

**INTERNATIONAL 14 CLASS, 2005.**  
**WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP**  
**TAKAPUNA BEACH, AUCKLAND**  
**NEW ZEALAND.**

**Dates: Thursday 10 February to Saturday 19 February, 2005.**

**The Organising Authority is the Takapuna Boating Club Inc**

**NOTICE OF RACE**

**1.0 Rules**

- 1.1 The regatta will be governed by the 'rules' as defined in the *Racing Rules of Sailing* 2005 – 2008. If there is a conflict between the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions the Sailing Instructions will prevail.
- 1.2 The prescriptions of Yachting New Zealand will not apply.
- 1.3 An approved Buoyancy Aid shall be worn at all times while afloat.
- 1.4 Rules 77 & Appendix G are modified in that Appendix G 1.3 (d) is deleted. Yachts competing in this event are not required to carry identification on their spinnakers.
- 1.5 If there is a conflict between languages the English text will prevail.

**2. Advertising**

- 2.1 The Organising Authority will require all participating boats to display event sponsors' advertising in accordance with ISAF Regulation 20.3.
- 2.2 Advertising shall be as permitted in accordance with ISAF Regulation 20.3, Category C.

**3.0 Eligibility and Entry**

- 3.1 The regatta is open to all boats of the International 14 Class.
- 3.2 Eligible boats may enter by completing the attached entry form and sending it, together with the required fee, to:

Takapuna Boating Club  
P.O. Box 33062  
Takapuna  
North Shore City, New Zealand.

Entries to be received by 1st December, 2004

- 3.3 Late entries may be accepted after this date but will incur an additional late entry fee.
- 3.4 There are no restrictions on the number of boats entering the World Championship.
- 3.5 To be eligible to compete in this event each entrant and crew member shall be a financial member of their National 14 Class Association.
- 3.6 All entrants will ensure the availability of their National flag for display.

**4.0 Classification:** Not Applicable.

**5.0 Fees:**

Required fees are as follows:

World Championship	Individual boat entry	NZ\$710.00
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Late Entry Fee (World & Team)	In addition to the above	NZ\$200.00
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**6.0 Qualifying Series:**

There shall be no qualifying series for the World Championship

**7.0 Schedule of events for the World championships:**

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Thursday	10 February	Registration & Measurement	0900 - 1800 hrs
Friday	11 February	Registration & Measurement	0900 – 1200 hrs
		Registration MUST BE completed by 1200 on Feb.11,	
		Briefing	1300 hrs
		Practice Race	Warning 1500 hrs
		Welcome function	2000 hrs
Saturday	12 February	World Championship - Race 1	Warning 1500 hrs
Sunday	13 February	World Championship - Race 2	Warning 1500 hrs
Monday	14 February	World Championship - Race 3	Warning 1500 hrs
Tuesday	15 February	World Championship - Race 4	Warning 1500 hrs
Wednesday	16 February	Spare Day unless required to guarantee a series.	
Thursday	17 February	World Championship - Race 5	Warning 1500 hrs
Friday	18 February	World Championship - Race 6	Warning 1500 hrs
Saturday	19 February	World Championship - Race 7	Warning 1300 hrs
		No Race will be started after 1500 hrs on Saturday 19th.	
Saturday	19 February	PRIZE GIVING	1900 hrs

7.2 The Reserve Day may be used if races are not completed as scheduled or if the Race Committee considers it unlikely that races will be completed as scheduled.

7.3 Seven races are scheduled excluding the practice race.

7.4 More than one race per day may be sailed if the Race Committee deems this to be advisable because of weather information or if races have not been completed as scheduled.

**8. Measurement:**

Each boat shall submit a valid measurement certificate at registration and in addition measurement checks will be made.

**9.0 Sailing Instructions:**

The Sailing Instructions will be available from 31st January, 2005 at the club house or on the club web site and at registration.

**10. Venue:**

The races will be held on the waters of the Waitemata Harbour and the inner Hauraki Gulf, New Zealand, predominantly in an area off Takapuna Beach.

**11. Courses to be Sailed:**

The World Championship Course(s) will include windward, reaching and leeward legs.

**12. Penalty System:**

12.1 For the World Championship Rules 44.1 and 44.2 are changed so that a One-Turn Penalty by promptly making one turn in the same direction, including one tack and one gybe, is required.

12.2 The decisions of the jury will be final as provided in rule 70.4.

**13 Scoring:**

13.1 (a) Four races will be required to be completed to constitute a series.

(b) No score will be excluded until 5 races have been completed.

**14. Informative Note:**

The organising committee understands that the International 14 World Association intends clarifying the class rules in a number of areas including shifting of ballast during regattas and whether the same horizontal lifting foil must be used in each race of the regatta. In the absence of any class rule clarification or official ISAF interpretation, the organising committee will seek an official ISAF interpretation on these rules on 1st December 2004 and publish the results when received.

**15. Team Support Boats:**

15.1 Team support boats will be allowed.

15.2 Support boats shall be marked by flying the flag of their country.

15.3 Support boats must be registered with the Organising Authority at registration (clause 7 above).

**16. Haul Out Restrictions:**

All boats shall be launched from and stowed in the designated areas on the Beach Front Reserve at Takapuna Beach near the Takapuna Boating club.

**17. Radio Communications:**

Any form of electronic communication while racing is not permitted.

**18. Television & Media:**

Before competing in the World Championship and/or the Team Racing, all competitors shall sign a declaration which automatically grants the Organising Authority the right to make, use and show, from time to time and at its discretion, any motion pictures, still pictures and live, taped or filmed television and any other reproductions of him/her, taken during the period of

competition or practice for the said Championships as defined in the Notice of Race and Sailing Instructions in which he / she is participating, without compensation.

On-board cameras and head cam's will be permitted.

**19. PRIZES:**

The following prizes will be awarded:  
The WORLD CHAMPIONSHIP TROPHY  
10 Additional Prizes.

**20. Disclaimer & 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.

**21. Insurance**

Each participating boat shall be insured with valid third-party liability insurance. An insurance package is available through Mariner Insurance.

**22. Law**

The Laws of New Zealand apply to all contractual matters

**23. Visas**

In some cases Visas are required for entry to New Zealand. The event organisers are not responsible for assisting in the processing of Visas. However informal advice will be given and a suitable letter of invitation may be issued as appropriate. It is the sole responsibility of each participant and the participant's National Authority to undertake the process of obtaining a Visa. Information regarding the requirement for a Visa and how to apply can be found on [www.immigration.govt.nz](http://www.immigration.govt.nz) Click on Visit/Transit.

**24. Further Information:**

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