

NZTSA Spring Team Sailing Regatta

Parua Bay, Whangarei

Tuesday 6th – Thursday 8th October

Notice of Regatta and Sailing Instructions

Organising Authority is the Whangarei Cruising Club in conjunction with the New Zealand Team Sailing Association.

1.0 The races will be governed by the *Racing Rules of Sailing 2013-2016 including Appendix D*.

1.1 The Yachting New Zealand Safety Regulations Part 1 shall apply.

1.2 The single flag protest procedure; D 2.2 (a) shall be used.

2.0 The rules will be changed in accordance with rule 86 as follows:

2.1 Sailors are required to accept umpires decisions as final.

2.2 In Rule D5.2 change red to yellow.

2.3 Add new rule: D 1.1 (i). When a boat completes a leg of the course in accordance with C 7.2 (c) she is not permitted to return to that leg.

3.0 Eligibility and entry:

3.1 The event is open to all school teams associated with NZTSA.

3.2 If any one school cannot field a full team then a combined team or individual sailors can be entered to be put into a combined team at the discretion of the organisers.

3.3 Teams must fill in the entry form attached and send an entry fee of \$360 per team or \$60 per sailor to:

The Secretary Whangarei Cruising Club
PO Box 1082 Whangarei 0110.

Cheques should be made out to Whangarei Cruising Club.

Or direct credit to Bank account no: 06 0493 0005626 00 identified by team and as Spring Regatta entry.

3.4 Entry date is September 18th 2015. Late entry will be considered but will require a late entry fee of \$60.00 per team

4.0 Boats and equipment

4.1 The 420 class will be used.

4.2 The rules of the 420 class will be changed: spinnakers and trapezes will not be permitted: NZTSA size coloured mainsails shall be used

4.3 Teams are expected to supply their own boats.

5.0 Schedule of events

5.1 Registration and weigh in Tuesday 6th October 9am – 9.30am at Parua Bay. Boats may continue to be rigged at this time.

5.2 Briefing 6th October 10.30am and one hour before racing on Wednesday and Thursday.

5.3 Schedule

Tuesday 6th racing 11.30 – 17.00

Wednesday racing 9.30 – 17.00

Thursday racing 9.30 to no later than 15.30

The format will be based on round robins.

Two fleets may be used after the first round robin if entries permit.

6.0 Sailing instructions

The sailing instructions may be altered at any briefing.

7.0 Sailing area

The sailing area will be Parua Bay.

8.0 The course to be sailed

The course will be a right hand “S”.

9.0 Scoring

This will be in accordance with RRS Appendix D3 and D4.

10.0 Further information

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