



Flying Fifteen
PRE SEASON
REGATTA

Sunday 25th September, 2011

NOTICE OF RACE

Organizing Authority



South of Perth Yacht Club (Inc.)

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1. DESCRIPTION OF EVENT

This is a shakedown regatta to get everyone primed for the start of the sailing season. Coaching will be allowed at all times by Race Committee approved coaches.

2. RULES

- 2.1 The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in The Racing Rules of Sailing ("rules").
- 2.2 The prescriptions of Yachting Australia (YA) will apply.
- 2.3 The rules of the International Flying Fifteen Class will apply.
- 2.4 Rule 40 is altered so that it shall always apply to boats racing and display of flag Y is not required.

3 ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the International Flying Fifteen Class whose skipper and crew are members of a yacht club which is affiliated with YWA.
- 3.2 Eligible boats may enter on the attached Entry Form which shall be lodged with the Race Officer prior to racing.

4. FEES – Nil

5 SCHEDULE

- 5.1 Registration from 0900 to 0930.
- 5.2 Competitors Meeting 0915.
- 4.3 Warning Signal for race 1 will be 1000. Races 2 – 8 to follow. A lunch break on the land will be allowed for during the day.
- 4.4 Presentation of results will be in the Main Clubhouse at 1800 followed by a BBQ.

6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing instructions will be made available at the Competitors Meeting.

7. RACING AREA

The racing area will be on Melville Water East on the Swan River adjacent to South of Perth Yacht Club.

8. THE COURSES

Windward/leeward and triangular courses are to be sailed as described in the Sailing Instructions. Each race will be 2 laps with a duration of approximately 20 minutes.

9. PENALTY SYSTEM

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

10. SCORING

- 10.1 1 race is required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 10.2 (a) When fewer than 5 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores.
- (b) When from 5 to 7 races have been completed, a boats series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

- (c) When 8 races have been completed, a boats series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her two worst scores.

11 PRIZES

There will be a presentation of pennants to Classic, Silver and Open fleets for 1st, 2nd and 3rd

12 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See rule 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.

13. INSURANCE

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$10,000,000 per event or the equivalent.

14. FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact either;

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ENTRY FORM

Please enter my boat for the 2011 Flying Fifteen Pre Season Regatta

Boat Name: **Sail Number:**

Fleet: **Circle as appropriate** **Open** **Silver** **Classic**

Skipper Name: **Silver Card No:**

Address:

Phone Numbers: **Business** **Home** **Mobile**

Email Address:

Crew Name: **Silver Card No:**

Address:

Phone Numbers: **Business** **Home** **Mobile**

Email Address:

"I agree to be bound by The Racing Rules of Sailing and by all other rules that govern this event and I acknowledge that rule 4 – Decision to Race, places the sole responsibility for a boat deciding to participate in a race or to continue racing as hers alone. I confirm the insurance cover requirements stated in item 14 of the Notice of Race are current and will remain in force during the regatta."

Signature skipper: _____ **Date:** _____

Signature crew: _____ **Date:** _____

This Entry Form shall be lodged with the Race Officer prior to closure of registration on 0930 on 25 September 2011. To facilitate the regatta organisation it would be appreciated if signed entries could be sent via facsimile to The Sailing Administrator, South of Perth Yacht Club, Coffee Point, Applecross 6153 on 9364 2833 or via email to sailingadministrator@sopyc.com.au