

# Memo – 015

## CCWC qualifications 2019 and beyond

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As previously stated, Premier/Junior Clubs who qualified from 2018 will retain qualification with the balance and all Senior racing divisions being awarded in 2019 for 2020 CCWC.

#### Refer to rule CR 4.2 Club Representation

To represent your Club in the Club Championships at the AusChamps a club and crew member must comply with the provisions of the AusDBF Club Policy.

#### CR 4.2.1 Qualification for IDBF Club Crew World Championships

For the AusChamps, clubs will be awarded points for each of three (3) distances (200m, 500m, 2000m). These points will be added together to work out qualifications for IDBF Club Crew World Championships (CCWC) and Australian Club Champion. The aim is to select crews that are best able to achieve success at the CCWC and give them the best possible chance to do so.

Under the IDBF Club Crew World Championships, each member country is entitled to send up to five (5) club teams per Category and per Division for standard boat and two (2) for small boat. The Club Crew Championships are generally held in the even numbered years. *Note: The number of sanctioned crews is determined by IDBF and may change from time to time.*

The qualifying methodology used by AusDBF to select crews is detailed below (for both small and standard boats).

- All qualifications occur at the AusChamps in the year prior to the CCWC (typically every odd-numbered year).
- All clubs that accept an invitation to qualify ***must*** compete in their qualified racing class<sup>1</sup> at the subsequent AusChamps, i.e. the year of the CCWC event (typically an even-numbered year).
- Any qualifications not taken up in the year prior to the CCWC (the odd year) will be made available in the year of the CCWC competition (the even year).
- AusDBF will aim to notify successful clubs within the 21 days following AusChamps. Clubs will have 30 days after receipt of notification from AusDBF to confirm or decline invitation.
- Clubs will be required to pay a holding deposit of \$500; the holding deposit is used towards the CCWC entry fee, however, if a club cancels/withdraws, the deposit is forfeited in full.

By providing the qualifications in the year prior to the CCWC competition, clubs will have approximately 18 months to fundraise, train and request leave.

*Note: AusDBF are required to endorse to IDBF all the clubs who have qualified in small and standard boats across all categories and age divisions. Clubs must ensure they have sufficient crew members to compete in the racing division and category they have accepted **WITHOUT** double rostering. At CCWC IDBF will **NOT** hold up the racing schedule to allow crew members to get from one boat to another.*

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