

2019 Nacra 17 Class New Zealand National Championships 8-11 November 2019 The Organising Authority is the Takapuna Boating Club 39 The Strand, Takapuna New Zealand

NOTICE OF RACE

NB: The notation '[DP]' in a rule 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 The sailing instructions will consist of the instructions in RRS Appendix S, Standard Sailing Instructions, and supplementary sailing instructions that will be on the official notice board located at the middle floor of the club.
- **1.4** Appendix T, Arbitration, will apply.

2 ADVERTISING

- 2.1 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organising 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 all boats of the Nacra 17 class.
- 3.2 Eligible boats may enter online at https://www.takapunaboating.org.nz/ Or by completing the attached form and sending it, together with the required fee, to Takapuna Boating Club, 39 the Strand, Takapuna or manager@takapunaboating.org.nz by 1 November 2019.
- 3.3 Late entries will be accepted until 18.30hrs on 8 November upon payment of a late entry fee of \$50.00
- 3.4 To be eligible to compete in this event each entrant and crew member shall be a financial member of a club recognised by the entrant and crew member's national authority.
- **3.5** Each competitor, entrant and crew members shall be members of their class association.

4 FEES

4.1 Required fees are as follows:

CLASS	FEE
Nacra 17	\$200.00

5 SCHEDULE

- **5.1** Registration: 17.00 18.30hrs on 8 November 2019 [RM1] at Takapuna Boating Club.
- **5.2** Competitor's briefing 18.30hrs 8 November 2019 [RM2] at Takapuna Boating Club.
- **5.3** Dates of racing:

Date	Class
9 November	racing
10 November	racing
11 November	racing

5.4 Number of races:

Class	Number Races per	Target time for each
	day	race
Nacra 17	4	30 Minutes

- **5.5** The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race each day is 11.00
- **5.6** On the last scheduled day of racing no warning signal will be made after 15.00 Hours.

6 MEASUREMENT

6.1 A boat shall comply with RRS 78.1 at all times [RM3] during the event.

7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available after 9.00 on 30 September 2019 at the middle floor of Takapuna Boating Club and online at takapunaboating.org.nz

8 VENUE

- **8.1** Attachment A shows the location of the regatta venue.
- **8.2** Attachment B shows the location of the racing areas.

9 THE COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be as follows: Windward/Leeward and/or Trapezoid.

10 PENALTY SYSTEM

10.1 For the Nacra 17 class RRS 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

11 SCORING

11.1 Five races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

11.2

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

b) When six or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

12 SUPPORT BOATS

Support boats shall be marked with its national letters. [DP[RM4][A5]]

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 as follows: NZ National Nacra 17 Championship 2020

15 INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid marine third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$1,000,000 per incident or the equivalent. Certificate of insurance is to be submitted with entry.

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

For further information please contact:

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NZ Nacra 17 Class Association: janshearer@xtra.co.nz

Attachment A Location of the club



Approximate racing area Approximate Course Area