

**George Lakes Yacht Club****All Class New Year Regatta 2021 / 2022****1<sup>st</sup> / 2<sup>nd</sup> January 2022**

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**Notice of Race****1. RULES**

- 1.1** The regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in the Racing Rules of Sailing (RRS)  
**1.2** Boats participating in this regatta shall conform to the Equipment Rules of Sailing (ERS), the Class Rules, this Notice of Race, and the Sailing Instructions.

**2. ADVERTISING**

Advertising will be permitted in terms of World Sailing Regulation 20.

**3. ELIGIBILITY AND ENTRY**

- 3.1** In accordance with the World Sailing Regulation 19 (Eligibility Code), all competitors (Helmspersons and all other crew) shall be members in good standing of a Yacht Club affiliated to and in good standing with SAS or their Member National Authority in the case of non-South Africans. The Yacht Club name and membership details shall be stated on the entry form or crew list. Current valid SAS Membership Cards or similar proof of MNA Membership in cases of non-South Africans shall be presented at Registration.
- 3.2** The regatta is open to dinghy and catamaran classes.
- 3.3** Eligible boats may enter by completing the accompanying entry form and sending it, together with the required fee, to:  
E-mail [malcolmo@telkomsa.net](mailto:malcolmo@telkomsa.net)
- 3.4** In cases of electronic entry, confirmation of payment as outlined in 3.3 above shall clearly bear the following reference number ...<sail number>-GLYC NYR and be e-mailed, together with the Entry, to the Regatta Secretary.
- 3.5** Late entries will be accepted.

#### 4. FEES

- 4.1 Seniors double-handed boat: R 250.00  
Senior single-handed boat: R 150.00  
Juniors double-handed boat: R 150.00  
(Both competitors must be under 18)  
Junior single-handed boat: R 100.00  
(Competitors must be under 18)
- 4.3 Payment may be made via Internet to the George Lakes Yacht Club bank account:  
First National Bank account no. **5229 1657 306** branch **210 114**

#### 6. SCHEDULE

- 6.1 Registration:

Day and date: Saturday 1 January From 10:00 To 12:00

Dates of racing:

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*Date*

Saturday 1 January Racing

Sunday 2 January Racing

- 6.2 As this regatta will be held in conjunction with the 2021 GP14 National Championships, the warning signal for the first start of the first race will be at 12:00 on Saturday, 1 January 2022, i.e. five minutes after the first start for the GP14 class.
- 6.3 No warning signal will be made after 15:00 on Sunday, 2 January 2022.

#### 7. MEASUREMENTS

Each boat shall produce a valid measurement / rating certificate. In addition spot measurements may be taken at any stage during the regatta.

#### 8. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS

Sailing Instructions will be available from the Regatta Secretary on completion of registration formalities.

#### 9. VENUE

Racing will take place on Island Lake (Onder Langvlei), 3km east of Wilderness near George.

#### 10. SCORING

- 10.1 Portsmouth handicapping using RYA and S.A. Sailing ratings and the Low-Point Scoring System of Appendix A4.1 will apply.
- 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 9 races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her race scores excluding her worst score.

- (c) When 10 or more races have been completed, a boat's series score will be the total of her races excluding her two worst scores.

## **11. SAFETY**

- 11.1 Yachts shall comply with their class buoyancy and safety requirements.  
11.2 Youth category competitors shall wear a personal buoyancy aid at all times while afloat in a yacht.  
11.3 Wet or dry suits do not constitute adequate buoyancy!

## **12. RADIO COMMUNICATION**

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.

## **13. PRIZES**

Suitable prizes will be awarded in the Senior and Junior fleets.

## **15. DISCLAIMER OF LIABILITY**

Competitors participate in the regatta entirely at their own risk. See RRS 4, Decision to Race. Neither the Organizing Authority nor its officials or other persons associated with the organization of the event will accept any liability for material damage or personal injury or death sustained in conjunction with or prior to, during, or after the regatta.

## **16. INSURANCE**

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

## **17. FURTHER INFORMATION**

For further information please contact: Malcolm Osborne - 076 828 5910