



2012 New Zealand R Class Skiff National Championship

62nd Leander Trophy
1st March to 4th March 2012

Naval Point Club Lyttelton



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 a Rule of Part 2 or Rule 30 is alleged to have been broken an arbitration hearing will be offered prior to any formal hearing.

2 ADVERTISING

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 R Class Skiff class that comply with the class rules.
- 3.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing the attached form and sending it, together with the required fee, to Secretary, Naval Point Club Lyttelton, PO Box 19733, Woolston, Christchurch 8241 by 10.00 hours on Thursday 23 February 2012.
- 3.3 Late entries may be accepted at the Race Committee's discretion.
- 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 entrant and crew member's national authority.
- 3.5 Each entrant and crew member shall be a financial member of an R Class Squadron.

4 FEES

Contest Entry Fee \$100.00

5 SCHEDULE

- 5.1 Registration:
Thursday 1st March 2012 from 0900 hrs to 1000 hrs at Naval Point Club Lyttelton.
- 5.2 Briefing
Thursday 2nd March 2012 from 0945 hrs at Naval Point Club Lyttelton.
- 5.3 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race each day is 11.00 hrs
- 5.4 Racing schedule:
The scheduled time of the warning signal for the Invitation Race is 1100 hrs on Thursday 1st March 2012.
The scheduled time of the warning signal for Race 1 of the championship is 1400 hrs on Thursday 1st March 2012.
Up to three races, with two races back to back, are scheduled per day.
A total of nine races (excluding the Invitation Race) are scheduled.
No National Championship race shall start after 12.30 hours on Sunday 4th March.

A Sprint Series will run after National Championship racing on Sunday

6 MEASUREMENTS

Each boat shall produce a valid measurement certificate and in addition measurement checks may be made.
Measurement requirements are detailed at www.rclass.org/rules

7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available after registration and draft Sailing Instructions will be available on the Naval Point Club Lyttelton website www.navalpoint.co.nz from the end of January.

8 VENUE

- 8.1 Attachment A shows the location of the regatta venue.
- 8.2 Attachment B shows the location of the racing areas.

9 THE COURSES

The courses to be sailed will be Windward Leeward.

10 SCORING

- 10.1 The scoring system awards points according to the formula $400 / (N+3)$ where N is the official finishing position of a boat.
- 10.2 Five races will be required to be completed to constitute a series.
- 10.3 No score will be excluded.

11 SUPPORT BOATS

11.1 Support boats will be allowed.

11.2 Support boats must be registered with the Organising Authority at registration.

12 LAUNCHING

Unless otherwise directed by the Organising Authority, all competing boats and equipment shall be launched and retrieved from Naval Point Club Lyttelton.

13 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.

14 PRIZES

The following prizes will be awarded:

- Leander Trophy
- Kent Prier Trophy
- Bank of NSW Trophy
- Bill Hayman Cup
- Leander Trophy Masters Cup
- Leander Cup
- Doug Harrison Memorial Trophy
- Youth Trophy
- Pinkney Trophy
- Innovation Trophy
- Lion Trophy

15 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.

16 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact The Secretary, Naval Point Club Lyttelton
PO Box 19 733, Woolston, Christchurch 8241
Phone (03) 328 7029
secretary@navalpoint.co.nz
www.navalpoint.co.nz

Attachment 1

Venue Location in Lyttelton



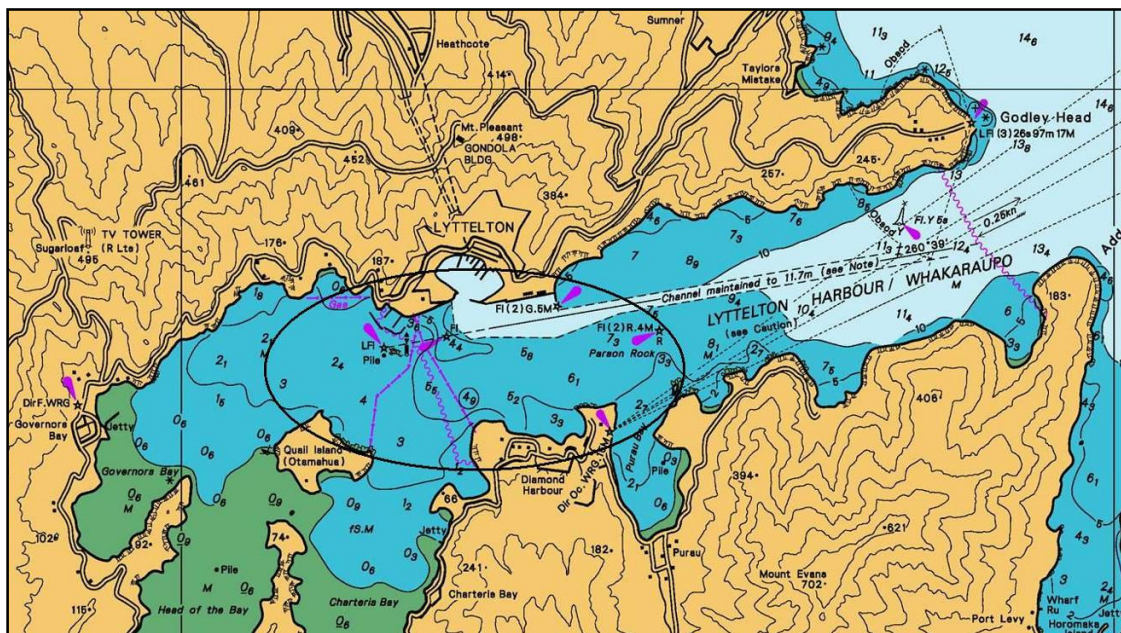
Directions:

Exit Tunnel, turn right at roundabout,

After 200m turn left, follow the road for 1km and turn right at the recreation ground, follow the road to the NPCL gate.

Attachment 2

Location of Racing Area



Entry Form

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Organising Authority:
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Sail Number

Boat Name

Hull colour

Helmsperson	Crew
First Name	First Name
Surname	Surname
Gender Male / Female	Gender Male / Female
Date of Birth	Date of Birth
Yacht Club	Yacht Club
Address	Address
Email	Email
Phone - Home	Phone - Home
Phone - Mobile	Phone - Mobile

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 Organising 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 organisations and any other persons or organisations 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.

Helmsperson's Signature

Date

Enclosures (if stated as required to be presented in Notice of Race)

Entry Fee	Proof of Club Membership			
\$100.00	<input type="checkbox"/>			

Office Use

Entry Fee Paid	Cash / Cheque / Eftpos	Date	Comment