

Tasmanian Championship

International 420

NOTICE OF RACE

Date: 13 & 14 March 2010
Organising Authority: Sandy Bay Sailing Club Inc

1. Rules:

The Regatta will be governed by the Racing Rules of Sailing as amended, the Prescriptions and Safety Regulations of Yachting Australia, the rules of the International 420 Class, (except as any of these are altered by the sailing instructions) and by the Sailing Instructions.

The exceptions to Rule 42 as contained in the International 420 Class Rules will apply to this regatta.

2. Advertising:

The Regatta is classified as a Category C Event in accordance with RRS Appendix A.

3. Eligibility and Entries:

The regatta is open to competitors who are members in good standing of the Int. 420 Class Association of Tasmania ('the Association') and a club affiliated with the Yachting Australia, and invited competitors who are members of a club affiliated with Yachting Australia.

4. Fees:

Entry Fee will be \$20 payable with the completed Entry Form. An additional \$20 fee per boat will be payable for temporary membership of the Association where none of the crew of a boat is a full member of the Association.

5. Schedule of Events

Day	Date	Event	Time of Warning Signal
Saturday	13/3/10	Registration at SBSC	0830 to 0930 hrs
		Races back to back	1000 hrs
Sunday	14/3/10	Races back to back	1000 hrs
		NB: No warning signal will be made after 1500 hours on Sunday 14 March 2010	

6. Sailing Instructions:

Sailing instructions will be available at registration from 0830 on Saturday 13 March at the Regatta office, Sandy Bay Sailing Club or at Dinghy Group, RYCT/DSS.

7. Racing Area:

The racing will be on the waters of the Derwent River Estuary between Battery Point and Droughty Point.

8. Courses:

Courses will be trapezoid and/or windward/leeward as described in the Sailing Instructions

9. Scoring:

The Low Point scoring system Appendix A of the RRS will apply, modified so that each boat's series score will be the total of its race scores, with the boat's worst score discarded if four races have been completed and two worst scores if eight races are completed. Eight races are scheduled of which three races shall be completed to constitute a series. If there are fewer than four races completed there shall be no discard.

10. Prizes:

The winner will be awarded the perpetual trophy for the Tasmanian International 420 Championship. Other prizes will be as determined by the Int. 420 Class of Tasmania.

11. Safety

Boats which launch from SBSC and intending to compete shall sign on at SBSC prior to leaving shore. Prior to starting all boats shall report to the Committee Boat by hailing their sail number and having their hail acknowledged by the Race Committee. Failure to comply with this SI may result in action by the Race Committee. Boats returning to SBSC shall sign off at SBSC upon returning to shore.

Boats returning to places other than SBSC prior to the completion of racing for the day shall endeavour to advise the Race Committee of their intention to leave the course.

Competitors who have not Signed-On at the start of their first race of the session will be penalised five (5) places (but not worse than DNF) for that race, without a hearing. Competitors who do not Sign-Off within one (1) hour of the last boat in their last race of the session will be penalised five (5) places (but not worse than DNF) for that race, without a hearing. This changes RRS 63.1. A breach of this SI will not be subject to protest by another boat.

12. Further Information:

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