

# NOTICE OF RACE



## 2018 Victorian Laser State & Youth Championship

17<sup>th</sup> & 18<sup>th</sup> March 2018



The Organising Authority is the Mordialloc Sailing Club Inc in conjunction with Victorian Laser Association.

### 1. RULES

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)
- 1.2 YA/AS Special Regulations Part 2 Off the Beach boats shall apply.

### 2. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 2.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the Laser Standard, Laser Radial or Laser 4.7 Classes.
- 2.2 Eligibility for Youth Divisions is the competitor's age as at 31<sup>st</sup> December 2018 and the Divisions are as follows:

Class	Division	Criteria	Birth Year
Laser 4.7	Junior	Under 16	2003 & later
	Youth	Under 18	2001 & 2002
	Women	Under 18	2001 & later
Laser Radial	Junior	Under 17	2002 & later
	Youth	Under 19	2000 & 1999
	Women	Under 21	1998 & later
Laser Standard	Men	Under 21	1998 & later

- 2.4 All boats shall be entered and skippered by a current financial member of a District of the ILCA.
- 2.5 Eligible boats may enter online via TryBooking at: [www.trybooking.com.au/UAPD](http://www.trybooking.com.au/UAPD)

### 3. ENTRY FEE

- 3.1 The entry fee is **\$87** per boat for the Standard and Radial Classes. The entry is permanently discounted to **\$72** for all 4.7 Class entries.
- 3.2 Entries received by **Friday 9<sup>th</sup> March** will receive a **\$15 discount** making the fee **\$72**.

### 4. SCHEDULE

- 4.1 All competitors shall complete registration at Mordialloc Sailing Club between 1000hrs and 1230hrs on the 17<sup>th</sup> March 2018.
- 4.2 Five races are scheduled.
- 4.3

Saturday 17 <sup>th</sup> March	Registration	1000hrs -> 12:30hrs
	VLA AGM	1100hrs
	Information Session	1230hrs
	<b>Racing</b>	<b>1400hrs</b>
Sunday 18 <sup>th</sup> March	<b>Racing</b>	<b>1030hrs</b>
	Presentation	Following conclusion of racing

- 4.4 No warning signal will be made later than 1500hrs on Sunday 18<sup>h</sup> March.

## **5. MEASUREMENT**

Measurement checks and inspections may be carried out at any time. A Boat notified of inspection shall follow the instructions of the Race Committee.

## **6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

Sailing Instructions will be available at registration and on the MSC website at [www.mordiallocsc.com.au](http://www.mordiallocsc.com.au) .

## **7. REGATTA VENUE**

The regatta site is:

Mordialloc Sailing Club (MSC),

Foreshore (off Bowman Street)

North Aspendale.

Victoria, Australia

Contact details:

Phone: 0467 229 116

Email: [msc@mordiallocsc.com.au](mailto:msc@mordiallocsc.com.au)

Web Site: [www.mordiallocsc.com.au](http://www.mordiallocsc.com.au)

The Racing Area will be the waters of Port Phillip in the vicinity of Mordialloc Sailing Club.

## **8. THE COURSES**

Trapezoid courses will be sailed as detailed in the Sailing Instructions.

## **9. SCORING SYSTEM**

9.1 A minimum of three races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

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

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

9.4 All Division prizes will be awarded based on the ranking of competitors in the overall results of the applicable Class.

## **10. SUPPORT BOATS/COACHES**

10.1 All coach and support boats shall register before racing commences by completing the form available at registration

10.2 Team managers, Coaches and other support personnel shall stay at least 100 metres from any boat racing from the time of the preparatory signal until all boats have finished, or the Race Committee signals a postponement, general recall, abandonment or when asked to assist by the Race Committee

10.3 Each coach/support boat is required to have a working VHF radio tuned into a frequency designated by the Race Committee and be available to act as a rescue boat as directed by the Race Committee if required

## **11. RADIO COMMUNICATIONS**

Except in an emergency, a boat that is racing shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data transmission that is not available to all boats.

## **12. PRIZES**

This is a cube event for Open and Youth sailors and cubes will be awarded in accordance with ILCA Rules. Masters sailors who sailed in the Victorian Masters Championship and enter this State Championship will be eligible for an additional prize.

## **13. RIGHTS TO USE NAME AND LIKENESS**

In participating in an Event, a competitor automatically grants the Organising Authority and the sponsors of the Event, 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 film television and other reproductions of him/her during the period of the competition for the said Event in which the competitor participates and in all material related to the said Event without compensation.

#### **14. 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.

#### **15. INSURANCE**

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$5,000,000 (recommended \$10,000,000) per event or the equivalent. All competitors who submit a signed registration form are deemed to have made a declaration that they hold such cover. Competitors may be required to produce evidence of such insurance and any competitor not holding this cover shall withdraw their entry.

#### **16. AMENDMENTS**

Any amendments to this Notice of Race shall be posted on the Victorian Laser web-site no later than 4<sup>th</sup> March 2018.

#### **17. FURTHER INFORMATION:**

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