



**MURITAI YACHT
CLUB**

NOTICE OF RACE

Wellington Centreboard Championships 2018

Also incorporating the Wellington Laser and Laser Radial Class Championships

Organising Authority:
Muritai Yacht Club, Marine Parade, Eastbourne, Lower Hutt
www.myc.org.nz

Saturday 10 March 2018

1 RULES

- 1.1 The Regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing 2017-2020*.
- 1.2 The Yachting New Zealand Safety Regulations Part I shall apply.
- 1.3 For protests where only a Rule of Part 2 or Rule 31 is alleged to have been broken, an arbitration will be offered prior to any formal hearing.
- 1.4 The Laser Class rules shall apply for the Wellington Laser Championship.

2 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 The regatta is open to all sailors who are financial members of a club recognised by Yachting New Zealand, and all centreboard class yachts.
- 2.2 Eligible yachts may enter by completing an entry form and presenting it on the day, together with the required fee at Muritai Yacht Club. The entry fee is \$20 per senior class yacht, and \$15 for junior and youth classes.

3 SCHEDULE

- 3.1 a) Registration: Saturday 10 March 2018 from 0830 hours to 0915 hours.
b) Briefing: All classes 0930 hours.
- 3.2 Number of Races: Saturday 10 February 2018: All classes will sail four (4) races.
- 3.3 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race is 1025 hours. Races 1 and 2 will be held back to back, while Races 3 and 4 will be held back to back after lunch, with the warning signal for Race 3 to be sounded no earlier than 1330 hours.
 - a) No warning signal will be made after 1600 hours.

b) Sunday, 11 February 2018 is the Reserve Day.

4 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

4.1 The sailing instructions will be available at registration and from www.myc.org.nz

5 VENUE

5.1 The races will be held in the vicinity of Muritai Yacht Club.

6 COURSES

6.1 Courses to be sailed will be either Triangular or Trapezoid

6.2 Exact courses for each class will be displayed on the official club noticeboard and presented at the briefing.

7 SCORING

7.1 The low point scoring system will be used.

7.1 One race is required to constitute a series.

7.2 When fewer than four races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.

7.3 When four races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores, excluding her worst score.

8 LAUNCHING

8.1 Unless otherwise directed by the Organising Authority, all competing boats and equipment shall be launched and retrieved from directly in front of Muritai Yacht Club.

9. PRIZES

Prizes will be given as follows at the discretion of the race committee:

a) 1st, 2nd and 3rd on line for each respective class, pending the number of entries for each class.

10. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the Regatta entirely at their own risk. See Rule 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.

11. FURTHER INFORMATION

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