

## MEDAL POLICY

To be awarded a Championship medal for the 2015 NSW Sprint Championships the following criteria apply:

- Only constituted races are eligible for medals to be awarded, with the exception of Junior and Vet 55+ and above categories (constituted races requires 3 or more entries/crews).
- Medals are only presented for Direct and A Finals (not heats or semis).
- Medals will be awarded to first, second and third place. If the race has only 3 entries/crews, only first and second place will be awarded, with the exception of Junior and Vet 55+ and above categories.

Additionally:

- Medal presentations will take place immediately following the completion of races. Once athletes have cleared Boat Control, they are expected to make their way to the base of the grandstand for marshalling, without delay.
- Where a clear winner cannot be determined immediately, the medals will be available for collection at the tower one hour after the race has finished until the regatta ends.
- Medals not collected at the regatta will be available for collection from the PaddleNSW office for one month after the regatta and may be collected in bulk by a club representative.
- *PaddleNSW will not post medals where they have not been collected.*
- All entrants are eligible to be named as the NSW State Champion, regardless of State and Club that they are representing