The Australian Light Aircraft Championships (ALACs) 2025

What are the ALACs?	The ALACs are an annual competition for non-professional pilots from all over the country, run by the Royal Federation of Aero Clubs of Australia (RFACA). 2025 is the 66th ALACs.
Who can enter?	Pilots from invited aero clubs Pilots from invited flying schools Pilots who are members of RFACA member aero clubs Pilots must have RPL or RPC as a minimum and be appropriately endorsed.
What are the events?	Spot landing, forced landing, streamer cutting, aerobatics and formation flying. You may enter as many events as you like. They are safe and easy to fly for pilots within a wide range of experience and proficiency, but harder to fly accurately! A qualified flight instructor will occupy your right-hand seat as an air judge in the landing and streamer cutting events.
What about a plane?	You can bring your own or one you've rented, or rent the aircraft provided by the ALACs hosts. These are usually C152s, C172s and Warriors and you will be asked to complete a check ride before practicing or competing.
How do I enter?	Complete the entry form and submit. Your Club may nominate you and other club members to represent your club for the Federation Team Trophy.
What's at stake?	You might win in a particular event, or even become Overall Champion if you score the highest aggregate across a number of events. You could be part of the Club team that wins the Federation Team Trophy.
Where and when?	The ALACs are held in a different place each year. This year they are being hosted by the Manning River Aero Club at Taree Aerodrome, NSW. ALAC Practice is on Wednesday 30 April and Thursday 1 May with competition on the Friday and Saturday. Wings International practice is on Wednesday 30 April and competition will be on Thursday 1 May. The Presentation dinner is on the Saturday night. Local motel accommodation is available at special rates.