

# 2010 HOBIE 16 NEW ZEALAND CHAMPIONSHIPS

2<sup>ND</sup> – 4<sup>TH</sup> April 2010

## Takapuna Beach, North Shore City

The Organising Authority is: Takapuna Boating Club Inc., PO Box  
33062, Takapuna Beach, North Shore City, 0740

### NOTICE OF RACE

#### 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 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

- 2.1 Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organizing authority.

#### 3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the Hobie 16 class.
- 3.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing the attached form and sending it, together with the required fee, to Hobie National Championships, C/- Shelia Cunningham, Secretary Fleet 46, 85A Kowhai Rd, Mairangi Bay, North Shore City 0630 by 1<sup>st</sup> March 2010.
- 3.3 Late entries ,accompanied by a late entry fee of \$30 may be accepted at the Race Committee's discretion up until registration, 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2010.
- 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 competitor's national authority.

- 3.5 Each competitor, entrant and crew member shall be a current member of a Hobie Class fleet recognised by the IHCA.

#### 4 FEES

- 4.1 Entry fees are \$200 per boat for entries paid and received by 1<sup>st</sup> March 2010.  
Entries received and/or paid after 1<sup>st</sup> March 2010 shall be subject to an additional late entry fee of \$30
- 4.2 Cheques made payable to : Hobie fleet 46,  
Write your name and sail number on the reverse of the cheque.

## **5 SCHEDULE**

- 5.1** A total of 11 races have been scheduled.
- 5.2** Registration: Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2010 at the Takapuna Boating Club from 0800hrs to 1100hrs
- 5.3** Briefing: 1100hrs at the Takapuna Boating Club.
- 5.4** Dates of racing:
- Date*
- |                                |         |
|--------------------------------|---------|
| Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> April   | 3 races |
| Saturday 3 <sup>rd</sup> April | 4 races |
| Sunday 4 <sup>th</sup> April   | 4 races |
- 5.5** The scheduled time of the warning signal on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> April 2010 will be 1300hrs.
- 5.6** The scheduled time of the warning signal on Saturday and Sunday will be 1100hrs.
- 5.7** On Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> April no warning signal will be made after 1600 hours.

## **6 MEASUREMENTS**

Each boat shall comply with the International Hobie Class Association (IHCA) Class Rules. By entering the regatta each competitor agrees to present his/her boat and sails for inspection to confirm compliance with the Class Rules.

## **7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

The sailing instructions will be available at registration in the Takapuna Boating Club.

## **8 VENUE**

- 8.1** Attachment 1 shows the location of the Takapuna Boating Club and the racing areas.

## **9 THE COURSES**

The courses to be sailed will be as follows: Windward/leeward and/or triangular courses.

## **10 PENALTY SYSTEM**

- 10.1** Rule 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

## **11 SCORING**

- 11.1** 3 races are required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 11.2**
- (a) When fewer than 4 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
  - (b) When from 4 to 9 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.
  - (c) When 10 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her two worst scores.
- 11.3** A boat that did not finish (DNF) shall be scored points for the finishing place one more than the number of

boats that ranked as starters in that race. This amends rule A4.2

**12 SUPPORT BOATS**

All support boats must register with the Organising Authority at registration and nominate the boat(s) they support.

Sufficient Personal Flotation Devices for each crewmember must be carried by all support boats at all times in accordance with New Zealand Maritime Law.

Team leaders, coaches, and other support personnel shall comply with NOR 13.

**PROHIBITED ANCHORING AREA**

**13** Boats associated with the championship and registered support boats shall comply with the New Zealand Government Regulation "Submarine Cables and Pipelines Protection Act 1996". This regulation prohibits anchoring in the area shaded in the No Anchoring area in Appendix 1 and defined on charts NZ532 and NZ5322.

Any boat or support craft breaking NOR 15.1 will be subject to a hearing resulting in a report to their National Authority and ISAF. As a consequence, a competitor associated with the coach of the support craft may be disqualified from the race closest to the time of the infringement.

**PHOTOGRAPHY CONSENT**

**14** By entering the Championships competitors accept that they may be photographed and/or videotaped participating in the race and/or using the regatta facilities and they consent to the taking of such images and to the use, reuse, publication and republication of such images in any media, in conjunction with the competitor's name or not, without compensation and without the competitor's approval of such images or any use thereof.

**15 RADIO COMMUNICATION**

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

**16 PRIZES**

Prizes will be given as follows: \_\_\_\_\_.

Prizes will be awarded for Open, Master, Youth and Women categories

- where entries exceed 20 boats in a category, prizes will be awarded for the first five places,

- where entries exceed 10 boats, 1<sup>st</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> places will be awarded prizes,

- where 5 or more boats are entered, 1<sup>st</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> places will be awarded prizes,

- where less than 5 boats are entered, 1<sup>st</sup> prize will be awarded.

Spot prizes may be awarded.

**17 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.

**18 FURTHER INFORMATION**

For further information please contact:

Takapuna Boating Club

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North Shore City 0740

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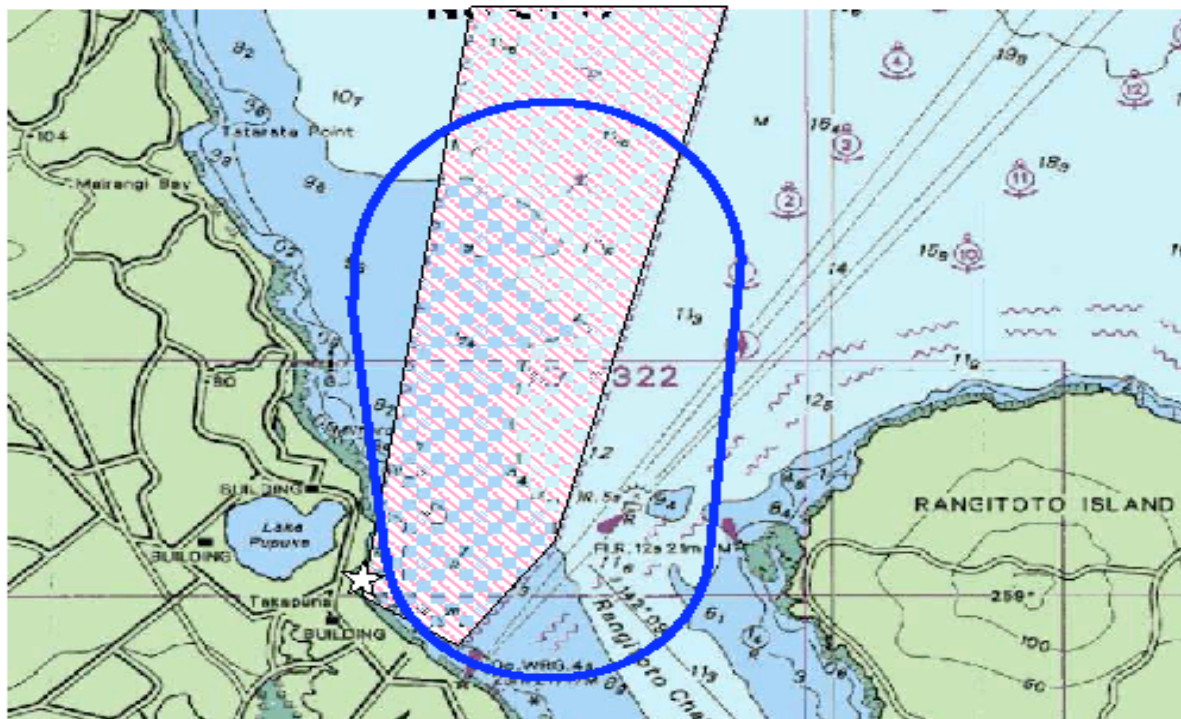
Fax +64 9 486 0747

Email: [info@takapunaboating.org.nz](mailto:info@takapunaboating.org.nz)

Web-site: <http://www.takapunaboating.org.nz>

## APPENDIX 1

### APPROX RACING AREA and TAKAPUNA BOATING CLUB LOCATION



Takapuna Boating Club location



Approximate course area



Prohibited anchoring area

# Hobie 16 New Zealand Championships

## 2<sup>nd</sup> – 5<sup>th</sup> April 2010

### ENTRY FORM

**Organising Authority:** Takapuna Boating Club

Street Address: 39 The Strand,  
Takapuna Beach  
North Shore City

Postal Address: PO Box 33062  
Takapuna  
North Shore City 0740

Boat:		
Class:	Country Code On Sail:	Sail Number:
Hull Colour:	Boat Name:	

Helmsperson:		Crew:	
First Name:		First Name:	
Last Name:		Last Name:	
Address:		Address:	
Email:			
Phone:	Phone:	Phone:	Phone:
Nationality:		Nationality:	
Male/Female:	Date of Birth:	Male/Female:	Date of Birth:
Weight:		Weight:	
Yacht Club:		Yacht Club:	

Payment Details:		
Amount Paid: <b>\$</b>	Payment Method: (Cheque / Direct Deposit / EFT)	Date Paid:

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 Organizing 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 organizations and any other persons or organizations 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.

<b>Helmsperson's Signature:</b> (Date)	<b>Crew's Signature:</b> (Date)
<b>Parent/Guardian's Signature:</b> (if sailor under 18 years old)	<b>Parent/Guardian's Signature:</b> (if sailor under 18 years old)

Enclosures:				
Entry Fee: <input type="checkbox"/>	Proof of Club Membership: <input type="checkbox"/>	Proof of Class Assn Membership: <input type="checkbox"/>	Proof of Date of Birth: <input type="checkbox"/>	Total crew weight: <input type="checkbox"/>

Office Use:				
Date received:	Entry Fee Paid:	Date Paid:	Cash/Cheque/EFTPOS	Comments:

