



**MURITAI YACHT
CLUB**

NOTICE OF RACE

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JUNIOR REGATTA 2019

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

Saturday 16 February 2019

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 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.

2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 The regatta is open to all sailors who are under the age of 21 on the date of the regatta, and all boats of the Optimist Open, Optimist Green, Optimist Rainbow, Open-Bic, Starling, P-Class, Laser, Laser Radial, Laser 4.7 and 420 fleets.
- 2.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing the attached form, and presenting it on the day, together with the required fee at Muritai Yacht Club. The entry fee is \$20 per sailor.

3. SCHEDULE

- 3.1
 - a. Registration: Saturday 16 February 2019 from 0830 hours to 0915 hours.
 - b. Briefing: All classes 0930 hours.
- 3.2 Number of Races, Saturday 16 February 2019: 5 races (Rainbow fleet 3 races).
- 3.3 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race is 1025 hours. Races 1, 2 & 3 will be held back to back, while Races 4 & 5 will be held after lunch, with the warning signal for Race 4 to be sounded at approximately 1425 hours.
 - a. The Rainbow Fleet will hold a briefing at 1030 hours with Race 1 at 1100 hours.
 - b. Races 2 & 3 will be held back to back after lunch.
 - c. No warning signal will be made after 1600 hours.
 - d. Sunday, 17 February 2019 is the Reserve Day.

4. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

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

5. VENUE

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

6. THE COURSES

- Courses to be sailed will be either Triangular or Trapezoid.
- Exact courses for each class will be displayed on the Official Club noticeboard and also presented at the briefing.
- The format for the Rainbow Fleet will be decided each day according to the conditions and will be based on having fun.

7. SCORING

7.1 One race is required to constitute a series.

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

7.3 When 5 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores, excluding her worst score.

8. LAUNCHING

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:

- 1st, 2nd and 3rd on line for each respective class, pending the number of entries for each class.
- Spot prizes will also be awarded.

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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