefoot Water Ski Championships for any reason shall never require that the Nationals be cancelled or postponed or that the titles would be any less than the Australian National Barefoot Water Ski Championships

1.07 VOTING

Every vote of Appointed Officials or Event Judges shall be decided by a simple majority. In the case of a tie, the Chief Judge shall cast the deciding vote. The required officials should be assembled as a group and fully informed of all issues before any discussion and taking the vote.

RULE 2 – BAREFOOT TOURNAMENT EVENTS

2.01a **EVENTS.** The tournament events for all divisions are Slalom, Trick.

A champion and all succeeding places shall be determined in each event.

Additional events of Jump and Overall are included for the divisions listed below.

2.01b. Jump is included for Open Men & Women, Men & Women 1, Senior Men & Women, U23 Men & Women, and Junior Boys & Girls **if they have the minimum safety jump rating outlined in 4.07.**

Sub-Juniors shall be allowed to jump when necessary for Australian Team Selection and they hold a current jump rating and that jump score shall never count towards overall scoring.

Men 2, Veteran and Senior 1 division skiers shall be allowed to jump if they hold a current jump rating and that jump score shall never count towards overall scoring

2.01c A champion and all succeeding places shall also be determined for the Individual Overall Event for Open Men & Women Men & Women 1, Senior Men & Women, Veteran Men & Women, U23 Men & Women, and Junior Boys & Girls divisions.

2.01d. There shall be no Jump event in the Under 10, Sub-Junior Boys & Girls, Senior Men & Women 1, Men & Women 2, Veterans, Masters, Super Masters, and Grand Masters divisions except as noted in 2.01b.

2.01e. Overall scores for the State Team Event shall be determined as detailed in Rule 5.

2.02a **ROUNDS.** Each event shall consist of TWO rounds, a preliminary round and a final round.

2.02b The skier must post a positive score in the preliminary round to qualify to ski in the final round of any event.

2.02c All qualified skiers shall ski TWO rounds. In exceptional circumstance (e.g. Numbers of entries, Weather, Major delays, etc), the Chief Judge with the approval of the BWA Executive may adopt the following for all divisions. In the case of the final round, only the first EIGHT women and first TEN men Open skiers based on the results from the preliminary round, shall be qualified to ski in the final round of that event. For all other divisions, 50% or SIX, whichever is the greater shall be qualified to ski in the final round of that event.

2.02d Any international or invitational skiers qualified to ski in the final round shall be additional to the numbers required in that division.

2.02e If there is a tie for the final skier to advance to the final round, all tied skiers shall advance to the final round.

2.02f If there are SIX OR FEWER skiers in any division at the championship, all skiers in that division who have posted a positive score in the preliminary round shall advance to the final round.

2.03a **SCHEDULE OF EVENTS.** The Host State Secretary shall be promulgate the dates of the Australian National Barefoot Water Ski Championships to all State Secretaries no later that SIX months before the start of the Championship.

2.03b The Tournament Director shall provide a proposed schedule of events to the BWA Chairman before the 30th of NOVEMBER for approval by the BWA Committee.

2.03c The Tournament Director shall provide the daily schedule, showing the order of events, the dates on which they occur, and the starting hour for competition each day, to all State Secretaries no later than SIXTY days before the start of the tournament. A schedule of starting times for events, if shown, shall be for the guidance of the contestants only, and any division there from shall not constitute a change.

2.03d The Tournament Director shall send a schedule showing the order of the draw for each division and events entered for all skiers, to all State Secretaries and the Chief Judge no later than SEVEN days before the start of the tournament.

2.03e Unless previous arrangements for homologation have been put in place, under the supervision of the Chief Judge the Local Organising Committee shall hand over the tournament site and all equipment to the Homologator, for homologation at noon on the day prior to the commencement of official practice.

2.03f After commencement of homologation no tournament equipment shall be used for any purpose other than conducting the National Championships. Exceptions for promotional and other important activities authorised by the BWA shall be coordinated with the Chief Judge and the Homologator...

2.03g Any skier who unfairly and without prior permission of the Chief Judge and the Homologator, uses the tournament site or equipment after the commencement of homologation, shall be immediately disqualified from the tournament.

2.04 **NATIONAL ENTRY FORM** Each State shall provide on the National Entry Form the skiers best score in each event contested, which shall be used for seeding in all divisions. Scores used for seeding purposes shall be the skier's best scores from any RL tournament since and including the preceding National Championships.

2.05 **STARTING ORDER**

Once the entry list has been closed, the order of the skiers shall be seeded and posted. All groups shall be seeded from the most recent WBC Ranking List. If a skier has no ranking, then their seeding score shall be zero.

No change to this order of contestants is allowed except that a Team Manager may withdraw a skier from the competition

Once the starting order is posted it is the responsibility of the skier to present themselves at the starting dock in time for their turn.

In the final round of an event, the starting order shall be seeded in the reverse order of their placement in the preliminary round of that event.

Any ties in placement shall be broken by a coin toss.

2.06 **STARTING ORDER OF DIVISIONAL GROUPS**

Before the start of the tournament the Chief Judge shall post the order that the groups within each division shall ski. The starting order of the groups shall only be varied by initiation from the Chief Judge.

2.07 **FAMILIARISATION** – The LOC in their best efforts shall provide all skiers the opportunity to familiarise themselves with the tournament site and equipment under the authority and responsibility of the Chief Judge. The LOC shall be responsible for allocating time for those skiers wishing to ski. The cost for this shall be born by the respective skiers/states and payment made direct to the LOC.

2.08 **DRIVER FAMILIARISATION** The selected boat drivers shall make themselves available for familiarisation under the supervision of the Chief Judge and Chief Driver at noon on the day prior to commencement of Official Practice. The familiarisation is to include tournament course, jump course and rates of acceleration.

2.09a **COMPLETION OF THE TOURNAMENT** Once the tournament has started, the Appointed Officials do not have the authority to cancel any event, and the tournament must be completed even if the Appointed Officials are obliged to continue it in a neighbouring community, unless the BWA Committee decide otherwise based on the recommendation of the Chief Judge.

2.09b Should the tournament be abandoned by the BWA Committee the following conditions shall apply:

1. Should the tournament be abandoned before the completion of the first round, no overall champions shall be declared, however for any completed first round events the winner shall be named the event champion.
2. Should the tournament be abandoned before the completion of the entire second round the following conditions shall apply:
 - i) Any division that has completed all events in both rounds shall use normal overall scoring rules
 - ii) Any division that has not completed all events in both rounds shall calculate overall scoring using first round scores only.
 - iii) Event places shall be determined for all completed rounds.
 - iv) Team scoring shall be calculated entirely on the first round.

RULE 3 – DIVISIONS OF COMPETITION AND RATINGS

3.01 **Open Ratings:** Skiers may enter the Open Division with qualifying scores in ONE event. With the exception of Junior, Sub-Junior, and all skiers 36 years and over, all skiers with qualifying scores in TWO OR MORE events shall automatically be entered in the Open Division.

3.02 Only the following skiers can ski outside of their age division.

Sub-Juniors may ski Juniors or Open if they hold the necessary ratings.

Juniors may ski Open if they hold the necessary ratings.

Any Skier may ski Open if they hold a minimum of ONE open rating

U23 skiers may ski Open if they hold ONE open rating.

U23 skiers that do not have a Men's 1 rating may ski Men's 2

Skiers over between 35 and 44 must ski their age division - numbers permitting.

Skiers 45 and over may ski in Seniors if they hold the necessary ratings.

Skiers 45 and over are not permitted to ski Seniors 1

3.03 **ONLY ONE DIVISION.** No skier is permitted to enter more than ONE division at Nationals.

3.04a **DIVISIONS.** UNDER 10s

U10'S, unisex, age restricted under 10 years old

There shall be no overall scoring. **Any child under the age of 10 at midnight, December 31st of the year proceeding the National Championships can ski in this division,** Boy and Girls compete in the same division and medals/certificates shall be awarded to skiers that score a PB and another for participating. Medals are shall never be awarded for places on the podium. Medals/certificates are presented at the closing ceremony to every competitor in this division.

3.04b SUB JUNIORS

Sub Junior Boys and Sub Junior Girls. Under 14 age restricted. Boys and Girls must be under the age of 14 at midnight, December 31st of the year proceeding the National Championships.

Overall shall be based on Slalom and Trick only. There shall be no jump unless the skier is seeking national team selection, holds the necessary jump rating and that score shall never count towards overall.

3.04c JUNIORS

Junior Boys/Junior Girls age restricted Boys and Girls must be under the age of 17 at midnight, December 31st of the year proceeding the National Championships.

Overall scoring shall be based on all THREE events.

3.04d MEN & WOMEN U23

Young Men/Young Women age restricted Young men and Young women must be over the age of 17 and under the age of 23 at midnight, December 31st of the year proceeding the National Championships and are to old to ski in the age division below them can ski in this division.

Overall scoring shall be based on all THREE events

NOTE: This is a prestigious division. All skiers in this division shall be invited annually to a training camp that they may attend free of charge. Quality coaching and recognition is essential in the development of this division. The aim is about healthy competition and building/strengthening bonds and relationships within the sport helping skiers stay in the sport through this transitional period of their lives. In this division.

3.04e MEN & WOMEN 2

Men 2/Women 2 age restricted Skiers must be between 17 at midnight, December 31st of the year proceeding the National Championships yet under 35 at midnight, December 31st of the year proceeding the National Championships.

There shall be no overall scoring. Skiers can choose to ski in Slalom and Tricks but can only choose to ski in jump if they have the minimum safety jump rating outlined in 4.07. Skiers aged under 23 at midnight December 31st of the year

proceeding the National Championships that score the Men's/Women's 1 rating shall move to the U23 division, skiers aged 23 and over shall move to Men's/Women's 1.

3.04f MEN & WOMEN 1

Men 1/Women 1 Skiers must 23 or older at midnight, December 31st of the year proceeding the National Championships, yet under 35 at midnight, December 31st of the year proceeding the National Championships.

Overall scoring shall be based on all THREE events

Men must score in a minimum of TWO events - Tricks 1400, Slalom 9.5, Jump, 13 meters.

Women must score in a minimum of TWO events - Tricks 1000, Slalom 7, Jump 7 meters.

3.04g OPEN MEN & WOMEN

Open Men/Women

Overall scoring shall be based on all THREE events. Skiers holding ONE Open rating shall be allowed to enter the Open Division or any other division they qualify to enter. Skiers holding TWO Open rating (see Rule 3.01 and 3.02) shall automatically be entered in the Open Division

Men - Tricks 3200, Slalom 15, Jump 20 meters.

Women - Tricks 1500, Slalom 10, Jump 11 meters.

3.04h SENIOR'S 1

Senior Men 1/Senior Women 1, Skiers must be at least 35 years old at midnight on December 31st yet younger than 45 years old at midnight on December 31st of the year proceeding the National Championships to ski in this division.

No overall scoring

3.04i SENIOR'S

Senior Men/Women age restricted, Skiers must be at least 35 years old at midnight on December 31st of the year proceeding the National Championships to ski in this division.

Overall scoring shall be based on all THREE events

Skier must hold rating in at least TWO events

Men must score 1200 in tricks, 8 in slalom, 8 in jump for Males

Women must score 1200 in tricks, 7.5 in slalom, 7 in jump for females.

3.04j VETERANS

Veteran Men/Women age restricted They must be at least 45 years old at midnight on December 31st and younger than 52 years old at midnight on December 31st of the year proceeding the National Championships to ski in this division though any senior skier with a senior's rating outlined in 3.04i may choose to ski in the senior division.

Overall scoring based on TWO events. Minimum of TWO skiers in this division or the skier competes in Senior Men's/Women's 1. The exception being if there is only ONE skier in the above division in which case that skier joins Veterans to make up the TWO skiers. Jump is optional if the skier holds a jump rating. Jump scores shall never count to overall.

3.04k MASTERS

Masters Men/Masters Women Skiers must be at least 52 years old at midnight on December 31st and younger than 60 years old at midnight on December 31st of the year proceeding the National Championships to ski in this division though any senior skier with a senior's rating outlined in 3.04i may choose to ski in the senior division.

No overall scoring or jump. Minimum of TWO skiers in this division or the skier competes in Veteran Men's/Women's. The exception being if there is only ONE skier in the above division in which case that skier joins master's to make up the TWO skiers.

3.04l SUPER MASTERS

Super Masters Men/Super Masters Women Skiers must be at least 60 years old at midnight on December 31st and younger than 67 years old at midnight on December 31st of the year proceeding the National Championships to ski in this division though any senior skier with a senior's rating outlined in 3.04i may choose to ski in the senior division.

No overall scoring or jump. Minimum of TWO skiers in this division or the skier competes in Master Men's/Women's.

3.04m GRAND MASTERS

Grand Masters age restricted Skiers must be at least 67 years old at midnight on December 31st year proceeding the National Championships to ski in this division though any senior skier with a senior's rating outlined in 3.04i may choose to ski in the senior division.

No overall scoring or jump. Male and Females ski together. skiers may choose to ski in Super Masters only if they are the only skier in the division.

3.05 Ages are to be taken from January 1st of the year in which the competition is held.

RULE 4 – TOURNAMENT ENTRY REQUIREMENTS

- 4.01 Each BWA affiliated State the has the right to select a team consisting of any number of contestants per division.
As per Rule
- 4.02a Each State must provide an Official Team Manager and Team Captain to represent their State in the National Championships.
- 4.02b Each State Secretary shall send to the Chief Judge not later than FOURTEEN days prior to the commencement of official familiarisation the names, divisions and events entered by each competitor.
- 4.02c Each State Secretary shall be required to send to the Chief Judge not later than FOURTEEN days prior to the commencement of official familiarisation the name, address and telephone number of the States Team manager and/or Team Captain.
- 4.02d Each State Secretary Shall certify and forward to the Secretary of the Host State not later than FOURTEEN days prior to the official familiarisation on the official entry form, the name of its Team, the event(s) each Team member has entered, the division each Team Member has entered and any other information requested on the official entry form. This certification of each State shall be to the authenticity and eligibility of each contestant entering the National Championships in that year.
- 4.02e The Secretary of the Host State shall send the name, email and mobile number of the Chief Judge to each State Secretary, not later than TWENTY EIGHT days prior to the commencement of official familiarisation for the National Championships.
- 4.03 The minimum qualifications required by skiers entering the National Championships shall be determined annually by the BWA Committee at the Annual General Meeting.
- 4.04 All skiers must hold a BWA Badge Number and be current members of WAWA.
- 4.05a For skiers to be eligible to compete in the National Championships they must be qualified according to Rule 3
- 4.05b The scores to satisfy National Entry Requirements in 4.05a shall have been attained during the previous complete season and the current season to date. The season shall be defined at the period 1st July to 30th June.
- 4.06 Contestants in All BWA Sanctioned events shall be financial members of WAWA.
- 4.07 No skier shall be allowed to jump without having achieved the required jump proficiency. A skier must have attained a jump proficiency with the minimum event scores of 6.5 in Slalom and 1000 in Trick and a positive Jump score in an approved tournament to be eligible to enter the the jump event at the Nationals.

RULE 5 – EVENT, OVERALL AND TEAM COMPETITION

- 5.01a Event placement amongst finalists. Skiers qualifying under Rule 2.02, shall be based on their final round results only, except that finalists who do not score in the final round shall be placed in the order of their first round scores, after all those who do score in the final.
- 5.01b A skier who qualifies to go into the final round shall be placed higher than all skiers who do not, regardless of his/her score in the final round.
- 5.02 A skier's best score in either the preliminary round of the final round shall be counted towards the calculation of the overall score. In determining overall placing's, the skier with the best score in each event shall be awarded 1000 overall points. Each remaining contestant shall receive points for each event in the proportion that his score bears to the best score in that event. NOTE. see IWWF WBC Rule 2104.
- 5.03 Places in all the individual overall championship shall be determined by adding each contestants overall points in all events in his/her division.

TEAM SCORING

- 5.05 In the Team Overall scores, the best FOUR Men, Women, Senior Men, Senior Women, Veteran Men, Veteran Women, combined and the best THREE Juniors and Sub-Juniors combined shall be used in the Team Scoring for the National Championships. The skiers whose scores are used for the Team Scoring shall be identified on the team scoring sheets.
- 5.06 Team Scoring results shall be announced and results distributed no later than 10.00pm at the Presentation Dinner. Protests shall be lodged within one hour of such announcement.

NOTE: Men's 1, 2 and Women's 1 scores are to be calculated against the Open Men and Open Womens scores respectively for Team Scoring. Grand Masters, Super Masters, and Masters Womens and Mens scores are to be calculated against Veteran Womens and Mens scores respectively. U10 scores will be calculated against the Sub Junior Boys and Girls

RULE 6 – OFFICIALS

Chief Judge, Assistant Chief Judge, Judges, Homologator, Chief Scorer, Scorers, Chief Driver, Drivers.

6.01 CHIEF JUDGE, ASSISTANT CHIEF JUDGE, HOMOLOGATOR, CHIEF SCORER, CHIEF DRIVER, CHIEF VIDEO

The BWA Committee shall appoint the Chief Judge, Assistant Chief Judge, Homologator, Chief Scorer, Chief Driver and Chief Video for Australian National Barefoot Water Ski Championship, from those nominated by the Barefoot Divisions of each State and/or the committee by the 30th of November each year.

All nominations shall be received by the BWA Secretary no later than 30th October

6.02 JUDGES, SCORER

The BWA Executive Judging Selection Panel shall appoint the Judges and Scorers from those proposed by the Barefoot Divisions of each State. All State proposals shall be received by the Secretary no later than eight weeks prior to the event. Those appointed shall be notified of their acceptance at least six weeks prior to the Event.

6.03 The Chief Judge shall supervise all Judging and scoring operations and shall select the appropriate number of Judges and Assistants for each event. Such Judges shall be of the highest level available in Australia. Each appointed (by the BWA Executive) Judge must be given the opportunity to officiate in each of the Slalom, Trick and Jump events during the tournament. The Chief Judge shall not serve as an event Judge.

6.04 The Assistant Chief Judge shall carry out the duties delegated to him/her by the Chief Judge. Should two events need to be run concurrently and on two stretches of water he/she shall preside on the second water. The Assistant Chief Judge shall serve as an Event Judge if required.

6.05 The Host State shall be responsible for the official organising of the National Championships. The Host State shall appoint a Tournament Director who shall be responsible to the BWA and Chief Judge.

6.06 VIDEO OPERATIONS

The BWA Executive shall appoint a Chief Video Coordinator and experienced Video Operators from those proposed by the Barefoot Division of each State as per rule 6.02, who shall be responsible to the Chief Judge. The Chief Video Coordinator shall oversee the complete arrangements for the Video Operations. A video operator and camera shall ride in the boat at all times to make a video film for the use of the Event Judges as required.

6.07 DRIVERS

The BWA Executive shall appoint the boat drivers from those proposed from the state Barefoot Divisions of each State. All State proposals shall be received by the Secretary no later than eight weeks prior to the Event. A maximum of one boat driver may be from any one State, however, if insufficient drivers are nominated from the States, more than one driver from any State may be appointed. The appointed drivers shall be notified of their acceptance at least six weeks prior to the commencement of the tournament.

The Host State has the option to appoint two drivers. The Chief Driver shall never be regarded one of the appointed drivers by the state.

The Chief Judge shall assign the boat driver for each event.

6.08 Additional Judges/Officials/Drivers to fill secondary positions (or to replace unavailable officials) shall be selected by the Chief Judge, in order of merit and subject to availability. Qualifications obtained by these Officials up to the commencement of the tournament shall be considered.

6.09 Where possible the two boat system for the jump event should be used.

RULE 7 – AUSTRALIAN AMENDMENTS TO WORLD RULES

7.01 World rules as set out in the 2021 IWWF WBC Barefoot Technical Rules shall be substituted into this Australian Rule Book, except where Australian amendments have been made.

RULE 8 – SAFETY

8.01 At least TWO weeks before the Tournament, the LOC shall appoint A SAFETY Director such assistants as appear necessary.

RULE 9 – RECORDS

Records shall be maintained for the Sub Juniors, Juniors, U23, Open, Seniors and Veterans divisions.

9.0 MAINTENANCE

The maintenance of Australian Records shall be the responsibility of the BWA Committee. All record applications shall be adjudicated upon by the 'Records Ratification Sub-Committee' appointed by the BWA Committee.

9.01 RECOGNITION

World and Region records set by an Australian shall automatically be recognised as an Australian Record.

Skiers from all divisions are eligible to hold Open Men/Womens records.

9.02 TOURNAMENT (WHERE SET)

Records may be set only at homologated record capable tournaments per the WBC Rule Book sanctioned by the BWA, a State or an affiliated federation. A claim for a trick or slalom record must moreover be accompanied by a video recording the passes constituting the record in digital format readily accessible to the review committee.

9.03 ENDURANCE

The longest officially authenticated time for the endurance event shall be a new record if it exceeds by ONE second or more the official record performed on a date before the attempt. If the longest time equals the existing record time, the skier shall become co-holder of the established record.

9.04 VERIFICATION

Specifications of equipment, courses and measuring devices shall be as set out hereunder and by the official Record forms, which must be completed and certified by the Homologator, Chief Judge and other required officials.

For trick and slalom records a video of the runs taken in accordance with the rules must accompany the Affidavit.

The State Committee shall in writing advise within SEVEN days the BWA Records Chairman of any proposed records.

The completed records documentation, as detailed in the current policy book, together with the logged video shall be sent or handed to the BWA Records Chairman within SEVEN days

For all records the Records Review Committee shall scrutinise the applications and supporting documentation, and in the case of a trick or slalom record view the Video. They shall vote on the application.

The BWA Records Chairman shall then advise the President of the BWA of the approved record application and formally advise the skier in writing of the result.

RULE 10 - RULES FOR AUSTRALIAN ENDURANCE RECORD ATTEMPTS

1. Application to be passed by BWA Chairman upon receipt of \$ 50.00
2. All divisions for forwards and backwards except U10.
3. Two timers to be appointed by BWA Committee and four stop watches to be used.
4. Date to be fixed at BWA Committee meeting. A period of THIRTY days shall be allowed in which time to make the attempt. However, FOURTEEN days notice of the exact date must be given to the BWA Secretary or a further FOURTEEN days notice of change of date.
5. Should competitor fail to appear on the set date, forfeiture of the application fee is automatic.
6. No further attempts in any one division within one calendar month of a successful attempt shall be allowed.
7. Competitor to supply: Crew, Pick-up boat and crew, any necessary licenses etc. and any other personal equipment required.
8. No harness to be used or an other equipment other than standard
9. Competitor to sign indemnification.
10. Deferment or delay due to weather conditions to be at discretion of the timers.
11. Re-runs due to mechanical faults to be at the discretion of timers.
12. Deferred attempts to be made within two weeks at discretion of timers.
13. If attempt unsuccessful, a new application must be presented to the Committee for approval, accompanied by a further fee of \$ 50.00.
14. Summary of successful attempt to be prepared at next Committee meeting of BWA.
15. Official timers to be responsible for presenting time to this meeting.
16. If timers are late, applicant has option to request deferment of trial date.
17. However, no consideration shall be given to Rule 16 if event has started.
18. Committee reserves the right to alter rules as it deems necessary without notification.
20. All appeals to be sent to BWA committee accompanied by a fee of \$ 100.00 which shall be refunded if appeal is upheld.