

NOTICE OF RACE

2022 Instruman Open Dinghy Mpumalanga Championship

Dates: 01 Oct 2022 to 02 Oct 2022

Venue: Witbank Yacht and Aquatic Club

Organising Authority: Open dinghy in conjunction with the WYAC with the consent of SA

Sailing.

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RULES 1

- 1.1 The event is governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules Of Sailing*.
- The SA Sailing prescriptions for National and Regional Championships will apply. 1.2

SAILING INSTRUCTIONS 2

The sailing instructions will be posted on the WYAC website no later than 08:00 on 27 July 2022 and will be available at registration.

COMMUNICATION

The online official notice board is located at http://wyac.co.za 3.1

ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY

- 4.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the Dinghy that meet mono hull dinghy class requirements.
- 4.2 Eligible boats may enter by [completing the entry form and submitting it, together with the fee, to admin1@wyac.co.za by 30 September 2022.
- 4.3 To be considered an entry in the event, a boat shall complete all registration requirements and pay all fees.
- 4.4 Late entries will be accepted under the following conditions: None.
- 4.5 All competitors shall be members in good standing of SA Sailing and of a yacht club affiliated to and in good standing with SA Sailing (or their equivalent in the case of non-South Africans) and legally permitted to compete.
- 4.6 Proof of such membership shall be presented at registration.

FEES 5

Entry fees are as follows:

Class: Dinghies Single Fee R 210-00 per boat Class: Dinghies Double Handed Fee R 260-00 per boat Class: Junior Dinghies Fee R 100-00 per boat

ADVERTISING 6

Boats shall not be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organising authority.

SCHEDULE

7.1 Registration: 30 September, from 17:00 to 19:00. 01 October, from 08:00 to 09:00.

7.2 Equipment inspection and event measurement: 01 October, from 08:00 to 09:00.

- **7.3** Dates of racing: 01- 02 October 2022.
- **7.4** The scheduled time of the warning signal for each day is: 10:00.
- **7.5** A maximum of 15 races are scheduled.
- **7.6** On the last scheduled day of racing no warning signal will be made after 14:00.

8 MEASUREMENT

- **8.1** Each boat shall produce a valid measurement certificate.
- **8.2** Boats shall be available for equipment inspection from 01 October, from 08:00 to 09:00.

9 SUPPORT PERSON VESSELS

Support person vessels shall be marked with White flags.

10 PRIZES

Prizes will be given as follows:

SAS Gold, silver and bronze per class (min 5 boats in same class)

WYAC medals will be presented on the following proviso - Gold up to 7 entries, Gold & Silver up to 8 - 10 entries, gold, silver & bronze for 11 or more entries

Any other prizes and/or trophies may be presented as provided by and at the discretion of the WYAC organising committee.

11 RISK STATEMENT

RRS 3 states: "The responsibility for a boat's decision to participate in a race or to continue to race is hers alone." Competitors participate in this event entirely at their own risk. 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.

12 INSURANCE

Each participating boat is encouraged to carry sufficient valid third-party liability insurance to cover any liability arising during the event.

13 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact:

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