



**The 2020
New Zealand
Hobie 16 Open National Championships**
Friday 03 April 2020 to Sunday 05 April 2020
Manly Sailing Club, 65 Laurence Street Whangaparaoa, Auckland

In association with the

Farr 3.7 Class National Championship

NOTICE OF RACE

NB: The notation '[DP]' in the Notice of Race means that the penalty for a breach of that rule may, at the discretion of the protest committee, be less than disqualification.

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 Racing rule A4.1 will be changed to 'a boat starting later than 10 minutes after starting signal will be scored DNS'. Racing rule 44.1 will be changed, so the penalty for a breach of a rule of part 2 while racing shall be a 1 turn penalty.
The changes will appear in full in the sailing instructions. The sailing instructions may also change other racing rules.
- 1.4 The Class Rules of the International Hobie Class Association (IHCA) will apply.
- 1.5 For protests where only a Rule of Part 2 is alleged to have been broken, an arbitration hearing will be offered prior to any formal hearing.

2 ADVERTISING

Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority. . If this rule is broken, World Sailing Regulation 20.9.2 applies. [DP]

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to boats of the following classes: Hobie 16, as accepted by the race committee.

- 3.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing the attached entry form and sending it, together with the required fee, of \$100 to Fleet 46 by Friday 27th March 2020.
- 3.3 Late entries may be accepted, accompanied by an additional late entry fee of \$30 until 0900 hours on 4rd April 2020
- 3.4 To be eligible to compete in this event each competitor shall be a financial member of a club recognised by Yachting New Zealand or competitor's national authority.
- 3.5 Each skipper & crew shall be a member of the NZ Hobie association or fleet which is a financial member of the IHCA.

4 SCHEDULE

- 4.1 Registration & Weigh In: Friday 3rd April 2020 1700hr to 1900hr
- 4.2 Briefing: Saturday 4th April 2020 1000hr
- 4.3 Dates of racing:
Saturday 4th April – Up to 5 races
Sunday 5th April – Up to 5 races
A maximum of 9 races may be sailed. Races will be sailed back to back.

5 TIMES:

- 5.1 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race on Saturday 4th April is 1115hrs.
- 5.3 On the 5th April no warning signal will be made after 1530 hours.

6 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The Supplementary Sailing Instructions will be available on the event website <http://www.manlysailingclub.org.nz> from 16th March 2020 .

7 Measurement

Measurement is not required, but it is the responsibility of each skipper to ensure their boat complies with the IHCA Class Rules. Random measurement and inspection checks may be carried out at any time during the championships

8 VENUE

- 8.1 The event will be based at the Manly Sailing Club. 65 Laurence St , Big Manly, Whangaparaoa, Auckland, New Zealand (See Attachment "A")
- 8.2 The Racing Area will be on the waters out from the Manly Sailing Club. See Attachment "A")

9 THE COURSES

The courses to be sailed will generally be windward/leeward, or triangle courses.

10 SCORING

- 10.1 Five races are required to be completed to constitute a series.
 - (a) When fewer than 6 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
 - (b) When from 6 to 9 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

11 SUPPORT BOATS

Support boats shall be marked with the Burgee of the club they represent. (DP)

12 LAUNCHING

Unless otherwise directed by the Organising Authority, all competing boats and equipment shall be launched and retrieved from in front of the MSC club house.

13 RADIO COMMUNICATION

Except in an emergency, a boat shall neither make radio trans-missions while racing nor receive radio communications not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones. (DP)

14 PRIZES

National Championship Trophy for first place, trophies for masters, grand masters and a generous prize pool from key sponsors.

To qualify as a National Championship, at least 10 entries are required.

15 CLASSES:

HOBIE 16: All boats shall comply with the Hobie 16 international class rules.

Crew weights: Crews shall comply with the Hobie 16 international class rules for open competition

16 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 4 Decision to Race. The organizing 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.

17 INSURANCE

It is strongly advised that each participating boat should be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$1,000,000 per incident or the equivalent

18 FURTHER INFORMATION

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3rd – 5th April 2020 – Manly Sailing club

Entry Form

Organising Authority:

Manly Sailing club
65 Laurence Street
Manly

Class	Country Code on Sail	Sail Number
Hull Colour		
Boat Name		

Helmsperson	Crew
First Name	First Name
Surname	Surname
ISAF Sailor's Code (if registered)	ISAF Sailor's Code (if registered)
Gender	Gender
Date of Birth Age on 3rd April 2020	Date of Birth Age on 3rd April 2020
Nationality	Nationality
Yacht Club	Yacht Club
Postal Address	Postal Address

Email	Email
Contact number	Contact number

I agree to be bound by the Racing Rules of Sailing and all other rules that govern this event. I understand that yacht racing has inherent risks and dangers that are beyond the control of the organizing authority. I understand that neither the organising authority and its officers, members and servants nor other persons assisting with the conduct of the regatta accept any responsibility in respect of any injury or loss to person or property that may be sustained by reason of participation in the regatta or howsoever arising in connection with the regatta.

I agree to the use of my photograph(s) and other relevant information in any event publicity and in the ongoing promotion of New Zealand yachting. I agree to the Organising Authority and Yachting New Zealand holding the above information for the general administration and well-being of the sport, and for them to retain, use and disclose the information to affiliated organisations and any other persons or organisations that Yachting New Zealand believes will further the interests and objectives of Yachting New Zealand. I acknowledge my right to access to and correction of this information. The consent is given in accordance with the Privacy Act 1993.

<p>Helmsperson's Signature</p> <p>Date</p> <p>Parent/Guardian's Signature (if sailor under 18 years old)</p> <p>Date</p>	<p>Crew's Signature</p> <p>Date</p> <p>Parent/Guardian's Signature (if sailor under 18 years old)</p> <p>Date</p>
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Enclosures			
Entry Fee \$100	Proof of Club Membership	Proof of Class Assn Membership	
	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>	

Office Use			
Entry Fee Paid	Cash / Cheque / Eftpos / online banking	Date	Comment