

Leander Trophy R Class National Championship 2020
20 February to 23 February 2020
The Organising Authority is the Naval Point Club Lyttelton

NOTICE OF RACE

NB: The notation '[DP]' in a rule in the Notice of Race means that the penalty for a breach of that rule may, at the discretion of the protest committee, be less than disqualification.

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** Appendix T, Arbitration, will apply.

2 ADVERTISING

- 2.1** Boats may be required to display advertising chosen and supplied by the organising authority. If this rule is broken, World Sailing Regulation 20.9.2 applies. [DP]

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 admin@navalpoint.co.nz by 09:30 hrs on Thursday February 20 2020.
Payment can be made to NPCL Bank Account number 02 0864 0080191 00 with reference "R" and sail number.
- 3.3** To be eligible to compete in this event each competitor shall be a financial member of a club recognised by entrant and crew member's national authority.
- 3.4** Proof of affiliated club membership to be presented at registration.

4 FEES

- 4.1** Required fees are as follows:

CLASS	FEE
R	\$130.00

5 SCHEDULE

5.1 Registration:

Thursday February 20 2020, from 0800hrs to 0930hrs at Naval Point Club

5.2 Briefing will be on Thursday February 20 from 0930 hrs at Naval Point Club Lyttelton.

Dates of racing

<i>Date</i>	<i>R Class</i>
<i>February 20</i>	<i>racing</i>
<i>February 21</i>	<i>racing</i>
<i>February 22</i>	<i>racing</i>
<i>February 23</i>	<i>racing</i>

5.3 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the Invitation Race and Race 1 of the championship is 11.00 hrs on Thursday 20th February 2020.

5.4 The scheduled time of the warning signal for Race 2 of the championship is 14.00 hrs on Thursday 20th February 2020.

5.5 The scheduled time of the warning signal for the first race on Friday, Saturday and Sunday is 11.00 hrs.

5.6 Up to three races, with a maximum of two races back to back, are scheduled per day.

5.7 A total of 9 races are scheduled.

5.8 It is the intention of the organisers to manage racing, including race start times, to maximise the number of races sailed in 12 to 18 knot wind strengths.

5.9 A separate Super-Cup Sprint Series will be run on Sunday 23rd February after National Championship racing is finished for the day.

6 MEASUREMENT

6.1 Each R Class boat shall produce a valid measurement certificate.

6.2 A boat shall always comply with RRS 78.1 when racing.

7 SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

The sailing instructions will be available at registration.

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; two laps.

Boats that have completed only one lap after the first boat has finished (have been lapped by the leading boat), will be finished at the end of that lap.

Points will be awarded in place sequence after the boats that complete the full course.

10 PENALTY SYSTEM

For the R Class Skiff RRS 44.1 is changed so that the Two-Turns Penalty is replaced by the One-Turn Penalty.

11 SCORING

11.1 The scoring system is as follows: The scoring system awards points according to the formula $400 / (N+3)$ where N is the official finishing position of a boat.

11.2 5 races are required to be completed to constitute a series.

11.3 No Score will be excluded.

12 SUPPORT BOATS

Support boats shall be registered and identified at registration. [DP]

13 HAUL-OUT RESTRICTIONS

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

14 RADIO COMMUNICATION

Except in an emergency, a boat that is racing shall not make voice or data transmissions and shall not receive voice or data communication that is not available to all boats. This restriction also applies to mobile telephones. [DP]

15 PRIZES

The following prizes will be awarded:

R Class Leander Trophy for the National Championship

R Class Kent Prier Trophy

R Class Bank of NSW Trophy

R Class Bill Hayman Cup

R Class Leander Trophy Masters Cup

R Class Leander Cup

R Class Doug Harrison Memorial Trophy

R Class Youth Trophy

R Class Pinkney Trophy

R Class Innovation Trophy
R Class Lion Trophy
12ft Skiff South Island Championship

16 DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY

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

17 INSURANCE

It is recommended that each participating boat shall be insured with valid marine third-party liability insurance with a minimum cover of \$1,000,000 per incident or the equivalent.

18 FURTHER INFORMATION

For further information please contact:

Doug Gale secretary@rclass.org
(03) 942 9555

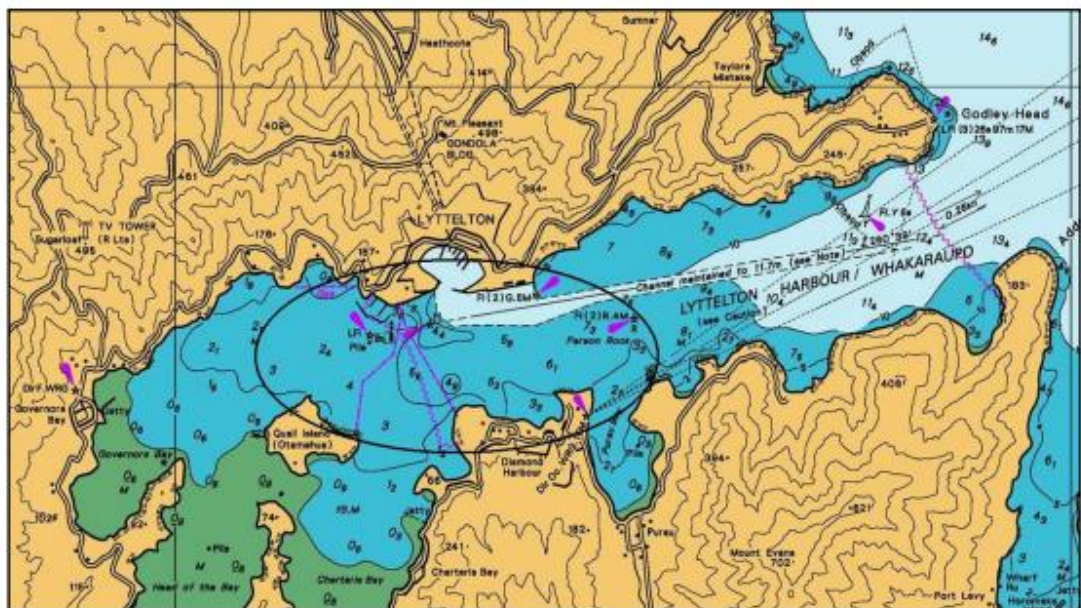
Ross May onwater@navalpoint.co.nz
(03) 328 7029

Attachment A: Location of Naval Point Club



Turn right at Tunnel exit roundabout. Turn first left and follow to recreation ground. Turn right and follow 300m to NPCL gate.

Attachment B: Racing Area on Lyttelton Harbour



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Entry Form

Organising Authority:

Name of Club Naval Point Club
Street Address Marina Access Way
City Lyttelton

Class
Sail Number
Hull Colour
Boat Name

Helmsperson	Crew
First Name	First Name
Surname	Surname
Date of Birth	Date of Birth
Yacht Club	Yacht Club
Postal Address	Postal Address
Email	Email
Contact number	Contact number

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 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	Crew's Signature
Date	Date
Parent/Guardian's Signature (if sailor under 18 years old)	Parent/Guardian's Signature (if sailor under 18 years old)
Date	Date

Enclosures			
Entry Fee	Proof of Club Membership		Measurement / Rating Certificate
	<input type="checkbox"/>		<input type="checkbox"/>

Office Use			
Entry Fee Paid	Cash / Cheque / Eftpos / online banking	Date	Comment