

# 2018 Timaru Age Group Regatta & incorporated TYPBC Champs SATURDAY FEBRUARY 10 & SUNDAY FEBRUARY 11

# The Organising Authority is the Timaru Yacht & Power Boat Club

# **NOTICE OF RACE**

#### 1 RULES

- **1.1** The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing*.
- **1.2** The Yachting New Zealand Safety Regulations Part 1 shall apply.
- 1.3 The sailing instructions will consist of the instructions in RRS Appendix S, Standard Sailing Instructions, and supplementary sailing instructions that will be on the official notice board located in the TYBC Club House.
- **1.4** 3 starters are required to constitute a class. Classes with insufficient entries will be sailed as D Class.

# 2 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 The regatta is open to Optimists (green and open fleets), P-Class, Starling, Laser 4.7 & Radial, 420, and O'Pen Bic. Other classes may enter subject to prior Race Committee approval.
- To be eligible to compete in this event each entrant and crew member shall be a financial member of a club affiliated to Yachting New Zealand.
- 2.3 Entrants must be under the age of 19 as of 1 January 2018 (proof of age may be required).

# 3 FEES

- 3.1 The fee for double handed classes i.e 420 is \$40; the fee for all single handed classes is \$30, payable at registration.
- **3.2** Entries submitted via completed forms by 2400hrs February 2, 2018 may deduct \$5 from the fee.
- **3.3** Second and subsequent entries from the same family may deduct \$10 per entry.

#### 4 SCHEDULE

**4.1** Registration: Saturday 10 February from 0900hrs at the TYPBC Club House.



**4.2** Briefing: Saturday 10 February 1000hrs at the TYPBC Club House

# **4.3** Number of races:

CLASS	Saturday	Sunday	Target time for each race
420	Up to 4	Up to 3	45 minutes
Laser Classes	Up to 4	Up to 3	45 minutes
Starling	Up to 4	Up to 3	45 minutes
O'Pen Bic	Up to 4	Up to 3	45 minutes
P-Class	Up to 4	Up to 3	45 minutes
D Classes	Up to 4	Up to 3	45 minutes
Optimist Open	Up to 4	Up to 3	45 minutes
Optimist Green	Up to 4	Up to 3	45 minutes

- **4.4** The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race is 1050hrs on Saturday and 1050hrs on Sunday.
- **4.5** On the last scheduled day of racing no warning signal will be made after 1500hrs.

# **5** MEASUREMENT

A boat shall comply with RRS 78.1 at 0900hrs February 10, 2018.

# **6** SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available after 0900hrs February 10, 2018 at TYPBC.

# 7 VENUE

Caroline Bay & Timaru Harbour approaches.

# 8 THE COURSES

Courses will be shown as attachments to the supplementary sailing instructions provided at registration and on the notice board at TYPBC.

# 9 PENALTY SYSTEM

- **9.1** RRS 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.
- **9.2** RRS Appendix T1a will apply.

# 10 SCORING

- **10.1** 3 races are required to be completed to constitute a series.
- **10.2** Classes will be scored together with results being based on competitor age as defined at time of entry.



# 10.3

- a) When fewer than 4 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- b) When 4 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

# 11 RADIO COMMUNICATION

Except in an emergency, a boat that is racing shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones. [DP]

#### 12 PRIZES

Certificates will be given for  $1^{st}$ ,  $2^{nd}$  and  $3^{rd}$  in each age group. Spot prizes will also be given.

# 13 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. The organising authority will not accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

#### 14 FURTHER INFORMATION

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