



## New Zealand Raceboard RS:X Techno 293 Nationals 2018

April 20th, 21st and 22<sup>nd</sup> 2018

The Organising Authority is *Tauranga Yacht & Power Boat Club*  
90 Keith Allen Dr, Tauranga

### NOTICE OF RACE

NB: The notation '[DP]' in a rule in the Sailing Instructions 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. Notwithstanding the dispensation granted by Yachting New Zealand, windsurfing competitors (except the RS:X Class) shall comply with clause 1.
  - 1.3** Appendix B3 is changed to "rule 31 (Touching a Mark) is changed to A board may touch a mark but shall not hold onto it".  
The changes will appear in full in the sailing instructions. The sailing instructions may also change other racing rules.
  - 1.4** Appendix T will apply.
  - 1.5** Equipment must comply with the International Class rules.
  - 1.6** A maximum of 2 sails are allowed to be used during the event (except for RS:X and Techno where the class rules only allow for one rig to be used during the event).
  - 1.7** Only one board may be raced during the regatta.
  - 1.8** Equipment inspections may be made at any time during the event.
- #### **2 ADVERTISING**
- Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organising authority.
- #### **3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**
- 3.1** The Regatta is open to all World Sailing classified Raceboard classes from 1990 to current including RS:X and Techno 293.





## **6 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

The Sailing Instructions will be on TYPBC website and available at registration.

## **7 VENUE**

**7.1** Attachment A shows the location of the regatta venue, marked A.

**7.2** The races will be held on water off TYPBC Beach.

## **8 THE COURSES**

**8.1** The course(s) may be Windward Leeward or trapezoid courses. A Gate may be laid.

**8.2** Men and women, boys and girls, may start together

## **9 PENALTY SYSTEM**

**9.1** Appendix B4. 44 shall apply. Rule 44.2 applies.

If an infringement is acknowledged by a board, she shall complete a One-Turn penalty (1 tack & 1 gybe).

## **10 SCORING**

**10.1** Five races will be required to be completed to constitute a series.

- 10.2**
- (1) No score will be excluded until 5 races have been completed.
  - (2) When 5 to 9 races have been completed a board's worst score will be excluded.

**10.3** For Raceboard, RS:X and Techno an overall ranking will be published. The finishing positions for the divisions will be determined by their respective finishing position in the overall ranking.

## **11 DIVISIONS**

Youth, Open, Masters, Grand Masters, and Veteran age parameters will be defined as per the current international class association championship rules for Raceboard, RS:X and Techno 293.

## **12 SUPPORT BOATS**

Team support boats will be permitted and must be registered with the Organising Authority at registration (clause 5.1 above).

## **13 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]



**14 PRIZES**

Prizes will be given for winners of each properly constituted division. A properly constituted division is 3 or more entrants or at the discretion of the organisers.

**15 RIGHTS TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS**

In registering for the event, competitors automatically grant to the Organising Authority the right in perpetuity to make, use and show from time to time at their discretion, any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or filmed television and other reproduction of them, taken during the period of the event, for the said Event as defined in the Notice of Race and Sailing Instructions in which he/she participates without compensation.

**16 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.

**17 FURTHER INFORMATION**

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## ATTACHMENT A

Regatta Venue: Tauranga Yacht & Power Boat Club, Sulphur Point, Tauranga, marked A.

